

# MINOLTA 16 FLASH GUN (Silver) 1970



Serial Nr.: no  
Minolta Code 8628

## Characteristics and Functions

The Minolta 16 Flash Gun is dedicated to the Minolta 16 MG-S. In 1970 the "silver" version was presented, while the "black" version saw the light the following year. The flash is used applied to the left side of the camera in the appropriate dedicated electrical connection by means of a large screw which is operated by rotating the ribbed wheel located along the upper edge in a depressed area in black plastic. The front side, with the exception of the dish, is also made of black plastic. On the front there is the flash reflector and the slot for inserting the foot of the bulbs. On the upper side there are the striped metal wheel which is used to control the screw fixing the flash to the camera and the wording "minolta" (engraved and painted black). Power is supplied by a 15v battery. Mallory type M-154 or equivalent which is housed in the rear part that can be reached by removing the black plastic body from the external satin metal shell. This luminaire uses bulb lamps type AG/AG1 and subsequent AG3 and AG3B. The shutter speed must be set to 1/30"on the camera. On the rear side of the flash near the camera there is a black button which, when pressed, activates the battery efficiency test by illuminating the orange circular light. To eject the used lamp, therefore very hot, press the black button located in the center of the left side of the flash, thus avoiding touching the bulb. The side that matches that of the camera is occupied by the thread for coupling with the

camera itself and by a chromed foot for the synchronization of the flash. On the underside you can see the striped wheel and the writings "MG-S FLASH GUN" and "JAPAN" engraved on two lines.

Weight 59g., Battery and lamp excluded.

Dimensions: length 58mm .; height 25mm .; depth 44.5mm.