

# Low-intensity 170cd German Series

W, Rot and W, Rot ES Low intensity 170cd  
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## Optical characteristics

- ▶ 170cd (peak), 100cd (effective)
- ▶ Color aviation RED
- ▶ Horizontal beam 360°
- ▶ Vertical beam (W, Rot ES)
- ▶ NVG compliant infrared (850nm)

## Specifications met

Einordnung als Feuer W, rot ES  
gemäß Allgemeine  
Verwaltungsvorschrift zur  
Kennzeichnung von  
Luftfahrthindernissen vom 24.4.2020

Infrarot-Feuer und Feuer (IR-Feuer)

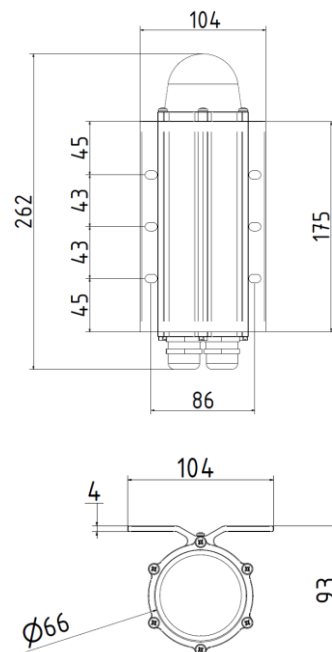
$I_{e_{min}} = 3 \text{ mW/sr}, \geq +5^\circ \dots \leq +90^\circ$

$I_{e_{min}} = 25 \text{ mW/sr}, \geq 0^\circ \dots \leq +5^\circ$

$I_{e_{max}} = 60 \text{ mW/sr}, -90^\circ \dots +90^\circ$



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## Low-Intensity 170 cd Stand-alone Series, German model W, rot and W, rot ES model

LED Aviation Obstruction Lights

Obelux low-intensity stand-alone 170cd W, rot ES model with fully Night Vision Goggle (NVG) compliant infrared is designed for wind turbines in the German market. The product offers unique features such as fault monitoring, photocell and switcher incorporated in the light. Optionally the lights can be connected to Obelux aviation light system through Modbus serial lines.

## Key Features

- ▶ Based on LED technology
- ▶ 170cd (peak) RED flashing light (100cd effective)
- ▶ German W, Rot flashing pattern
- ▶ Light intensity and vertical beam fulfilling W, Rot and W, Rot ES specifications
- ▶ Incorporated photocell for Day/Night switching
- ▶ GPS synchronization
- ▶ Modbus communication
- ▶ Extremely low power consumption
- ▶ 5-year warranty (optional 10-year)
- ▶ Thermostat controlled heater
- ▶ Smart heater (DC models)
- ▶ Deep discharge protection (DC models)
- ▶ Battery powered operation

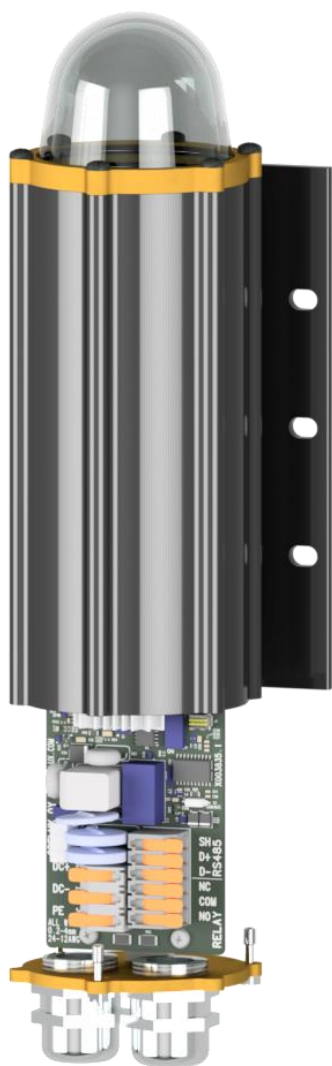
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## Electrical Characteristics

- ▶ AC models: AC voltage range:  
Nominal 100-250V<sub>AC</sub> @ 50-60Hz
- ▶ DC models: DC voltage range: 10-60V<sub>DC</sub>
- ▶ Robust overvoltage protection (Type II)
- ▶ Isolated RS-485
- ▶ Alarm relay  
Ratings: 250VAC @ 8A; 50VDC @ 1A

## Mechanical Characteristics

- ▶ Anodized, marine grade aluminum body and end parts
- ▶ AISI316 acid proof stainless steel screws
- ▶ Glass cover, degree of protection IP65
- ▶ Acrylic lenses, UV protected
- ▶ Operating temperature range -40...+55 °C
- ▶ Height 255 mm, diameter 104 mm
- ▶ Weight 1,3 kg (without mounting set)
- ▶ Terminal blocks for 0.2...4 mm<sup>2</sup> (24-12 AWG) wires

## Mounting Set Options

- ▶ MS-HV80
- ▶ MS-EV60
- ▶ MS-EV100
- ▶ MS-EV150
- ▶ MS-DEV60
- ▶ MS-DEV100
- ▶ MS-RW
- ▶ MS-LVU/LVA
- ▶ MS-WT5

## Optional Controllers

- ▶ CP Series
- ▶ CP-M1 Series

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## Product codes

In codes -GAM, G = GPS, A = alarm relay, M = Modbus

Order code	Output (peak)	Operating voltage	Power consumption	IR	Alarm relay	Modbus	GPS sync	Fault monitoring	Heater
<b>AC MODELS</b>									
<b>LI-WES-AC-GAM</b>	170cd	100-250VAC	5VA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>DC MODELS</b>									
<b>LI-WES-DC-GAM</b>	170cd	10-60VDC	4,5W	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Flash rate and power are software configurable (flashing is not limited to constant rates, any flash sequence can be programmed, e.g. SOS signal)

DC models idle power consumptions: 0.5W (light off, with GPS), 0.35W (light off, without GPS)

Heater increases power consumption by 7W; heater turns on when temperature drops below 10 °C; heater can be set ON/OFF

Factory setting: Heater ON

Water protection class IP65 applies when the device is mounted vertically glass cover facing up

All models available with IP67 water protection class (append -67 to product code, e.g. LI-WES-AC-GAM-67)

Packing dimensions and weight: 280x130x100, 1.5kg

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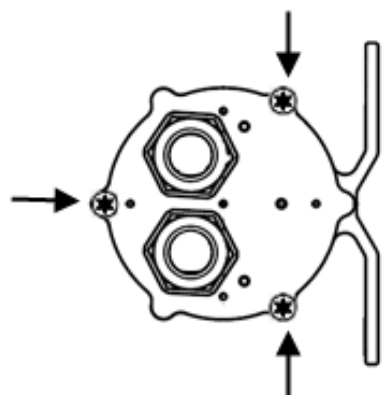
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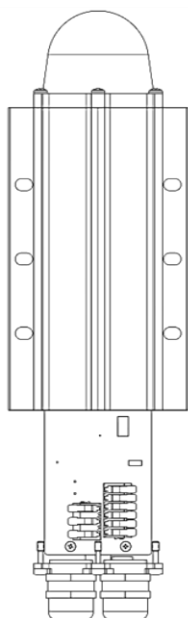
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## Cabling specifications

- ▶ Cable gland M25
- ▶ Cable diameter 11-17 mm (includes cable gland seal 6-13 mm)
- ▶ Wire diameter max. 4 mm<sup>2</sup>
- ▶ Recommended cable 3x1.5 mm<sup>2</sup> or 3x2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>



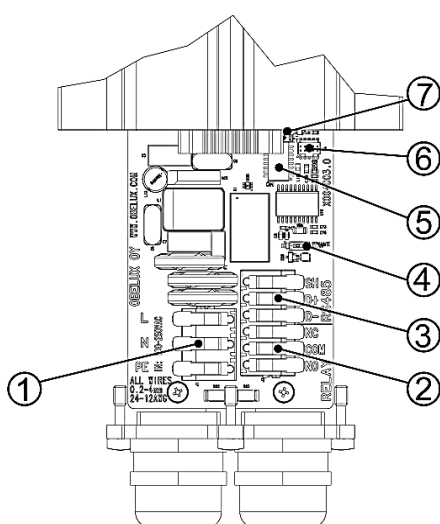
Back plate screws



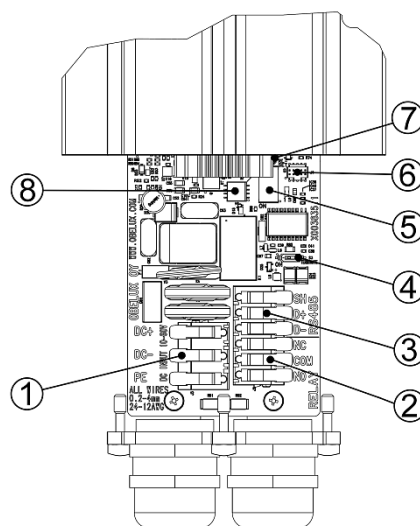
Light unit opened up

## Installation instructions

Open the three back plate screws. The bottom plate and the main circuit board slide out. Route power and data cables using cable gland(s) on the back side of the light unit. Connect the cable wires securely to appropriate terminal block connectors. Slide the bottom plate properly in its place and securely tighten all screws. Make sure that all unused glands or gland holes are sealed.



AC models



DC models

### 1 Power input

Mark	Description	Information
L	Live	Connect to power supply live terminal
N	Neutral	Connect to power supply neutral terminal
PE	Ground	Protective earth

### 2 Alarm relay output

Mark	Description	Information
DC+	Positive	Connect to power supply positive terminal
DC-	Negative	Connect to power supply negative terminal
PE	Ground	Protective earth

### 3 RS-485 port

Mark	Description	Information
D+	Data+	RS-485 non-inverting pin
D-	Data-	RS-485 inverting pin
SH	Shield	Cable shield connection

### 4 RS-485 termination DIP switch

### 5 Configuration DIP switches

### 6 Programming terminal

### 7 Reset button

### 8 Deep discharge protection switches (DC models)



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## Configuring Obelux Low-Intensity Series Lights

### Modbus mode

Turn on DIP8 to configure the light into Modbus operation. Configuration DIP switches 1-5 are used to set the light a Modbus address. Duplicate addresses on the same bus are not allowed. Give each device a unique address. The addresses need to be set from lowest to highest in order. E.g. if 3 devices are used, they need to be in addresses 1, 2 and 3.

DIP switch					Modbus Address
1	2	3	4	5	
on	off	off	off	off	Address 01
off	on	off	off	off	Address 02
on	on	off	off	off	Address 03
off	off	on	off	off	Address 04
on	off	on	off	off	Address 05
off	on	on	off	off	Address 06
on	on	on	off	off	Address 07
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on	off	off	on	on	Address 25
off	on	off	on	on	Address 26
on	on	off	on	on	Address 27
off	off	on	on	on	Address 28
on	off	on	on	on	Address 29
off	on	on	on	on	Address 30
on	on	on	on	on	Address 31

DIP switch		
6	7	Reserved

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DIP switch	Operating mode
8	
off	Standalone
on	Modbus

The RS-485 bus should be terminated with the on-board 120 ohm resistors on both ends of the communications bus. To terminate the RS-485 bus, switch the RS-485 termination DIP switch to the ON position in these devices.

## Programming terminal

Light software and configuration settings are upgradable via programming terminal or RS-485 (Modbus) terminal. The programming terminal is used in lights that don't have the Modbus option. Setting a flash rate, photocell threshold and special flash sequences are possible, e.g. Morse code. Updates can be made either with a RS-485 configuration cable (Part code: CONFIG01-RS-485) via RS-485 port by or with a RS-232 configuration cable (Part code: CONFIG01-RXTX) via the programming terminal. The configuration cables connect to a computer via USB. Software in the computer establishes a connection to the light and makes the updates.

## DC models features on battery power

### Smart heater

- Monitors light's input voltage and turns off the heater if the input voltage falls below a configured value
- Software and thermostat controlled, the heater is OFF if temperature is above 10 °C
- Heater must be set on with configuration DIP switch 6
- Smart heater configurable via RS-485 (Modbus) and programming terminals and configuration software on a computer. Refer to manual for details.
- Settable threshold voltage in which the heater will be disabled.  
The voltage is set slightly below battery's charging voltage. The charging voltage depends on the types of battery and charger.  
Recommendation: Set the heater threshold voltage 1V below battery charging voltage (with 24V battery)  
Example: 24V battery, battery charging voltage 27.5V, set the threshold voltage to 26.5V
- Heater off during battery discharge enables longer power on time for the light
- Factory setting: Smart heater not in use

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## Battery deep discharge protection (DDP)

DIP switch				Battery	Voltage level (light off)
1	2	3	4		
off	off	off	off	12V	Light off
off	off	off	on	12V	10.84V
off	off	on	off	12V	10.4V
off	off	on	on	12V	10.08V *
off	on	off	off	24V	Light off
off	on	off	on	24V	22.02V
off	on	on	off	24V	21.18V
off	on	on	on	24V	20.38V
on	off	off	off	48V	Light off
on	off	off	on	48V	44.3V
on	off	on	off	48V	42.55V
on	off	on	on	48V	40.9V
on	on	off	off	Reserved	
on	on	off	on	Reserved	
on	on	on	off	Reserved	
on	on	on	on	Reserved	

\* Factory setting = lowest operating voltage

### Operation of DDP switches

DDP protects the battery from over-discharge by limiting the battery terminal voltage from dropping below a value that might cause damage or degradation to the battery. This way, no external deep discharge protection is needed. A typical application for battery-powered lights is cranes.

The table above lists voltage levels where the light unit turns off if the sensed voltage at the light's input drops below this level. Lower voltage settings allow the use of longer cables (more voltage drop) or longer operation time at the expense of a more discharged battery.

**Use settings highlighted in yellow for maximum battery protection.**

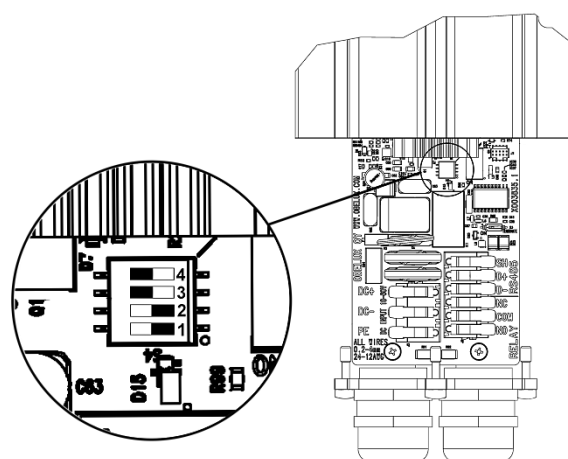
If more battery utilization is needed, use the formula below.

Formula to calculate DC voltage drop in cable:  $\Delta V = \frac{2\ell RI}{1000}$ , where

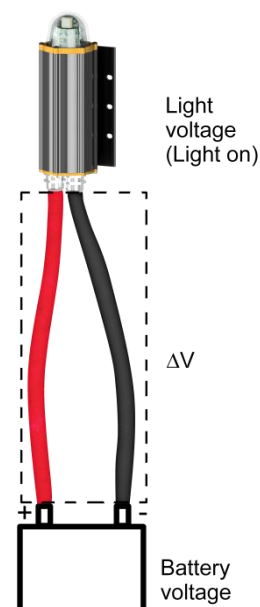
$I$  = Current in amperes

Light's current can be calculated from Product Code tables by formula  $I = P/U$ , where

$P$  = light's power consumption in watts



DDP switches (switches in factory default setting (off, off, on, on))



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$U$  = battery voltage in volts

$\ell$  = Cable length in meters

$R$  = Cable resistance in ohm/km

Conductor resistance of copper:

1.50 mm<sup>2</sup> - 13.3 ohm/km

2.50 mm<sup>2</sup> - 7.98 ohm/km

Example. LI-WES-DC-GAM (4.5W), 50m cable 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>, 12V battery

$$\Delta V = \frac{2\ell RI}{1000} = \frac{2\ell R \left(\frac{P}{U}\right)}{1000} = \frac{2 \times 50\text{m} \times 13.3 \frac{\Omega}{\text{km}} \times \left(\frac{4.5\text{W}}{12\text{V}}\right)}{1000} \approx 0.5\text{V}$$

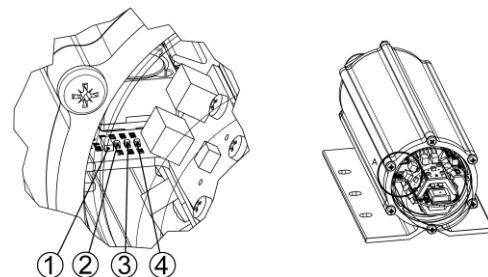
DIP switches				Light voltage (DDP voltage level)	Battery voltage
1	2	3	4		
off	off	off	off	OFF	OFF
off	off	off	on	10.84V	11.34V
off	off	on	off	10.4V	10.9V
off	off	on	on	10.08V	10.58V

Voltages at light and battery of the example at light turn off point.

Alternatively, the voltages directly at the battery +/- terminals and the light input +/- terminals can be measured and the difference calculated. The light must be on when measurements are taken.

## Indicator LEDs

	LED	Description
1	ALARM	<b>Alarm indicator (RED)</b> LED OFF: Normal operation, no alarms LED ON: Active alarm condition
2	GPS	<b>GPS (GREEN)</b> LED OFF: No GPS fix LED FLASHING: Light GPS module has fix on GPS place and time. Light is not yet fully synchronized. LED ON: Light GPS module has fully resolved the UTC time. It may take several minutes for the GPS module to receive the necessary data.
3	COM	<b>Communication (GREEN)</b> LED OFF: Waiting for external signals LED FLASHING: Master-slave communications occurring on the network
4	3V3	<b>Internal operating voltage (GREEN)</b> LED OFF: power off LED ON: power on





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## Part codes

Code	Information
CONFIG01-RXTX	configuration RS-232 cable Cable usages: special flash settings, photocell threshold, Smart heater and Master – Slave functionality through programming terminal
CONFIG01-RS-485	configuration RS-485 cable (Modbus) Cable usages: special flash settings, photocell threshold, Smart heater and Master – Slave functionality

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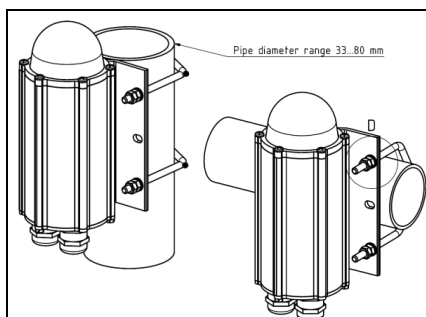
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## Mounting Sets



### Obelux MS-HV80

Mounting set for 33-80 mm vertical or horizontal pipe.

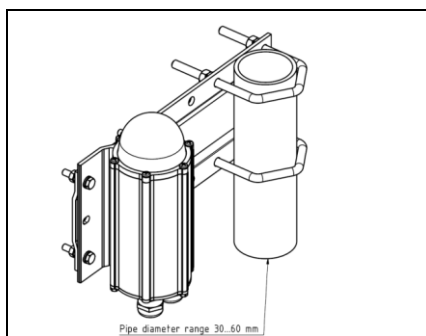
This mounting set includes:

- ▶ 2 pcs M6 U-bolt
- ▶ 8 pcs M6 hex nut
- ▶ 4 pcs 6/12 mm washer

All parts are AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-HV80 datasheet

▶ Order Code MS-HV80



### Obelux MS-EV60

Mounting set with extension plate for 30-60 mm vertical pipe installation.

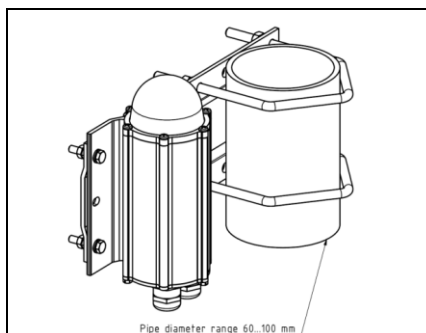
This mounting set includes:

- ▶ 2 pcs M8 U-bolt, 8 pcs M8 hex nut
- ▶ 4 pcs M6x30 bolt, 8 pcs M6 hex nut, 4 pcs 6/12 washer
- ▶ 1 pcs extension plate

Extension plate marine grade anodized aluminium, other parts AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-EV60 datasheet

▶ Order Code: MS-EV60



### Obelux MS-EV100

Mounting set with extension plate for 60-100 mm vertical pipe installation.

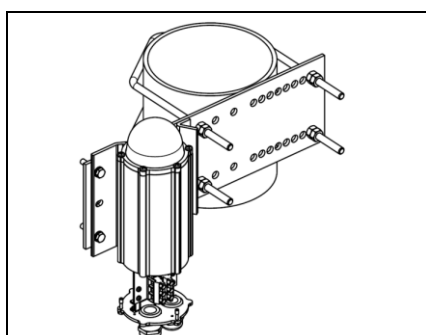
This mounting set includes:

- ▶ 2 pcs M8 U-bolt, 8 pcs M8 hex nut
- ▶ 4 pcs M6x30 bolt, 8 pcs M6 hex nut, 4 pcs 6/12 washer
- ▶ 1 pcs extension plate

Extension plate marine grade anodized aluminium, other parts AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-EV100 datasheet

▶ Order Code: MS-EV100



### Obelux MS-EV150

Mounting set with extension plate for 100-150 mm vertical pipe installation.

This mounting set includes:

- ▶ 2 pcs M8 U-bolt, 8 pcs M8 hex nut
- ▶ 4 pcs M6x30 bolt, 8 pcs M6 hex nut, 4 pcs 6/12 washer
- ▶ 1 pcs extension plate

Extension plate hot dipped galvanised steel, other parts AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-EV150 datasheet

▶ Order Code: MS-EV150

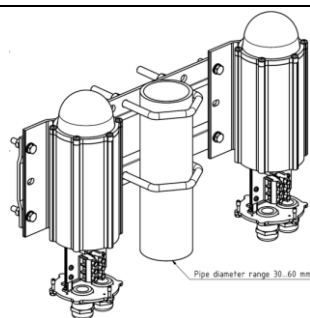
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## Obelux MS-DEV60

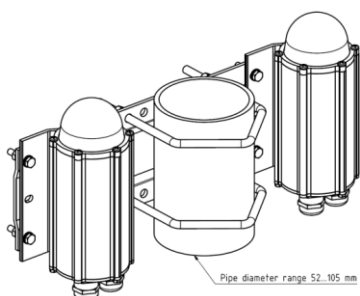
Double mounting set with extension plate for 30-60 mm vertical pipe installation. Mounting set include:

- ▶ 2 pcs M8 U-bolt, 8 pcs M8 hex nut
- ▶ 8 pcs M6x30 bolt, 16 pcs M6 hex nut, 8 pcs 6/12 washer
- ▶ 1 pcs extension plate

Extension plate marine grade anodised aluminium, other parts AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-DEV60 datasheet

▶ Order Code: MS-DEV60



## Obelux MS-DEV100

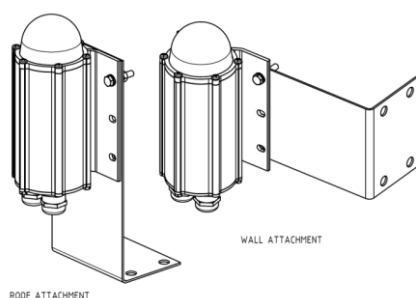
Double mounting set with extension plate for 60-100 mm vertical pipe installation. Mounting set include:

- ▶ 2 pcs M8 U-bolt, 8 pcs M8 hex nut
- ▶ 8 pcs M6x30 bolt, 16 pcs M6 hex nut, 8 pcs 6/12 washer
- ▶ 1 pcs extension plate

Extension plate marine grade anodised aluminium, other parts AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-DEV100 datasheet

▶ Order Code: MS-DEV100



## Obelux MS-RW

Mounting set for horizontal plate or wall installation.

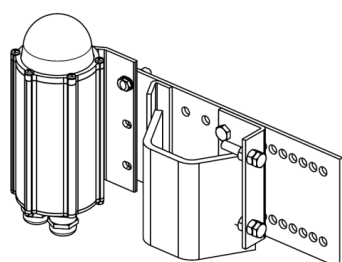
Mounting set includes:

- ▶ 4 pcs M6x30 bolt, 8 pcs M6 hex nut, 4 pcs 6/12 washer
- ▶ 1 pcs L-shape 2 mm plate

All parts AISI 316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-RW datasheet

▶ Order Code: MS-RW



## Obelux MS-LVU/LVA

Mounting set for L and V -shape profiles

Mounting set includes:

- ▶ 1 set accessories for light unit fitting to plate
- ▶ 1 pcs extension plate with adjusting plate and accessories

Extension plate hot dip galvanized steel, other parts AISI316 acid-proof stainless steel.

More detailed mechanical data: see MS-LVU datasheet

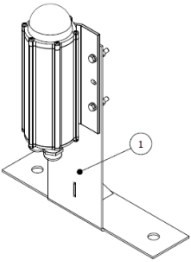
▶ Order Code: MS-LVU (with galvanized extension plate)

▶ Order Code: MS-LVA (with AISI316 extension plate)

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	<p><b>Obelux MS-WT5</b> Mounting set for wind turbines.</p> <p>Mounting holes 2 x Ø17, 240mm.</p>
<p>► Order Code: MS-WT5</p>	