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Product Name :

Test Tube Holder (Peg Type)

Product Code :

SLE/CH/230



Description :

Test Tube Holder (Peg Type) (Product Code: SLE/CH/230) is a wooden holder built like a large clothes peg: a spring keeps its jaws closed on a test tube, so a student can hold the tube over a flame without gripping the hot glass. At 180mm long it keeps the hand a safe distance from the burner during heating and flame tests, and it accepts tubes from 11 to 19mm in diameter. The holder is manufactured by **Jain Scientific Equipments Pvt Ltd (ScienceLab)**, Ambala, and is one of the most frequently used items of school chemistry lab equipment in India.

Specifications

Parameter	Detail
Type	Peg-type holder with spring for closing jaws
Material	Wood
Length	180mm
Tube diameter accepted	11–19mm
Operation	Squeeze to open the jaws; the spring closes them on the tube

Typical Use

The peg-type holder is the everyday choice for heating small quantities of solid or liquid in a standard test tube — decomposing a carbonate to test for carbon dioxide, warming a food sample with a reagent, or driving water out of a hydrated salt. Students squeeze the peg, slide the tube in near its mouth and let go; the spring then holds the tube on its own, leaving the other hand free for the burner or a gas test. Because wood is a poor conductor of heat, the holder stays comfortable in the hand even after several minutes over the flame.

Hold the tube at a slant, point the open end away from everyone, and move it gently through the flame so the contents heat evenly. Keep the wooden jaws above the flame rather than in it, since wood can scorch. The 11–19mm range covers the narrower tubes used in most school practicals; for wider tubes, choose the metal holder listed below. Having one holder per student is a simple step in any school laboratory setup that reduces burns and dropped glassware.

Manufacturer

ScienceLab is the trading name of **Jain Scientific Equipments Private Limited**, an Ambala, Haryana manufacturer of teaching-laboratory apparatus, and this peg-type holder is one of the simple, high-use items it produces for practical classes. Visit the company profile to learn more about the company and its work.

Related Chemistry Lab Equipment

Other items needed for heating in test tubes:

- Test Tube — the glassware this holder is designed to grip