# aktiv18

# Level up with aktiv™
## the fluid head built for speed.

When you have just one chance to capture the perfect shot, mount, level and lock the revolutionary aktiv™ fluid head in seconds.

Sachtler's unique SpeedLevel™ and SpeedSwap™ technologies deliver the fastest way to place and position your camera; adjust the level in an instant without ever taking your eye off the action; get closer to the ground than ever before for extreme low-angle shots or swap between a tripod, slider, or hand held without missing a beat. Capture the widest range of shots in the shortest time with aktiv™.

- **Level and lock your head in an instant without missing a second of action.**
  Unique SpeedLevel™ technology.
- **Visible from any height or angle - day or night.**
  Innovative PrismBubble.
- **Capture extreme low angle shots right down to the ground.**
  Innovative streamlined mounting system.
- **Switch between tripod and slider in seconds.**
  Revolutionary SpeedSwap™ system.
- **Create moving stories, whatever the weather.**
  Performance tested to the extreme.
- **Touch & Go quick release system.**
  Simply drop the camera plate into the base - the Touch & Go mechanism locks automatically. Pull the lever to remove your camera in an instant.

## aktiv18 S208ST

**aktiv™18T Touch & Go fluid head with SpeedLevel™ technology**

**Bowl size:** 100 mm with SpeedSwap™ base
**Payload Range:** 0-18 kg / 0 - 39.7 lb
**Head Weight:** 3.4 kg / 7.5 lb
**Counterbalance steps:** 15+0
**Drag setting:** 7+0
**Level:** Illuminated PrismBubble

**Camera fitting:** Touch & Go
**Sliding range:** 70 mm / 2.8 in
**Tilt range:** +90° to -70°
**Temperature range:**
-40°C to +60°C / -40°F to +140°F

# Built for Speed.

## Level up and lock your head in an instant.
### Unique SpeedLevel™ technology.

Never miss the shot. aktiv™ fluid heads feature revolutionary Speed-Level™ technology. Release, level, and lock your head tightly into the perfect position without missing a second of action.

## Visible from any height or angle - day or night.
### Innovative PrismBubble.

Clear confirmation that the camera is level comes from the illuminated PrismBubble visible from any height or angle – day or night.

## Capture extreme low-angle shots right down to the ground.
### Innovative streamlined mounting system.

Go lower than ever. aktiv™ and flowtech® combine to provide a flexible one tripod solution delivering the widest height range. With no bowl clamp required, aktiv™ heads allow flowtech® tripods to go flat to the ground for the perfect low-angle shot.

## Switch between tripod and slider in seconds.
### Revolutionary SpeedSwap™ system.

Stay fast for ultimate creativity. aktiv™ fluid heads feature the unique SpeedSwap™ system, allowing lightning-fast camera swaps from a tripod to a slider without missing a beat. The perfect camera movement is just a SpeedSwap™ away.

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| | **System aktiv18T flowtech100 GS** S2088T-FTGS | **System aktiv18T flowtech100 MS** S2088T-FTMS |
|---|---|---|
| **Spreader type** | Ground spreader | Mid-level spreader |
| **Bowl** | 100 mm with SpeedSwap™ | 100 mm with SpeedSwap™ |
| **Payload range** | 0 - 18 kg / 0 - 39.7 lb | 0 - 18 kg / 0 - 39.7 lb |
| **Counterbalance steps** | 15+0 | 15+0 |
| **Drag setting** | 7+0 | 7+0 |
| **Balance range** | 70 mm / 2.8 in | 70 mm / 2.8 in |
| **Tilt range** | +90° to -70° | +90° to -70° |
| **Camera fitting** | Touch & Go | Touch & Go |
| **System weight** | 7.4 kg / 16.3 lb | 7.5 kg / 16.5 lb |
| **Height range with spreader** | 60 - 176 cm / 23.6 - 69.3 in | 71 - 172 cm / 27.9 - 67.7 in |
| **Height range without spreader** | 23 - 170 cm / 9.0 - 66.9 in | 23 - 170 cm / 9.0 - 66.9 in |
| **Transport length** | 87 cm / 34.3 in | 87 cm / 34.3 in |
| **Tripod stages** | 2 | 2 |
| **Tripod material** | Carbon fibre | Carbon fibre |

Combine the world's fastest tripod and the fluid head built for speed to record every second of action without missing a beat. aktiv flowtech systems are the perfect one tripod solution to capture the widest range of shots in the shortest time including extreme low-angle shots, closer to the ground than ever.