DBR Coffee



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Technical specifications

Instrument	**DBR Coffee**
Measurement units	Brix, TDS, Temperature
Measurement range	Brix: 0,00% - 26,00% TDS: 0,00% - 23,00 % Temperature: 0,0 °C – 70,0 °C
Resolution	Brix: 0,01% TDS: 0,01 % Temperature: 0,1 °C
Accuracy	Brix: ± 0,20 % TDS: ± 0,20 % Temperature: ± 1,0 °C
Temperature compensation	ATC (10 °C – 60 °C)
Backlight	Automatic brightness control (20 seconds)
Auto shut-Off	2 minutes
Measurement time	About 5 seconds
Volume	About 0,5 mL
Usage enviroment	10 °C – 40 °C
Batteries	2 batterie da 1,5 V AAA Alcaline
Size	58 x 36 x 122 mm
Weight	150 g (including batteries and protective covers)

Before starting

1. Use the instrument in a dry and shaded environment.
2. Do not use organic solvents (acetone, benzene, plant diluents, diesel fuel, etc.) to clean the instrument. This can cause the instrument to malfunction.
3. Remove the sample from the glass prism using soft absorbent paper such that the glass is not scratched.
4. Do not use metal objects (for example spoons, needles, etc.) to place the sample on the glass prism.
5. Although the instrument is resistant to water by rinsing it with running water, do not immerse the instrument completely in water.

Overview of the instrument

Prism

Glass reading prism

Display

Backlight LCD display

Scale

Press to change from reading in Brix (%) to TDS (%)



On/Off e Start

Short pressure = instrument switch-on
Pressure of 2 seconds = switching off the instrument

Press to make the measurement

Zero

Place 0.5 mL of distilled water in the prism, then press the Zero key to calibrate the zero

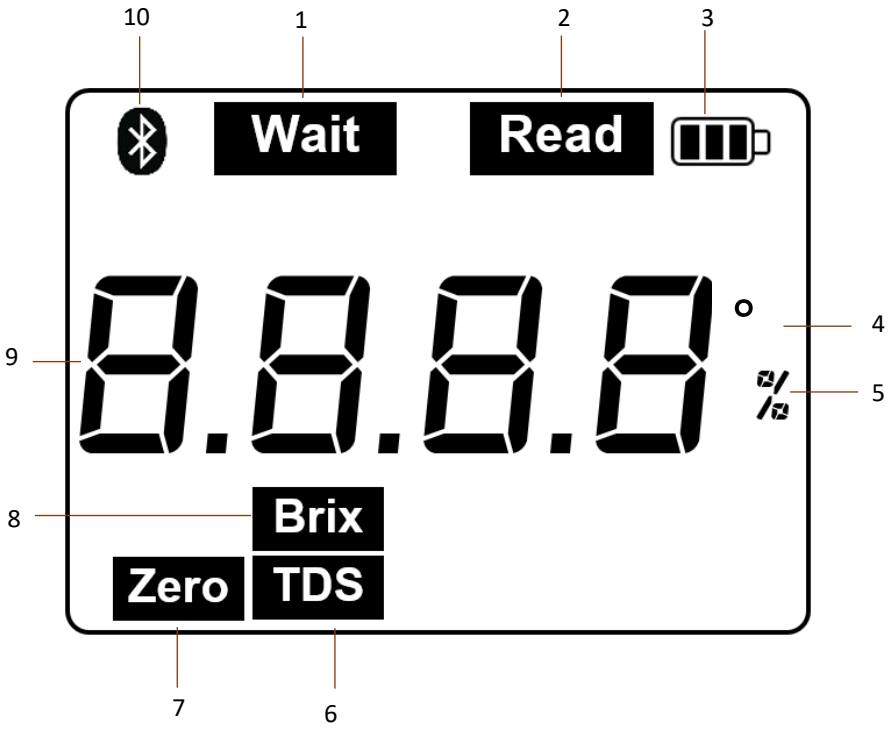
Cell compartment

Remove the protective cover to replace the batteries

Other components:

- Protection cover
- Plastic dropper to place the sample on the prism

Display



1. Measurement icon
2. Measurement icon completed
3. Battery status indicator
4. Unit of measurement of temperature
5. Unit of measurement of the Brix and TDS
6. TDS measurement icon
7. Zero calibration icon
8. Brix measurement icon
9. Measured value
10. Bluetooth icon

Bottons and functions

START — *Press to turn the meter on or to take a measurement*
Press and hold 2 seconds to turn off the instrument

SCALE — *Press to change the unit of measurement from Brix (%) to TDS (%)*

ZERO — *Press to perform a zero calibration*

START + ZERO — *Press the two keys together to display the temperature*

Battery replacement

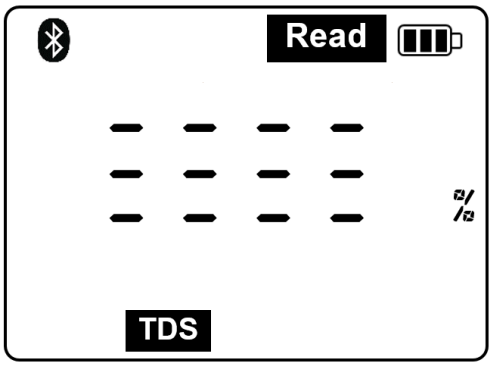
When the display shows the low battery symbol replace them as they may cause errors in the readings.

Remove the rubber protection and open the battery compartment following the instructions engraved on the instrument (opening the compartment and towards batteries). Reposition the battery compartment cover correctly, replace the protective cover.

Interference from light sources

The image on the right depicts the instrument screen if too much light is present in the environment.

In this case, to avoid the problem it is necessary to position the hand above the reading prism and press the ***START*** key again to perform the measurement.



Zero calibration

1. Make sure the prism surface is clean.
2. Place 0.5 mL of distilled water on the surface of the prism and press the "START" key.
3. At the end of the operation, the value of "0.00%" should be shown on the display; if this value is not displayed, a zero calibration must be performed.
4. Press the "ZERO" key to start zero calibration.
5. The zero calibration is completed if the display shows the value of "0.00%".

If the display shows "Er2" it means that the water used for calibration is not distilled.

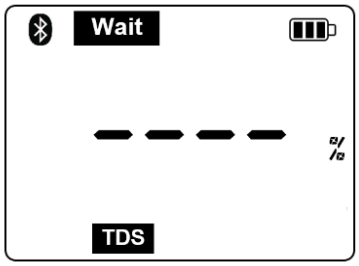
Measurement method

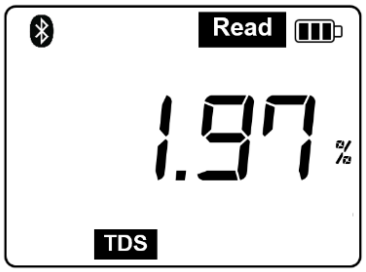
Place approximately 0.5 mL of sample on the prism

Press the "START" key to make the measurement

For about 5 seconds, "----" will appear on the instrument display

When the measurements are finished, the result will appear on the display





Warnings

Do not use metal objects as they may damage the glass prism on which the sample is placed.

Remove and clean the prism surface after each use.

Do not use hot water to clean the prism. Use cotton or absorbent paper soaked with water.

*If after a measurement the display shows "----" cover the prism with one hand and repeat the measurement by pressing the "**START**" key.*

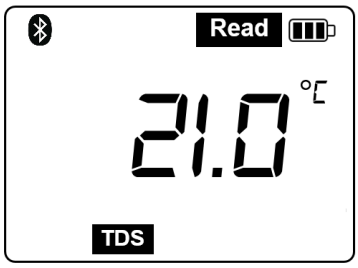
Temperature

This function is useful for checking the temperature after a measurement or after zero calibration.

Press the "***START***" and "***ZERO***" keys together.

Keep them pressed to display the instrument temperature on the display.

It can only be displayed while the keys are pressed, once the instrument is released, it will return to measurement mode.

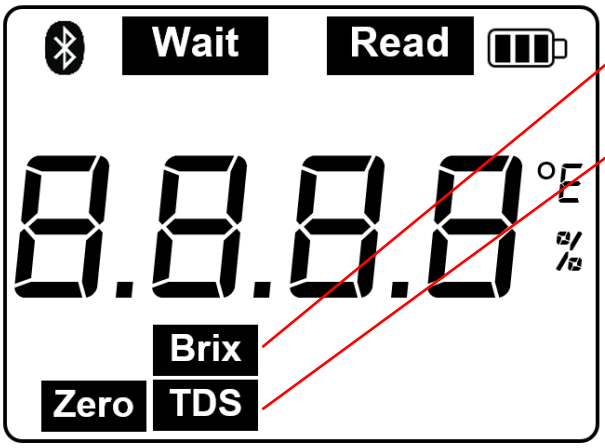


Error messages

Error	Description
The instrument does not turn on	Check the polarity of the batteries Change the batteries
Air	Sample not present on the prism
Lo	Measure below the instrument range
Hi	Measure beyond the instrument range
Lob	Low battery
⁝⁝⁝⁝	There is too much light in the environment
Er2	Incorrect zero correction
Er3	Temperature error

Setting TDS (%) e BRIX (%)

t is possible to switch from Brix to TDS measurement and vice versa by pressing the "***SCALE***" key.



1. Brix (%)
2. TDS (%)

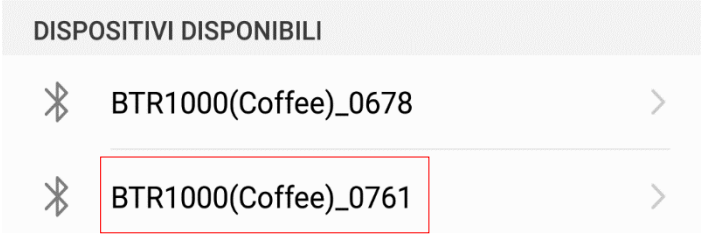
Bluetooth

You can connect the instrument to a mobile device, mobile phone or smartphone, both with Android system (version 4.0.3 or later) and iOS.

To use it in this way you need to download the app "***HMCoffe***" from Play Store (Android devices) and App Store (iOS devices).

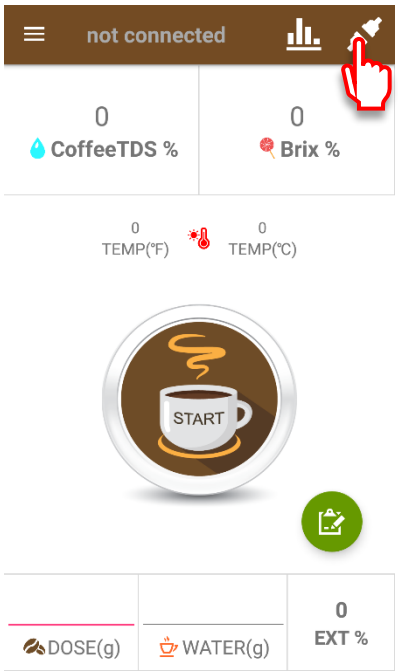
HMCoffee

After installing the app, turning on the Bluetooth connection, you can turn on the instrument, enter the Bluetooth settings of the mobile device and associate the device by checking that the serial number of the instrument (present on the box and on the back of it) and the one displayed in the device are the same.

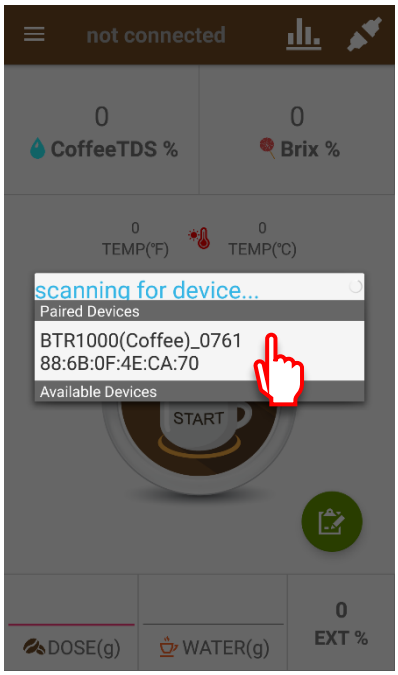


After associating the instrument and the device, you can open the app and follow the procedure below.

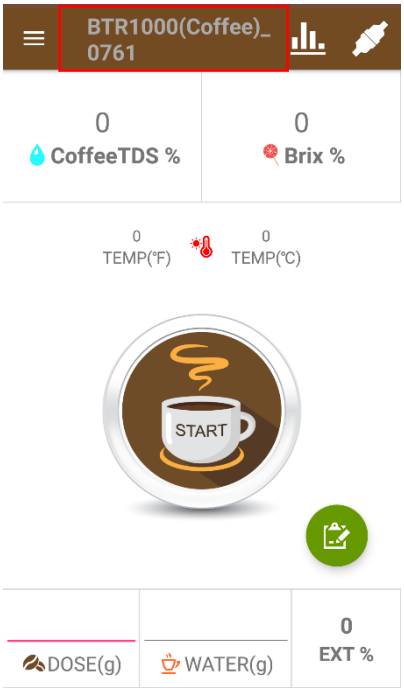
Click on the button to open the connection screen



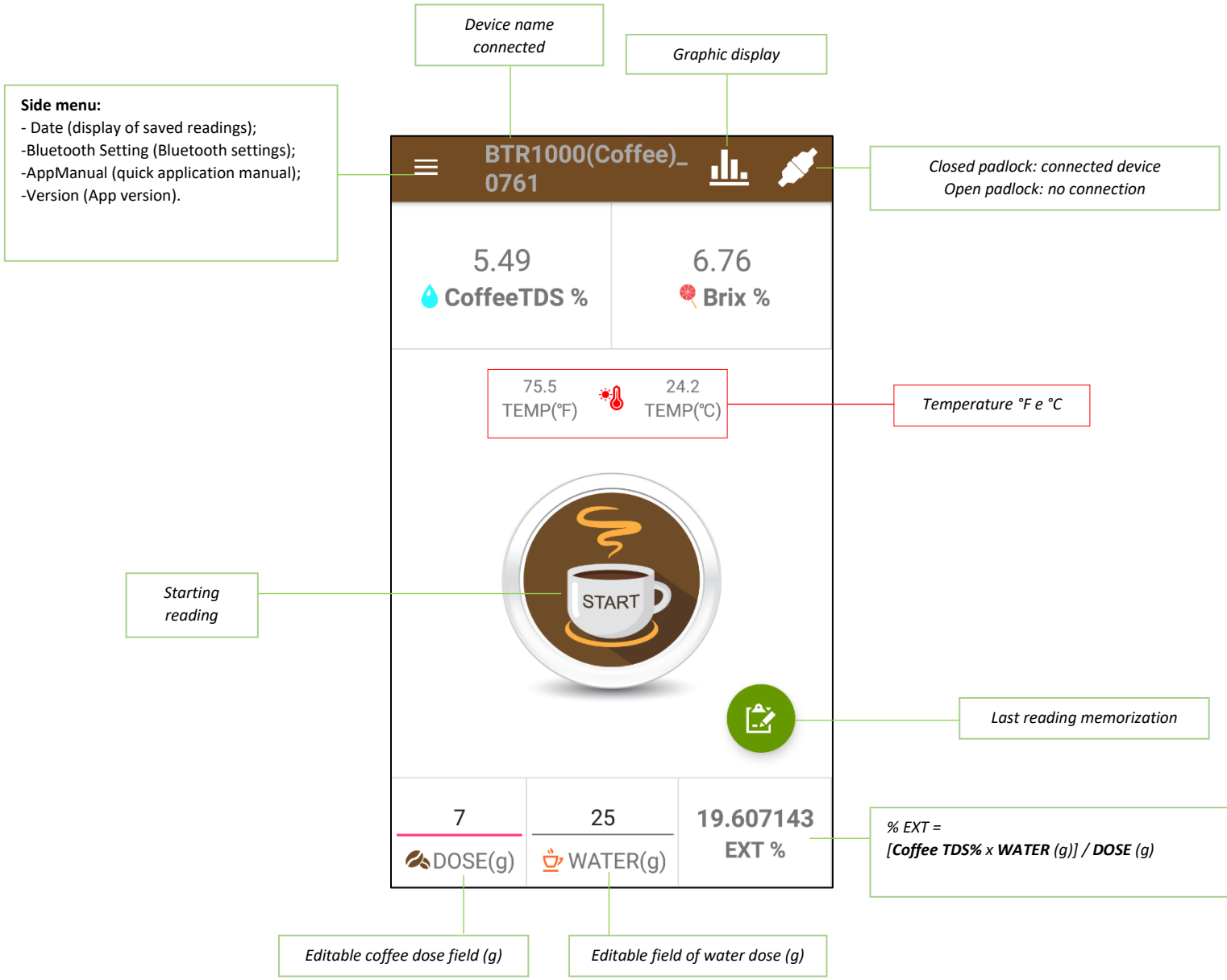
Select the device referring to the last 4 digits of the serial number



Now the instrument is connected to the mobile device and the last 4 digits of the refractometer serial number can be viewed on the status



Overview of the app



Electrical and electronic equipment with this symbol can not be disposed of in public landfills.

In compliance with WEEE directive 2012/19/EU, European users of electrical and electronic equipment can return the equipment used when purchasing a new one to the Distributor or to the Manufacturer.

The illegal disposal of electrical and electronic equipment is punished with a pecuniary administrative sanction.