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# Level Switches





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Barksdale Level Switches

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## Introduction

#### Application

Where fluids must be stored or handled the Barksdale level switches with their large variety from a simple compact switch to multi level stations with lengths up to three meters are a logic choice (longer on request).

When temperature and level measurement are required at the same time in tanks or reservoirs it is practical and

economical to combine these in the level switches UNS-1000 with temperature sensor and UNS-2000 with additional temperature switch.

#### Application

#### Level

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All level switches are equipped with hermetically sealed reed switches. The contact is switched by an annular rod bar magnet which is positioned within the float.

The reed switch is available as normally closed, normally open or SPDT-contact. The only moving part of the level switch is the float sliding along the stem.

Contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for installation through the top or through the bottom (when specified as "-U").

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NO: (= Contact mode 1)

- Normally open,
- Closing contact by rising level
- Opening contact by falling level
- NC: (= Contact mode 2)
  - Normally closed,
  - Opening contact by rising level
  - Closing contact by falling level

The density (specific gravity) of the medium will influence the floating position of the float. In very light oils or solvents the float might change (lower) it's position up to 15...20 mm or more. If this is critical in your application consult us for details.

When not specified we will position the switch point for density 1 (water) and the switch action to be on moving upward.

Due to the hysteresis (dead band) of the reed contacts the action on rising level (reactuation point) will be several millimetres lower than the specified switch point.

#### **Temperature Measuring (optional)**

For temperature measurement we offer a PT 100 temperature sensor in our UNS-1000 and UNS-2000. In the series UNS-2000 we also offer temperature switch functions.

The bi-metal element (TP type / PEPI) is hermetically sealed, has fixed setpoints in steps of 5 °C and is installed in the bottom of the stem.

The TP type has gold plated contacts, is very good for low voltage and mA applications, and can still handle large contact loads up to 3 amp at 24 VDC or 12 V AC. Setpoints are available at +50 °C, +70 °C and +90 °C (other temperatures on request), the hysteresis is only 3...10 K at mid range (depending on the operating temperature).

The coding of the temperature switch is simple, just specify TP then the setpoint in °C and 2 for the contact mode (contact mode 1 on request).

I.e. TP 70/2 for setpoint +70  $^{\circ}C$  contact NC and opens on increasing temperature at +70 ±5  $^{\circ}C.$ 

Consult factory for availability of your required version.

## Typical Applications for Level Switches with integrated Temperature Sensor

- switching on heaters to avoid freezing of the medium, or
- high or low temperature alarm in hydraulic tanks (TP type)

Type UNS-2100 Ex is also available with temperature switch and ATEX-approval. (Other UNS-versions with ATEX-EEx ia on request)

## Introduction



#### Approval data:

IP6X T 100 °C

Max. ambient temperature: -40 °C ...+75 °C

Electrical data for intrinsically safe applications:

 $\begin{array}{lll} Ui &=& 28 \ V \\ Ii &=& 50 \ mA \\ Ci &=& 40 \ pF \\ Li &=& 4 \ \mu H \end{array}$ 

#### **Features and Benefits:**

- Only moving part: The wearlessly working float.
- NO linkage, bellows or dynamic seals to wear, no service or spare parts needed.
- Easy to install, no calibration needed.
- Welded hollow floats in Stainless Steel and foamed floats in Buna-N (BN) are mostly used. The BN float is a closed cell Buna rubber, very light and very good in most hydrocarbons and water.
- Many special floats are available, consult us for details.
- The position of the float on the stem determines the contact status, open or close. By rotating the float the switch function will be reversed.
- Hysteresis of switch action only a few mm depending on type of contact and float.
- Reed contacts are designed to operate under vibration and are ideal for industrial applications.
- The UNS-1000 and UNS-2000 offer "custom made" specials at standard pricing.
- DNV-, GL- and BV-shipboard approvals with the series UNS-1000 S, UNS-2000 S and UNS-VA SB (ABS-, LR- und RINA-approvals on request).
- Option for high temperature -40 °C...+150 °C, specify -HT
- Option for splash or protection tube, specify: -DR
- Option for vertical adjustment, specify: VV
- Option for additional temperature switch(es) specify: -TP
- Option for temperature sensor PT100, specify: PT100
- Mounting normally vertical downwards through the top, specify -U when mounting will be through the bottom vertical upwards.
- For pressures over 50 bar and/or very low density fluids we have special solutions, consult us for details.
- Many years of experience in level switches and many specials since, include many "exotics" in Hastelloy, Titanium, Plastic or Teflon, will help us to design the special version you might need.

## Introduction





#### Fig. 5

Lamp loads with parallel or serial resistor to switch.

#### **General Technical Information**

The indicated values for power, voltage and capacity are valid for purely resistive loads. Quite frequently though, the loads are surrounded by inductive and capacitive com-ponents. Very often lamp loads must be switched. In this case, protection of the reed switch against voltage and power peaks must be considered. Of course, each case must be evaluated seperately. But we would like to give some guidelines concerning the wiring of reeds for different loads to avoid premature failure.

#### 1. Inductive loads

Contact protection is relatively simple for direct current (DC). A free-wheel diode is wired parallel to the load. Polarity must be established in such a way that the diode will inhibit at normal operational voltage (current) and short-circuit the power peaks which occur in the opposite direction when the switch opens. (see fig. 1).

It is not possible to use a diode for AC. Here an arc-dimming unit has to be used. Generally this unit is a RC-unit wired parallel to the switch and hence in series with the load. Sizing of such an arc-dimming unit can be performed according to the nomogram shown in fig. 2 and 3.

#### 2. Capacitative loads and lamp loads

Contrarily to the inductive loads, there are inrush currents for capacitive loads and lamp loads which can lead to disturbance - even to the point of fusing of the contacts. During the wiring of loaded condensators (e.g. cable capacities) a sudden discharge will occur, with an intensity depending on the capacity and length of supply cable to the switch (can be regarded as series resistor). The discharge peak of the current is largely reduced by a series resistor to the condensator. Its size is deter-mined by the possibilities offered by the respective power circuit. It should be as high as possible in order to limit the discharge current to a permitted value. These criteria are valid analogously for the charging of condensors (see fig. 4).

Finally we want to give some details regarding the wiring of lamp loads. Cold incandescent filaments (switched off) have ten times smaller resistance than switched on filaments. That means during switch-on - even for a short period of time only - the current flow is ten times higher than in glowing, static condition of the lamp. This tenfold inrush current can be reduced to an acceptable level by a continously wired limiting resistor. Another possibility is the parallel wiring of a resistance to the switch. This will permanently heat up the switches of the lamp filament only so much as to just prevent it from glowing. Both protective modes result in the loss of capacity (see. fig 5).

#### Level Switches with one Switchpoint

#### **Material: Metal**



Type UNS-	MS 1/8 - BN25 VA 1/8 -VA27	MS 1/4 - BN30 VA 1/4 - VA52	MS 3/8 - BN30 VA 3/8 - VA52	90 - MS 3/8 - BN30 90 - VA 3/8-VA52	VA / SB4 VA / SB5
Mounting Position	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom	Side mounted	Side mounted
Stem Material	Brass Stainless Steel 1.4571	Brass Stainless Steel 1.4571	Brass Stainless Steel 1.4571	Brass Stainless Steel 1.4571	Stainless Steel 1.4571
Mounting Element	G1/8 Mounting thread	G1/4 Mounting thread	G3/8 Mounting thread	G3/8 Mounting thread	Mounting bracket
Float	BN25, Ø = 25 mm	BN30, Ø = 30 mm	BN30, Ø = 30 mm	BN30, Ø = 30 mm	PE33, Ø = 33 mm
	VA27, Ø = 27 mm	VA52, Ø = 52 mm	VA52, Ø = 52 mm	VA52, Ø = 52 mm	
Float Material	Buna N = BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Buna N = BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Buna N = BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Buna N = BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Polyethylene PE
Min. Fluid Specific	BN25: 0,57	BN30: 0,60	BN30: 0,60	BN30: 0,60	0,80
Gravity (g/cm³)	VA27: 0,71	VA52: 0,78	VA52: 0,78	VA52: 0,78	
Max. Pressure (bar)	15 15	15 40	15 40	15 40	3
Max. Temperature	80/100 °C - Buna N 105/150 °C - Stainl. Steel	80/100 °C - Buna N 105/150 °C -Stainl. Steel	80/100 °C - Buna N 105/150 °C - Stainl. Steel	80/100 °C - Buna N 105/150 °C - Stainl. Steel	70 °C
Contact Mode	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC
Contact Rating	40 VA/W NO / NC 3 VA/W / SPDT	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT	40 VA/W NO / NC
Option	High temperature version	High temperature version	High temperature version	High temperature version	Test equipment
Approval	Shipbuilding approval ATEX approval	Shipbuilding approval ATEX approval	Shipbuilding approval ATEX approval	Shipbuilding approval ATEX approval	Shipbuilding approval ATEX approval
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#### Level Switches with one Switchpoint

#### **Material: Plastic**



Type UNS-	PVC1/8-PVC25	PVC3/8-PVC25	PTFE1/4-PTFE55	PA16-PA18 PA1/2"NPT-PA18 PA16-PA18-MS-A	PP16-PP18 PP1/2"NPT-PP18
Mounting Position	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom	Side mounted	Side mounted
Stem Material	PVC-hard	PVC-hard	Teflon	Polyamide 6.6	Polypropylene
Mounting Element	G1/8 Mounting thread	G3/8 Mounting thread	G1/4 Mounting thread	M 16 x 2 1/2" NPT, G1/2	M 16 x 2 1/2" NPT
Float	PVC 25, Ø = 25 mm	PVC 25, Ø = 25 mm	PTFE 55, Ø = 55 mm	Ø = 18 mm	Ø = 18 mm
Float Material	PVC-hard	PVC-hard	Teflon	Polyamide 6.6	Polypropylene
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	0,70	0,70	1,0	0,70	0,65
Max. Pressure (bar)	3	3	3	5	5
Max. Temperature	65 °C	65 °C	150 °C	60 / 120 °C	60 / 90 °C
Contact Mode	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC	NO / NC
Contact Rating	10 VA/W NO / NC 3 VA/W / SPDT	10 VA/W NO / NC 3 VA/W / SPDT	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT	60 VA/W	60 VA/W
Option	On request	On request	On request	On request	On request
Approval					
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#### Multi Level Switches with one ore more Switchpoints:

#### **Material: Metal**







Type UNS-	1000	1000-S	1000-G
Mounting Position	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom	Side mounted
Stem Material	Brass Stainless Steel 1.4571	Stainless Steel 1.4571	Stainless Steel 1.4571
Mounting Element	Flange and thread	Flange and thread	G1/2 side / bottom
Float	BN25, Ø = 25 mm VA27, Ø = 27 mm	BN25, Ø = 25 mm VA27, Ø = 27 mm	VA27, Ø = 27 mm
Float Material	Buna N - BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Buna N - BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	BN25: 0,57 VA27: 0,71	BN25: 0,57 VA27: 0,71	0,71
Max. Pressure (bar)	15	15	15
Max. Temperature	80/100 °C - Buna N 105/150 °C - Stainl. Steel	80/100 °C - Buna N 105/150 °C - Stainl. Steel	90 °C - Stainl. Steel
Contact Mode	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT
Contact Rating	40 VA/W NO / NC 3 VA/W / SPDT	40 VA/W NO / NC 3 VA/W / SPDT	40 VA/W NO / NC 3 VA/W / SPDT
Option	High temp. version, temperature sensor	On request	High temperature version
Approval	ATEX approval	Shipbuilding approval	ATEX approval
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#### Multi Level Switches with Ex-Approval







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Type UNS-	2000	2000-S	2100-Ex
Mounting Position	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom	Through top Through bottom
Stem Material	Brass Stainless Steel 1.4571	Stainless Steel 1.4571	Stainless Steel 1.4571
Mounting Element	Flange and thread	Flange and thread	Flange and thread
Float	BN30, Ø = 30 mm VA52, Ø = 52 mm	BN30, Ø = 30 mm VA52, Ø = 52 mm VA80, Ø = 80 mm	VX44, Ø = 44 mm VX52, Ø = 52 mm VX80, Ø = 80 mm
Float Material	Buna N = BN Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA	Stainl. Steel 1.4571 = VA
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity (g/cm³)	BN30: 0,60 VA52: 0,78	BN30: 0,60 VA52: 0,78 VA80: 0,54	VX44: 0,84 VX52: 0,78 VX80: 0,54
Max. Pressure (bar)	15 40	BN30: 15, VA52: 40 VA80: 17	VX44: 15; VX52: 40 VX80: 17
Max. Temperature	80/100 °C = Buna N 105/150 °C = Stainl. Steel	80/100 °C = Buna N 150 °C = StainI. Steel	T4T6 +85 °C+120 °C
Contact Mode	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT	NO / NC SPDT
Contact Rating	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT	100 VA/W NO / NC 60 VA/W / SPDT
Option	High temp. version, temp. sensor and switch	On request	acc. ATEX approval (see page 4)
Approval	ATEX approval	Shipbuilding approval	ATEX approval
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## Type UNS-MS1/8-BN25

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	:	MS 1/8 = Brass G1/8 MS 1/8 NPT = Brass 1/8" NPT
Float	:	BN 25 = Buna N, Ø = 25 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	:	15 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	:	-20 °C+100 °C, (Oil) -20 °C+80 °C, (Water)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	:	0,57 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	:	vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	:	IP54
Electrical Connection	:	PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m / 3 m / 5 m length
Contact Mode	:	1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	:	NO / NC: 230 V AC / DC 2 A, 40 VA / W SPDT: 150 V AC / 100 V DC 0,2 A, 3 VA / W
Weight	:	appr. 40 g
Approval	:	ATEX on request
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The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.

#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-MS1/8-K1-BN25/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-464
UNS-MS1/8-K3-BN25/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 3 m	0111-465
UNS-MS1/8-K5-BN25/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 5 m	0111-466
UNS-MS1/8-K1-BN25/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-467
UNS-MS1/8-K3-BN25/3	SPDT	PVC / 3 m	0111-468
UNS-MS1/8-K5-BN25/3	SPDT	PVC / 5 m	0111-469



#### Colour Code



#### Level Switches made of Brass or Stainless Steel with G1/8 - Mounting Thread

## Type UNS-VA1/8 VA27 (-HT)

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	: VA 1/8 = W.Nr. 1.4571, G1/8	
Float	: VA 27 = W.Nr. 1.4571, ø 27 mm	n
Max. Operating Pressure	: 15 bar (Float / +20 °C)	
Max. Operating Temperature	: -10 °C+105 °C, PVC-Cable -40 °C+150 °C, Silicone cable (-HT)	
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,71 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Mounting Position	: vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom	
Protection Class	: IP54	
Electrical Connection	: PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> Silicone cable (-HT), max. 3 x 0,5 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m / 3 m / 5 m length	
Contact Mode	: 1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch	
Max. Contact Rating	: NO / NC: 230 V AC / DC 2 A, 40 VA / W SPDT: 150 V AC / 100 V DC 0,2 A, 3 VA / W	
Weight	: appr. 90 g	
Approval	: ATEX and shipbuilding on requ	est

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#### **Order Numbers**

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o chanç	Туре	Contact Mode	Cable Type/Length	Order Number
Specifications are subject to	UNS-VA1/8-K1-VA27/1(2) UNS-VA1/8-K3-VA27/1(2) UNS-VA1/8-K3-VA27/1(2) UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/3 UNS-VA1/8-K3-VA27/3 UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/3 UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/1(2)-HT UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/1(2)-HT UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/1(2)-HT UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/3-HT UNS-VA1/8-K3-VA27/3-HT UNS-VA1/8-K5-VA27/3-HT	NO (NC) NO (NC) NO (NC) SPDT SPDT SPDT NO (NC) NO (NC) NO (NC) SPDT SPDT SPDT	PVC / 1 m PVC / 3 m PVC / 5 m PVC / 5 m PVC / 3 m PVC / 5 m Silicone / 1 m Silicone / 3 m Silicone / 1 m Silicone / 3 m Silicone / 3 m	0111-449 0111-450 0111-451 0111-453 0111-453 0111-454 0111-455 0111-455 0111-456 0111-457 0111-458 0111-459 0111-460



## Type UNS-MS1/4-BN30

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	: MS 1/4 = Brass G1/4
Float	: BN 30 = Buna N, Ø = 30 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	: 15 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	e : -20 °C+100 °C, (Oil) -20 °C+80 °C, (Water)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,60 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	: vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	: IP54
Electrical Connection	: PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m / 3 m / 5 m length
Contact Mode	: 1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	: NO / NC: 250 V AC / DC 3 A, 100 VA / W SPDT: 140 V AC / DC 1 A, 60 VA / W
Weight	: appr. 150 g
Approval	: ATEX on request

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#### **Order Numbers**

ТТуре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-MS1/4-K1-BN30/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-470
UNS-MS1/4-K3-BN30/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 3 m	0111-471
UNS-MS1/4-K5-BN30/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 5 m	0111-472
UNS-MS1/4-K1-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-473
UNS-MS1/4-K3-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 3 m	0111-474
UNS-MS1/4-K5-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 5 m	0111-475



#### Dimensions (in mm)



\* Switchpoint and immersion depth at density 1 = 20 mm ±2 mm

#### Colour Code



## Type UNS-VA1/4 VA52 (-HT)

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	: VA 1/4 = W.Nr. 1.4571, G1/4
Float	: VA 52 = W.Nr. 1.4571, ø 52 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	: 40 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	: -10 °C+105 °C, PVC-Cable -40 °C+150 °C, Silicone cable (-HT)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,78 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	: vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	: IP54
Electrical Connection	: PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> Silicone cable (-HT), max. 3 x 0,5 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m / 3 m / 5 m length
Contact Mode	: 1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	: 1 - 250 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 100 VA/ 2 - 250 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 100 VA/ 3 - 140 V AC/DC / 1,0 A / 60 VA/W
Weight	: appr. 150 g
Approval	: ATEX on request

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#### **Order Numbers**

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Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-VA1/4-K1-VA52/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-482
UNS-VA1/4-K3-VA52/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 3 m	0111-483
UNS-VA1/4-K5-VA52/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 5 m	0111-484
UNS-VA1/4-K1-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-485
UNS-VA1/4-K3-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 3 m	0111-486
UNS-VA1/4-K5-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 5 m	0111-487
UNS-VA1/4-K1-VA52/1(2)-HT	NO (NC)	Silikon / 1 m	0111-488
UNS-VA1/4-K3-VA52/1(2)-HT	NO (NC)	Silikon / 3 m	0111-489
UNS-VA1/4-K5-VA52/1(2)-HT	NO (NC)	Silikon / 5 m	0111-490
UNS-VA1/4-K1-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 1 m	0111-491
UNS-VA1/4-K3-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 3 m	0111-492
UNS-VA1/4-K5-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 5 m	0111-493



## Type UNS-MS3/8-BN30

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	:	MS 3/8 = Brass G3/8
Float	:	BN 30 = Buna N, Ø = 30 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	:	15 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	:	-20 °C+100 °C, (Oil) -20 °C+80 °C, (Water)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	:	0,60 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	:	vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	:	IP54
Electrical Connection	:	PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m / 3 m / 5 m length
Contact Mode	:	1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	:	NO / NC: 250 V AC / DC 3 A, 100 VA / W SPDT: 140 V AC / DC 1 A, 60 VA / W
Weight	:	appr. 250 g
Approval	:	ATEX on request

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Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-MS3/8-K1-BN30/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-476
UNS-MS3/8-K3-BN30/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 3 m	0111-477
UNS-MS3/8-K5-BN30/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 5 m	0111-478
UNS-MS3/8-K1-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-479
UNS-MS3/8-K3-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 3 m	0111-480
UNS-MS3/8-K5-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 5 m	0111-481

# Dimensions (in mm)



\* Switchpoint and immersion depth at density 1 = 20 mm ±2 mm

#### Colour Code



# Level Switches made of Stainless Steel with G3/8 - Mounting Thread

## Type UNS-VA3/8 VA52 (-HT)

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	:	VA 3/8 = W.Nr. 1.4571, G3/8
Float	:	VA 52 = W.Nr. 1.4571, ø 52 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	:	40 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	:	-10 °C+105 °C, PVC-Cable -40 °C+150 °C, Silicone cable (-HT)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	:	0,78 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	:	vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	:	IP54
Electrical Connection	:	PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> Silicone cable (-HT), max. 3 x 0,5 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m / 3 m / 5 m length
Contact Mode	:	1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	:	NO / NC: 250 V AC / DC 3 A, 100 VA / W SPDT: 140 V AC / DC 1 A, 60 VA / W
Weight	:	appr. 250 g
Approval	:	ATEX and shipbuilding on request

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By turning the float upside down the function of the switch contact can be changed from NO (standard) in NC or vice versa. (Not possible with SPDT contacts)

The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.

#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-VA3/8-K1-VA52/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-494
UNS-VA3/8-K3-VA52/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 3 m	0111-495
UNS-VA3/8-K5-VA52/1(2)	NO (NC)	PVC / 5 m	0111-496
UNS-VA3/8-K1-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-497
UNS-VA3/8-K3-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 3 m	0111-498
UNS-VA3/8-K5-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 5 m	0111-499
UNS-VA3/8-K1-VA52/1(2)-HT	NO (NC)	Silikon / 1 m	0111-500
UNS-VA3/8-K3-VA52/1(2)-HT	NO (NC)	Silikon / 3 m	0111-501
UNS-VA3/8-K5-VA52/1(2)-HT	NO (NC)	Silikon / 5 m	0111-502
UNS-VA3/8-K1-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 1 m	0111-503
UNS-VA3/8-K3-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 3 m	0111-504
UNS-VA3/8-K5-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 5 m	0111-505



# Level Switches made of Brass with G3/8 - Mounting Thread and angled 90°

## Type UNS90-MS3/8-BN30

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	: MS 3/8 = Brass, G3/8/Lb = 75 ± 5 mm
Float	: BN 30 = Buna N, Ø = 30 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	: 15 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	: -20 °C+100 °C, (Oil) -20 °C+80 °C, (Water)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,60 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	: vertical, ±30°, side mounted
Protection Class	: IP65
Electrical Connection	: PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m length
Contact Mode	<ul><li>: 1 - SPST-switch (NO)</li><li>2 - SPST-switch (NC)</li><li>3 - SPDT-switch</li></ul>
Max. Contact Rating	: 1 - 250 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 100 VA/W 2 - 250 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 100 VA/W 3 - 140 V AC/DC / 1,0 A / 60 VA/W
Weight	: appr. 250 g
Special Design	: also available as UNS-S-MS with shipbuilding approval

The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.





#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS90-MS3/8-BN30/1	NO	PVC / 1 m	0111-517
UNS90-MS3/8-BN30/2	NC	PVC / 1 m	0111-518
UNS90-MS3/8-BN30/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-519

#### **Colour Code**

L0 = 120



# Level Switches made of Stainless Steel with G3/8 - Mounting Thread and angled 90°

## Type UNS90-VA3/8 VA52 (-HT)

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	:	VA 3/8 = W.Nr. 1.4571, G3/8/Lb = 75 ± 5 mm
Float	:	VA 52 = W.Nr. 1.4571, ø 52 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	:	40 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	:	-10 °C+105 °C, PVC-Cable -40 °C+150 °C, Silicone cable (-HT)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	:	0,78 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	:	vertical, ±30°, side mounted
Protection Class	:	IP54
Electrical Connection	:	PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> Silicone cable (-HT), max. 3 x 0,5 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m length
Contact Mode	:	1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	:	1 - 250 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 100 VA/W 2 - 250 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 100 VA/W 3 - 140 V AC/DC / 1,0 A / 60 VA/W
Weight	:	appr. 250 g
Special Design	:	also available as UNS-S-MS with shipbuilding approval

The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.

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#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS90-VA3/8-VA52/1	NO	PVC / 1 m	0111-346
UNS90-VA3/8-VA52/2	NC	PVC / 1 m	0111-407
UNS90-VA3/8-VA52/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-117
UNS90-VA3/8-VA52/1-HT	NO	Silikon / 1 m	0111-520
UNS90-VA3/8-VA52/2-HT	NC	Silikon / 1 m	0111-521
UNS90-VA3/8-VA52/3-HT	SPDT	Silikon / 1 m	0111-522



## Type UNS-VA/SB4 Bilge Guard

#### **Technical Data**

Materials:	
Stem, Bracket	· Ctaiplaga Staal
and Float Chamber Float	: Stainless Steel : PF
Cable	: Polymer, halogen-free, UL-V0
Cap Nut	: PA
Max. Operating Pressure	: 3 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	e : -20 °C+70 °C
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,80 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Immersion Depth	
at Density 1	: 28 ±2 mm L1 ~18 mm
at Density 0,8	:35 ±2 mm L1 ~11 mm
Mounting Position	: Vertical ±15°
Protection Class	: IP67
Electrical Connection	: Polymer-cable, 2 x 0,75 mm <sup>2</sup>
Cable Length	: 2 m / 5 m / 10 m / 15 m
Contact Mode	: SPST-switch (NO) (marking at bottom) By turning the float upside down: SPST-switch (NC) (marking at top)
Contact Rating	: max. 230 V AC / DC max. 2,0 A max. 40 VA / W
Weight	: appr. 175 g
Approvals	: GL / DNV / BV ATEX on request

The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.

#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-VA/SB4 Bilge Guard	NC (NO) NC (NO) NC (NO) NC (NO)	Polymere / 2 m Polymere / 5 m Polymere / 10 m Polymere / 15 m	0111-509 0111-529 0111-524 0111-528



#### **Bilge Level Switches with Shipbuilding Approval** with test function

## Type UNS-VA/SB5 Bilge Guard

#### **Technical Data**

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12	Max. Operating Pressure	: 3 bar (Float / +20 °C)
	Max. Operating Temperature	∋ : -20 °C+70 °C
	Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,80 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
	Immersion Depth at Density 1 at Density 0,8	: 28 ±2 mm L1 ~18 mm : 35 ±2 mm L1 ~11 mm
	Mounting Position	: Vertical ±15°
	Protection Class	: IP67
	Electrical Connection	: Polymer-cable, 2 x 0,75 mm <sup>2</sup>
	Cable Length	: 2 m / 10 m / 15 m
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	Contact Rating	: max. 230 V AC / DC max. 2,0 A max. 40 VA / W
	Weight	: appr. 180 g
	Approvals	: GL / DNV / BV ATEX on request

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### **Order Numbers**

Type	Contact	Cable	Order
Mode		Type/Length	Number
UNS-VA/SB5 Bilge Guard plus	NC (NO) NC (NO) NC (NO)	Polymere / 2 m Polymere / 10 m Polymere / 15 m	0111-510 0111-531 0111-534

The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.



## Type UNS-PVC1/8-PVC25

## Type UNS-PVG3/8-PVG25

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread		PVC1/8 = PVC-hard, G1/8 PVC3/8 = PVC-hard, G3/8
Float	:	PVC25 = PVC-hard, Ø 25 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	:	3 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	:	-10 °C+65 °C
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	:	0,70 g/cm³
Mounting Position		vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	:	IP54
Electrical Connection	:	PVC-cable, max.3 x 0,25 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m length (without locknut)
Contact Mode		1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	-	NO / NC: 48 V AC / DC 0,5 A, 10 VA / W SPDT: 48 V AC / DC 0,3 A, 3 VA / W
Weight	:	appr. 35 g

**Dimensions** (in mm)



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#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-PVC1/8-PVC25/1	NO	PVC / 1 m	0111-196
UNS-PVC1/8-PVC25/2	NC	PVC / 1 m	0111-425
UNS-PVC1/8-PVC25/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-197
UNS-PVC3/8-PVC25/1	NO	PVC / 1 m	0111-198
UNS-PVC3/8-PVC25/2	NC	PVC / 1 m	0111-426
UNS-PVC3/8-PVC25/3	SPDT	PVC / 1 m	0111-427
PVC-Mutter G1/8 PVC-Mutter G3/8			901-0524 901-0525



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## Type UNS-PTFE1/4-PTFE55

#### **Technical Data**

Stem and Mounting Thread	: PTFE1/4 = Teflon, G1/4
Float	: PTFE55 = Teflon, $\emptyset$ = 55 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	: 3 bar (Float / +20 °C)
Max. Operating Temperature	∋:-30 °C+150 °C, PTFE
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 1,0 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	: vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom
Protection Class	: IP54
Electrical Connection	: Silicone-cable, max.3 x 0,5 mm <sup>2</sup> 1 m length (without locknut)
Contact Mode	: 1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Max. Contact Rating	: NO / NC: 250 V AC / DC 3,0 A, 100 VA / W SPDT: 140 V AC / DC 1,0 A, 60 VA / W
Weight	: appr. 135 g

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The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for a level switch mounted through the top.

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#### Order Numbers

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-PTFE1/4-PTFE55/1	NO	Silicone / 1 m	0111-376
UNS-PTFE1/4-PTFE55/2	NC	Silichone / 1 m	
UNS-PTFE1/4-PTFE55/3	SPDT	Silicone / 1 m	



# Level Switch made of Polyamide for Side Mounting

## Type UNS-PA16-PA18 UNS-PA1/2"NPT-PA18 UNS-PA16-PA18-MS-A

#### **Technical Data**

Float and Fitting	: Polyamide 6.6 (colour: blue)
Gasket	: Silicone (at M 16 x 2.0 AG)
Mounting Element	: PA16 = Polyamide, M 16 x 2.0 AG (Mounting thread) PA1/2" NPT = Polyamide, 1/2" NPT Thread PA16-MS-A = G1/2-Thread-adapter
Float	: PA18 = Polyamide, ø = 18 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	: 5 bar (depends on temperature)
Max. Operating Temperatur	re: -20 °C+120 °C (Medium) -20 °C+60 °C (Ambient)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,70 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	: Horizontal
Protection Class	: IP54
Electrical Connection	: PVC-cable, max. 2 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> , 1 m length
Contact Mode	: 1 - SPST-switch (NO) (Marking on top / arrow down) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) (Marking on bottom / arrow up)
Contact Rating	: 230 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 60 VA/W
Weight	: appr. 40 g
Max. Starting Torque	: 2,67 Nm Only UNS-PA16-PA18

Dimensions (in mm)







**Order Numbers** 

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-PA16/PA18	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-199
UNS-PA1/2"NPT-PA18	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-203
UNS-PA16-PA18-MS-A	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-326

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# Level Switch made of Polypropylene for Side Mounting

## Type UNS-PP16-PP18

## Type UNS-PP1/2"NPT-PP18

#### **Technical Data**

Float and Fitting	:	Polypropylene (colour: red)
Gasket	:	Silicone (at M 16 x 2.0 AG)
Mounting Element	:	PP16 = Polypropylene, M 16 x 2.0 AG, (Mounting thread) PP1/2" NPT = Polypropylene, 1/2" NPT Thread
Float	:	PP18 = Polypropylene, ø = 18 mm
Max. Operating Pressure	:	5 bar (depends on temperature)
Max. Operating Temperatur	e:	-20 °C+90 °C (Medium) -20 °C+60 °C (Ambient)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	:	0,65 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	:	Horizontal
Protection Class	:	IP54
Electrical Connection	:	PVC-cable, max. 2 x 0,34 mm <sup>2</sup> , 1 m length
Contact Mode	:	1 - SPST-switch (NO) (Marking on top / arrow down) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) (Marking on bottom / arrow up)
Contact Rating	:	230 V AC/DC / 3,0 A / 60 VA/W
Weight	:	appr. 40 g
Max. Starting Torque	:	2,67 Nm Only UNS-PP16-PP18

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#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact	Cable	Order
	Mode	Type/Length	Number
UNS-PP16/PP18	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-210
UNS-PP1/2"NPT-PP18	NO (NC)	PVC / 1 m	0111-327



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#### Function

The multi Level Switch Series UNS-1000 can be supplied with up to 5 switchpoints (see max. switchpoints). Besides the float operated reed contacts to detect liquid levels, the UNS-1000 can be supplied also with a PT100 temperature sensor (PT100 = switchpoint).

A wide selection of mounting elements, electrical connections, various materials and options allow you to "design" your own switch, within the given dimension limits, for your particular application.(see "Variations")

The min. dimensions are based upon the medium water. Depending on the density of other fluids this dimension can vary several millimetres.

The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for installation through the top or through the bottom (when specified as "-U"). When not specified otherwise we will set the switch position for density 1 (water) and the switch action to be on moving upward.

Temperature sensor PT100 = dimension B + 10 mm

#### **Switchpoint Dimensions**

Dimensions	Min. distances in mm					
	AF	Α <sub>T</sub>	AD	В	С	D
Float type						
VA27	26	42	38	40	65	32
BN25		37	34	25	45	32

When using -DR: Dimension B + 20 mm!

#### Max. Switchpoints

	KL6	KL12	ST1	ST2	Pg Cable-
					connect.
Connect. group 1	5	5	2	5	3
Connect. group 2	2	4	1	2	1
Connect. group 3	3	4	1	3	2
Connect. group 4	2	3	1	2	1

#### Variations

Material	Mounting	Electr. connect.	Float	Switch- points		
VA	T1 FL2 FL3	ST1 ST2 KL6 KL12 Pg K	VA27	See max. switch- points		
	G3/8	Pg K				
Ms	T1	ST1 ST2 KL6 KL12 Pg K	BN25	See max. switch- points		
	G3/8	Pg K				

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#### **Technical Data**

Max. Operating Pressure	: 15 bar, BN- and VA-float	Group 1 SPST Terminal	Group 2 SPDT Terminal
Max. Temperature Range	: -10 °C+105 °C, PVC-cable -40 °C+150 °C, Silicone cab. (-HT) and KL6 with 5 terminals max.	L5 white 1 pink 6 L4 grey 5	white 1 black 9 L4 red 8 white 1 black 9 red 7
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	/ : See specifications below	yellow 4	L3 pink 6
Mounting Position	: Vertical, ±30°, through top or bottom	L1 green 3	L2 uplique 1
Protection Class	: IP65 for ST-, KL- and PG-design IP67, IP68 on request IP54 for K-design	Jown 2	yellow 4 L1 green 3 brown 2
Weight	: Depends on length and design	Group 3 SPST Terminal	Group 4 SPDT Terminal
Special Design	<ul> <li>Damping Tube - DR</li> <li>High Temperature Application (up to +150 °C) - HT</li> <li>Mounting through bottom - U</li> <li>PT100-Element - PT100</li> <li>Vertical Adjustment (s. also P20)</li> <li>ATEX-approval EEX ia</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>▲ L4 red 8</li> <li>blue 7</li> <li>▶ L3 grey 5</li> <li>▶ L2 green 3</li> <li>▶ L1 brown 2</li> <li>₩ hite 1</li> </ul>	black 9 red 8 blue 7 pink 6 L2 grey 5 yellow 4 green 3 L1 brown 2 white 1

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#### UNS-1000 - VA/T1 - KL6 - VA27 - L2/2.1 - U - HT - DR - VV - PT100 - Exi

္မ UNS-	1000 - V/	4∕T1 - K	L6 - V/	A27 - L	2/2.1	- U -	HT - DF	R - VV - PT10	00 - Exi				
Switch							Options, p	lease specify w	hen needed				
Barksdale Level Switches							<b>Contact M</b> 1 - SPST ( 2 - SPST ( 3 - SPDT	NO) 230 V NC) 230 V	Contact Rating V AC / DC, 2 A, 40 VA / V V AC / DC, 2 A, 40 VA / V V AC / DC, 2 A, 40 VA / V V AC / 100 V DC, 0,2 A, 3	V V	e <b>r: L1, L2, L</b> (ATEX see		
Bark							Total Leng	<b>Jth</b> L0 = mm (	(max. 1000 mm)				
ш							Specify w	ith your order: L	.1 = mm, L2 = mm	n, etc.			
							Number o L1 = 1 Swi L2 = 2 Swi L3 = 3 Swi L4 = 4 Swi L5 = 5 Swi	tchpoints tchpoints tchpoints	See also "Connectio "Max. Switchpoints"				
aj							Float	min. Density	Material	Form	Dia-	max.	Pressure
without notic							<b>type</b> BN25 VA27 VA44* * Option	<b>Medium</b> 0,57 g/cm <sup>3</sup> 0,61 g/cm <sup>3</sup> 0,67 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (Others on req	Buna N Stainl. St. W.Nr. 1.4571 Stainl. St. W.Nr. 1.4571 uest)		<b>meter</b> 25 mm 27 mm 44 mm	<b>Temp.</b> 100 °C 150 °C 150 °C	( <b>+20 °C)</b> 15 bar 15 bar 15 bar
Specifications are subject to changes without notice							Electrical ST1 ST2 STDB KL6 KL12 PG7 K	<ul> <li>Angle Plug DIN</li> <li>Angle Plug with</li> <li>Aluminum Term</li> <li>Aluminum Term</li> <li>PG7-Cable Gla</li> </ul>	43650, 3-pin + Earth I 43651, 6-pin + Earth I LED-Display DIN 4365 inal Box, 6 Terminals inal Box, 9 Terminals nd with 1 m PVC-cable, Ied, specify length at orc ist)	-HT with s	ilicone cable		
Specification							Mounting 1/8 3/8 T1 T1½ T2* FL2 FL3 * Option	- G1/8 mounting - G3/8 mounting - G1 Tank screw - G1½ Tank scree - G2 Tank screw - Flange DIN 252	thread : only with cable thread : only with -PG 7 (not with VA44 float) w (not with VA44 float) 27, DN 32/PN 16 27, DN 50/PN 16 set)				
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	I						VA MS	- SS316 Ti 1.457 - Brass, W. Nr. M					
Level S	witches Typ	e UNS-100	0										

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#### Abmessungen (in mm)



#### Min. Distances (in mm)

Dimensions	Type A				Туре В		Type C			Type D		
Float type	Α	В	С	А	В	С	А	В	С	А	В	С
VA27	42	40	65	26	40	65	26	60	65	42	60	65
BN25	37	25	45	21	25	45	21	45	45	37	45	45



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**Technical Data** 

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The multi Level Switch Series UNS-1000-S is available for shipbuilding with certain limitations in order to comply with shock, vibration and environment requirements.

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The approvals have listed four different versions based upon the maximum total length L0 and the different floats, these are:

- A) Type A: L0 = max 500 mm
- B) Type B: L0 = max 500 mm
- C) Type C: L0 = max 1000 mm,
- all floats, with bracket(s) at max. 500 mm spacing D) Type D: L0 = max 1000 mm with slosh tube and brackets at max. 500 mm spacing

A wide selection of mounting elements, electrical connections and options allow you to "design" your own switch, within the given dimension limits, for your particular application.

Beside the standard SS 316 Ti / 1.4571 we can supply flanges in normal steel. Shipping and installation of switches with large flanges can be difficult and therefore a version with a 1" mounting plug to be installed on site in a flange with a 1" hole might be the answer, consult us for details.

For technical data, switch and operation limits of the UNS 1000-S series are as the standard version.



Group 1 SPST	Terminal	Group 2 SPDT	Terminal
whit	e 1	whit	e 1
L5 pink	6	blac	k 9
14 '		L4 red	8
L3 grey		L3 blue	
L2 yello		pink	
L1 gree	en 3	L2 grey	y 5
brov	vn 2	• vello	
		gree	en 3
		• brow	vn 2
Group 3 SPST	Terminal	Group 4 SPDT	Terminal
		s black	<b>x</b> 9
∖° red	8	red	8
biue	7	L3 blue	7
V <sup>L3</sup> pink	6		
Service Street	-	pink 🗨	6
	5	grey	5
VL2 yellov	v 4	L2 grey yello	5 w 4
greer	w 4 n 3	L2 grey gree	5 w 4 n 3
A 12 - 2	w 4 n 3 n 2	L2 grey yello	5 w 4 n 3 m 2

#### Specifications for Multi Level Switches Type UNS-1000-S

UNS-1000-S - VA/T2/1 - KLS1 - VA27 - L2/2.1-**Contact Rating** Contact Mode Order: L1, L2, L3, L4, L5 230 V AC/DC, 2 A, 40 VAW 230 V AC/DC, 2 A, 40 VAW 1 - SPST (NO) 2 - SPST (NC) 3 - SPDT 150 V AC / 100 V DC, 0,2 A, 3 VA/W Total Length L0 = . . . mm (max. 1000 mm) Specify with your order: L1 = . . . mm, L2 = . . . mm, etc. Number of Switchpoints L1 = 1 Switchpoint L2 = 2 Switchpoints L3 = 3 Switchpoints L4 = 4 Switchpoints L5 = 5 Switchpoints Float min. Density Material Form Diameter Pressure max. Medium (+20 °C) Туре Temp. **BN25** 15 bar 0,57 g/cm3 Buna N Cylinder 25 mm 100 °C Stainl. St. W.Nr. 1.4571 VA27 0,71 g/cm3 Cylinder 27 mm 150 °C 15 bar VA44 Stainl. St. W.Nr. 1.4571 Ball 150 °C 0,67 g/cm3 44 mm 15 bar <sup>•</sup> Option **Electrical Connection** KLS1 - Aluminum Terminal Box, 6 Terminals - Aluminum Terminal Box, 9 Terminals KLS2 - Cable with Shipbuilding Approvals KS Mounting Element Tank screw (not with VA44 float) Τ1 FI 3 - Flange DIN 2527, DN 32/PN 16 - Flange DIN 2527, DN 50/PN 16 FI 4 (Other flanges and mounting threads available on request) Material of Stem and Mounting Element - Stainless Steel, W. Nr. 1.4571, 1.4408 VA Level Switches Type UNS-1000-S

## Float Chamber Design Type UNS-1000-G

#### Function

The Float chamber UNS-1000-G consists of a float switch type UNS 1000 with one switch point built into a float chamber made entirely of stainless steel which can be side-mounted on all tanks. This kind of installation allows easy operation control service performance without interrupting the operation of the unit if the supply piping is provided with shutoff and drain valves.

#### Application

This float chamber is mainly used for  $\tan(\Re^{\otimes 0})$  where a subsequent installation through the top is impossible. Also mixing containers with oscillating liquid surfaces can be controlled without problems.

#### **Technical Data**

Materials Chamber Level Switch Terminal Box	: Stainless Steel (W. Nr. 1.4408) : Stainless Steel : Aluminum
Max. Pressure	: 15 bar (at -10 °C+90 °C)
Max. Temperature Range	: -40 °C+150 °C (on request)
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: 0,71 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Mounting Position	: Side mounted at tank, vertically, $\pm 30^\circ$
Protection Class	: IP65
Electrical Connection	: KL-terminal box
Contact Mode	: 1 - SPST-switch (NO) 2 - SPST-switch (NC) 3 - SPDT-switch
Contact Rating NO / NC SPDT	: 230 V AC / DC, 2 A, 40 VA / W : 150 V AC / 100 V DC, 0,2 A, 3 VA / W
Weight	: appr. 800 g
Zulassung	: ATEX on request

By turning the float upside down the function of the switch contact can be changed from NO (standard) in NC or vice versa.

#### Installation Instructions

For maintenance purpose the installation should be in the way that the terminal box or the PG coupling are always on the top.

#### **Order Numbers**

Туре	Contact Mode	Order Number									
UNS-1000-G-VA27/1	NO	0112-461									
UNS-1000-G-VA27/2	NC	0112-462									
UNS-1000-G-VA27/3	SPDT	0112-463									
	1	1									



\* Switchpoint and immersion depth at density 1 = 21 mm ±2 mm

#### **Colour Code**

**Dimensions** (in mm)



## Multi Level Switches Type UNS-1000

#### Vertical Adjustments -VV

The UNS 1000 Level Switches can be supplied with a vertical Adjustment.

By unscrewing the sleeve (Hex 17) nut, only 1 turn, the whole stem with all floats and contacts can be moved up or down, at any time after installation, within the LX dimension

The maximum pressure for the -VV version is 5 bar regardless if the float would allow a higher pressure.

This -VV option can only be supplied with Flanges ( -FL) or Plug ( -T).

HT-version: witht silicone cable only, KL6 or KL12 PT100: PT100 = Switchpointt (note max. switchpoints) Dimension B +10 mm when using PT100



## Slosh Tube -DR

Splash or stilling chamber tubes are useful to:

- protect the floats against other floating objects,
- protect the unit against rough handling,
- dampen oscillating fluid and float movements.

A groove in the mounting plug or flange centres the top of the tube, an end cap or disc with internal hexagon screws holds the bottom of the tube.

Depending on the length of the tube spacer(s) along the stem centres the stem within the tube to ensure unobstructed float movements.

Holes in the top of the tube are sized according to the application to optimize the dampening effect.



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## Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2000



#### **Function**

The multi Level Switch Series UNS 2000 can be supplied with up to 6 switchpoints (see max. switchpoints). Besides the float operated reed contacts to detect liquid levels, the UNS 2000 can be supplied also with a temperature sensor and/ or temperature contact(s), which are to handle as switchpoint(s) - please note max. switchpoints! A wide selection of mounting elements, electrical connections, various materials and options allow you to "design" your own switch, within the given dimension limits, for your particular application. Very long units or large flanges can cause high shipping and installation costs and "split" versions might be the answer. Consult us for the best combination.

The min. dimensions are based upon the medium water. Depending on the density of other fluids this dimension can vary several millimetres. The contact modes (NO or NC) are defined on the basis of an empty tank and for installation through the top or through the bottom (when specified as "-U"). When not specified otherwise we will set the switch position for density 1 (water) and the switch action to be on moving upward. Temperature sensor (PT100) and/ or the temperature switch, a Bi-metall hermetically sealed element, are installed only in the bottom of the stem. That means: Dimensions B + 10 mm with temperature sensor PT100) Dimensions B + 40 mm temperature switch (TP)

#### **Switchpoint Dimensions**

Dimensions	Min. distances in mm								
	AF	AT	AD	В	С	D			
Float type									
VA52	32	52	44	55	85	55			
BN30		60	52	39	77	55			

When using -DR: Dimension B + 20 mm!

#### Max. Switchpoints

	KL6	KL12	ST1	ST2	Pg Cable-
					connect.
Connect. group 1	5	6	2	5	6
Connect. group 2	2	4	1	2	4
Connect. group 3	3	4	1	3	4
Connect. group 4	2	3	1	2	3

#### Variations

Material	Mounting	Electr. connect.	Float	Switch- points
VA	T2 FL3 FL4 FL5	ST1 ST2 KL6 KL12 Pg K	VA52	See max. switch- points
	G3/8	Pg K		
Ms	Τ2	ST1 ST2 KL6 KL12 Pg K	BN30	See max. switch- points
	G3/8	Pg K		

**Contact Wiring and Colour Code** 

## Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2000

#### **Technical Data**

Max. Operating Pressure Max. Temperature Range	: 40 bar, depends on mounting element and float : -10 °C+105 °C, PVC-cable -40 °C+150 °C, Silicone cab. (-HT) and KL6 / KL12	Group 1 SPST Terminal white 1 L6 blue 7 L5 pink 6	Group 2 SPDT Terminal white 1 black 9 <u>L4</u> red 8 blue 7
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity Mounting Position		L3 yellow 4 L2 green 3	L2 yellow 4
Protection Class	: IP65 for ST-, KL- and PG-design IP67, IP68 on request IP54 for K-design	L1 brown 2	L1 green 3
Weight	: Depends on length and design	Group 3 SPST Terminal	Group 4 SPDT Terminal
Special Design	<ul> <li>Damping Tube - DR</li> <li>High Temperature Application (up to +150 °C) - HT</li> <li>Mounting through bottom - U</li> <li>PT100-Element - PT100</li> <li>Temperature switch - TP</li> <li>Vertical Adjustment (s. also P25)</li> <li>ATEX-approval EEx ia</li> </ul>	L4 red 8 blue 7 pink 6 grey 5 yellow 4 green 3 brown 2 white 1	black 9 red 8 blue 7 pink 6 L2 grey 5 yellow 4 green 3 brown 2 white 1

#### Specifications for Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2000

#### - DR - VV - HT - U - PT100 - TP/XX.X - Exi UNS 2000 - VA/T2 - KL6 - VA52 - L2/2.1 Barksdale Level Switches Options, please specify when needed **Option: Temperature Switch** Contact Rating Contact Mode Contact Rating 1 - SPST (NO) - 3A, 12 or 24V DC 250 V AC / DC, 3 A, 100 VA / W 250 V AC / DC, 3 A, 100 VA / W TP 2 - SPST (NC) Х Contact mode 2 3 - SPDT Setpoint at rising 140 V AC / DC. 1 A. 60 VA / W XX temperature in °C Standard +50 °C / +70 °C / +90 °C Others on request Total Length $L0 = \ldots mm$ (up to 3000 mm Standard) Specify with your order: $L1 = \ldots mm$ , $L2 = \ldots mm$ , etc. Number of Switchpoints (max. 6), L = Level, T = Temperature L1 = 1 Switchpoint L4 = 4 Switchpoints See also Connection Groups in table L2 = 2 Switchpoints L5 = 5 Switchpoints "Max. Switchpoints" on left pagee L3 = 3 Switchpoints L6 = 6 Switchpoints Specifications are subject to changes without notice. **Float Type** min. Density Material Form ø max. Temp. max. bar 100 °C (Oil) **BN30** 0,6 g/cm3 Buna N Cylinder 30 mm 15 80 °C (Water) 0,78 g/cm<sup>3</sup> VA52 52 mm 150 °C 40 StainI.St., W.Nr. 1.4571 Ball (Others on request) **Electrical Connection** - Cube Plug DIN 43650, 3-pin + Earth ST1 ST2 - Angle Plug DIN 43651, 6-pin + Earth - Angle Plug with LED-Display DIN 43651, 6-pin + Earth STDB KL6 - Aluminum Terminal Box, 6 Terminals **KL12** - Aluminum Terminal Box, 9 Terminals PG7 - PG7-Cable Gland with 1 m PVC-Cable, -HT with silicone cable - PCV-Cable sealed, specify length at order. -HT with silicone cable Κ (Others on request) Mounting Element 3/8 G3/8 mounting thread : only with -PG Τ1 - G1 Tank screw (not with VA52 float) T2 G2 Tank screw - Flange DIN 2527 DN 65 PN 16 FI 4 (Other flanges and mounting threads available on request) Material of Stem and Mounting Element - SS316 Ti 1.4571, 1.4408 VA MS - Brass, W. Nr. MS58 Level Switches Type UNS-2000

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Dimensions (in mm)



#### Min. Distances (in mm)

Dimensions	Туре А			Туре В		Туре С			Type D			
Float type	А	В	С	Α	В	С	А	В	С	А	В	С
BN30	60	39	77	40	39	77	40	49	77	24	59	87
VA52	52	55	85	32	55	85	32	75	85	16	75	95
VA80	83	55	115	63	55	115	63	75	115	47	75	125

Group 2 SPDT

L4

L3

12

L1

Group 4 SPDT

white

black

red

blue

pink

grey

yellow

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brown

black

red

blue

pink

grey

yellow

green

brown

white

Terminal

1

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Terminal

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Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2000-S

#### **Technical Data**

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The multi Level Switch Series 2000-S is available for shipbuilding with certain limitations in order to comply with shock, vibration and environment requirements.

The approvals have listed four different versions based upon the maximum total length L0 and the different floats, these are:

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- A) Type A: L0 = max 500 mm, all floats
- B) Type B: L0 = max 400 mm, VA-floats only
- C) Type C: L0 = max 1000 mm,
- all floats, with bracket(s) at max. 500 mm spacing D) Type D: L0 = max 2000 mm with slosh tube
  - and brackets at max. 1000 mm spacing

A wide selection of mounting elements, electrical connections and options allow you to "design" your own switch, within the given dimension limits, for your particular application.

Beside the standard SS 316 Ti / 1.4571 we can supply flanges in normal steel. Shipping and installation of switches with large flanges can be difficult and therefore a version with a 2" mounting plug to be installed on site in a flange with a 2" hole might be the answer, consult us for details.

For technical data, switch and operation limits of the UNS-2000-S series are as the standard version.

#### Specifications for Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2000-S



#### **Contact Wiring and Colour Code**

Terminal

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Terminal

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Group 1 SPST

L6

L5

L4

L3

L2

L1

Group 3 SPST

L4

13

12

white

blue

pink

grey

yellow

green

brown

red

blue

pink

grey

yellow

green

brown

white

## Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2000

#### **Vertical Adjustments -VV**

The UNS-2000 Level Switches can be supplied with a vertical adjustment.

By unscrewing the sleeve (Hex 24) nut, only one turn, the whole stem with all floats and contacts can be moved up or down, at any time after installation, within the LX dimension.

The maximum pressure for the -VV version is 5 bar regardless when the float would allow a higher pressure.

This -VV option can only be supplied with Flanges (-FL) or Plug (-T). The LX dimension must be specified with the other dimensions L1 etc. upon ordering.

#### Slosh Tube -DR

Slosh or stilling chamber tubes are useful to:

- protect the floats against other floating objects,
- protect the unit against rough handling,
- dampen oscillating fluid and float movements.

Depending on the float size, various tube sizes between 40 mm and 60 mm in stainless steel and brass are available. In most cases the Slosh tube covers the whole unit from mounting plug or flange to the end of the stem.

A groove in the mounting plug or flange resp. a guide pulley will centre the top of the tube, an end cap or disc resp. guide pulley with internal hexagon screws will hold the bottom of the tube. Depending on the length of the tube spacer(s) along the stem will centre the stem within the tube to ensure unobstructed float movements.

Holes in the top of the tube are sized according to the application to optimise the dampening effect.Various tube materials can accommodate almost any application.



Abmessungen (in mm), VV - Vertikalverstellung

# Level Switch Type UNS-2100-Ex with Ex-Approval made of Stainless Steel

## Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2100-Ex



#### **Function**

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The UNS-2100-Ex is designed and approved for applications in hazardous fluids in tanks as listed as Category 1, or in environments containing explosive vapours or gases.

The approval is according to directive 94 / 9 / EG, EEx ia IIC T6 intrinsically safe and may only be used with Zener barriers or other approved device limiting the voltage to 28 V DC and the current to 50 mA.

The temperature limit for environments with explosive gases or vapours is: -40  $^{\circ}C...+75 ^{\circ}C$ , for any flammable liquids in the existence of an explosive gas mixture the temperature limit is for T6: +85  $^{\circ}C$ .

Low temperatures are no problem. Consult us for details.

The UNS-2100-Ex can be supplied with level and temperature contacts as the standard 2000 version. Please specify:

- TP for the different versions
- DR Splash tubing to protect the float(s) is available



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## Contact Wiring and Colour Code





#### Level Switch Type UNS-2100-Ex with Ex-Approval made of Stainless Steel

## Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2100-Ex

#### **Technical Data**

Max. Operating Pressure	: 40 bar, depends on mounting element and float			
Max. Temperature Range	: T6 = +85 °C			
Min. Fluid Specific Gravity	: See specifications (below)			
Mounting Position	: vertical, ±30°			
Protection Class	: IP65 for KX-Design			
Weight	: Depends on length and design			
Special Designs	: - Protection Tube - DR - Mounting from bottom - U - Temperature Switch - TP			
Conformity Certificate	: ISSeP03ATEX119X / È II1GD EEx ia IIC T6 IP6X T 100 °C			

#### **Min. Distances**

Dimensions.	Min. distances in mm						
	Mounting thread			Flange			
Float type	А	В	С	А	В	С	
VX44	52	55	85	32	55	85	
VX52	52	55	85	32	55	85	
VX80	83	55	115	63	55	115	

#### Specifications for Multi Level Switches Type UNS-2100-Ex

#### UNS 2100-Ex - VA/T2 - KX4 - VX52 - L2/2.1



#### Dimensions (in mm)



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