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Cleanliness and transport safety: Schütz presents a new IBC pallet solution at the ECS

Packaging solutions for paints, coatings and chemicals must guarantee process reliability, resilience, sustainability and cleanliness across a range of complex supply chains. And, on top of that, increasing automation in storage and conveying technology sets new demands on handling and transport. Schütz meets these challenges with innovations and the continuous optimisation of its products. With the new plastic frame pallet for its IBCs, the company is presenting a new development at the European Coatings Show (ECS) in Nuremberg.

The plastic frame pallet is ideal for applications with high hygiene requirements. Thanks to its smooth surface, it is easy to clean and prevents residues from sticking. In combination with the plastic bottom plate, it offers additional protection against corrosion and has excellent chemical resistance.

The new pallet is ideally suited for automated warehouses. Made from high-quality recycled plastic, it has optimum conveying properties. The single-piece design and the wide, smooth contact surface ensure smooth forward and sideways transport on roller conveyors and chain systems. The stable frame optimally absorbs the forces acting on the pallet, making it easier to lift and lower filled IBCs in automated material flows. Compared to other pallet types, the deflection is minimal, even in high-bay warehouses.

Thanks to state-of-the-art production technology, the plastic frame pallet is made entirely in one piece with moulded corner feet for exceptional robustness and durability. In keeping with Schütz's commitment to sustainability, the new pallet is made using recycled plastic obtained from a closed cycle as part of the Schütz Ticket Service. This saves up to 64.8 kg of CO₂ compared to a conventional steel frame pallet.

At the ECS, visitors to Stand 4-356 in Hall 4 can find out how Schütz transport solutions optimise processes while meeting the highest standards of safety, durability and quality.

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Caption: The plastic frame pallet is particularly suitable for the automated transport of IBCs and is ideal for applications with high cleanliness requirements.

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About SCHÜTZ

Schütz GmbH & Co. KGaA is a leading international producer of high-quality transport packaging (Intermediate Bulk Containers, PE and steel drums, and jerrycans). The Group's headquarters are in Selters, Germany. Founded in 1958, SCHÜTZ employs over 7000 people at more than 61 production and service sites around the world. The four SCHÜTZ business units, ENERGY SYSTEMS, PACKAGING SYSTEMS, INDUSTRIAL SERVICES and COMPOSITES, each hold leading positions in their respective markets. The Group's turnover in 2023 was 2.3 billion euros. The company offers its customers full system solutions that are tailored to their individual supply chain. With the SCHÜTZ TICKET SERVICE, a closed-loop cycle of speedy collection and reconditioning for used SCHÜTZ IBCs, Schütz provides all of the world's major industrial nations with a service that fully complies with the Group's sustainability philosophy.

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