

LCS8 QUICK GUIDE

Thank you for your purchase! Here are a few things you should know.

General:

- Do not expose to prolonged heat, such as in direct sunlight in a car.
- Do not get wet.

Installation (on jacket or similar garb):

- Permanent install requires destructive modification.
- Position the collar on your jacket, then mark and make holes corresponding with your preferred anchor points.
- Use the provided screws or zipties to attach the collar to your jacket.

Customization:

- Panel swap: All of the exterior panels are reversible. Remove the M3 screws and reinstall the panels on the opposite sides.
- The main hinges are double jointed, and each joint can be tightened or loosened as needed. I tend to firmly tighten the rear-most pair of joints to set the overall shape (wide, narrow, or balanced). I leave the front hinges loose, free to move along with the jacket.
- Major to Minor swap: Unplug the front section connectors and remove the “stack” screws. Remove the front section, then re-use the stack screws to install the stack of acrylic diffusers.
- Consider using the multiple aux ziptie points to attach fabric or other decorations!

Battery:

- The battery holder that is provided uses (8) AA batteries, which should last for several hours. If you’re looking to upgrade, consider replacing this with a rechargeable 12-volt lithium battery pack. Talentcell makes a good pack with the appropriate connector (5521 barrel plug).
- I like to place the battery in the back of the jacket liner. This makes the weight and bulk easy to ignore.

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