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THE VULKAN GROUP

The roots of the VULKAN Group lie in the foundation of the Maschinenfabrik Louis Schwarz in 1889. The later emerging VULKAN Kupplungs-und Getriebebau Bernhard Hackforth GmbH und Co. KG has been the world leader in ship couplings and driveline components since the 1950s.

The VULKAN Group has been owned and managed since 1941 by the Hackforth family – now in its fourth generation.



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Through internationalisation and diversification into other business sectors, the VULKAN Group today consists of three divisions which, from a technological standpoint, are largely independent, as well as six international production locations and 17 companies. Headquartered in Herne (Germany).

Combining the international approach, competitiveness, and innovativeness of a mechanical engineering company with the experience and entrepreneurial responsibility of a German family company, the VULKAN Group has become a trusted partner for many customers seeking market-leading technologies and products.

13,801 CLIENTS









2,986 products

1,260 EMPLOYEES





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The business area VULKAN Couplings is the activity with the highest turnover in the VULKAN Group. Previously, VULKAN Couplings concentrated on diesel-engine applications in marine and generator systems. For more than 50 years now, VULKAN couplings, clutches and composite shafts can be found in ships and boats sailing on every sea in the world.



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Hydraulic Disc Brakes are used as service or emergency brakes in E.O.T. cranes, belt conveyors, Stackers & Reclaimers.





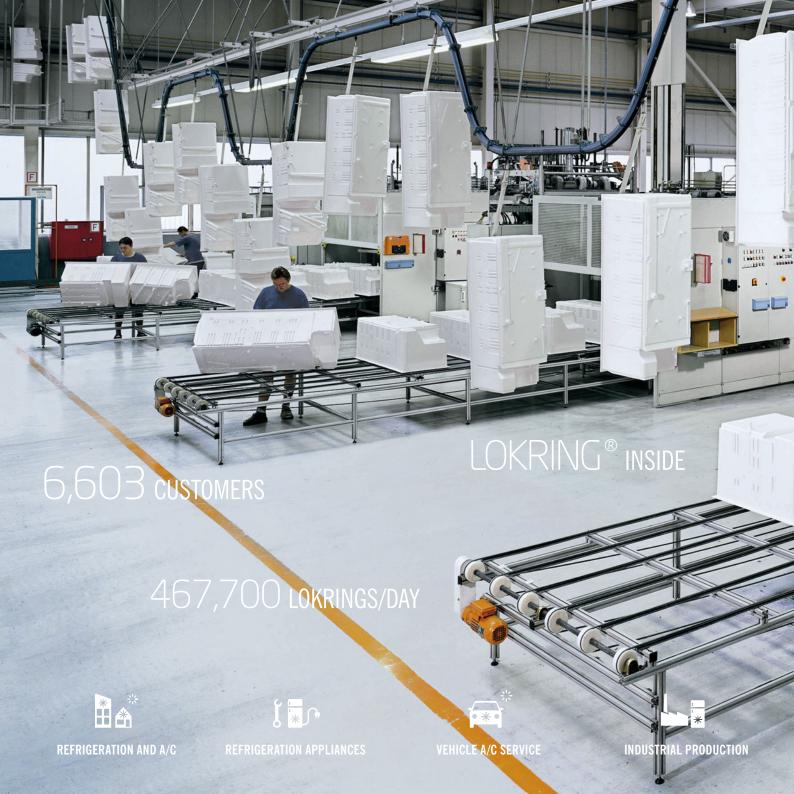




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