# **Quick Start Guide**

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# **HYDROMETTE**















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### 1 Foreword

This quick start guide contains an overview of the most important functions of the Hydromette BL Compact RH-T. It only contains parts of the legal and safety-relevant information and has been abridged for better readability. A complete digital version of the operating instructions is available on our homepage in the download area (in **English**: pdf. file with **EN** extension):

https://www.gann.de/en/products/handhelds/electronic-moisture-meters/blue-product-series/bl-compact-rh-t-165#downloads



Only use the device if you have read and understood all legal and safety-related information in the complete operating manual.



# 1.1 Explanation of the General Warnings

The following danger levels are used in this quick start guide to indicate potentially dangerous situations and important safety instructions:

Danger Level	Description
DANGER	Danger / Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious irreversible injuries.
$\triangle$	Warning / Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious irreversible injuries.
CAUTION	Caution / Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injuries.
1	Indicates important information.
INFORMATION	



# 2 Device Layout and Button Assignment



Figure 2-1: View of the Hydrometto BL Compact RH-T

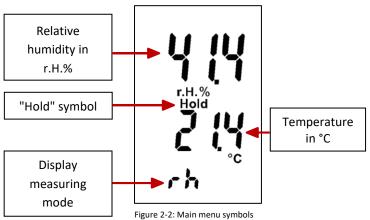
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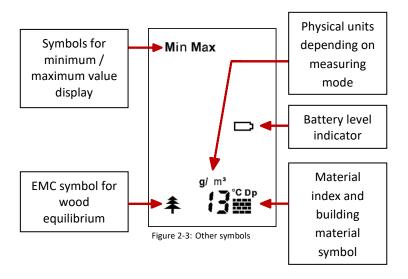
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Hydromette<sup>®</sup> BL Compact RH-T



## 2.1 Display Symbols







## 2.2 Switching the Device On and Off

The device is switched on and off by pressing the "On / Off" button . The device starts in the measuring menu or main

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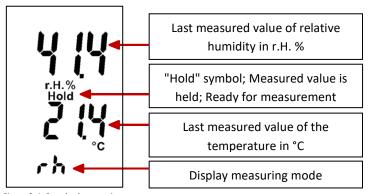


Figure 2-4: Standard measuring menu

#### 2.3 Setting Menus

The following menu items can be selected one after the other by repeatedly pressing the "**Down**" button:

- 1. **Measuring menu** (Main menu): The measuring process can be performed here.
- 2. **Measuring mode selection**: The different measuring modes can be set here.
- Maximum value display: The largest measured value is shown here.



- 4. **Minimum value display:** The smallest measured value is shown here.
- Memory menu: The last 5 measured values are stored here. The oldest value is overwritten after each measurement.

The menu items are selected in reverse order by pressing the "Up" button.

#### 2.3.1 Measuring Menu (Main Menu)

After switching on, the device is in the measuring menu (main menu). The other menus can be accessed from here by pressing the "Up" or "Down" buttons.

In the measuring menu, the last measured values are displayed according to the measuring mode selection made with the associated units and the note "Hold".

A new measurement is started by pressing the "M" button (> 2 seconds).

During the measuring process, the **"Hold"** symbol disappears from the display. After releasing the **"M"** button, the measured value is held and automatically stored in the ring memory. This overwrites the oldest stored value. The **"Hold"** symbol is displayed again.

If the new measured value is larger than the previous maximum value, "Max" flashes on the display. If the new value should be accepted, the "M" button must be pressed *briefly* (< 1 second). If the value should not be saved, a new measurement can be started by *pressing and holding* (> 2 seconds) the "M" button without changing the previous maximum value.



If the new measured value is smaller than the previous minimum value, "Min" flashes on the display. If the new value should be accepted, the "M" button must be pressed briefly (< 1 second). If the value should not be saved, a new measurement can be started by pressing and holding (> 2 seconds) the "M" button without changing the previous minimum value.

#### 2.3.2 Measuring Mode Selection

The measuring mode can be selected in this menu. Different setting modes are available (see measuring mode table). The selected mode changes the display of the measuring menu. Depending on the mode, the appropriate physical dimension is also displayed. The measuring mode selection is designed as a ring menu.

The device must be switched on and in the main measuring mode to be able to make the measuring mode settings. Press the "Down" button once to access the measuring mode selection. If the setting for the measuring mode should be changed now, the "M" button must be pressed *briefly* (< 1 second).

The measuring mode display flashes and can be set using the "Up" and "Down" buttons. The change is saved by *briefly* (< 1 second) pressing the "M" button again.

After confirming the change, the display automatically jumps to the measuring menu of the (newly) selected measuring mode. This removes the values of the previous measuring mode from the display. Any stored "Max" or "Min" values remain in the memory of the respective measuring mode.

Now a new measurement can be performed by *pressing and holding* (> 2 seconds) **the "M"** button.



# 3 Appendix

# 3.1 Measuring Mode Table

Measuring mode	Measuring mode display	
"Relative humidity"	(rh / t / rh)	
"Air temperature"	(rh / t / t)	
"Dew point Dp"	(rh / t / Dp)	
"Equilibrium wood moisture	/rh /+ / UCL)	
content, EMC"	(rh / t / UGL)	
"Absolute humidity"	(rh / Ah)	
"Enthalpy"	(rh / En / En)	
"Wet-bulb thermometer"	(t / to / to)	
"Water activity"	(t / Aw / Aw)	
"Building materials"	(t / building material	
	symbol + material index	
	<ul><li>– see material table)</li></ul>	
"Wood"	(t / wood symbol +	
	material index	
	<ul><li>– see material table)</li></ul>	



#### 3.2 Material-Table

Material index	Material
11	Cement screed in weight-%
12	Anhydrite screed in weight-%
13	Concrete in weight-%
14	Cement mortar in weight-%
17	Gypsum plaster in weight %
19	Lime sand brick in weight-%
20	Lime cement mortar in weight-%
22	wood fibre insulation panels in weight-%
23	Mineral wool insulation in weight-%
25	Brick in weight-%
32	Hardwood / Beech
33	Softwood / Spruce

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