



# Player Analysis Technology Approval certificate

## Babolat POP

**Test code:** PAT-15-013

**Serial no:** OTBLHE1562200107

**Software versions:**

Android 1.0.1287;  
iOS 1.1

**Firmware version:** 6.34.1752

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**Objective:** To test and evaluate the Babolat POP Player Analysis Technology according to Rule 31 of the 2015 Rules of Tennis.

**Result:** Approved

### SUMMARY

The Babolat POP 'pod' (mass 9 g) containing electronic sensors is inserted into a wristband worn by the user to record the orientation and acceleration of the arm, from which are calculated activity- and shot-related parameters. Data collected by the pod are sent to an auxiliary device, e.g. smartphone, via a wireless (Bluetooth®) connection.

The pod can be paired sequentially with multiple auxiliary devices with no authorisation required. Data can only be transmitted from the pod to a single auxiliary device at a time, which removes the data from the pod. There is no notification to the user of the pod as to which auxiliary device the pod is connected.

Coaching information, including shot type, shot frequency, racket speed and ball spin type, is available on the auxiliary device. Summary activity statistics, such as the number of sessions and shots played, are automatically shared with the Babolat online community.

Restrictions on the access by a player to the Babolat POP components during periods when coaching is and is not allowed are as follows:

COMPONENT	NO COACHING	COACHING
Pod	Permitted	Permitted
Auxiliary device (e.g. smartphone)	Not permitted	Permitted