

A7R III with Sony Cable Anchor

The BA9 L-Set is compatible with the A7RIII and attached Sony cable anchor with the following disclaimer:

1. The L-plate must be removed prior to installation of the cable anchor and the customer must take care not to misplace the mounting screw. Install the cable anchor.



2. After installing the cable anchor using Sony's instructions, cables should first be routed through the L-plate opening, then into the cable anchor ports.



3. After cables have been routed, the plate can be secured using the 1/4-20 button head mounting screw removed earlier, taking care to avoid accidentally pinching or bending cables or the camera port doors. The L-plate will be at its maximum extended position.



4. After the plate is secured, the cables then can be anchored to Sony's mechanism.



5. Attaching all three cables (Multi, USB, and HDMI) will obstruct the use of a Really Right Stuff clamp. Attaching any one cable will prevent most RRS clamps from being able to clamp centered with the lens axis. If clamping onto the L-plate centered with the lens axis while using cables and anchoring is a necessity, the best option is to use the Really Right Stuff Cable Relief Spacer (CRS).



*We do not recommend this be done in the field to avoid dropping or losing something of importance.

The BVGC3EM-L Plate is not compatible the Sony cable anchor because the plate's mounting screw slot is not long enough to accommodate the added width of Sony's cable anchor.

6. In this case, the customer will need to use a BP-CS or similar base plate in order to mount the camera with battery grip and cable anchor to a tripod.



7. The best option in this case is also the CRS if anchoring is a necessity. Again, the L-plate can be slid out to allow cables to be attached without anchoring, requiring no additional purchase or equipment.



We do not have the A9 camera in house any longer to verify, but if it also comes with the cable anchor, it would be safe to assume the same is true of the A9 and A9 with VGC3EM battery grip since both the A9 and A7 share plate designs.