Attach a Camera to an EQ mount

An EQ mount usually equipped with a Vixen-type saddle. Therefore a Vixen-type dovetail plate is needed to attach a camera to the mount. It is also recommended to have a dovetail plate with a mounting slot so you can move the camera back and forth.

Here is an example to use an iOptron dovetail plat $\frac{\#8422-178}{\#8422-178}$ to attach a camera onto an iEQ30 E mount. In addition to the dovetail plate, a $\frac{1}{4}$ "-20 socket head cap screw, $\frac{1}{2}$ " to $\frac{5}{8}$ " long in length which depends on the mounting hole depth on your camera body, is also needed.





