

## TPD Series: Desktop Touchpad, 6-inch, IP65, USB Output



**Figure 1:** 6" Desktop Touchpad (shown with standard glass touch surface)

### 1. DESCRIPTION

Using our years of knowledge/experience gained from developing industrial trackball technology, Cursor Controls Ltd have developed a range of advanced touchpad solutions. Cursor Controls touchpads provide smooth and precise cursor control using the latest and most advanced touch sensing technology and are designed for use in the most extreme environments.

The TPD Series desktop touchpad provides both conventional X and Y-axis cursor movement with plug-and-play, multi-finger gesture support for enhanced user interaction. The mutual-capacitance based tracking engine combines the benefits of solid state sensing (no moving parts) with the precision, functionality and performance associated with the Cursor Controls product range. The design allows for easy cleaning and decontamination, ensuring continued optimum performance and operation under the harshest of conditions. The unit has been designed to be a freestanding desktop device and optimises desk space when compared to a mouse.

### 2. FEATURES

- Solid state sensing technology – capacitive touch sensing tracking engine
- Output: USB
- IP65 sealing
- Haptic and audible feedback (function specific)
- Multi-finger gesture support
- 8 capacitive touch feature buttons
- Smooth operation in rugged environments
- Wired USB cable provides high reliability and avoids the need for batteries
- Tolerant to moisture, water and liquid contaminants
- Various touch surface overlay options available as standard
- Custom feature button configurations / overlays available

### 3. APPLICATIONS

- Industrial consoles
- Medical systems
- Marine systems
- Sound and lighting desks
- Video editing consoles
- Custom keyboard applications

**4. SPECIFICATIONS**

<b>4.1. MECHANICAL</b>		
4.1.1.	Dimensions	145mm x 111mm x 17mm
4.1.2.	Weight	~200 grams
4.1.3.	Touch Surface Material	Polyester or Glass (anti-fingerprint & anti-glare) – see Section 7 for ordering details.
4.1.4.	Touch Surface Colour	Polyester: Metallic grey - Pantone PMS 10393 Glass: Metallic grey - Pantone PMS 10393
4.1.5.	Case Material	ABS
4.1.6.	Case Colour	RAL9005 Jet Black
4.1.7.	Cable Colour	Black
4.1.8.	Cable Length	1800mm ± 30mm

<b>4.2. OPERATIONAL</b>		
4.2.1.	Motion Detection Method	Mutual capacitance sensing
4.2.2.	X/Y Position Reporting	Relative
4.2.3.	Sample Rate	Up to 100 samples/sec.
4.2.4.	Touchpad Active Area Size	130mm x 80mm

<b>4.3. ELECTRICAL</b>		
4.3.1.	Protocol	USB
4.3.2.	Supply Voltage	4.40 – 5.25V
4.3.3.	Supply Current	60mA typical – default resolution setting, feedback idle 300mA peak – max resolution setting, feedback effects playing
4.3.4.	Resolution (X, Y)	960 x 720 counts
4.3.5.	Output Connector	USB “A” type connector supplied with 1.8 metre cable
4.3.6.	Mating Output Connector	Standard USB “A” type socket

<b>4.4. ENVIRONMENTAL</b>		
4.4.1.	Operating Temperature	0° to 55°C
4.4.2.	Operating Humidity	95% relative humidity
4.4.3.	Storage Temperature	-40° to +60°C
4.4.4.	Vibration	2g, 10-500Hz, 1 octave/min, 10 sweep cycles (IEC 60068-2-6)
4.4.5.	Operating Shock	15g/11ms, ½ sine, 3 shocks in +ve and –ve direction, all 3 axes (IEC 60068-2-27)
4.4.6.	Sealing Level	IP65
4.4.7.	ESD	15kV air-discharge and 8kV contact discharge (IEC 61000-4-2)
4.4.8.	EMC	Radiated immunity - limits according to level 2 of IEC 61000-4-3 Radiated emissions to EN55022 class B

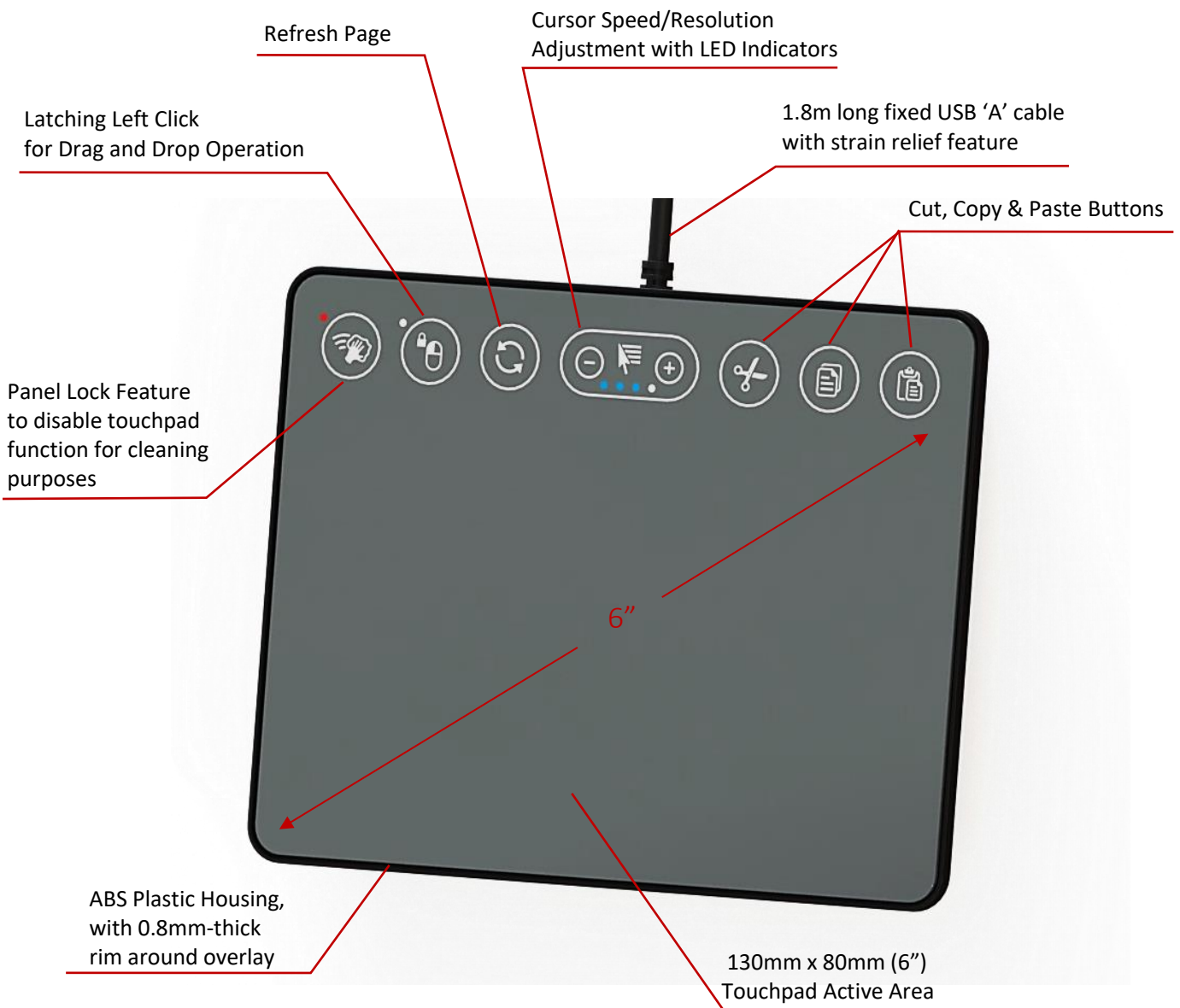
<b>4.5. OPERATING SYSTEM COMPATIBILITY</b>		
4.5.1.	USB	Windows, Linux, Mac OS, and Android Fully compliant with USB 2.0 framework (chapter 9) & HID specifications

**5. TOUCHPAD FEATURES**

**5.1. Touchpad Features**

The TPD Series touchpad module includes the following features / technologies:

- **Touchpad Technology:** The 6-inch active touchpad area provides both conventional X and Y-axis cursor movement with plug-and-play, multi-finger gesture support for enhanced user interaction (see Section 5.2).
- **Feature Buttons:** 8 x feature buttons are located at the top of the touchpad module. These utilise capacitive touch sensing technology and incorporate functions such as Cut, Copy & Paste, cursor resolution adjustment, and a panel lock feature to facilitate cleaning / decontamination of the device.
- **Enclosure:** The touchpad is enclosed within a plastic case which, combined with an overmoulded cable, offers an IP65 sealing solution and added protection against potential impact.



**Figure 2: Touchpad Features**

### 5.2. Gesture Operations

The touchpad incorporates an in-built gesture recognition engine designed to enhance user experience and increase the overall efficiency of user interaction with a host system. Use of gesture control enables the user to access frequented functions such as button clicks, scrolling and zooming by means of highly intuitive multi-finger operations. See table 1 below for details on the available gesture actions.








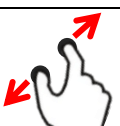
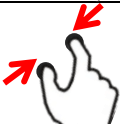


GESTURE ACTION		FUNCTION
	<b>Single-Finger Tap</b>	Left mouse button click Double/triple tap supported
	<b>Single-Finger Tap and Drag</b>	Left mouse button click and drag
	<b>Two-Finger Tap</b>	Right mouse button click Double/triple tap supported
	<b>Two-Finger Tap and Drag</b>	Right mouse button click and drag
	<b>Three-Finger Tap</b>	Middle mouse button click Double/triple tap supported
	<b>Two-Finger Vertical Drag</b>	Scroll Up/Down
	<b>Two-Finger Horizontal Drag</b>	Scroll Left/Right <sup>1</sup>
	<b>Two-Finger Splay</b>	Zoom In <sup>1</sup>
	<b>Two-Finger Pinch</b>	Zoom Out <sup>1</sup>
	<b>Three-Finger Swipe Left</b>	Back <sup>1</sup>
	<b>Three-Finger Swipe Right</b>	Forward <sup>1</sup>

Table 1: Gesture Operations

Notes:

1. Horizontal scroll and zoom functions are dependent on application support.

### 5.3. Cursor Tracking Mode

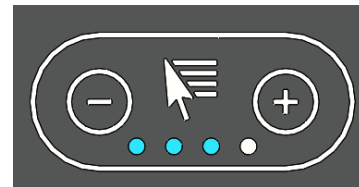
The touchpad includes an intuitive **Ballistic Tracking** algorithm to provide increased cursor resolution when tracking fast, whilst retaining the native resolution (960 x 720 counts) for tracking accurately at slow speeds.

The touchpad also includes an **Inertia Tracking** algorithm which applies inertia to the X and Y axis, allowing cursor movement or scroll to continue in the intended direction after the finger(s) is lifted from the touchpad surface, after which the cursor will naturally slow to a stop.

### 5.4. Cursor Speed / Resolution Settings

The touchpad allows the user to increase or decrease the cursor resolution as required across 8 levels, indicated by the LED indicators underneath the + and - buttons. Table 2 below provides details of the resolution provided by each level.

Level	Cursor Resolution	
	X	Y
0	360	240
1	480	360
2	720	540
3 (Default factory setting)	960	720
4	1200	900
5	1440	1080
6	1680	1260
7	1920	1440



**Table 2:** Cursor Speed / Resolution Settings

### 5.5. Touchpad Feedback

The touchpad features haptic and audible feedback to provide a perceptible response to user interaction events. Table 3 below details the default event mapping for user feedback.

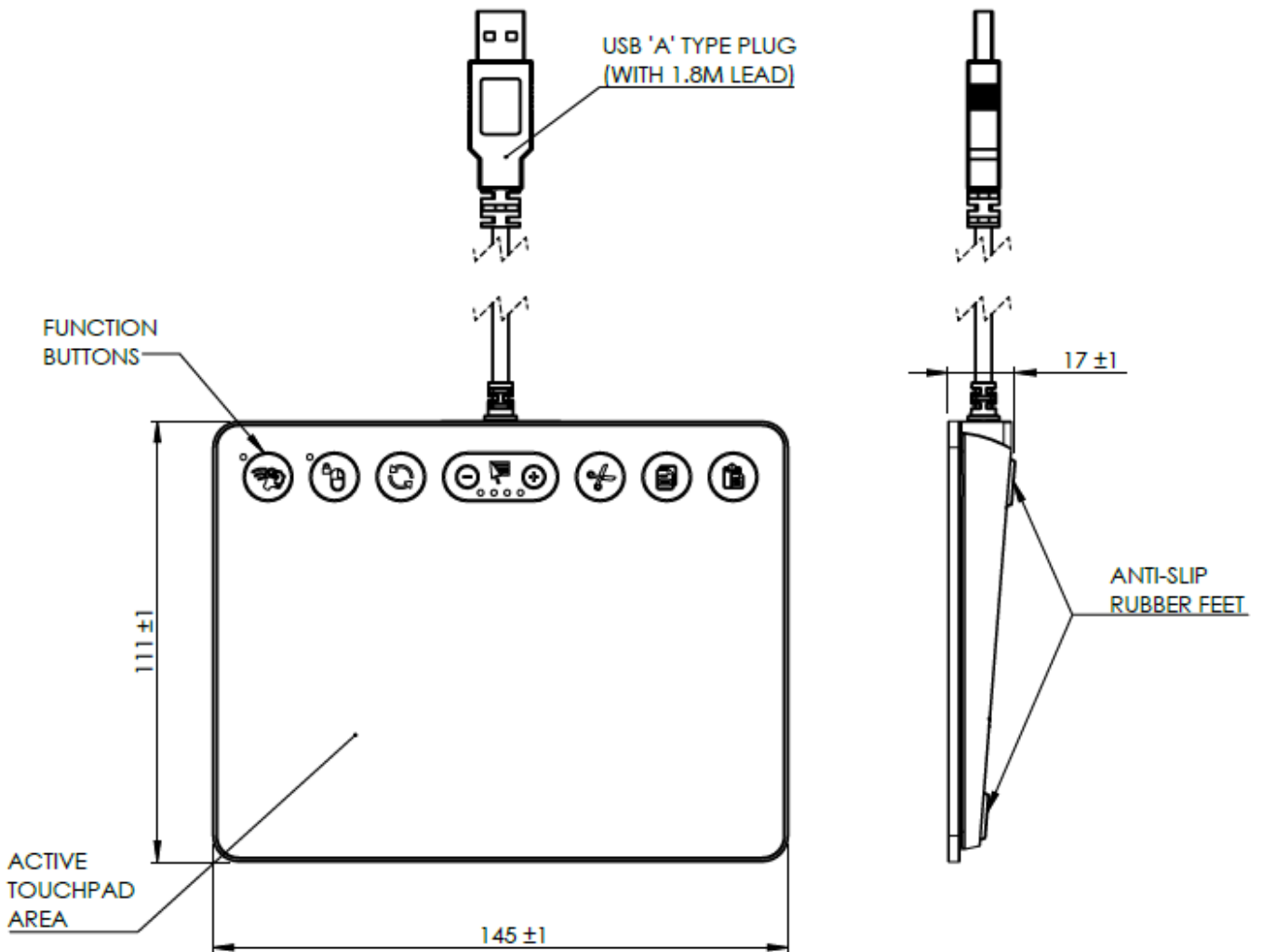
Event	Haptic Feedback	Audio Feedback
Finger Taps (e.g. Left Mouse Click)	No	Yes
Gesture Operations (e.g. Two finger Vertical Drag)	Yes	Yes
Feature Buttons	Yes	Yes
Active Area Edge Detection	Yes	No

**Table 3:** Haptic / Audible Feedback Configuration

### 5.6. Panel Lock Feature

The panel lock feature allows the touchpad to be locked / disabled for cleaning purposes. This can be achieved by tapping and holding the panel lock button for 3 seconds to toggle ON or OFF. The panel lock LED will remain illuminated whilst the touchpad is locked.

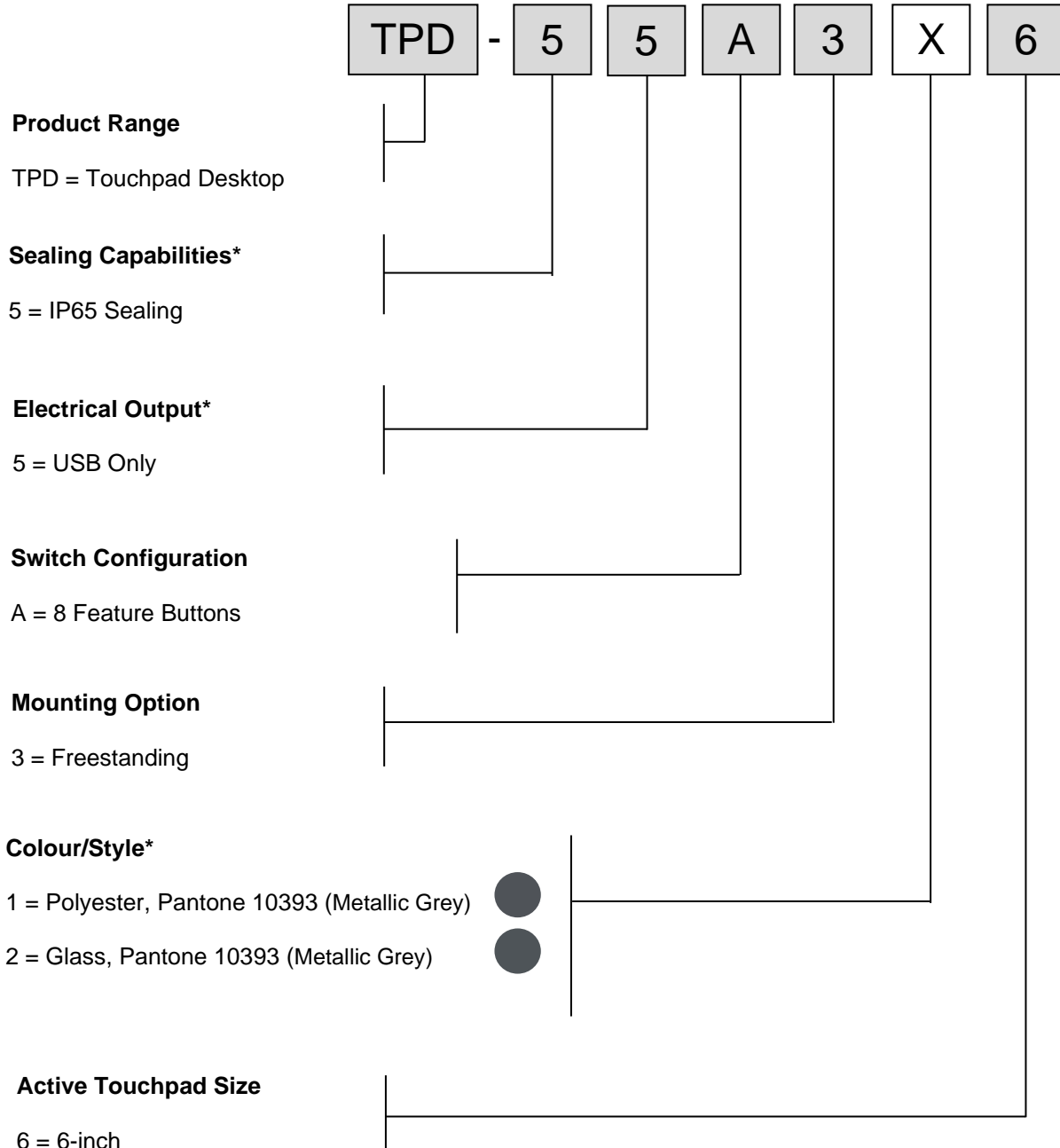
6. TOUCHPAD DIMENSION DRAWING



Dimensional drawing specifies factory default orientation.  
All dimensions are in mm unless otherwise stated.  
Tolerances +/- 0.2mm unless otherwise stated  
Please note that an IGES model is available on request. Please contact your local sales office for more information.

## 7. PRODUCT ORDERING CODE SYSTEM

Please construct your standard product ordering code by selecting the numbers and letters to suit your specification:



\*For further options please contact your local sales representative.

### 7.1. Ordering Example

**TPD-55A326:** Desktop touchpad, IP65 sealing, USB Interface, 8 x feature buttons, Freestanding, Pantone 10393 glass overlay, 6-inch.

**TPD-55A316:** Desktop touchpad, IP65 sealing, USB Interface, 8 x feature buttons, Freestanding, Polyester, Pantone 10393, 6-inch.

**8. DOCUMENT HISTORY**

Issue	Date	Author	Remarks
A	03/07/19	O. O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Document released</li></ul>
B	23/06/20	O. O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• EMC radiated immunity specification revised</li><li>• Overlay colour specification revised</li><li>• Storage and operating temperatures revised</li><li>• Plastic housing material revised</li></ul>
C	10/08/21	O. O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Product illustration updated</li></ul>

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