

female part with tissue sample tube inserted

tissue ear tag
female / male part

visual ear tag
female / male part



both female parts have a green locking ring
(due to this coloured feature it is always also
easy to see that a tissue sample has been
taken from the animal)

Must only be used
with the CAISLEY
ear tag applicator

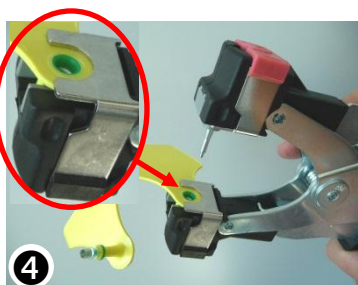


- I Separate the four connected ear tag parts in the middle of the complete strip. **Avoid all contact with the cutting ring at the tip of the disc.** Place the visual ear tag on a clean surface.

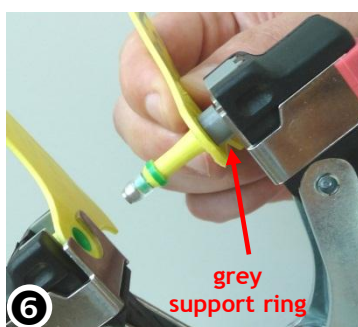


First apply the tissue eartag!

- II Load the **tissue ear tag** into the CAISLEY ear tag applicator, ensuring that the sequence is as follows:
- Press the metal clip onto the lower jaws of the pliers (black clip) - pushing **inwards and swivelling the clip to the back**. The clip will now be tilting towards the pivot of the pliers. ②
 - Insert the female part of the ear tag (with the tissue sample tube) into the jaw of the pliers - making sure that it is completely in place. ③
 - Release the clip. **The female part will remain firmly in place.** ④
 - Separate the male part from the female part of the ear tag ⑤.



- III Push the pin of the male part onto the metal guide pin in the pliers (overcoming the arrester at the end). **Ⓢ Grip the male part by the label to prevent contamination of the sample or infection of the ear. Do not touch the cutting ring and the pin.**
The pliers are now ready for taking the sample and applying the ear tag.



Pliers are supplied with a **grey support** ring on the metal guide pin in order to support the male part of the tag on insertion. If the support ring becomes detached - clip back into place.

- IV Attach the **tissue ear tag**
- a) between the two cartilage ribs
 - b) without damaging any blood vessels
 - c) approx. 1/3 to 1/2 of the length of the ear (measured from base of ear)
 - d) male part on the outer ear and
 - e) female part on inner ear 7.

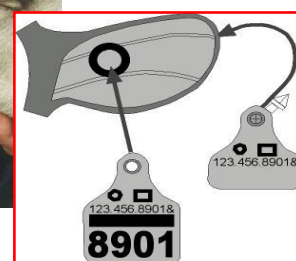
CAUTION

Close pliers once, firmly and quickly until the stop.
During the action two audible clicks are heard.

- V After closing **as far as the stop**, allow the pliers to **spring open again**. Pull the pliers away from the animal's ear, in a downward arc, so that the female part slides forwards out of the lower jaw of the pliers..



Correct position

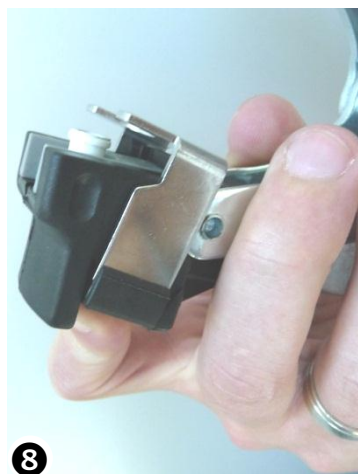


PLEASE TURN OVER 

The cutting ring punches a hole into the ear and the tissue falls into the sample tube, which is then hermetically sealed by the cutting disc.

VI In order to remove the sample tube from the pliers, press the vial, the black clip and metal clamp upwards so that the sample tube is released towards the front of the pliers. **8** Proceed to release the metal clamp. The sample vial can easily be removed. **9**

Transfer the sample vial to the examining laboratory immediately. Please refer to the instructions of the authorities or the lab concerning packaging and shipping.



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Do not remove sample tube near any gratings or drain covers to prevent loss!



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A film about the application
www.caisley.de
can be found on the internet

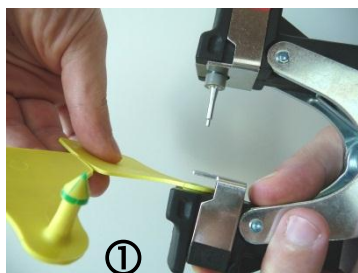
Use of the visual FlexoPlus ear tag for identifying animals

Secondly, fit the visual eartag!

VII Load the **FlexoPlus ear tag** into the universal ear tag applicator as follows:

- Press the metal clamp with the black plastic clip on the lower jaws of the pliers facing inwards ①.
- Insert the FlexoPlus ear tag under the metal clamp with the cylindrical locking element facing outwards ②. Do not touch the tip of the pin.
- Separate the male apart from the female part ③ and
- push it onto the metal guide pin until it is over the lock end ④. **Grip the male part by the label in order to prevent infection of the ear wound - do not touch the pin.**

The pliers are now ready to attach the visual tag.



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VIII Attach the visual ear tag as follows:

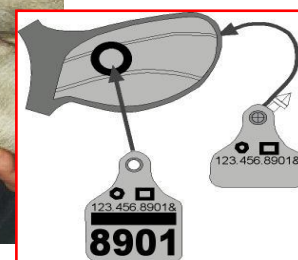
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- d) male part on the outer ear
- e) female part on inner ear.

CAUTION

Close pliers once, firmly and quickly until the stop and an audible click is heard!



Correct position



*Check the healing of the wound after several days
And disinfect the wound if necessary.*

IX After closing **as far as the stop, allow the pliers to spring open again**. Pull the pliers away from the animal's ear, in a downward arc, so that the female part slides forwards out of the lower jaw of the pliers..