



Function and Play value

It is a well-known fact that, together with the eyes, the ears perceive a great amount of sensory impressions. However, not many of us know how many interesting sounds can be produced by tapping a stone. The ear helps us to "see" the invisible characteristics of the stone such as hardness, mass and elasticity. Experience of sound is experience of contact. The vibration of the stone is not only conveyed by the eardrum, but also via the human skin and - in the case of the Tuning Stone - intensively by the hands. The Tuning Stone is similar to a large tuning fork. The stone has two vertical cuts running down two-thirds of its length, and the split elements can be vibrated. This is achieved by lightly tapping the stone with the flat of the hand or by rubbing the stone carefully but firmly with water. This requires a number of attempts and some practice. The participant must achieve an empathy with the stone in order to find the correct frequency, and this enables a living relationship to be made with the otherwise dead, cold material.

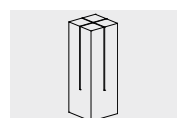
Suitable

- for public places, parks, pedestrian areas, botanical gardens, town halls, concert halls, material research institutions, educational institutes, department stores, youth centres, suitable institutions for people with special needs, seminar centres, music schools, training and recreational areas of companies

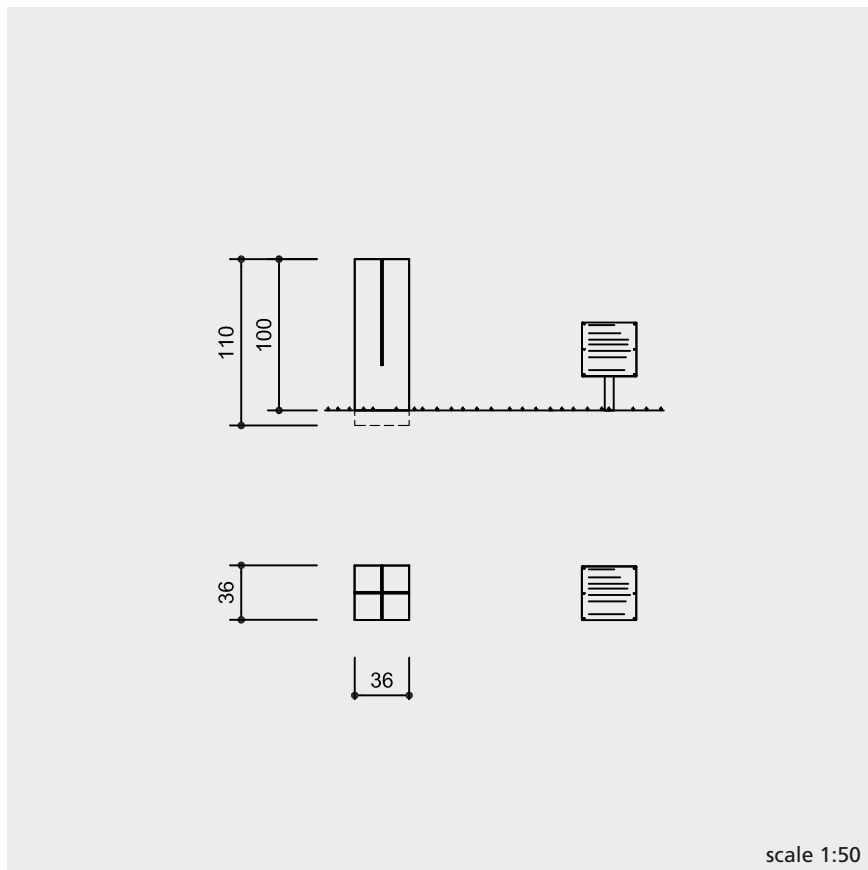


Tuning Stone
graubner Play Stations for
 Developing the Senses

Acoustic effect	soft
Vandalism	not vulnerable
Supervision	recommended
Explanation board	included
Installation	indoors and outdoors
Safety check (EN 1176)	not necessary
Installation in concrete	possible



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Technical information

black granite block, polished outer surfaces

A long series of tests was necessary to find a highly dense stone that would produce such a sound phenomenon. The stone blocks are individually chosen, sawn, smoothed and polished.

support for Explanation Board made of stainless steel.

Dimensions

(small deviations possible)

total height 1.10 m
width 0.36 m
depth 0.36 m

weight approx. 400 kg
with packaging 430 kg
material approx. 430 kg

scale 1:50

Components

- 1 Tuning Stone with 1 anchor iron
- 1 Explanation Board with support

Installation information

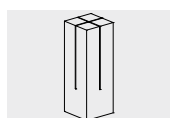
Recommended space
circle diameter 3.00 m

Foundations
1 item 80 x 80 x 60 cm
excavation depth 70 cm
recess 5 x 5 x 20 cm
Explanation Board
1 item 40 x 40 x 40 cm
excavation depth 60 cm

Attention!
Exact measurements may vary, for all installation dimensions refer to current installation instructions.
Subject to technical changes.

Tip
Place close to water so that the hands, or rather the stone, can be wetted.
We recommend our Water Dish with stand post.

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