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**Press release**

The new F5 hybrid washbasin tap with optimum performance and safety

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The new F5 hybrid washbasin tap can be opened as usual using the operating lever, and preferred temperatures can be set. Alternatively, a hand movement in front of the sensor is enough to start the water flow with the preset mixing temperature.

When installing sanitary facilities and patient bathrooms in care facilities and retirement homes, the highest standards of hygiene, functionality, and ease of cleaning are required. The ultimate priority is to prevent the transmission of pathogens via surfaces or in drinking water.

The innovative F5 hybrid washbasin tap offers seamless functionality and flexibility. Installed on the washbasin, it can be operated manually via the lever to adjust the temperature and flow rate to your preference. Alternatively, a touch-free option is available—simply wave your hand in front of the optoelectronic sensor to activate the water flow at a preset mixing temperature.

Designed with a 175 mm spout projection, the F5 tap features an adjustable swivel range of 50°, 120°, or 360°. Its thoughtful design, combining projection and height, ensures accessibility and convenience—ideal for tasks like washing hair, even for seated users.

The new tap has a factory-activated hygiene purge 24 hours after the last operation, ensuring that high standards of drinking water hygiene are maintained. Relevant statistical data can be downloaded via an optional, bidirectional remote control, verifying the hygiene procedures. The sensor range or flow time can also be adjusted. A simple 2-button remote control from the KWC Professional accessories is also available to switch off cleaning.

The stainless steel housing, with a brushed finish, contributes to hygiene and contains all the important tap components, such as the mixing cartridge, solenoid valve, sensor, and control electronics. The F5 hybrid washbasin tap can be used as a stand-alone solution with battery operation or separate power supply via mains unit with all the advantages of an electronic tap.

The hybrid washbasin tap can be integrated into the AQUA 3000 open water management system using the optionally available KWC Professional accessories.

**KWC Professional**

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