# Condition Grades

#### A — Excellent / Near-Perfect

- Optical: No haze, fungus, or coating damage; no impact on image
- Mechanical: Smooth focus, zoom, and iris with precise operation
  - Cosmetic: Minimal signs of use; looks very clean

## **B** — Fully Functional / Normal Professional Use

- Optical: Minor dust or cleaning marks that do not affect image
  - Mechanical: Slight play or resistance within tolerance
- Cosmetic: Noticeable wear from normal professional handling

## Functional with Noted Impact (Service Candidate)

- Optical: Haze, cleaning marks, or coating wear that may affect image contrast or flare behavior
  - Mechanical: Uneven or stiff operation; may require service soon
    - Cosmetic: Heavy wear, engraving, repainting, or dents without structural damage

#### D — Needs Service / Sold As-Is (Service Candidate)

- Optical: Defects clearly affecting image performance
- Mechanical: Gears slipping, binding, or functional failure
- Cosmetic: Structural or mounting damage; parts missing

