

ABSTRACT

The present invention resolves liquid dripping and increases the operability of a discharge operation. This liquid material discharge device (20) is provided with: a nozzle member (35) that has a discharge opening (33) that discharges a liquid material; a switching valve (51) that interconnects with the nozzle member (35); and a discharge control unit. A compression section (60) is provided that has a compression pathway (62) that supplies compressed liquid material to the switching valve (51), a negative pressure section (70) is provided that has a shunt pathway (72) that can be set to a pressure that is relatively lower than the pressure within the compression pathway, and the switching valve (51) switches between a first position that interconnects the discharge opening (33) and the compression pathway (62) and cuts off the discharge opening (33) and the shunt pathway (72), and a second position that interconnects the discharge opening and the shunt pathway (72) and cuts off the discharge opening (33) and the compression pathway (62).