

Title (en)
APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING FLOW RATE FROM A VALVE DISPENSER

Title (de)
VORRICHTUNG ZUR STEUERUNG DES DURCHFLUSSES VON EINER VENTILABGABEVORRICHTUNG

Title (fr)
APPAREIL DESTINE A REGULER LE DEBIT D'UN DISTRIBUTEUR A SOUPAPE

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Abstract (en)
[origin: US2008230566A1] A valve assembly for use with a dispensing apparatus comprises a valve, a lever arranged to open the valve to dispense product, and variable spacer means arranged to limit the travel of the lever by a variable amount according to the relative position of the lever and the variable spacer means. The variable spacer means includes a plurality of spacer portions of differing thickness, each spacer portion being arranged to limit the travel of the lever by a predetermined amount. One spacer portion may be arranged to allow a full range of travel of the lever so that by pressing the lever fully the valve is fully opened. Another spacer portion may be arranged to allow a partial range of travel of the lever so that the valve is opened to an intermediate flow setting. Further spacer portions may be arranged to provide further intermediate flow settings.

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