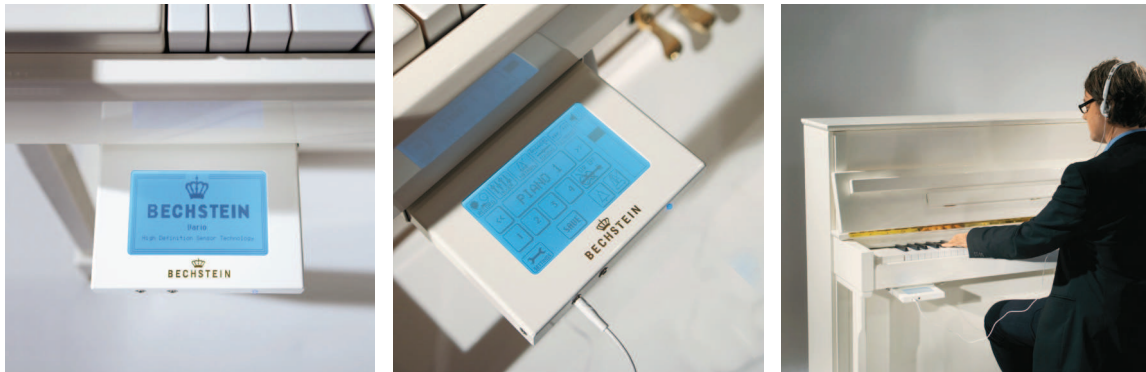


# The Unique Bechstein Vario Digital Mute System Designed and Made by Bechstein, Germany

Optimum dynamics, elegant and unobtrusive design, perfectly simple use.



- Simply connect the Bechstein Vario to the USB port of your computer, or even your iPad® with an adapter cable - to use it with MIDI applications for recording, composing, notation and much more. This way you can drive your musical software on your computer via piano keyboard. The right hard- and software makes the Bechstein Vario a true digital audio workstation.
- Sound options available (string and keyboard instruments). Definition of string sounds with accompanying keyboard instruments
- MIDI applications via USB; Simple notation of the music fed to the Vario system; Complex composition with multiple instruments and/or voice, possibility to listen to the individual instruments/voices separately; Multitrack recording (also with several instruments); Various commercial sampled sounds (The Grand, Akoustic Piano, and others)
- Unique dynamics with an infinite range of possibilities from pianissimo to fortissimo through high definition capturing of the key movement, easily adjustable via graphics on a display screen.
- Sensor technology: Freely configurable optical key and pedal sensors, high definition hardware and software.
- Large touch screen, all functions conveniently accessible via clear icon menus, simple menu structures, no multifunction buttons, no complicated control keys, comprehensive range of functions. Elegant and unobtrusive design, large touch screen, no superfluous details. Easily operated from above, self-explanatory menus, reset button, metronome and bell samples.
- Sounds: 6 pianos, 3 organs, 1 harpsichord, 3 digital pianos, 2 strings (in the background).
- Energy saving automatic switch off (no standby).
- International graphic menus easily understandable the world over, voltage transformer with several plugs.
- High-quality headphones (branded product), comfortable to wear (light-weight), delivers an optimal sound, headphones support on the piano.
- Heavy-duty hammer bars do not impair the function of the moderator pedal, easily and accurately adjustable using a hand lever and Bowden cable with special interior coating.

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