

Strata® Family of Adjustable Valves



Simplicity. Quality. Convenience.

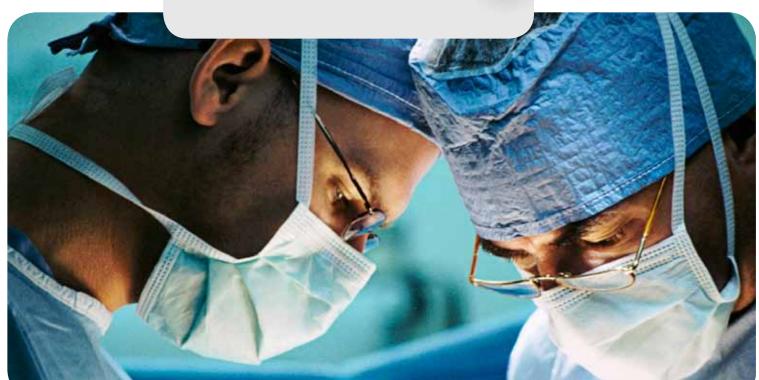
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INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY FOR HYDROCEPHALUS TREATMENT

PS Medical[®] Strata[®] Adjustable Pressure Valves enable simple, non-invasive adjustment that doesn't require x-ray confirmation and may reduce the need for revisions. The Strata valves are available in a wide range of configurations, providing convenience and flexibility for managing your hydrocephalus patients.

We offer the Strata Adjustable Valves, the Strata NSC Adjustable Valves, and the Strata NSC Lumboperitoneal Shunt Kit.

- Strata Adjustable Valves
- Strata NSC
- Strata NSC LP



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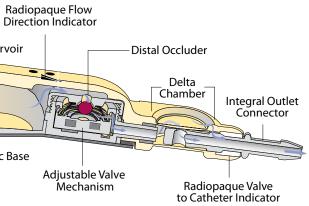
- Allows simple, non-invasive performance level adjustments in the physician's office
- Easy for clinicians
- Requires no x-ray verification or confirmation
- May decrease the need for revisions, reducing patient trauma and cost^{1,2}

Quality.

- Latex-free
- Lifetime limited warranty • MRI-safe to 3.0 Tesla³ • Designed to minimize the risk of inadvertent changes with technology that stabilizes the
- performance level settings



Valve Mechanism



- Convenience.
 - Multiple valve sizes and shunt configurations
 - Injectable reservoir dome
 - Distal and proximal occluders for selective flushing
 - Strata valves with a Delta Chamber are designed to help maintain the equilibrium of CSF pressure, regardless of patient's body posture or flow control needs

Strata[®] Adjustment Systems

In the office or exam room, physicians can easily adjust and verify the pressure setting on a patient's Strata Adjustable Shunt with the Strata Adjustment Tools or the StrataVarius® Adjustment System. Both devices are small enough to fit into a coat pocket and do not require an outside power source. These systems have proven accurate enough in verification that they do not require further confirmation via x-ray, unlike some of the other adjustment systems on the market.⁴

Strata[®] Adjustment Tools

• Locator Tool, Indicator Tool, Adjustment Tool

StrataVarius[®] Adjustment System

- · Handheld adjustment tool for left- or right-hand use
- Built-in adjustment magnet and LCD readout screen
- Portal for valve palpation and magnetic valve adjustment
- Provides numeric interpretation (mm H2O) of the valve's performance level setting with included Smart Card
- Powered by two AA batteries



Valve location and centering

STRATA ADJUSTMENT SYSTEMS

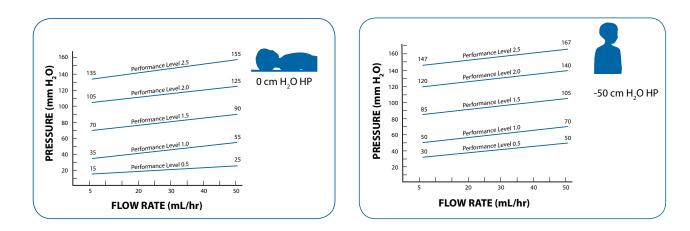
Examples of readouts from the handheld StrataVarius® Adjustment System

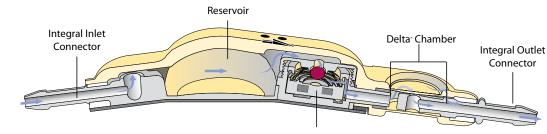


Handheld Strata® Tools Adjustment System

Strata[®] Adjustable Pressure Valves WITH SIPHON CONTROL

These adjustable pressure valves include overdrainage protection and a patented adjustable valve mechanism that enables non-invasive performance level adjustments using our handheld adjustment tools. The patented Delta® Chamber siphon-control device is a normally closed mechanism that opens in response to positive ventricular pressure, but remains closed in response to negative distal pressure.





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Performance level verification

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StrataVarius® Adjustment System REF No. 45806

Strata[®] Adjustment Tools REF No. 45805

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Strata® II Valve, Regular

REF No. 42866 92866 w/ BioGlide® Hydrophilic Surface Modification

Strata II Valve, Small *REF No*. 42856 92856 w/ BioGlide

Strata Bur Hole Valve REF No. 42836

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Strata E w/ Integ REF No. 46836

Adjustable Valve Mechanism

Strata II Valve, Regular, w/ Integral Peritoneal Catheter

- REF No. Peritoneal Length
 - 5 120 cm
 - 5 90 cm
 - 9 90 cm with BioGlide

Strata II Valve, Small, w/ Integral Peritoneal Catheter

- REF No. Peritoneal Length
 - 5 120 cm
 - 4 90 cm
 - 3 90 cm w/ BioGlide

Strata Bur Hole Valve

w/Integral Peritoneal Catheter

REF No. Peritoneal Length 46836 120 cm



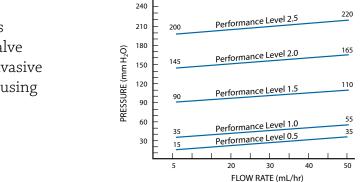


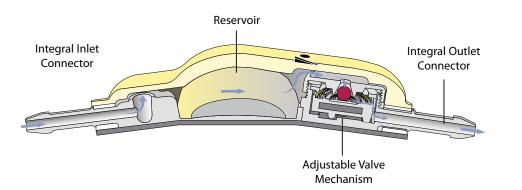


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Strata® NSC Adjustable Pressure Valves

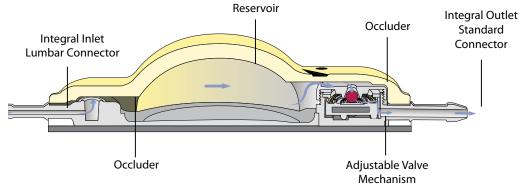
These adjustable pressure valves include a patented adjustable valve mechanism that enables non-invasive performance level adjustments using our handheld adjustment tools.





Strata® NSC Adjustable LP Shunt Kit FOR COMMUNICATING HYDROCEPHALUS

The Strata® NSC LP Valve is sized for subcutaneous placement in a lumboperitoneal (LP) shunt. It features an integral lumbar connector and strain relief for easy, non-kinking attachment of the proximal lumbar catheter. The peritoneal catheter includes a small (0.7 mm) inner lumen to preserve distal shunt resistance, as well as a radiopaque inner core and translucent wall to minimize tissue contact with barium.



Postoperative adjustment and verification of the Strata® NSC LP Valve requires the use of the StrataVarius® Adjustment System. Ref. No. 45806

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Strata NSC Valve, Regular REF No. 42365 92365 w/ BioGlide®

Strata NSC Valve, Small REF No. 42355 92355 w/ BioGlide®

Strata NSC Burr Hole Valve REF No. 42335 Strata NSC Valve, Smallw/ Integral Peritoneal CatheterREF No.Peritoneal Length46655120 cm9665590 cm with BioGlide

Strata NSC Burr Hole Valve w/ Integral Peritoneal Catheter REF No. Peritoneal Length 46635 120 cm

Strata NSC Valve, Regular

w/ Integral Peritoneal Catheter *REF No. Peritoneal Length*46665 120 cm
96665 90 cm w/ BioGlide







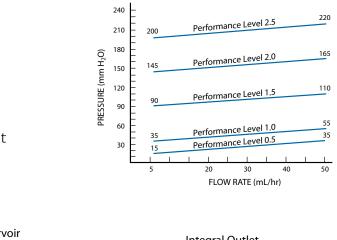
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Strata NSC LP Shunt Kit with Closed Tip Lumbar Catheter *REF No.* 44420

Strata NSC LP Shunt Kit with Open Tip Lumbar Catheter *REF No.* 44421

Strata NSC LP Shunt Kit with Closed Tip Lumbar Catheter and Integral Peritoneal Catheter, Small Lumen REF No. 44430

Strata NSC LP Valve REF No. 44465





STRATA NSC LP

References and Notes

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- 2. Kondagrski C, Thompson D, Reynolds M, Hayward RD. Experience with the Strata valve in the management of shunt overdrainage. J Neurosurg. 2007 Feb;106(2 Suppl):95-102.
- 3. The Strata valve has been tested to be "MRI-safe," that is, exposure of the valve to 3 Tesla MRI will not damage the valve, but may change the valve pressure setting. Therefore, immediately after MRI exposure, the valve pressure setting needs to be checked by a neurosurgeon or attending physician.
- 4. FDA 510(k) Clearance K040943 and K04199.

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