## Product Information

## LC 103 - Level Controller 103

## Tank contents indicator with remaining volume check



## Tank contents measurement up to 9.999 litres

LC 103 is an electronic instrument for indication of tank contents in litres and percentage of tank volume. All common tank shapes are supported. The measurement is done contactless using 40 kHz ultrasonic pulses.
The installation is very easy, the probe module is connected to the LC 103 via a 5 m cable.
LC 103 is maintenance free and highly reliable and supplied with batteries. LC 103 is a direct replacement for the mechanical gauges.

## Features

- Display of remaining empty tank volume
- Precise digital display
- Contact-less measurement
- Long battery lifetime
- Easy installation
- Multiple measurements for best stability

LC 103 evaluates the propagation time of ultra- sonic pulses to detect the fluid level in the tank. Thus mechanical ageing problems cannot arise. All tank forms in common use are supported like cubic, cylindrical tanks, in horizontal or vertical position. From this information the tank contents in litres is calculated, also the average demand per day and the remaining time period based on average demand is derived.

## Applications:

- Heating oil, water tanks, rainwater tanks, waste oil tanks, ...


## LC 103 provides the following values:

- Tank contents in litres up to 9.999 litres
- Tank contents in percent of volume
- Remaining empty tank volume in litres - how many litres can be refuelled
- Distance to the fluid surface in cm
- Average demand in litres/day
- Remaining time period in days based on average demand


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## Technical specification

Dimensions ( $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{w} \mathrm{h}$ ):
Weight:
Housing:
Protection:
Display:
Temperature range:
Power supply:
Battery life time:
$110 \times 85 \times 55 \mathrm{~mm}$
Screw thread: 1.5 inch (6/4") and 2 inch
app. 350 g
colour black, oil resistive
IP 20 as per EN 60529
indoor usage only, in cellars, tank rooms etc.
LC-display $51 \mathrm{~mm} \times 35 \mathrm{~mm}$,
2 lines with 4 digits, 12 and 14 mm high
$-10^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \ldots+45^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
4 alkaline batteries, type AA, 1.5 V
app. 2 years, warning symbol for weak batteries
LC 100 is CE-marked and manufactured conform to ROHS requirements.

## Measurement method:

Principle: $\quad$ Ultra-sonic pulses, 40 kHz , pulse duration: 20 ms
Range:
Uncertainty:
Installation:
$20 \mathrm{~cm} \ldots 250 \mathrm{~cm}$ (distance to the fluid surface) $\pm 1 \mathrm{~cm}$
Screw sensor into the tank thread 1.5 " (6/4") or 2"
Connect housing wire with sensor plug / (plug diameter 10mm)

## Standard mode:

Every 24 hours a measurement is taken, the tank contents in litres and volume percentage will be displayed hereafter.

## Manual measurement mode:

A button press initiates a single measurement, tank content is displayed- afterwards the LC 103 falls back to power saving mode.

## Power saving mode:

Display remains on permanently if the display shut-off function is deactivated.
Permanent display reduce battery lifetime!

## Tank types: Type 1



Order reference:
LC 103 tank contents indicator

Type 2


## Scope of delivery:

LC 103, wall mounting kit, probe module with 5 m connection cable, operating instructions,
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