## A Versatile Checkweighing Solution

Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh®

# We Understand Your Challenges

You spoke. We listened. You need to increase productivity, improve efficiency, minimize downtime and lower operating costs. You want a checkweigher that's accurate, easy to use, easy to clean, easy to maintain and can handle a broad range of applications. And now you have it: the Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh.



Shown at right the Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh model 40-100 400-mm (15.7-in) wide belt, 10 kg capacity with 2,010-mm (79.1-in) overall length and IP-66 option pack.

On the cover Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh model 10-015 model 100-mm (3.9-in) wide belt, 1.5 kg capacity, 610-mm (24-in) overall length



A Versatile Checkweigher to Meet Your Needs

VersaWeigh is a new generation of checkweighers from the global leader in scientific and process instrumentation. We've been in the checkweighing business for more than 50 years, and we've built upon our vast experience and strong legacy (former Ramsey and Icore brands) to bring you a versatile checkweigher under our new product brand, Thermo Scientific.

#### With VersaWeigh, you benefit from:

**Sanitary Design** — Designed for clean in place; flat surfaces avoided to reduce risk of product buildup; minimized footprint; routine sanitation of the system in five minutes or less.

**Ease of Maintenance** — Rapid release conveyors and belts; quick disconnect cabling; DIN-rail mounted networked modular electronic architecture; no tools required for belt replacement or replacement of most electronic modules; most repairs done in less than 30 minutes.



**Durable Design** — Full stainless steel frame, electronics enclosure, and conveyor beds; high-torque sealed brushless DC motors; trouble-free operation with minimal maintenance.

**Accuracy and Reliability** — Better accuracy at faster speeds than previous generation models.

**Ease of Use** — Microsoft® Windows® XP operating system; large, easy-to-read, color touch-screen operation; configurable security access levels.

**Versatility** — the VersaWeigh family covers a broad range of your checkweighing applications from lightweight packages to packs up to 10 kg, with a standard architecture and standard HMI.

**Future-proof Technology** — parts compatibility with all Thermo Scientific checkweighers, general purpose and specialty.

**OEM Integration** — Our modular weigh-engine approach enables integration into larger packaging systems.



## Your Complete Standard Solution



#### **Sanitation**

VersaWeigh's unique trapezoid frame eliminates bacteria traps and provides a hygienic design that is designed for easy sanitization:

- Stainless steel construction of frame, cabinet and conveyor beds with optional stainless steel rollers and loadcell.
- Open frame provides easy access for cleaning.
- Rapid-release belts facilitate tool-less slackening of the conveyor belts for cleaning.
- Rounded tube and cabinet surfaces virtually prohibit any buildup of product that could present a sanitation risk.
- IP-65 rated, with optional IP-66 configuration.



### **Technology**

VersaWeigh uses a fully upgradeable technology platform:

- 10.4-in XGA color touch-screen
- Windows XP based user interface
- Independent weigh-engine improves filtering, stability, control.
- Independent weighing engine uses a powerful Blackfin™ digital signal processor supporting proprietary signal processing algorithms enabling our new Thermo Scientific AutoCalc™ system which eliminates complex setup requirements.
- Networked controller modules utilize latest technology CANbus and Ethernet networks to provide easy module exchange and simple repair.

#### **Performance**

- Accuracy equal to or better than the requirements of European, North American or international standards.
- Exclusive Thermo Scientific DBSVAC™ (Dynamic Broad Spectrum Vibration Analysis and Compensation) eliminates ambient environmental influences to optimize performance
- A new standard of accuracy at line rates surpassing the capabilities of competitive checkweighers.
- Accuracy standards maintained over time and environmental changes thanks to proprietary software, including advanced automatic-zero algorithms.



When maintenance is required, VersaWeigh is designed to return to full production quickly using innovative features such as:

- Powerful brushless DC motors and sealed-for-life bearings which require no routine maintenance.
- Rapid-release mechanical and electrical conveyor attachments which allow conveyors to be removed in a matter of seconds.
- PSC (Parameter Storage Card) permits motor controllers to be changed with no setup or re-programming requirement.
- Networked Modular Electronic Architecture (Thermo Scientific NMEA™) enables virtually
  any electrical or electronic module being able to be replaced without the use of tools.
- Tool-less thumb-screw adjustment of belt tracking, with captive conveyor rollers makes belt adjustment or changing a snap!





#### SmartZone™ Indicator (shown with three-zone configuration)



Shown here is the Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh model 40-100 with optional Thermo Scientific APEX 300 Metal Detector



#### **Other Features**

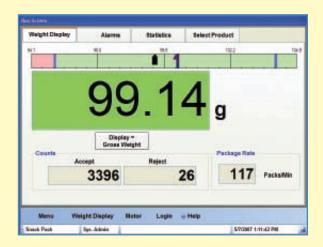
Everything you've come to expect from a checkweigher but in an easier-to-use product! VersaWeigh innovations include:

- Enhanced AutoCalc<sup>™</sup> capability taking the automatic setup introduced in our previous generation products to a whole new level, almost eliminating any need for formal setup training!
- Contextual help screens to guide operation.
- User configurable operator level controlled access for complete security and data integrity.
- Available expanded statistics and graphs provide detailed views of production line performance.
- One hundred standard product memories, expandable, searchable by product or name.
- Thermo Scientific SmartZone<sup>™</sup> display for snapshot product information on the main screen.
- Large, high visibility weight display is supplemented by a bright 'good/bad' or 'go/no-go' indicator; similar to the revolutionary display introduced in the Thermo Scientific EZx™ X-ray inspection product.

#### **Your Complete Expandable Solution**

Building on a foundation of standard features, the Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh offers options to expand capabilities to create application-specific solutions according to your needs. A wide variety of options are individually available, but for convenience common selections are available in groups, including:

- IP-66 option pack
- Electrical option pack
- Power-user option pack
- Pharma option pack
- Reject integrity option pack
- Combo (combination metal detector/checkweigher system) utilizing the Thermo Scientific APEX™ advanced metal detection capabilities.



Standard main weight display screen (shown with three-zone configuration)



# Other Thermo Scientific weighing and inspection products and services

#### **Products**

- X-Ray contaminant detection
- X-Ray product integrity inspection
- Metal detection
- General purpose chain and belt checkweighers
- Specialty canning, pharmaceutical and warehouse checkweighers
- Process monitors (e.g., CO<sub>2</sub> in beverages)

#### **Services**

- Various levels of service support contracts
- On-site/off-site product inspection services
- Start-up, site-survey, commissioning
- Validation, factory acceptance testing
- Capital purchase leasing
- Product testing services

**Place holder for Business Card Slots** 



## **Thermo Scientific VersaWeigh**

General Specifications		
Line Speed	Models up to 3.0 kg (6.61 lb) capacity: Up to 120 m/min (394 ft/min) Models over 3.0 kg (6.61 lb) capacity: Up to 90 m/min (295 ft/min)	
	Accuracy	Systematic error (average error): typically ±0.01% package weight
Display resolution: rounding to 0.1, 0.01, 0.02, 0.05, or 0.005 units Random error: To R51 International Standards, MID European Standards and Handbook-44 US standards or better		
		Actual accuracy may be less or greater depending on package weight, speed and stability
Standard Configuration		Three belt conveyors (infeed, weigh-table, outfeed)
Environmental Specifications	:	
Electrostatic Discharge	To EN61000-4-2	
Operating Temperature	0°C to +40°C (+32°F to +104°F)	
Storage Temperature	-20°C to +60°C (-4°F to +140°F)	
Relative Humidity	10% - 90% non-condensing	
Pollution Degree	Pollution degree II	
Ingress Protection	IP-65 standard (IP-66 optional)	
Services Specifications		
Electrical	90 - 250 VAC, 50/60 Hz	
Air	Dry, 5.5 - 6.9 bar (80 - 100 psi)	
Available Approvals	CE low voltage directive; CE machinery safety directive; CSAUS; Complies with EC directive 2002/95/EC	
Material and Finish		
Electrical Enclosure	304-grade stainless steel, 4b finish	
Frame	304-grade stainless steel, 4b finish	
Conveyor Beds	304-grade stainless steel, 4b finish	
Roller Shafts	304-grade stainless steel, 4b finish	
Rollers	Aluminum standard; 304-grade stainless steel optional	
Load Cell	Aluminum standard; 304-grade stainless steel optional	
Belting	Urethane (green) standard; FDA-approved urethane (blue) optional	
Other Specifications		
Weight Classification Zones	3 standard; 5 optional	
Product Recipe Memories	100 standard; 400 optional	
Product Features	Standard	Optional
	Automatic zero correction	Range of reject devices
	Automatic daylight savings time	Reject verification
	Windows XP HMI technology	Infeed/outfeed transfer belts
	BlackFin DSP technology	Remote mount HMI
	Quick release modules	Ethernet communications
	Auto-speed control with override	Serial data link communications
	Brushless DC motors	Advanced statistics & graphs
	USB-stick data export	Consecutive rejects output
	'No-gap' detection/rejection	Audible/visible alarms
	Configurable fault reporting	Draft covers/reject covers, bins

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