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### Sideguards (\*) • Safety has no price

The Atmosphere sideguards protect the patient over 2/3 of the stretcher.

#### **Mattress** • For a comfortable lying position

Two mattress types have been developed for the Vico Stretcher. The standard mattress consists of 7 cm of CMRH foam. The comfort mattress (\*) has a thickness of 10 cm, of which 3 cm is filled with visco-elastic foam.

#### Push handles • Easy to fold

These practical handles help you to manoeuvre the stretcher. When not used, these push handles can be folded very easily. By doing so, all necessary treatments can be given without any hindrance. The push handles are standard at the head end. They can be optionally installed at the foot end.

#### **Mattress platform** • X-ray transparency

The mattress platform consists of 2 standard solid laminate sections that can be used for a radiological examination of the thorax. A mattress platform with 4 solid laminate sections (\*) is optionally available.

Two accessory cases at the head and foot end make sure that the stretcher

#### **Operating lever** • Within reach

The backrest can be easily adjusted up to 90° by means of a gas spring.

#### High/low system • Highly stable

The high/low supports guarantee an excellent stability at all heights. The stretcher can be adjusted between 46 cm and 85,5 cm (with castors ø 150 mm and no mattress). This simplifies the treatment of a patient.

#### Cover cap (\*) • Hygienic

The removable rounded synthetic cover cap makes it easier to clean the carriage.

#### **High/low pedal** • Easy to operate

The high/low adjustment is guaranteed by a hydraulic pump that can be adjusted by

#### **5th castor (\*)** • Your helping hand

A trump when manoeuvring in small rooms and narrow corridors.

#### **Castors** • Superb manoeuvrability

Our extensive gamut of high-quality design castors guarantees a highly mobile and manoeuvrable stretcher.

#### **Central brake** • Activated with one single movement

The castors are equipped with a central brake mechanism and accessible pedals. This simplifies patient treatments considerably.

#### (Reverse) Trendelenburg (\*) • Highly ergonomic

When activating the operating pedal, a smooth inclination is created until the desired (Reverse) Trendelenburg position is obtained.

#### **Bumpers** • Nonstop protection

The Vico Stretcher is standard equipped with 4 bumpers that both protect the wall and the stretcher during any movement.

\* option for the Vico Stretcher

# Efficient in use

The Vico Stretcher has been designed to give first aid quickly and efficiently in several situations. Numerous possibilities and accessories make the work of the nursing staff easier, whereas the patient's welfare is increased.

### • Operations

The stretcher is very easy to operate and can be put in its desired position in no time.





# (Reverse) Trendelenburg position

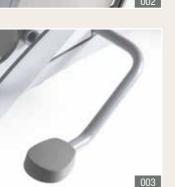
The (Reverse) Trendelenburg position (\*) can be activated by means of the red pedal at the foot end of the stretcher. When the pedal is stepped on, the stretcher inclines fluently until the desired position is reached.

### Seating position

The two-section mattress platform is equipped with a lever at the top of the back support. This lever is within easy reach, making it possible to obtain a comfortable patient position quickly. A four-section mattress platform is optionally available.

# High/low position

The high/low position can be found and activated very fast. Thanks to the hydraulic high/low pedals on both sides of the stretcher, the mattress platform height can be adjusted ergonomically.



### • X-ray permeable mattress platform

The mattress platform of the Vico Stretcher is suited to take x-rays. Together with the x-ray cassette holder (\*), it is possible to make a diagnosis quickly. Depending on your wishes, this cassette holder can be mounted on the backrest or put completely under the mattress platform. The patient doesn't have to be moved for this, so unnecessary risks are avoided.

#### \* option for the Vico Stretcher

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# Functional design

Close attention has been paid to efficient care during the development of the Vico Stretcher. Thanks to the well-considered choice of materials, as well as the use of smooth and easily accessible surfaces, this stretcher is ready to be used swiftly.





#### Mattress • Maximum patient comfort

Two mattress types have been especially developed for the Vico Stretcher. Both mattresses are filled with fire-retardant foam. They are very durable and easy to clean. The Vico standard mattress has a thickness of 7 cm. The visco-elastic surface of the comfort mattress is 3 cm thick (\*) and offers extra patient support.

Mechanical • A minimum of maintenance

> The maintenance-free hydraulic pump and gas spring make this stretcher a durable investment.

Hygienic Thanks to the rounded synthetic cover

cap (\*), even the surfaces that are difficult to reach can be cleaned very easily.

001 The (Reverse) Trendelenburg pedal (\*) guarantees an utmost ergonomic adjustment. 002 The operating lever of the backrest is within easy reach.

003 The high/low pedal is installed on both sides of the stretcher, and is within easy reach for the nursing staff.

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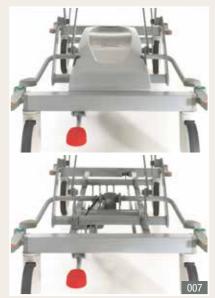
004 The x-ray cassette holder (\*) can be installed easily and quickly on both the backrest and the mattress platform frame. 005 The solid laminate mattress platform sections (\*) are suited to perform radiological examinations, without having to move the patient. 006 The standard mattress has a thickness of 7 cm.

007 The removable cover cap (\*) makes it easy to clean the stretcher.



## Removable cover cap







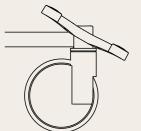
# Mobile and safe

To move a patient quickly and easily, the stretcher has to be controllable and manoeuvrable. The large castors of the Vico Stretcher and folding push handles make a valuable contribution to this.

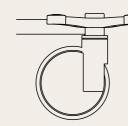
## • Central brake

With one single movement the castors are put in a neutral position, or the directional castor can be activated. The Vico Stretcher can be optionally equipped with 4 brake pedals (2 extra at the head end).

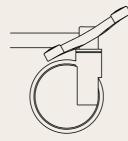




4 braked castors



4 unbraked castors This position makes it possible to move the stretcher in all possible directions.



1 directional castor This castor makes it easier to move the stretcher in a straight line.



### 5th castor

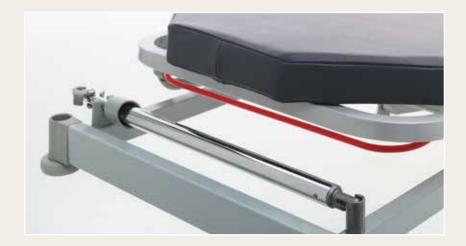
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A central fifth castor (\*) improves the manoeuvrability of the stretcher, especially in small and narrow rooms. Furthermore, the resilient qualities of this castor absorb floor bumps and avoid brusque impacts when crossing thresholds.



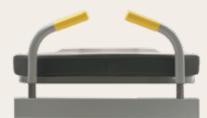
## • Folding IV rod

The folding IV rod (\*) can be installed at the head and/or foot end of the Vico Stretcher. It is telescopically extendible, and can be tightened by means of a locking mechanism. The IV rod is equipped with 2 IV hooks. The folding IV rod (\*) is available in 2 or 3 pieces.



## • Push handles or bed panels

The push handles guarantee that the stretcher can be moved ergonomically. They are standard at the head end, but can be optionally installed at the foot end as well. When not used, these push handles can be folded very easily. By doing so, all necessary treatments can be given without any hindrance.



Type 1: These folding push handles are standard at the head end. Two push handles at the foot end are optionally available.



Type 2: The optional Vela panel (\*) is made of a metal bracket and a solid laminate insert panel. The Vela panel has a standard panel locking mechanism. The bracket is optionally available in a chromium-plated edition.

### • Sideguards

The Atmosphere sideguards (\*) offer additional protection while moving the patient. The sideguards can be folded quickly and easily.



# Fixed height

The Vico stretcher is also available in a fixed height version. This stretcher is very suited for intern transportations. First diagnoses can be made very fast, thanks to the x-ray permeable mattress platform.

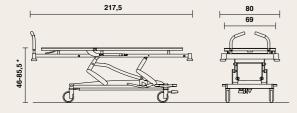
The Vico Stretcher with a fixed height can be equipped with folding IV rods, sideguards, an extra set of push handles at the foot end, a DIN rail,... With the exception of the high/low carriage, it is possible to have the same functionality as the high/low version.

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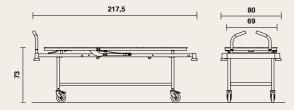
# Vico Stretcher Summary

• Dimensions and performances (high/low stretcher)



- width: 80 cm, length: 217,5 cm
- height variation of the mattress platform:
- $\pm$  46 cm  $\pm$  85,5 cm (\* with castors Ø 150 mm)
- safe working load: 250 kg
- weight (without accessories): 85 kg
- mattress dimensions: 201 x 70,5 cm, thickness: 7 cm
- Dimensions and performances •

(stretcher with a fixed height)



- width: 80 cm, length: 217,5 cm
- fixed height of the mattress platform: 73 cm (with castors Ø 125 mm)
- safe working load: 250 kg
- weight (without accessories): 70 kg
- mattress dimensions: 201 x 70,5 cm, thickness: 7 cm

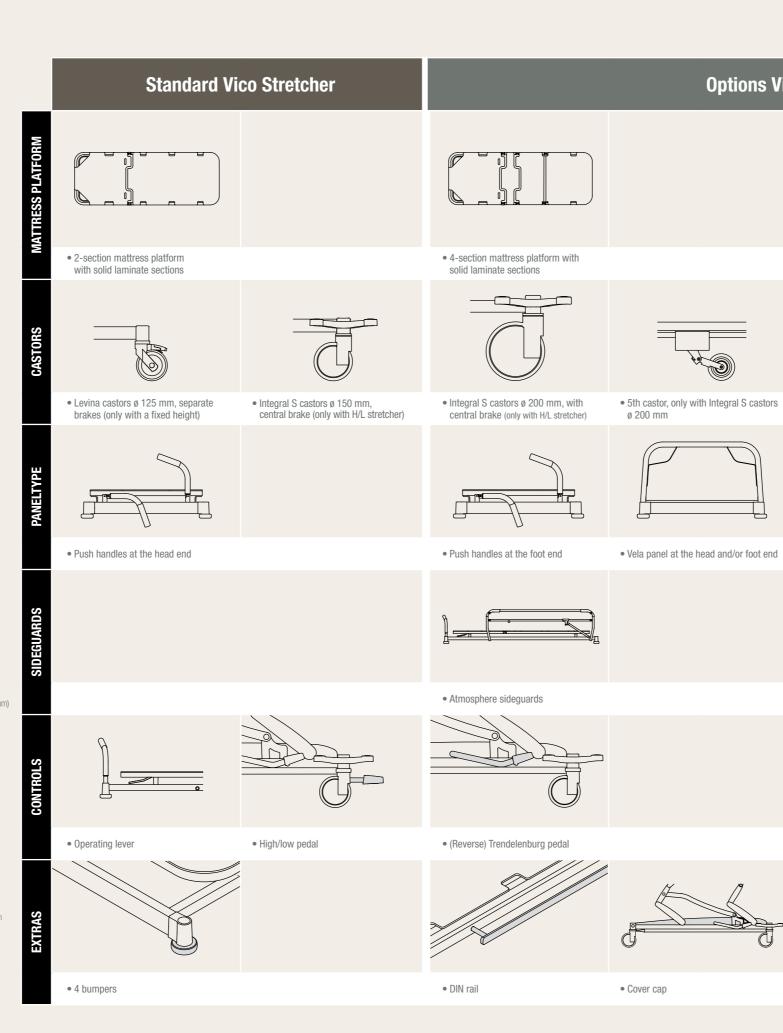


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Haelvoet makes sure that its ecellent price-quality ratio is not at the expense of the environment. Our company considers durability - in all possible meanings – of paramount importance. All our products have a long lifespan and are delivered with a 10-year guarantee on construction errors.

The Vico Stretcher is made in accordance with ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 13485:2016 and complies with the European Medical Device Regulation EU 2017/745 and all other applicable European harmonised norms:

EN ISO 14971 Application of risk management to medical devices.



• Extra

**Options Vico St** 

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<ul> <li>Extra set of brake pedals at the head end</li> </ul>	
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Folding IV rod	• Paper roll holder

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