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# Metabones®

## Introduces Nikon G Lens to Fuji G-mount (GFX) Expander 1.26x

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### Press Release

- **Petersburg, VA, USA, Feb 21, 2020:** Metabones® and Caldwell Photographic Inc. are pleased to jointly announce the NF – GFX mount Expander 1.26x. It allows Nikon F mount lenses to be mounted on Fujifilm GFX camera bodies without getting dark and / or soft corners. The magnification factor of 1.26x perfectly matches the image circle of the full-frame Nikon lenses to the medium-format sensor of the GFX series cameras, and therefore the diagonal FOV remains exactly the same.

The optical design consists of 5 elements in 3 groups, incorporating ultra-high index Lanthanum-based optical glass as well as one element made of fused silica, resulting in extremely good performances with professional-grade f/2.8 zoom lenses. For example, a 24-70mm f/2.8 lens becomes a 30-88mm f/3.5 zoom, and a 70-200mm f/2.8 lens becomes an 88-252mm f/3.5 zoom. Please note that because of the nature of focal extenders, the aperture values decrease by 2/3 of a stop; f/2.8 becomes f/3.5 and f/2 becomes f/2.5. High-speed fixed focal length lenses such as the 50mm f/1.4 will be transformed into a very fast standard lens 63mm f/1.8 for the GFX system.

The GFX mount Expander features Metabones' unique manual G aperture adjustment mechanism, which has the same angular throw distance as earlier Nikon Ai/AiS lenses, which features a linearized f-stop adjustment as a function of aperture ring adjustment angle. The mechanism is clickless in order to maximize its usefulness to cinematographers.

- **Availability**

Metabones® Nikon G - GFX Expander 1.26x is available right now from the Metabones website and its worldwide dealer network for US\$519, and the optic-free version adapter\* will be available for US\$179, plus shipping and applicable taxes and duties.

#### Notes:

\*Limitation: Both Nikon full-frame and DX lens may NOT have enough coverage for the GFX cameras when used in conjunction with the optic-free adapter (MB\_NFG-FG-BM1). Most of the case will result strong vignetting or even black corners.

## ■ Specifications:

**Product name:** Nikon G Lens (F-mount) to Fuji GFX (G-mount) Expander 1.26x

**Model Code:** MB\_EPNFG-FG-BM1

**Color:** Black Satin exterior; Black Matte interior

**Magnification:** 1.26x

**Crop Factor with Fuji GFX camera:** 1.0x

**Maximum Output Aperture:** f/1.8 (with f/1.4 lens attached)

**Rectilinear Distortion:** < 0.5%

**Lens Elements/Groups:** 5/3

**Camera Mount:** Fujifilm G Mount

**Lens Mounts:** Nikon F/G

**Lens Compatibility:** Nikon F-mount lenses with mechanical aperture lever. Mainly for full-frame lenses. DX lenses can be mounted but will result in severe vignetting in most cases.

**Special Features:** Long-throw clickless aperture ring

**Tripod Mount:** Robust removable type with Arca Swiss compatibility

**Dimensions:** 88.2mm x 78.0mm x 41.3mm (incl. tripod mount)

**Weight:** 396 grams

**Retail Price:** USD 519.00

**Product Page:** [http://www.metabones.com/products/details/MB\\_EPNFG-FG-BM1](http://www.metabones.com/products/details/MB_EPNFG-FG-BM1)

**Product name:** Nikon G Lens (F-mount) to Fuji GFX (G-mount) Adapter

**Model Code:** MB\_NFG-FG-BM1

**Color:** Black Satin exterior; Black Matte interior

**Magnification:** N/A.

**Camera Mount:** Fujifilm G Mount

**Lens Mounts:** Nikon F/G

**Lens Compatibility:** Nikon F-mount full-frame lenses with mechanical aperture lever. Most lenses will have strong vignetting or even black corners.

**Tripod Mount:** Robust removable type with Arca Swiss compatibility

**Dimensions:** 88.2mm x 78.0mm x 26.7mm (incl. tripod mount)

**Weight:** 208 grams

**Retail Price:** USD 179.00

**Product Page:** [http://www.metabones.com/products/details/MB\\_NFG-FG-BM1](http://www.metabones.com/products/details/MB_NFG-FG-BM1)





# Metabones Unveils Fuji GFX Medium Format Expander 1.26x

Optics designed by Caldwell Photographic



## **About Metabones**

Metabones®, together with its allied partners Caldwell Photographic and WB Design, is the pioneer and leader of two key technologies which have catalyzed the transition from mirror to mirrorless. Speed Booster® (winner of the 2013 TIPA Best Photo Accessory Award) makes lenses brighter, wider and sharper, and Smart Adapter™ breaks the lens mount compatibility barrier by electronically integrating interchangeable single-lens reflex (SLR) lenses and mirrorless cameras. Metabones® offers a comprehensive range of adapters covering most popular lens mounts, as well as some rare and exotic ones. "Always at the forefront of innovation without ever setting aside practicality as a professional tool" perhaps best epitomizes Metabones' philosophy.