

One-Hand Keyboard for ELOTYPE 4 / 4E

Use und Functions

The 'one-hand keyboard' is a module built-in additionally to allow the user to operate the Elotype with one finger.

Note:

The arrangement and numbering of the keys of the one-hand keyboard exactly correspond to those of the two-hand keyboard, as described in the operating instructions (see pages 3-4).

To provide a properly working keyboard for one-hand operation, the functions of the space key K9 and the backspace key K12 were extended and the function of key K10 changed.

This extension does not affect the print mode of the Elotype.

One-Hand Operation:

Writing 6- and 8-dot braille:

To enter 6-dot braille characters, you can press the K1 - K6 keys simultaneously or after one another.

The character entered is embossed after the space key K9 has been pressed.

To write in 8-dot braille, you must first have pressed another key assigned to dots 1 - 6 (K1 - K6) before entering the K7 key for dot 7 or the K8 key for dot 8.

Also this character is only embossed after the K9 space key has been pressed.

Deleting an entered character before embossing.

Pressing the K12 key deletes a braille character entered erroneously.

Space:

Pressing the K9 key, if no braille dot has been entered, moves the embossing head one character to the right and inserts a space in the text.

Moving to the previous character:

Pressing the K12 key, if no braille dot has been entered, moves the embossing head to the previous character.

Function Keys:

As described in the operating instructions, entries using the function keys are interpreted directly so that there is **no** need to confirm them with the space key.

K7	moves to the next tab
K8	carriage return/line feed
K11	moves to the previous line
K12	backspace key
K13	margin release key
K-	moves to the previous character
K+	moves to the next character

Special Key T10

The '#' character entered to invoke a command (using key K1 - K6 plus K9) is assigned to the K10 key so that the „one-hand ELOTYPÉ“ does not provide the „line-by-line form feed“ function (this can be done with K8 „carriage return, line feed“). This also applies to the „repeat function on/ off“. All of the other ELOTYPÉ commands can be used.

Note: To enter a longer sequence of commands, you must confirm the individual entries using key 1 - 6 one by one with the K9 space key. This also applies in particular to longer sequences of commands entered in the editor mode.

Example:

Command # K12 12 'set paper length to 12'

Key entry: K10 K12 K1,K6 K9 K1,K2,K6 K9

Explanation of Example:

K10	for command invocation #
K12	command 'set paper length'
K1, K6	for digit 1
K9	confirms the entry of digit 1
K1,K2,K6	for the digit 2
K9	confirms the entry of the digit 2

Full Reset: (Please also read 9 and 9.1 in the manual on page 18)

Turn the ELOTYPÉ 4 off. Press the K10 key and keep it depressed until an audible signal is output after turning the ELOTYPÉ 4 on again. This signal indicates that the reset process has been completed. The K10 key can then be released. The embossing head moves to the beginning of the line and the ELOTYPÉ is ready for use.