

Laboratree

Great oaks from little boxes grow.



Invest in **Fastrak** and ...

you'll be using the most eco-friendly tip refill system available and ...

you'll also be protecting our precious UK woodland via our **Laboratree** campaign.



What is the **Laboratree** concept?

Laboratree is a scheme to plant trees and make a sustainable contribution to the environment.

It's free and exclusive to Fastrak users, giving you a unique combination of green benefits.

Replanting trees

- Trees absorb harmful carbon dioxide to reduce the effects of global warming
- Woods provide habitats for many endangered wildlife species, conserving biodiversity
- Woods provide a place for leisure and relaxation for us and future generations



What is **Fastrak**?

It's an ingenious pipette tip refill system designed to reduce waste, save time and help you lower your carbon footprint.

Compared with other refill systems it is smaller, lighter and has less packaging.

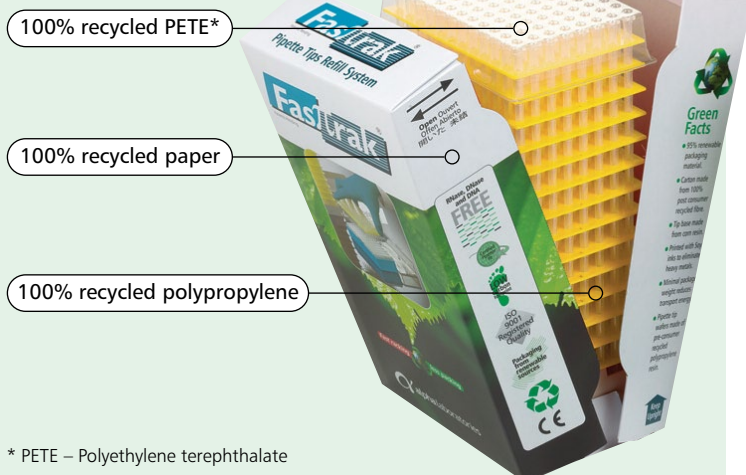
Eco-friendly production

- 95% of packaging from renewable materials
- Box printed with non-toxic vegetable inks
- Made with 29% solar power
- Low package weight reduces transport energy

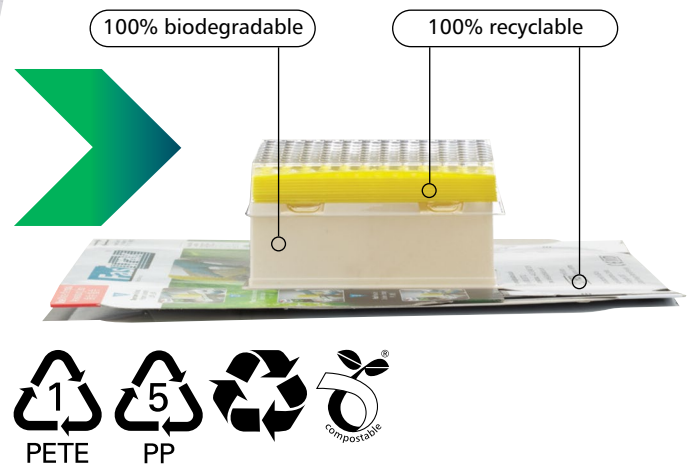
Disposal

- Fully recyclable packaging materials
- 100% biodegradable corn starch base
- Effectively no packaging waste

Fastrak pre-use



Fastrak post-use



* PETE – Polyethylene terephthalate

How does it work?

It's easy, all you have to do is register on-line at www.alphalabs.co.uk/laboratree and we'll send you a Laboratree collector's card.

Apply the tree tokens included in each **Fastrak** pack and when it's full, return it to us.

We'll plant a tree for you and issue a personalised certificate to recognise your contribution, together with a new card so you can keep on collecting.



Where do we plant trees?

Thanks to Laboratree supporters, hundreds of trees have already been planted in the Scottish Highlands Alladale Reserve. It has made a valuable contribution to a major reforestation project. Now, in response to customer feedback, Laboratree has joined forces with the Woodland Trust, the UK's leading woodland conservation charity, to plant trees nationwide.



NB wood locations may change depending on tree planting capacity.

What does that mean for you?

- Trees are planted in the specially chosen wood nearest to your laboratory
- You can visit the woods free of charge at any time



One of the specially chosen woods

- You receive personalised tree dedication e-certificates for you or your lab
- Trees are native, broadleaved varieties eg. Oak, Ash and Birch



Laboratree on-line

All you need to know about Laboratree can be found on our web page at: www.alphalabs.co.uk/laboratree.

You can read the latest news, see where the woods are located and catch up on our tree planting progress. There are also detailed information sheets for download with directions on how to get to your nearest wood.



Follow Laboratree on Twitter and you'll always be up to date with what's going on.

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- Pipette friendly tips of superlative quality
- An extraordinarily quick and easy system to use
- Tips that fit your pipette like a 'hand fits a glove'

The **Fastrak** range offers 10 different styles of tip. All are made from the highest quality polypropylene and are lab-certified RNase/DNase/DNA and pyrogen free.

Formats

- **Ultrafine** – Most of the **Fastrak** tips are 'Ultrafine' and feature a thin, flexible section at the end which is non-bevelled. This allows you to dispense every drop of sample.
- **Racks** – It is quick and easy to refill your used Alpha tip racks or we can supply you with free empty racks to get you started. There is a choice of square or round-holed racks for tips up to 250µl. Round-holes are particularly good for multi-channel pipettes as they have an anti-wobble feature.
















Tip Fit

Fastrak tips are compatible with a wide range of single and multi-channel pipettes including:

- Biohit
- Eppendorf
- Thermo Matrix
- Brand
- Gilson
- Thermo Finnpipette
- Rainin

The compatibility of our tips with new and existing models is checked on a regular basis and an up-to-date tip fit guide is available. Visit www.alphalabs.co.uk/fastrak-tip-fit to download a copy. We do however recommend that you test out the fit of your chosen tip on your particular pipette.

Please complete the Reply Card for more information, samples and a demonstration.

Volume range	0.1-10µl Ultrafine Micro	0.1-10µl Ultrafine Extended	1-200µl Universal Bevel	1-200µl Reference Bevel	1-200µl Reference Ultrafine	1-300µl Ultrafine	100-1250µl Ultrafine	0.1-20µl Ultrafine Rainin LTS *	0.5-250µl Ultrafine Rainin LTS *	100-1000µl Ultrafine Rainin LTS *	
    											
Non-Sterile	Cat. No.	FR1015	FR1010	FR1200	FR2200	FR0250	FR1300	FR1250	FR3020	FR3250	FR3000
	Pack Size	13 x 96	14 x 96	10 x 96	10 x 96	10 x 96	6 x 96	5 x 96	11 x 96	10 x 96	5 x 96
	Rack Compatibility	A	A	A	A	A	B	B	A	A	B

All tips illustrated are actual size unless otherwise stated *LTS (*Lite Touch System) is a trademark of Mettler Toledo

Empty Racks

Catalogue Number	Description	Compatibility Code	Pack Size
FR9200	Square-holed Racks for 10,20,200 & 250µl Tips	A	10
FR9500	Round-holed Racks for 10,20,200 & 250µl Tips	A	10
FR9000	Square-holed Racks for 300,1000 & 1250µl Tips	B	6



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In this campaign, we are working with the Woodland Trust so that your Fastrak purchases support native tree planting in woods across the UK.