

Handling the Saga-P device – Do's



Device specific

- Handle the device with care to avoid damage to its components.
- Handle the USB connector carefully, and always close it back after charging.
- Write only on the designated blank spaces (i.e., on the blank top label or the Saga Device Box, if applicable).
- Always follow the <u>charging instructions</u> when charging the device.
- ✓ Follow best practices for storing devices.
- ✓ Use the device in shipment conditions within the standard operating temperature range (-20°c to +50°C).
- Attach the device securely during shipment to prevent damage from impacts.
- Use a soft, dry cloth for cleaning (if necessary).



Probe specific

- Be gentle and avoid sudden movements or use of force.
- Handle the probe and the device as one unit by holding both the probe and the device together.
- ✓ Make sure the end of the probe does not touch the floor or other unsanitary surfaces.
- Keep the probe away from sharp edges, serrated surfaces and equipment used for cutting or piercing (e.g., utility knives).
- Look out for narrow gaps between surfaces (e.g., between the table and the wall or the floor) where probe may get stuck.
- ✓ Protect the probe from abrasion and impact.



Handling the Saga-P device - Don'ts



Device specific

- Peel off, scratch, or write on the labels that contain information about the device.
- Add your own labels or stickers, or leave pen marks on the device.
- Use abrasive cleaners or solvents for cleaning.
- Use sharp objects around the device.
- Perform any unauthorized modifications or disassembly.
- × Press buttons with excessive force.
- × Submerge in water.
- Let the device operate in the extended operating temperature range (-30°C to -20°C and +50°C to +70°C) for longer than 6 hours.
- Expose the device to extreme temperatures (below -30°C or above 70°C).



Probe specific

- × Pull the probe away from the device.
- X Disconnect the probe from the device.
- Remove the heat shrink tubing at the probe/device connection.
- Try to move a probe by pulling on the device or using force.
- Bend the probe sharply.
- X Stretch or apply any tension to the probe.
- × Coil more than five probe devices together.
- Coil the probe tightly around the device.
- Add sharp objects like wire ties or paper clips to the probe.



How to coil up a Saga-P device



Occasionally, you might need to coil the probe of the Saga-P device to return the device to Controlant, for short-term storage, or to prevent the probe from touching the floor while charging. Always keep the general handling guidelines in mind when coiling the probe:

- 1. Place the device on a flat, clean surface that is free from sharp objects.
- 2. Gently straighten out the probe to remove any kinks or bends which may have formed during transport or storage.
- 3. Hold the probe close to the connector, ensuring not to coil the connector itself (i.e., only coil the white part on PR-T80).
- 4. Use your other hand to begin coiling the probe. Coil the probe loosely around the palm of your hand, keeping the coils uniform in size and shape. Avoid twisting or kinking the probe.
- 5. Once you have only \sim 15 cm / \sim 6 in left, hold the bundle and the end in one hand to prevent it from unraveling.
- 6. Take the remaining probe length in your other hand and wrap it around the outside of the bundle.
- 7. Continue gently wrapping around until you reach the end while avoiding sharply bending the probe.
- 8. Tuck the end between two bigger loops to keep it in place.







