

CORKING/CAPPING MACHINES

CORKING MACHINES

Hand lever

For natural corks. Suitable for a smaller numbers of bottles, with four jaw mechanism and tripod floor stand.

Lightweight model, with brass jaws – suitable for amateurs.

Heavy duty model, with precision guiding rod; a solid and very stable machine.

Model	H (mm)	Weight (kg)	Stockcode
Lightweight	900	10	97101
Heavy duty	1800	26	97116



Semi automatic

Semi-automatic corker on stand. Adjustable to take most sizes of bottle (max. height 350 mm). Corks up to 50 mm x 30 mm diameter. Push-button control.

Motor (hp)	Voltage (V)	Weight (kg)	Stockcode
1	230	70	97102

Automatic

We can supply fully automatic corking machines for in-line operation, for the application of straight corks or T stoppers. Please enquire.



Lightweight



Heavy duty

CORK EXTRACTORS

Hand lever extractor

A top quality, Swiss made, lever cork extractor for rapid, easy cork extraction.

Stockcode 97119

Semi-automatic extractor

Semi-automatic, for use where large numbers of bottles have to be disgorged in a hurry. Capable of handling 750 –1000 bottles per hour. Available in either pneumatic or electric versions.

Model	Dimensions (W x D x H mm)	Motor (kW)	Voltage (V)	Weight (kg)	Stockcode
Electrical version	650 x 310 x 350	0.37	400	45	97107



CROWN CAPPING MACHINES

Hand lever machine

For the application of metal crown corks. This machine has a magnetic capping head into which the caps are placed before capping. Supplied with interchangeable 26mm (beer) and 29mm (champagne) capping heads, with chromed steel column, heavy cast base, sprung return hand lever, for professional use. Champagne wire muzzle twisting attachment available. (See page 54).

	H (mm)	Weight (kg)	Stockcode
Crown capping machine	500	9.5	97201
Champagne wire muzzle attachment			97202



Pneumatic machine

A compact, powerful capper for bench top operation. Supplied with two interchangeable capping heads for either 26mm or 29mm bottles. Less work than the hand lever models and every bottle is securely capped - no more blown champagne caps.

Dimensions (W x D x H mm)	Air (bar)	Weight (kg)	Stockcode
280 x 300 x 600	8-10	19.5	97245



Automatic in-line capping machines

Single head capping machines with a capacity of up to 2500 bottles an hour are available for installation in-line or use as stand-alone units. Please ask for details.

COMPRESSORS

For use with pneumatic cappers, screw cap tighteners, VL1 labeller lot marker and in many other applications. Two models available, each has a regulator and gauge, automatic stop/start and wheels for easy movement.

	Dimensions (mm)	Air displacement (cu ft/mln)	Max air pressure (bar)	Receiver (lit)	Weight (kg)	Stockcode
Panther 25	410 x 190 x 440	7.8	8	25	25	99151
Raider 60	815 x 360 x 700	14	10	50	48.5	99137



Panther 25



Raider 60

Air line hose, in lengths of 3m, 5m or 10m available.

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ROPP CAPPING MACHINES

Roll-on-pilfer-proof caps are made from aluminium. The thread is formed as the cap is applied to the bottle. The rotating capping head descends on the bottle and small wheels mould the cap to the bottle thread and tuck the break-away tamper-evident seal under the rim on the bottle. Capping heads are made specific to each size of cap. Heads can be changed on the machine to allow the application of different sizes of cap with the same machine.

Semi-automatic

Machine for table top operation.

- 4 roller stainless steel capping head
- Stainless steel frame and case
- Dual push-button safe operation

Caps bottle height (mm)	Dimensions (W x D x H mm)	Voltage (V)	Stockcode
80 - 350	285 x 425 x 992	230	97219

Automatic

Vigo can offer a range of fully automatic machines for use in line or as stand-alone units. Please ask for details.

For a detailed technical discussion on the reasons for choosing screw caps for wine, please see the book *Taming the Screw* on page 56.



PNEUMATIC SCREW CAP TIGHTENER

Hand-held pneumatic screwdriver with chuck for tightening preformed threaded plastic screw caps. The screwdriver torque can be adjusted to suit the cap and the speed is controlled by hand pressure on the trigger. The tool can be suspended from a counterbalance spring return over a table or conveyor.

This tool ensures consistent application of caps and avoids the risk of repetitive strain from hand application of caps.

	Air (bar)	Stockcode
Screw cap tightener	4 - 6.3	97213
Counter balance spring return	-	21900

N.B. the cap chuck is specific to each cap type. We stock chucks to fit our range of 28 mm MCA2 caps: for other sizes, samples of caps will be required prior to purchase. Delivery will be typically 4 weeks.

