

ATHENA
ELECTRONIC DEVICE

A new dimension to your creativity.



Remote controlled, software operated.



Unique self-levelling electronic device.



Unique hi-tech electronics.



focus on forever

athena
the technology that gives another meaning to your freedom.

Athena is the innovative Gitzo motor-driven head representing a perfect combination of the cutting-edge values, know-how and technology of the brand.

Drawing its inspiration from Athena – the goddess of knowledge and wisdom called upon by the Greeks for help to excel in the arts and inventions – this head gives support to the expressive capacity of photographers by allowing them to continually renew their inventive creativity and achieve hitherto unimaginable results.

Whether in nature or sport, or in the sphere of architecture, art and science.

Athena stands for a new form of reliability that aids your work, helps you surpass yourself and guides your creativity towards an as yet unimaginable freedom.

ready to follow you
ready to surpass you

Designed for the new generation of remote-controlled digital SLR professional cameras, Athena is one of the best performing state-of-the-art heads in the sector. It is also ideal for the innovative very high capability HD hybrid cameras.

Featuring a motor-driven electronic system that can be fully and independently remote controlled plus absolutely stable and precise complete 3D movement, Athena is the ideal support for nature and sports shots where variability and unpredictability are ever present aspects that can affect the outcome. It is, however, also great for art photographs taken in architectural or scientific settings when the need to isolate details requires particular placing of the camera.

Unusual, dangerous or complicated situations.
Athena is the head that is always up to your needs.
And your ambitions.

Because it's the only head that fits on any camera, especially yours.

nature



architecture



wild life



science



sport



show business



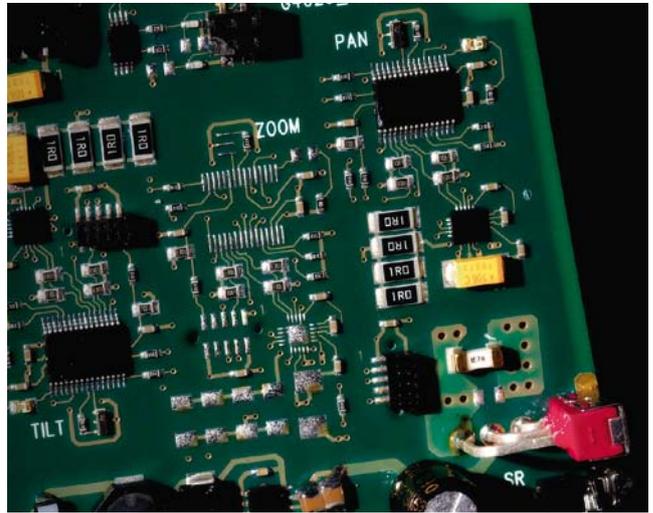
movement

The system, with a precision of 0.1° on all 3 axes which are fully independent in terms of tilt, pan and level, ensures precise and exceptionally controlled movements thanks to the self-levelling mechanism.



mechanics and electronics

Athena mechanical structure is designed to provide high payload, maximum resistance and reliability for using high-end equipment in any condition. Electronics is the result of the latest generations of embedded microprocessors and software providing high computing power and most effective interaction with all the connected devices.



remote control

All the head movements and the camera functions are controlled remotely by the user. From the screen of the computer the user can move and set the head camera in the right position controlling the frame through the camera remote live-view.

The Electronic head is controllable via ethernet cable or wireless connection. The head has a built in USB interface in order to plug any compatible USB Wi-Fi key.

wireless connection



ethernet connection



remote control compatible with mac os, windows, vista and Wi-fi standard

kit

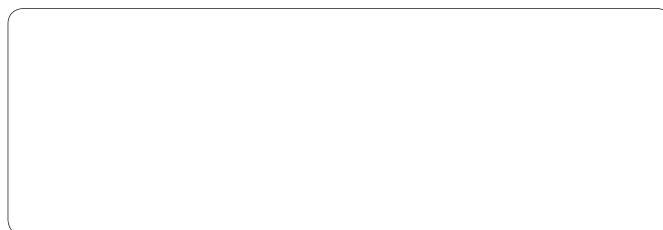
The head is provided with a special case, specifically designed to protect the equipment from dust, water, humidity, pressure differences and possible shocks. The special box is provided with all the necessary accessories to exploit all the head functionalities.

- two batteries
- battery recharger
- international plug adapters
- ethernet cable
- quick release plate
- electronics levelling bubble
- software and manuals



product specifications

series	ref.	power supply	plate type			
5.	GH5130RC	lithium battery 7.4 VDC/6600mAh	quick release 1/4" - 3/8"	31.7 cm/1.25"	5.8 kg/12.79 lbs	6 kg/13.23 lbs



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