

ASTM D2240 S68 DIN ISO 868 JIS K 7312

Digital handheld hardness tester for the measuring of Shore hardness, with illuminated display and integrated compression sleeve for vertical support and standard contact pressure.



Our handheld hardness tester HPE III Basic can be used for simple, manual measurements of Shore hardness, on flexible cellular plastics, polymers and composite materials. Thanks to its smart functions, the device prevents operating errors, and it is simple to use.

The Bareiss handgrip, with integrated compression sleeve, allows you to reliably set the hardness tester at the right angles and with standard-compliant pressure on the flat test specimen. After the specified measuring time has concluded, the HPE III Basic confirms the successful measurement through an acoustic signal and shows the measured value, with the respective date and time, on the illuminated display. The internal memory can store up to 300 measured values, which can be exported in various formats using the supplied RS-232 / USB cable.

MEASURING METHODS

Shore A	Shore 0
Shore A0	Shore 00
Shore D	Shore 000
	Shore 000S
	Shore E L L/c
	Shore B
Asker C	Shore C
Asker F	Shore D0



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MAIN CHARACTERISTICS

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS



1 1	Measurements W x D x H: 68 x 51 x 157 mm	HPE III Basic handheld hardness tester
KG	Weight approx. 300 g	Lithium-ion battery
		RS-232/USB data and charging cable
	PACKING UNIT WITH CASE	Control ring 40 Shore A
KG	Weight approx. 700 g	Operating manual

SCOPE OF DELIVERY



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ACCESSORIES



Automatic test stand, type BSA

The automatic test stand guarantees the standard-compliant lowering and the precise 90° support of the handheld hardness tester.



Control rings with DAkkS calibration certificate

The measuring path of the hardness tester, within the defined hardness range, is monitored with the help of the control rings.



Manual test stand, type BS 61 II

The test stand with manual lowering guarantees the precise 90° support of the handheld hardness tester.



Reference elastomer blocks with DAkkS calibration certificate, single set/set of 3 or 6

Reference elastomer blocks can be used to check the indenter and measuring path of the hardness tester according to DIN ISO 48.



Control device for checking the spring force A/D

The control device can be used to check the spring force of the handheld hardness tester.



Software

The software controls the hardness and hysteresis measurement processes undertaken with Bareiss testing devices.



Prisms Ø 4 – 10 mm or Ø 40 – 100 mm

The prism stabilizes the handheld hardness tester when placed on cylindrical test specimens.

DAkkS calibration certifi-



DAkkS calibration certificate The calibration takes place according to DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025, being confirmed with a DAkkS calibration certificate.

REFERENCE

As an alternative to our basic model HPE III Basic, the premium handheld hardness tester HPE III records the date and time, as well as environmental conditions, such as the temperature, humidity, and sample temperature, while performing the hardness measurement.



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MEASUREMENT METHOD	MATERIALS	STANDARDS	MAT. THICKNESS MIN. [MM]
Shore A	Soft rubber, elastomers, natural rubber products, neoprene, cast resin, polyester, soft PVC, leather, pressure rollers, etc.	DIN EN ISO 868	4
		DIN ISO 48-4, ASTM D 2240, NFT 51-174	6
Shore D	Hard rubber, plastics, acrylic glass, polysty- rene, rigid thermoplastics, formica, printing rollers, vinyl plates, cellulose acetate, etc.	DIN EN ISO 868	4
		DIN ISO 48-4, ASTM D 2240, NFT 51-174	6
Shore B	Middle hard materials from rubber, typewriter roles, flat materials	ASTM D 2240	6
Shore 0	Soft elastic materials, pressure rolls, middle firm, textile fabrics, nylon, orlon, perlon, rayon	ASTM D 2240	6
Shore A0	PUR foams, leather covers	DIN ISO 48-4	6
Shore E, L/c und L	PUR foams, leather covers	ASTM D 2240	6
Asker C	see Shore A	SRIS 0101, JIS K7312 ABNT NBR 14455	6
Shore C	plastics and middle hard rubber materials	ASTM D 2240	6
Shore D0	Plastics and middle hard- hard rubber materials	ASTM D 2240	6
Shore 00 Shore 000 Shore 000S	Cellular rubber, foam rubber, silicone	ASTM D 2240	6
Shore AM	Soft rubber, elastomers, natural rubber products, neoprene, cast resin, polyester, soft PVC, leather, pressure rollers, etc.	DIN ISO 48-4	1,25
Shore M	Soft rubber, elastomers, natural rubber products, neoprene, cast resin, polyester, soft PVC, leather, pressure rollers, etc.	ASTM D 2240	1,5

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The accreditation is valid for the scope listed in certificate D-K-15206-01-00 (mechanical measurands in the range of hardness).