

Latest KSB hygiene pump technology for the oldest brewery in the world



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The **KRONES Group** based in Neutraubling near Regensburg supplies specialised machines and systems to the beverage industry and is a recognised brewery expert. Around 11,400 staff are employed at the approximately 80 sales and service branches worldwide.



Founded in 1040, the **Bavarian State Brewery Weihenstephan** is the oldest existing brewery in the world. It is run as a modern company which brews beers of the highest quality and sells them with great success in over 40 countries around the world.

KRONES AG has successfully completed the planning and realisation of the new fermenting cellar for the Weihenstephan brewery. Vita pumps by KSB were used in the project in order to optimally fulfil the requirements set by the Weihenstephan master brewers, bringing the plant up to the latest state of technology. The maintenance-friendly Vitacast® pumps are being reliably used at various points in the sterile area of the brewing process. This cutting-edge technology ensures hygienically-compliant applications, increases the storage life of the end product, and optimises the cleaning process. Combined with ultra-professional cooperation, absolute reliability and on-time delivery, the unbeatable benefits of the Vita series made KSB the obvious choice.

The pumps offer the best level of efficiency on the market and are specially tailored to the requirements of the fermenting cellar. Designed in accordance with the EHEDG guidelines, they are certified for residue-free cleaning and fulfil the traditional brewery's high standards of cleanliness and hygiene in the brewing process. "We opted for the Vita pumps from KSB because they are reliable, have a long service life and their clamping ring connection makes them extremely easy to service. It was also tremendously important for us that we can rely on the fast, straightforward service from KSB as and when necessary", explained Gerd Abstreiter, senior plant engineer at the Weihenstephan brewery.

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Scope of supply	Technical data	
	Flow rate [m³/h]	Head [m]
1 x Vitacast® 40-145/0402	17	15
3 x Vitacast® 80-210/1502	38	45
1 x Vitacast® 65-210/0752	24	40
1 x Vitacast® 65-210/1102	35	40



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