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NEXUS

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Remote Set Up and Functions

WRITTEN GUIDE

The Nexus Remote, set down button by button. What every key does, which presses are long and which are short, and where one key does two different things. Eight sections, each with the buttons it uses lit on the map.

What this guide covers

Turning the Remote on and keeping it connected, moving through your pathway sets, entering a card or a number, and driving Eavesdrop on the phone or the Watch.

GETTING CONNECTED

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PATHWAYS

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TWO THINGS WORTH READING TWICE

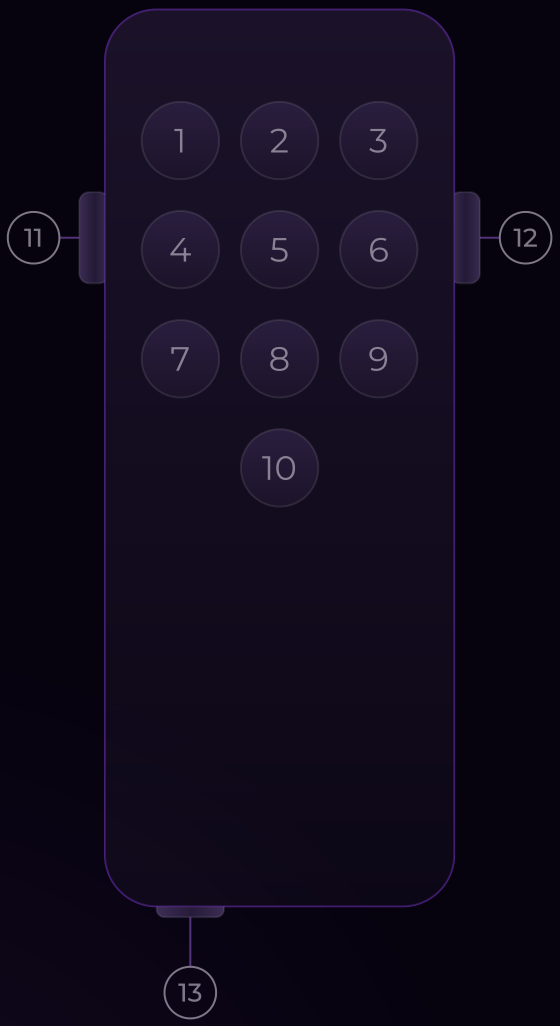
The functions change with the screen. The same key does different things depending on where you are in the app, so read the section, not just the number. And **long-press LEFT (11) with care** — what it does depends on whether the blue Switchboard light is on. Section 03 has both cases.

The button map

Thirteen buttons. Nine in the keypad, a zero below them, one on each side, and the power switch at the bottom left of the end face.

SP **Short press**
A tap. Choosing, cycling, entering digits.

LP **Long press**
Hold. Launching, sending, going back, leaving Switchboard.



1 – 9	**The keypad** Choose a pathway by its number on screen. Long-press any of them to launch the selected pathway. Doubles as the number and card-value keypad.
10	**Zero, and back** The digit zero. Long-press to leave a pathway, and to step back a screen at a time.
11	**Left** Short-press to go down the list. Long-press exits Switchboard mode when the blue light is on, and otherwise disconnects the Remote.
12	**Right** Short-press to go up the list. Long-press to advance a screen, and to send data.
13	**Power** Bottom left of the end face. Short-press to check it is on — you will see a short red flash.

01 POWER
Turn it on, and keep it connected

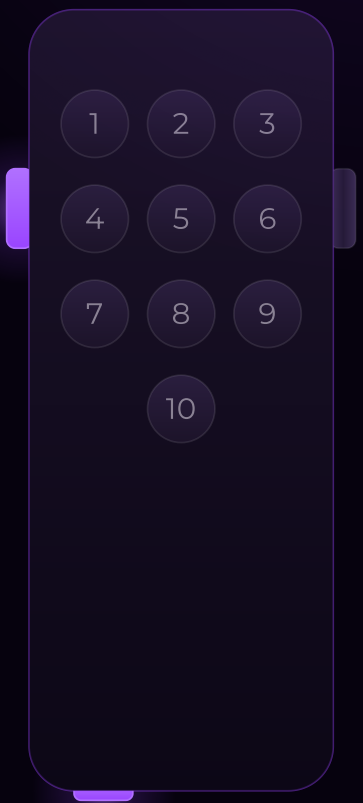
Short-press the power switch — bottom left of the end face — to check the Remote is on. If it is, you will see a short red flash.

Always connect the Remote while the Nexus app is open. The app has to be running for the Remote to find it.

> **If the app says Disconnected**
> Hold the power button down until the light goes out. Hold it down again, and the lights will flash to show the Remote is back on.

WATCH OUT

A long press on LEFT (11) can also disconnect the Remote — long-press LEFT again to reconnect. It does not always do that, though: section 03 has the other case.



BUTTONS THIS SECTION USES

02 CHOOSING
Choose a pathway set, or a pathway

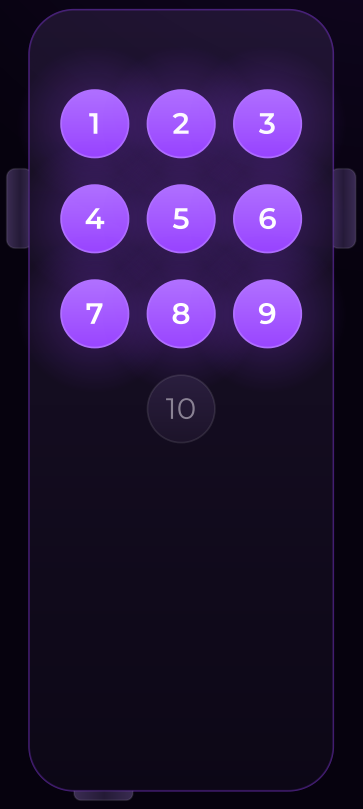
Each pathway set and pathway carries a number on screen. Short-press the matching key on the keypad.

The Remote answers in haptics, so you can confirm what you pressed without looking:

- **1 to 4** — that many short vibrations.
- **5** — one long vibration.
- **6** — a long, then a short.
- **7** — a long, then two shorts, and so on up the list.

NOTE

The pattern is one long vibration for each five, then a short for each one after it. Learn the feel of five and the rest follows.



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03 MOVING
Move through the list

The two side buttons walk the list of pathway sets and pathways.

> **Short-press LEFT (11)**
> Down the list.

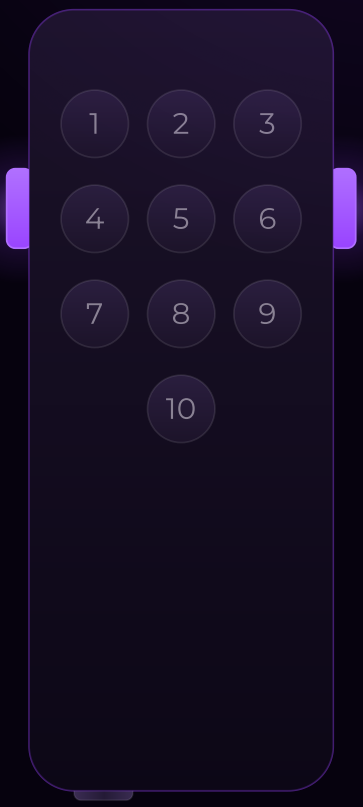
> **Short-press RIGHT (12)**
> Up the list.

Long-press LEFT (11) does one of two things, and which one depends on the blue Switchboard light at the bottom of the Remote.

- **Blue light on** — the Remote is in Switchboard mode, and a long press on LEFT exits it.
- **Blue light off** — a long press on LEFT disconnects the Remote from Nexus. Long-press LEFT again to reconnect.

WATCH OUT

Check the blue light before you hold LEFT, and you will always know which of the two you are about to get.



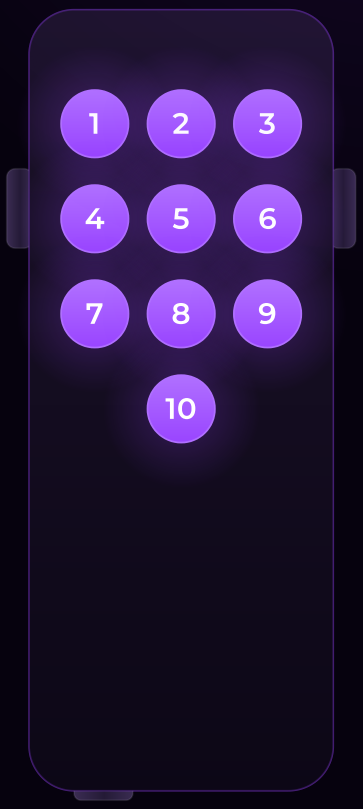
BUTTONS THIS SECTION USES

04 RUNNING
Launch a pathway, and leave it

With a pathway selected, **long-press any of the top nine keys** to launch it. Any of the nine — it does not have to be the number you chose it with.

If Nexus is running on your Apple Watch, launching also syncs the Watch.

Long-press 10 to return to the pathway set list, or to exit a pathway.



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05 PLAYING CARDS
Enter a playing card

A card is two short presses: the value, then the suit.

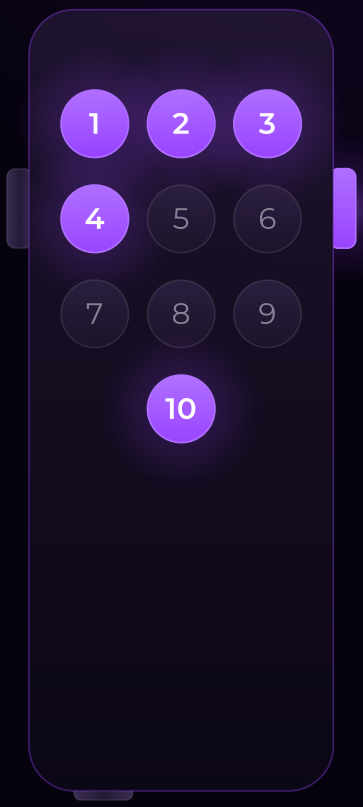
> **Value**
> Short-press the number key. Ten is **1 – 0**, Jack is **1 – 1**, Queen is **1 – 2**, King is **1 – 3**.

> **Suit**
> CHSD order. Clubs **1**, Hearts **2**, Spades **3**, Diamonds **4**.

Wait two seconds for Nexus to update — a vibration confirms the entry landed. Then **long-press RIGHT (12)** to perform and send the data automatically.

NOTE

Those two seconds are also your undo. Enter the wrong card and you can simply enter another one instead.



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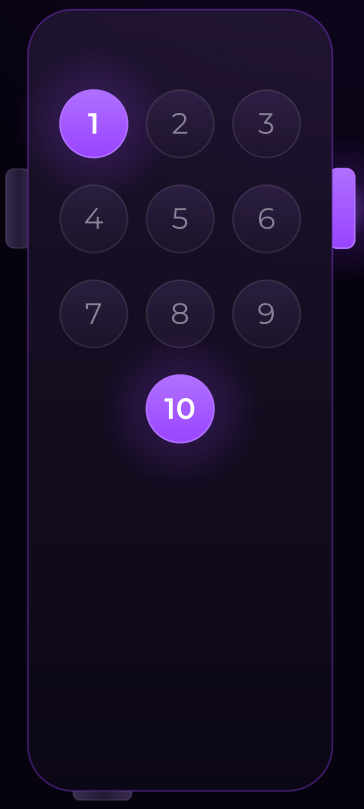
06 NUMBERS
Enter a number or a birthday

Short-press the keys for the number you want.

Long-press 1 to remove the last digit. Long-press again to remove another, then re-enter the correct ones.

For a birthday, use the **four-digit format** — MMDD or DDMM, whichever you have set in settings.

Long-press RIGHT (12) to perform and send the data automatically.



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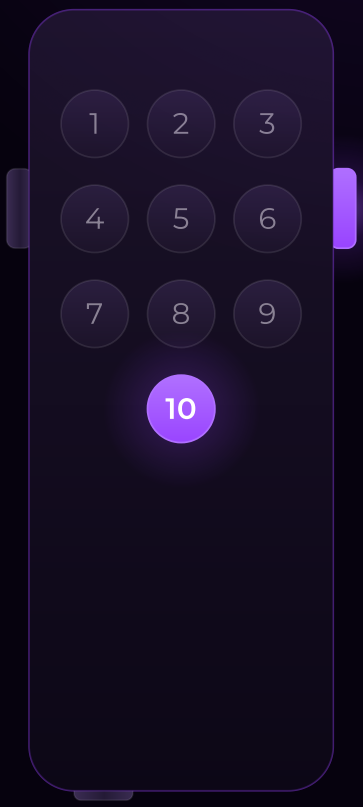
07 SCREENS

Move forward and back

Two keys carry you through the app without touching the phone.

Long-press RIGHT (12)
Advance to the next screen.

Long-press 10
Back to the last screen. Do it repeatedly to keep stepping back — and it is also how you come back from the peek screen.



BUTTONS THIS SECTION USES

08 EAVESDROP
Start and stop Eavesdrop

Long-press 1 to start Eavesdrop. **Long-press 1 again** to pause it.

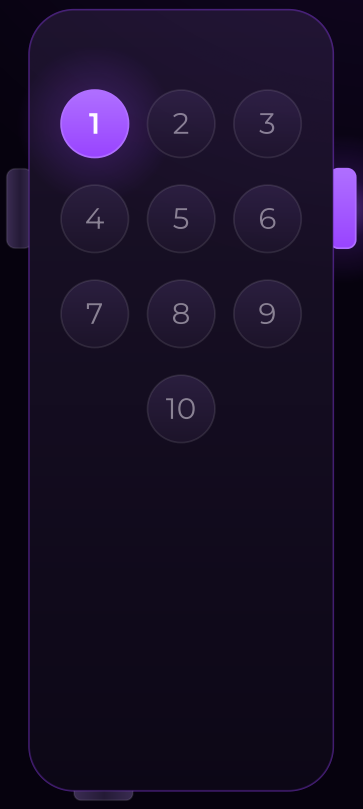
Then **long-press RIGHT (12)** to send.

Your end phrase stops the recording too.

> **On the Apple Watch**
> The same presses: long-press 1 to start, long-press 1 to pause, long-press RIGHT to send.

WATCH OUT

To drive listening on the Watch from the Remote, the **watch accelerometer must be off** in main settings.



BUTTONS THIS SECTION USES

Every press, in one place

The whole Remote on one page. Short press is a tap; long press is a hold.

Power (13)	SP	Check the Remote is on — a short red flash
	Hold	Off, then hold again to bring it back on
Left (11)	SP	Down the pathway list
	LP	Blue light on: exits Switchboard mode. Blue light off: disconnects the Remote — press again to reconnect
Right (12)	SP	Up the pathway list
	LP	Advance a screen · send data
Keypad (1 – 9)	SP	Choose a pathway by number · enter a value, suit or digit
	LP	Launch the selected pathway, and sync the Apple Watch
Key 1	LP	Start or pause Eavesdrop · remove the last digit entered
Key 10	SP	The digit zero
	LP	Back a screen · leave a pathway · return to the set list

Learn six presses and you never touch the phone.

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