



## HandyStep® touch

The next generation repetitive pipette

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- + Simple: touchscreen operation
- + Easy: automatic tip ejection
- + Efficient: compatible with third party tips





# Get to know the HandyStep® touch

Repetitive pipettes are the first choice when it comes to efficient dispensing of long series. Positive displacement pipettes are often the right solution for pipetting viscous media. The stepper HandyStep® touch from BRAND combines both features.

With the touchscreen display, you conveniently swipe back and forth between functions and always have an overview of the essential information on your work steps. Operation is easy, even with protective gloves on. And speaking of easy, the days of manually changing tips are over. On the Handy-Step® touch, lightly tapping on the Eject icon on the display and pressing the STEP button will eject the tip.

The HandyStep® touch repetitive pipette automatically recognizes the volume of the BRAND PD-Tips *II*. This saves time and reduces the risk of error. Tips from many other manufacturers can also be used, providing maximum flexibility. Charging is easy and efficient: simply place the HandyStep® touch in the inductive charging stand and the battery automatically starts charging.



- + Touchscreen operation with intuitive menu navigation and integrated help function
- Two models available: HandyStep® touch or HandyStep® touch S with expanded functionality
- + Menu languages: German, English, Spanish, French and Chinese
- + Variable volume adjustment from 1.0 μl to 50 ml
- Inductive charging with optional charging stand

# At a glance: Advantages of the HandyStep® touch

Quickly and easily swiping to the desired function, with the required information always in view – the touchscreen operation provides many advantages. With the HandyStep® touch, BRAND offers the first hand-held laboratory device of its class with a touchscreen.

The modern operation concept makes work easy and efficient from the start. Integrated help functions and instructions support the user right on the spot.







Setting the aspiration and dispensing speed



Setting a reminder for the next calibration



Multi dispensing with the HandyStep® touch



Sequential dispensing with the HandyStep® touch S

### **Intuitive operation**

Be flexible and have the right solution at hand for every application. Even complex procedures are easy to carry out – no problem with the expanded functionality of the HandyStep® touch S.



Mode		Function	HandyStep® touch	HandyStep® touch S
Multi Dispensing (MULTI-DISP)	Multi Dispersing	Successive dispensing of a set volume	✓	✓
Auto Dispensing (AUTO-DISP)	Auto Dispensing	Automatic dispensing by the instrument	✓	1
Pipetting (PIP)	Paetiro	Pipetting a defined volume	✓	1
Sequential Dispensing (SEQ-DISP)	Sequential Disparatory	Successive dispensing of different volumes	-	1
Multi Aspirating (MULTI-ASP)	Made Application	Aspirating different volumes	-	1
Titrating	Troiting	Manual or successive delivery of liquids for titration	-	<b>✓</b>
Favorites	Parities	Saving favorites for quick access	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Settings	Setting (C)	Individual customization of the device (e.g. brightness or device name)	✓	1

#### A matter of adjustment

Keypad or selector wheel? Variable volume adjustment from 1.0 μl to 50 ml enables quick volume changes and flexibility.



#### Keypad

The keypad is the perfect option when widely varying values must be set quickly.



#### Selector wheel

With the selector wheel, individual digits in volumes can be changed easily.



Main menu with all modes for quick selection



Working mode with all important information



All options visible at a glance



Internal help right where it is needed

### **Ordering information**



#### HandyStep® touch

repetitive pipette, DE-M marking

Items supplied:

performance certificate, operating manual, short instruction, shelf/rack mount, Li-Ion battery, universal AC adapter (for Europe, UK, USA, Japan, Australia, New Zealand) and USB-Type C cable. One each PD-Tip // size 0.5 ml, 1.25 ml, 5 ml and 12.5 ml.

Description	Cat. No.
HandyStep® touch	16328007
HandyStep® touch incl. charging stand	16458479



#### HandyStep® touch S

repetitive pipette, DE-M marking

Items supplied:

performance certificate, operating manual, short instruction, shelf/rack mount, Li-Ion battery, universal AC adapter (for Europe, UK, USA, Japan, Australia, New Zealand) and USB-Type C cable. One each PD-Tip // size 0.5 ml, 1.25 ml, 2.5 ml, 5 ml and 12.5 ml.

Description	Cat. No.
HandyStep® touch S	16343677
HandyStep® touch S incl. charging stand	16468479



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# Accessories for simple and efficient work

Original accessories ensure optimal work conditions in the laboratory.

# **Stands**Support or charging stand with inductive charging function

Description	Pack of	Cat. No.		
Charging stand	1	16353677		
Support stand	1	16373677		





#### Shelf/rack mount for 1 HandyStep® touch | HandyStep® touch S repetitive pipette

Pack of	Cat. No.
1	16383677



#### Universal AC adapter for HandyStep® touch | HandyStep® touch S repetitive pipette

Pack of	Cat. No.
1	16393677



#### Spare battery

for HandyStep® touch | HandyStep® touch S repetitive pipette

Pack of	Cat. No.
1	16363677



#### **USB** cable

for HandyStep® touch | HandyStep® touch S repetitive pipette

Pack of	Cat. No.
1	705240



All product information can be found at **shop.brand.de** 

### PD-Tips II

#### Automatic size detection with PD-Tips // from BRAND

The HandyStep® touch saves time and prevents errors through automatic tip size recognition of PD-Tips // from BRAND, with coding on the pistons. After inserting the tip, the size is automatically recognized and displayed, making it easy to select the volume to be dispensed. When a new PD-Tip // of the same size is inserted, all instrument settings are maintained.



Sequential dispensing with the HandyStep® touch S and PD-Tip II

PD-Tips II, Precision dispenser tips with type code

Capacity ml	Pack of	non-sterile Cat. No.	BIO-CERT® LIQUID HANDLING STERILE Cat. No.
0.1	100	16368056	16313176
0.5	100	16323166	16323176
1	100	16333166	16333176
1.25	100	16343166	16343176
2.5	100	16353166	16353176
5	100	16363166	16363176
10	100	16373166	16373176
12.5	100	16309635	16383176
25	50 + 1 adapter	16383166	16393176*
50	25 + 1 adapter	16393166	16303186
Set	20 pieces per size: 0.5   1   1.25   2.5   5   10   12.5 ml	16303176	-

<sup>\*</sup> BIO-CERT® LIQUID HANDLING STERILE: pack of 25 + 1 adapter

#### Adapter

for 25 and 50 ml PD-Tips *II*, PP, autoclavable

Description	Pack of	Cat. No.
non-sterile	10	10291641
BIO-CERT® LIQUID HANDLING STERILE	5	10373341



## **Accuracy table**

The measurements were carried out with BRAND PD-Tips *II*.

Distilled water was used as the test liquid.

The nominal volume is the maximum volume printed on the PD-Tip.

The tolerances specified in ISO 8655 are not exceeded.

			Accur	acy A ≤	≤ ± %		Coeffic	cient o	of vari	ation CV ≤ %
PD-Tip //	Volume range	Volume steps		nal vo	lume 10%	1%	Nomir 100%			1%
0.1 ml	1 μl - 100 μl	0.1 μl	1.0	1.0	1.6	8.0	0.5	1.0	2.0	12.0
0.5 ml	5 μl - 500 μl	0.1 μl	0.9	0.9	1.0	5.0	0.3	0.6	1.0	5.0
1 ml	10 μl - 1000 μl	1 μl	0.6	0.9	1.0	5.0	0.2	0.5	0.8	4.0
1.25 ml	12 μl - 1250 μl	0.5 μl	0.6	0.6	0.9	5.0	0.15	0.5	0.7	4.0
2.5 ml	25 μl - 2500 μl	1 μl	0.5	0.6	0.7	3.5	0.15	0.3	0.6	3.0
5 ml	50 μl - 5000 μl	1 μl	0.5	0.5	0.7	3.5	0.15	0.4	0.7	3.0
10 ml	100 μl - 10 ml	10 μl	0.4	0.5	0.7	3.5	0.15	0.5	0.8	4.0
12.5 ml	125 μl - 12.5 ml	5 μl	0.5	0.5	0.8	3.5	0.15	0.6	1.4	6.5
25 ml	250 μl - 25 ml	10 μl	0.5	0.5	0.6	3.0	0.15	0.3	1.0	6.0
50 ml	500 μl - 50 ml	10 μl	0.5	0.5	0.5	3.0	0.15	0.4	1.2	9.0





# The right aspiration and dispensing speed

On the HandyStep® touch and HandyStep® touch *S*, the aspiration and dispensing speed can be individually adjusted to 8 different levels. As a result, even critical solutions such as foaming or viscous media can be handled easily and safely. Setting the dispensing speed pays off, especially for small vessels or for swirl-free dispensing.

#### Easy speed adjustment:



1.

After inserting the tip, the aspiration and dispensing speed can be set in the upper area of the work screen.



2.

The aspiration and dispensing speed can be individually adjusted by swiping up or down.



3.

Confirm the change by pressing the check mark and return to the work screen.

**Tip:** the last speed setting with a tip size is saved in each work mode.



For safe dispensing, even with problematic solutions, watch the how-to video about speed adjustments on the HandyStep® touch.



#### Application examples:

#### Reduced aspiration speed:

- + Highly-viscous media
- + Foaming media
- + Adhesives

#### Reduced dispensing speed:

- + Swirl-free dispensing
- + Spray-free dispensing into small vessels
- + Filling agarose gels

#### Adaptive repetitive pipette

Each user has their own individual work tempo. In "Auto Dispensing" mode, the device can use learning mode to calculate the average from three dispensing processes and continues to work at this rate when the Step button is pressed. This function reduces hand strain, particularly during long series. Individual time settings are also possible. In all modes, the device also remembers the last tip that was used and the corresponding settings – useful when frequently working under identical conditions.

HandyStep® touch and HandyStep® touch *S* possess features according to the following BRAND patents and patent applications:

CN304548063S; CN305709380S; DE202017101008U1; DE202017101009U1; EM004517548; EM005796471; EP11777831B1; US6,841,129B2; USD871,606S; WO2018/153830A1; WO2018/153924A1; EP3554708B1, US10,870,107B2

PD-Tips *II* possess features according to the BRAND patents USD825,750S and CN304542771S as well as the European Design Patents EM003763564 and EM004045847.

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