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Equipment manufacturer Bedrunka+Hirth relies on Blickle bolt hole swivel castors

Bräunlingen-based Bedrunka+Hirth GmbH was looking for the right castors for their mobile workbenches, drawer cabinets and workstations. The Baden-Württemberg company found what they were looking for in Blickle's standard range, as they were thoroughly impressed by the LER-POEV series bolt hole swivel castors.

Rosenfeld, October 2019. Bedrunka+Hirth Gerätebau GmbH, based in Bräunlingen, Baden-Württemberg, is one of the leading manufacturers of equipment and mobile workstation systems in Germany. The company's 120 employees manufacture and sell products across Europe. It was looking for the right castors for its mobile workbenches, drawer cabinets and workstations. The Baden-Württemberg company was not satisfied with the competing bolt hole swivel castors they had been using. The non-marking grey standard solid rubber wheel with a 100 mm diameter had a limited load capacity and a high level of rolling resistance. The rubber tread frequently deformed permanently under higher loads, dramatically reducing operational comfort. In other words, they needed a better solution. Managing Director Ludwig Keller found what he was looking for from their long-term business partner, the specialists at Blickle Räder+Rollen GmbH u. Co. KG, based in Rosenfeld, Germany. Blickle's expertise was required in order to meet the high demands on the components: "Because the tool cabinets are modular, the castors have to handle a wide range of weight classes and load capacity requirements," explained Martin Wiest, Head of Product Management at Blickle. The castors also have to be capable of dealing with permanent issues and obstacles like thresholds or expansion joints.

Solution from the standard range

"We found the right solution in the LER-POEV series of bolt hole swivel castors in our comprehensive standard range," explained Wiest. The LER-POEV-125G-(FI)-SG have a wheel diameter of 125 millimetres. Their elastic solid rubber tyres in non-marking grey are vulcanised onto a nylon wheel centre and offer a load capacity of 150 kg per castor. The improvement in load capacity provides safety for users and a margin to accommodate the specific needs of the customers. The elastic solid rubber tyre means that long-lasting deformation is a thing of the past. The castors also have a much lower level of rolling resistance and a higher level of operational comfort. They can be fitted with rear stop-fix wheel and swivel head brakes for additional stability. "Our solution allows Bedrunka+Hirth to cover a much wider product segment than the competing castor which they were previously using, while also

being much more user-friendly for their customers,” explained Wiest. The LER-POEV can be used for a wide range of applications. As a result, the customer can save money by ordering them in large quantities. Ludwig Keller, Managing Director of Bedrunka+Hirth Gerätebau GmbH, emphasised how happy they are with the solution provided by Blickle: “We have been working with Blickle for years. We are happy to have the specialists by our side as a strong partner in the field of castors and wheels.”

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Image 1: The LER-POEV-125G-SG and LER-POEV 125G-FI-SG bolt hole swivel castors with stop-fix brake have a wheel diameter of 125 millimetres. With elastic solid rubber tyres in non-marking grey, they offer a load capacity of 150 kg per castor.



Image 2: The increased load capacity provides safety for users. The elastic solid rubber tyre of the Blickle bolt hole swivel castors does not deform permanently. The castors also have a much lower level of rolling resistance and a higher level of operational comfort.

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About Blickle:

The family company was established in 1953 and has been committed to uncompromising quality, high levels of availability, innovation and reliability ever since. Today, Blickle is a global leader in the production of wheels and castors. There are more than 30,000 items in its standard product range. Blickle also develops a large number of tailored solutions in partnership with customers. The group has over 1,000 employees; more than 750 of these based at the headquarters in Rosenfeld, Germany. In addition to the production facilities in Rosenfeld, Blickle has 18 sales subsidiaries in Europe, North America, Asia and Australia and delivers to over 120 countries worldwide.

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