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EDQ Reducer Tech Sheet

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The EDQ series was really designed with one thing in mind, to make imaging easier. The Quad optical set is a dream to work with and a little odd at first to get your camera attached. The spare tube in the package throws people off, good news is that is for prime focus and you won't be needing most of it. You will need the M54 adapter that is the top section of the photographic extension tube. There is a diagram on the back side of this sheet to help out.

Good news is that it is easy to attach the reducer to the EDQ. Just unthread the knurled black trim ring just above the red Camera Angle Adjuster ring. This will expose M63 threads. Then you simply thread the reducer into the red trim ring.

Now is when the M54 extension comes into play. You will unthread the M54 extension piece from your photographic tube that was supplied with the EDQ telescope. This M54 extension will now thread into the camera side of the reducer. Once that is in place, just unthread the cap on the extension exposing 48mm threads and attach your imaging equipment.







