

Disposing with care

Everyday tasks in the laboratory that have become "The back of our hands" – and we know, especially this is where the danger lurks. One of those seemingly trivial tasks is the disposal of solvents into the available containers.

Everybody uses them, everybody dumps into them, but who ensures that the containers don't overflow? However, overflowing waste containers in laboratories can be dangerous when work is done with critical substances and solvents. Dangerous fumes can spread fast. This is not only dangerous for individual health but under certain circumstances, can also lead to an explosion.

Mechanically or electronically controlled containers provide more operational safety and protection from such serious consequences. The level control developed by S.C.A.T. gives warning through an optical and acoustic signal before the waste container overflows.

In addition, connecting devices such as pumps and valves can be actuated via contact switches. Depending on demand, the different containers can be equipped either with non-contact sensors for exterior attachment or with float-controlled mechanical/optical and electronic/optical sensors. With these sensors, up to 20 containers can be monitored at the same time.

Liquid waste can be safely collected by tubes or manually; the sensor triggers an alarm if a critical fill level is reached. In addition, an integrated safety funnel can be attached to the safety cap. It is only opened during filling and closes automatically afterwards.

Running on empty can also cause damage

Also, in the opposite case, an empty level indicator might be required when the containers should not run empty. Some think timely refilling is sufficient and so undertake the risk, refilling might be forgotten.

S.C.A.T. Europe offers just the right equipment for this.

All sizes of laboratory glass bottles, canisters, barrels and tank containers can be equipped with the system. Additional installations are not required for this. According to the motto: "Plug and Play", every level control is delivered as fully operational and with all the necessary components.



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Level control

Disc sensor

- >> Select between alarm for full or empty state
- >> The sensitivity can be adjusted to different wall strengths
- >>> Fastening material included

Fill level detection without touching the content of the container. The sensitivity of the sensor can be adjusted to different wall strengths. The signal box emits an optical and acoustic signal before a previously set fill height is reached. Suitable for all containers made of glass and non-conductive plastic. Just connect the sensor to the container wall at the desired fill level (fastening material is included with delivery), connect mains plug – done. No technical modifications to the receptacle are required.

- Simple installation
- >>> For all typical containers made of glass or non-conductive plastic
- » Reusable when the receptacle is empty
- >> Monitor several receptacles at the same time





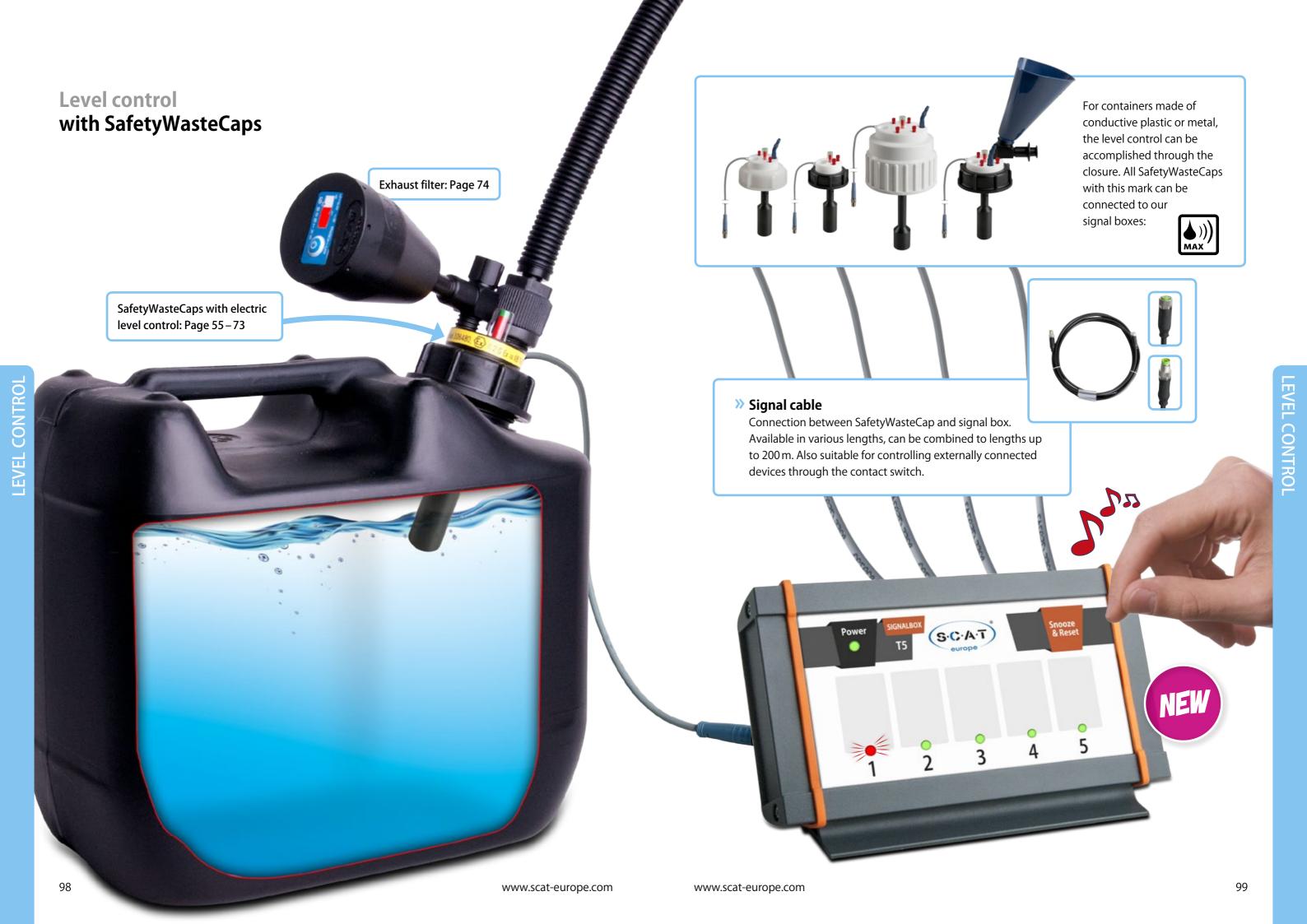
Recognizes fluids through all glass or plastic walls. Not suitable for stainless steel containers or canisters made of conductive plastic. Page 103

> various lengths: Page 103



Signal cables in

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Level control

SIGNALBOX T1 and T5

» BETTER LEVEL CONTROL WITH OUR NEW SIGNAL BOXES!

>> POWER AND STATUS LEDs

Keep the operating of the signal box and the filling levels of the connected containers easily and safe in mind.

SNOOZE & RESET BUTTON

Control of the optical and acoustic warning signals at the push of a button.

>> SOLID STAND

LEVEL CONTROL

The solid stand enables a flexible and safe positioning in the working environment.

CONTACT SWITCH

Due to the potential-free contacts, external devices such as pumps or valves can be controlled. Thanks to separated channels there can be a respond to single sensors.

> SPACE FOR LABELLING

Useful title blocks enable easy classifying of the connected containers.







BACK SIDE SIGNALBOX T5

Level control Signal boxes









Contact switch (potential-free contact)

For controlling external devices such as pumps or valves.



Contact switch 1-5 and "ALL" (potential-free contacts)

The Signalbox T5 can respond to single sensors. The output "ALL" reacts to all connected sensors, regardless of their number or channel.

Signal boxes incl. power supply

Fig.	Part No.	Description	Connectors	Dimensions mm (W x H x D)	Incl. power supply
A	108 087 NEW	Signalbox T1	1	180 x 105 x 55	EU
В	108 088 NEW	Signalbox T5	5	180 x 105 x 55	EU
A	108 119 NEW	Signalbox T1	1	180 x 105 x 55	USA
В	108 121 NEW	Signalbox T5	5	180 x 105 x 55	USA
A	108 122 NEW	Signalbox T1	1	180 x 105 x 55	UK / England
В	108 124 NEW	Signalbox T5	5	180 x 105 x 55	UK / England



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Signal box sets



Signal box sets

LEVEL CONTROL

	Fig.	Part No.	Description
	G	108 125 NEW	Signalbox T1 with disc fill level sensor, signal cable 3 meters, hook and loop fastener for disc sensor 2 meters, EU power supply
	G	108 157 NEW	Signalbox T1 with disc low level sensor, signal cable 3 meters, hook and loop fastener for disc sensor 2 meters, EU power supply
	-	108 158 NEW	Signalbox T1 with disc fill level sensor, signal cable 3 meters, hook and loop fastener for disc sensor 2 meters, USA power supply
	-	108 159 NEW	Signalbox T1 with disc low level sensor, signal cable 3 meters, hook and loop fastener for disc sensor 2 meters, USA power supply
	-	108 160 NEW	Signalbox T1 with disc fill level sensor, signal cable 3 meters, hook and loop fastener for disc sensor 2 meters, UK/England power supply
	-	108 161 NEW	Signalbox T1 with disc low level sensor, signal cable 3 meters, hook and loop fastener for disc sensor 2 meters, UK/England power supply

Level control

Accessories single







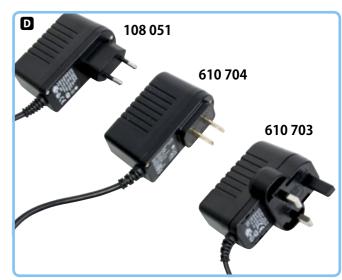


Fig.	Part No.	Description
A	108 048	Disc sensor (alarm at full state)
A	108 045	Disc sensor (alarm at empty state)
В	108 050	Signal cable, length 3 meters
	108 037	Signal cable, length 5 meters
	108 038	Signal cable, length 10 meters
G	900 108	Velcro® strip for disc sensor, length 2 meters
-	900 107	Dual Lock (releasable pressure) closure for disc sensors, approx. 20 x 20 mm. Tougher and longer lasting than a conventional hook and loop fastener.
D	108 051	EU power supply
D	610 704	USA power supply
D	610 703	UK/England power supply

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Level control Radio transmission

Transmitter



The FSG 1 transmitter is suitable for all S.C.A.T. caps with electronic level control* and transmits a warning signal to the receiver if a critical level is reached, without cables. It is ATEX-compliant and has been tested for use in explosion-endangered areas. Thus you can also comfortably * Look for this sign: monitor critical fill states from the safety zone.





Atex-

Ordering information

Dimensions (WxHxD)	89 x 49 x 34 mm
Weight	approx. 100 g
Power supply (incl.)	3 V lithium cell (CR1/2AA) Manufacturer: VARTA
Power consumption	Standby: 5 μA Transmission and reception operation: 30 mA
Frequency	868 MHz - 870 MHz
Frequency USA	915 MHz
Transmission power	100 mW
Transfer	Request/acknowledge protocol CRC error protection
Inputs	Opener + closer for redundant evaluation of a level state

Technical data

Fig.	Part No.	Description	compliant
A	108 241	Transmitter FSG 1 incl. battery	•
-	108 245	Transmitter FSG 1 (package with 5 pieces) incl. battery	•
-	108 247	Transmitter FSG 1 (USA) incl. battery	-
-	108 261	Transmitter FSG 1 (USA) (package with 5 pieces) incl. battery	-
-	108 249	Replacement battery for transmitter FSG 1	
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The ATEX directive consists of two EU directives describing what equipment and work environment is allowed in an environment with an explosive atmosphere. ATEX derives its name from the French title of the 94/9/EC directive: Appareils destinés à être utilisés en ATmosphères EXplosives.

Level control **Radio transmission**

Receiver



Optical and acoustic signals

at critical level state. Meaning of the optical signals:

- Green = Container connected and OK.
- Red + acoustic signal = Critical fill state / container full.
- Yellow = Change transmitter battery



- >>> We also provide solutions for highly isolated or shielded areas in laboratory
- >>> Informations regarding repeaters (signal amplifier) you receive of course by request

Monitor up to 20 containers at the same time with this receiver. If one of the transmitters registers a critical fill level, a warning signal is emitted and the LED of the affected container lights up red. A power supply unit for connection to the 230 V power supply is included in the scope of delivery.

Technical data

	Dimensions (WxHxD)	163 x 56 x 94 mm
	Weight	approx. 150 g
	Power supply	24 V plug-in power supply unit
	Power consumption	max. 100 mA
	Frequency	868-870 MHz
	Frequency USA	915 MHz
	Transmission power	10 mW
	Transfer	Request/acknow- ledge protocol CRC error protection
	Outputs	Piezo buzzer 100 V / 1 A m~V RS485 mod bus interface (e.g. for connecting to building technology)

Ordering information

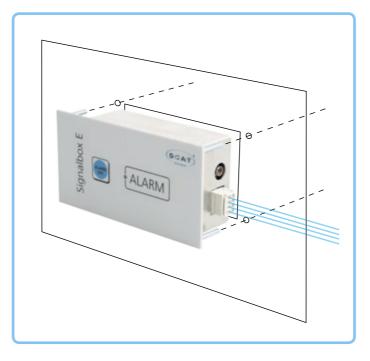
Fig.	Part No.	Description	Atex- compliant
B	108 242	Receiver FSS 1 with power supply unit for Germany / EU	
-	108 243	Receiver FSS 1 with power supply unit for England / UK	
-	108 244	Receiver FSS 1 with power supply unit for USA	
-	108 240	Complete radio level control set 1x receiver signal box FSS 1 20 channels 1x transmitter FSG 1 1x EU power supply unit for receiver 1x battery for transmitter	•
-	108 246	Complete radio level control set 1x receiver signal box FSS 1 20 channels 5x transmitter FSG 1 1x EU power supply unit for receiver 5x battery for transmitter	•
		Repeater FSR 1 (signal amplifier)	
-	108 258	with power supply unit for Germany / EU	
-	108 259	with power supply unit for England / UK	
-	108 260	with power supply unit for USA	

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Level control Built-in signal box



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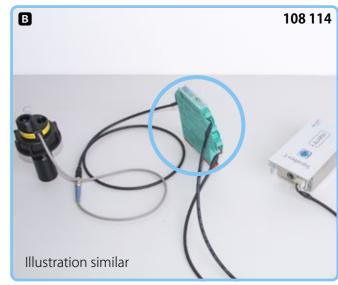


The signal box is inserted into the allocated gap of your laboratory furniture front panel and fasten with four bolts including screw connection. Of course we have a drill template available. On the front of the built-in signal box are the users basic information and control panels. The built-in signalbox has a LED display and an acoustic warning signal which lights up and beep if the filling status of the monitoring waste container has reached the critical level. To change the full container unhurriedly the built-in signal box has a button to mute the acoustic warning signal for the time of changeover.

Perfect integration of the level control in laboratory furniture. All connectors are assembled at the side and vanish out of the viewing range.



A SafetyWasteCap or a disc sensor can be directly connected with the use of a signal cable. Also a peripheral device (pump, etc.) can be connected.



If it should be necessary to secure a S.C.A.T. Safety-WasteCap from the laboratory installation series with a switching amplifier, this can also be connected to the built-in signal box.



Function of switch amplifier:

Switch amplifiers are used to protect intrinsically-safe circuits in hazardous areas. Next to power and voltage limitation they also have a galvanic seperation between field circuit and control. The proximity sensor or switch controls by a change-over relay contact the load in the safe area.



Technical data

	Dimensions (WxHxD)	135 x 70 x 46 mm
	Weight	ca. 195 g (without power supply)
	Supply voltage	24 V
	Connectors	2 x 3-pin circular connector M8 2 x board connector 3/4-pin
	Display/ control	1 x LED Status/Alarm 1 x Key, alarm mute for changeover.

Ordering information

Fig.	Part No.	Description
A	106 418	Built-in signal box with EU power supply
B	108 114	Switch amplifier (Technical data sheet and further informations you will receive by request)

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» Which Box					»for which purpose?
Box type	Control filling levels	Potential free contacts	Switch amplifier adaptable	RS485	Compatible with
Signalbox T1	1	1	-	-	signal cable (extension): Page 103 Disc sensor: Page 103 SafetyWasteCaps standard: Page 55-73 SafetyWasteCaps Lab-installation: Page 140
Signalbox T5	5	5 + 1 (ALL)	-	-	signal cable (extension): Page 103 Disc sensor: Page 103 SafetyWasteCaps standard: Page 55-73 SafetyWasteCaps Lab-installation: Page 140
Radio transmission	20	-	-	•	Transmitter: Page 106 Signal cable (extension): Page 103 SafetyWasteCaps standard: Page 55-73 SafetyWasteCaps Lab-installation: Page 140
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Built-in signal box

signal cable (extension): Page 103

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Level control

Container with integrated floater







Safely collect fluid laboratory waste! The integrated floater gives a warning in time to prevent overfilling. Ideal for use with S.C.A.T safety funnels (starting on Page 80)

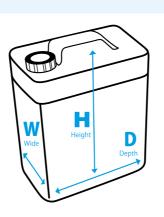


	Fig.	Part No.	Description	Contents	Material	Thread size	Dimensions (W x H x D)
	A	108 945	Space-saving canisters with float	5 liters	PP, white	S 50	65 x 405 x 330 mm
	В	108 320	Canister with floater	10 liters	PE-HD, white	S 90	195 x 400 x 195 mm
	G	108 056	Canister with floater	20 liters	PE-HD, white	S 60 / 61	260 x 455 x 285 mm
	D	108 420	Canister with viewing strip with UN-Y approval	10 liters	PE-HD, black electrically conductive	S 90	195 x 400 x 195 mm
	3	108 042	Canister with floater	10 liters	PE-HD, black electrically conductive	S 60 / 61	185 x 280 x 290 mm
	•	108 043	Canister with floater	20 liters	PE-HD, black electrically conductive	S 60 / 61	185 x 515 x 290 mm
	-	107 740	Canister with floater	60 liters	PE-HD, black electrically conductive	S 70 / 71	330 x 690 x 395 mm
	G	199 013	Protective cage for floater				

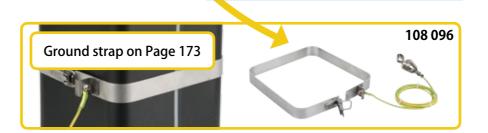
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LEVEL CONTROL

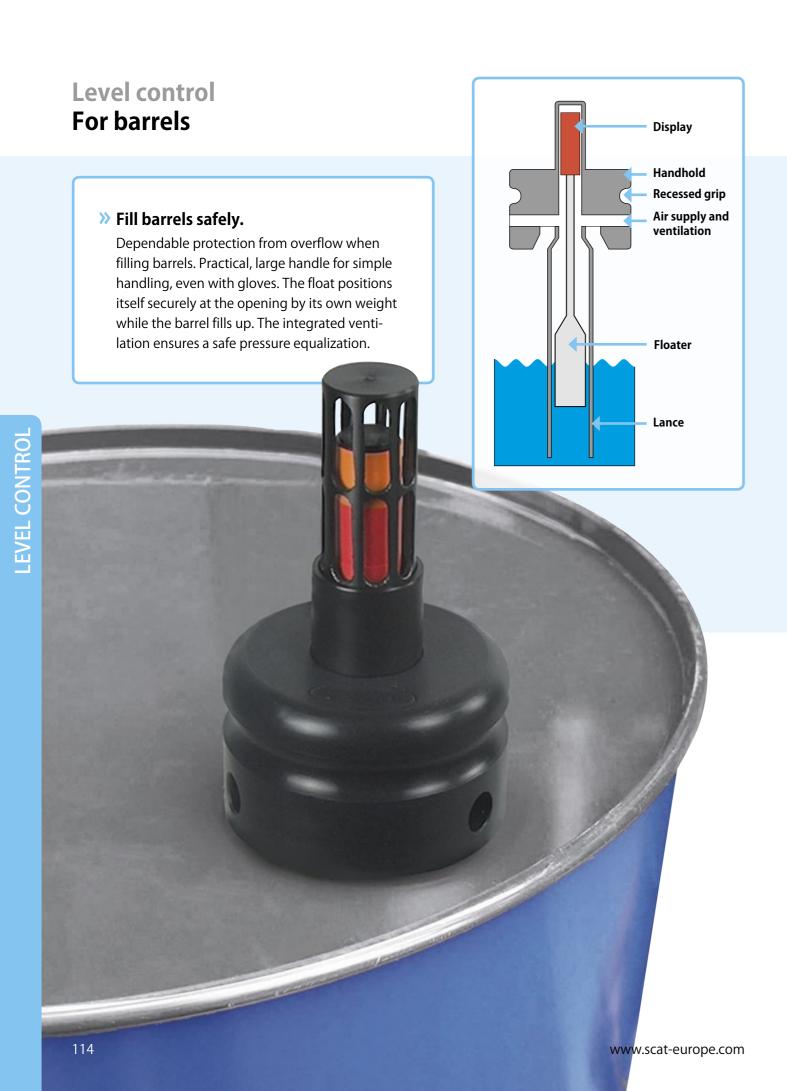


Container from electrically conductive plastic counteracts electrostatic discharge and can be grounded. Thus they are especially well-suited for use in protected areas.



canister with viewing strip!

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XXL LEVEL CONTROL

FITS ALL OPENINGS FROM SOMM DIAMETER

FOR 3/4"
THREAD









- >> Dependable fill level control for containers up to 200 liters
- Ideal for safe barrel filling
- >> Available in different materials, therefore suitable for all chemicals

	Fig.	Part No.	Description	Lance length	Lance diameter	Material
	A	100 703	Level control for barrels with milk pipe thread	250 mm	31 mm	Lance: PE-HD, black Floater: PE-HD, black Display: ETFE, red
	В	107 880	Level control for barrels (fits all openings from ∅ 50 mm) (up to max. ∅ 100 mm)	250 mm	50 mm	Lance: PE-HD, black Floater: PE-HD, black Display: ETFE, red
	G	107 881	Level control for barrels (fits all openings from ∅ 50 mm) (up to max. ∅ 100 mm)	250 mm	50 mm	Lance: PTFE, white Floater: PFA, white Display: ETFE, red
	D	107 883 NEW	Level control for barrels Thread G3/4"	150 mm	18 mm	PE-HD-el
		107 882 NEW	Level control for barrels Thread G3/4"	150 mm	18 mm	PE-HD
		107 884 NEW	Level control for barrels Thread G3/4"	150 mm	18 mm	Lance: PTFE, white Floater: PFA, white Display: PE, red

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