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## **HIGH-PERFORMANCE**

Special greases for the commercial vehicle industry



# The invisible components

They ensure durable functions, minimise noise, increase convenience, withstand extreme loads and are tailored to materials with high

precision - Rhenus Lub's special greases for the

commercial vehicle industry.

As much research, development and experience has gone into them as into many other complex components. They are mostly invisible to the user and yet indispensable. For the powertrain, chassis, body and interior.

rhenus special greases are tailored to your applications and goals. With a level of reliability that has been tried and tested a million times over. We provide you with the optimum solution for your lubricant problem, be it from our extensive lubricating grease portfolio or as an innovation partner in the development of new lubricating greases for your pioneering technologies.



Put your trust in the quality of Rhenus Lub. We are certified according to IATF 16949, ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and ISO 45001, and meet the strict auditing requirements of suppliers and OEMs.

#### What makes rhenus special?

It is the combination of optimal products tailored to your requirements and a partnership offering real added value.

- Global availability
- Compliant with the chemical regulations in all countries and of all OEMs
- Approvals in the commercial vehicle industry
- Expertise in material compatibility
- Testing expertise and capacity
- Problem-solving expertise



# One partner for all special greases

Rhenus Lub is a partner who offers you the perfect solution for each of your applications and specifications. Work with us to reduce your administrative burden and maximise the success of your projects.

#### **Drive**

- Lubrication of roller
   bearings and plain
   bearings (demanding operating conditions)
- Transmissions with liquid grease / central lubrication systems
- Engine
  - Starter
  - Alternator
  - Fuel system
  - Exhaust system
  - Belt tensioner

- E-mobilityroller bearingapplications
- Gearshift
- Release mechanism
- DMF
- Transmission actuator
- Drive shaft
- Shaft seals / transmissions
- Wheel bearings, hubs, axle lubrication
- Slack adjuster



#### Chassis

- Brake system
  - Valves
- Brakes
  - Hydraulic
  - Electromechanical
  - Parking brake
  - Assembly aids
  - Brake paste

- Steering
  - Steering column
  - Steering gear
  - EPS worm gear
  - EPS ball screw
  - Tie rod joint
  - Rear wheel steering

- Axle
  - Ball joints
  - Rubber mounts
  - Strut bearing
  - Active roll stabiliser
- Landing gear lubrication
- Lubrication for drive
   spindles and landing gears
- Ball bearing turntables
- Fifth wheel plate(5 point / 1 point)



#### Body

- Door kinematics
- Locks
- Window mechanisms
  - Gear motor
  - Sliding guides

- Sunroof
  - Gear motor
  - Sliding guides
- Exterior mirrors
- Wiper motor gear
- Windscreen washer system



#### **E-mobility**

- Drive
  - Roller bearings
- Noise damping
  - Plastic/plastic applications
  - Actuators and miniature drives
- Electrical connectors
  - Grease for electric contacts
- Charging point, wallbox
  - Plug grease for sealing
  - Grease for electric contacts

#### Interior

- Interior special grease
  - odourless
- HVAC
  - Ventilation flaps
- Plastic mechanisms
- Seat belts
  - Retractors

- Seats
  - Seat rails
  - Gear motors
  - Seat recliner
  - Spindle gear
- Headrest
  - Height adjustment

### Innovation starts with

### team work

#### **Research and development**

New materials and technological advances or changes always require new special commercial vehicle greases. We firmly believe that the best way to find the solution to these development processes and challenges is to work closely with you as partners – all the way from the initial idea to the finished special grease.

## Both technological and methodological expertise

There are two key factors for us in the joint development of lubricants: technological expertise and methodological expertise. In practice, this means that we bring engineering know-how, creativity as well as project and development methodologies together for you. These synergies allow us to significantly speed up the development of your new lubricating grease.



## Straight from the simulation to the practical test

Another advantage of working in a development partnership with Rhenus Lub: our short communication channels. Our development teams work together on an interdisciplinary basis. Following successful simulations of the chemical and physical properties, the lubricating grease prototypes can be tested and verified in our fully equipped testing laboratories with your original components and materials.

## Our range of modern testing equipment and processes include:

- Friction value tests
- Wear tests / service life tests
- Model and component testing facilities
- Acoustic measurements / noise emissions
- Odour tests (olfactory assessments)
- Grease transport
- Vibration tests
- Continuous pressure tests



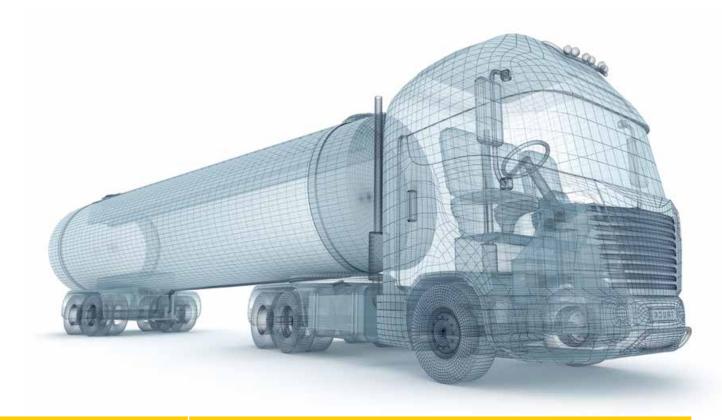
## Special commercial vehicle greases Drive

#### New lubricants for new concepts

At present, the majority of development work is centred on the drive. There are a number of very different drive concepts emerging, ranging from the internal combustion engine and purely electric commercial vehicle, through various hybrid variants combined with different concepts for the supply of electricity. All drive concepts with their varying components and requirements for elements including temperature stability, speed, electrical conductivity and noise damping

require adapted lubricants for each individual friction point. Rhenus Lub has been working closely with the pre-development departments of suppliers for many years. With its own testing facility, where the service life for new applications can be tested at various temperatures, Rhenus Lub is able to "look to the future" and provide qualified statements about the performance of new lubricating greases.

Commercial vehicle industry	Application in the sector	Lubricating greases/oils
Drive	Lubrication of roller bearings and plain bearings (demanding operating conditions)	rhenus HHN 15
	Transmissions with liquid grease / central lubrication systems	rhenus LIN 0
	Engine - starter	rhenus LKG 2
	Engine - alternator	rhenus LKT 2
	Engine - fuel system	rhenus WBN 2
	Engine - exhaust system	rhenus WBN 2
	Engine - belt tensioner	rhenus HCN 25
	E-mobility roller bearing applications	rhenus HIN 2
	Gearshift	rhenus LKB 1
	Release mechanism	rhenus HDN 2
	DMF	rhenus LXA 2
	Transmission actuator	rhenus LKG 2
	Drive shaft	rhenus LKZ 2
	Shaft seals / transmissions	rhenus LKZ 2
		rhenus LKF 2 TB
	Wheel bearings, hubs, axle lubrication	rhenus LKI 2
		rhenus LKM 2
	Slack adjuster	rhenus LKI 2



Operating temperatures [°C]	Properties
-30 to 180°C	Resistant to high temperatures, very water resistant, compatible with elastomers
-40 to 120°C	MAN approval, water resistant, good adhesion, well suited to central lubrication systems
-50 to 150°C	EP, very high load capability, low starting torques at low temperatures
-60 to 140°C	High speed factor, excellent low temperature properties, EP
-30 to 280°C	Resistant to fuel
-30 to 280°C	Very stable at high temperatures
-40 to 190°C	Very good damping properties, very temperature-stable
-40 to 160°C	Meets the latest specifications for motor bearings
-50 to 150°C	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 180°C	High level of wear protection
-40 to 160°C	Low oil separation, high level of wear protection
-50 to 150°C	EP, very high load capability, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 150°C	Synthetic base oil with wide temperature range
-40 to 150°C	Excellent elastomer compatibility
-30 to 150°C	Anti-false brinelling
-40 to 150°C	Very high mileages in commercial vehicles, low friction values, resistant to high temperatures
-30 to 150°C	Resistant to high temperatures, water resistant, good adhesion, high pressure absorption capacity
-40 to 150°C	Very high mileages in commercial vehicles, low friction values, resistant to high temperatures

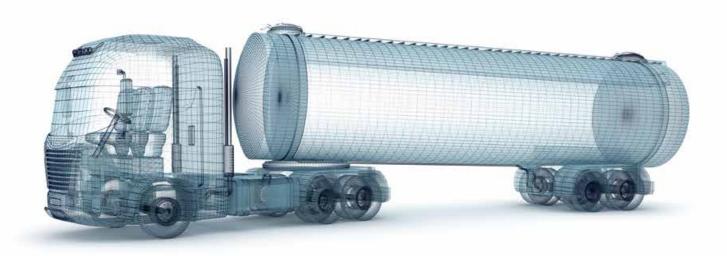
## Special commercial vehicle greases Chassis

#### For your chassis of the future

Our lubricants are a key design element. They ensure that friction in the ball joints is significantly reduced, thus laying the foundations for active chassis kinematics and actively engaging control systems for vehicle stabilisation, distance control

and lane keeping assistance. The functions are made possible by the control of a multitude of electromechanical actuators. These systems are bridging technologies to autonomous driving.

Commercial vehicle industry	Application in the sector	Lubricating greases/oils
Chassis	Brake system - valves	rhenus LKB 1
	Brakes - hydraulic	rhenus LPO 15
	Brakes - electromechanical	rhenus LKG 2
	Brakes - parking brake	rhenus LKB 1
	Brakes - assembly aids	rhenus OPG 24
	Brake paste	rhenus MCK 2
	Steering system - steering column	rhenus AKC 1
	Steering system - steering gear	rhenus LKG 2
	Steering system - EPS worm gear	rhenus LKB 1
	Steering system - EPS ball screw	rhenus LKG 2
	Steering system - tie rod joints	rhenus LKC 1
	Steering system - rear wheel steering	rhenus LKB 1
	Axle - ball joints	rhenus LKC 1
	Axle - rubber mounts	rhenus LPO 15
	Axle - strut bearings	rhenus CYN 15 GB
	Axle - active roll stabiliser	rhenus LKG 2
	Landing gear lubrication	rhenus LMU 2
	Landing gear rabilection	rhenus CMU 2
	Lubrication of the landing gear drive spindles	rhenus CIN 2
	Ball bearing turntables	rhenus LCC 2
	Fifth wheel plate (5 point / 1 point)	rhenus LBH 2
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Operating temperatures [°C]	Properties
-50 to 150°C	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 120°C	Compatible with EPDM, low sliding friction
-50 to 150°C	EP, very high load capability, low starting torques at low temperatures
-50 to 150°C	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 160°C	Polyalkylene glycol (PAG)
-30 to 250℃	Metal-free, thus also suitable for aluminium brake callipers and ABS systems
-45 to 160°C	Reduces static friction
-50 to 150°C	EP, very high load capability, low starting torques at low temperatures
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-50 to 150℃	EP, very high load capability, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 150°C	Reduces static friction and thus supports the unimpeded steering return
-50 to 150℃	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 150°C	Reduces static friction and thus supports the unimpeded steering return
-40 to 120°C	Compatible with EPDM, low sliding friction
-50 to 100°C	High level of wear resistance with oscillating movements
-40 to 150°C	EP, very high load capability, low starting torques at low temperatures
-30 to 130°C	Outstanding protection against corrosion, high pressure absorption capacity, good adhesion
-30 to 130°C	Very good protection against corrosion, high pressure absorption capacity, good adhesion
-30 to 110°C	Outstanding protection against corrosion, very high pressure absorption capacity, very good adhesion
-30 to 140°C	Well suited to central lubrication systems with long line lengths, mechanically very stable
-30 to 130°C	Water resistant, ageing resistant, contains black solids
-40 to 100°C	Well suited to central lubrication systems, mechanically very stable, biodegradable

# Special commercial vehicle greases Body

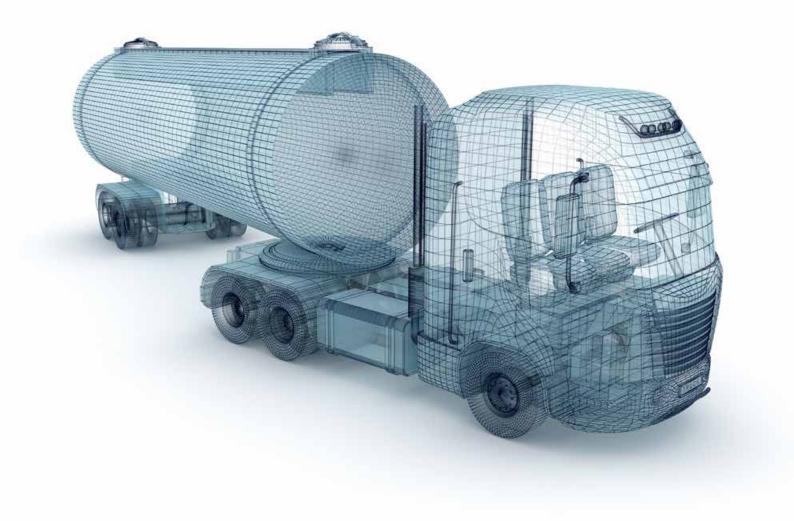
## Resistant to environmental factors and good noise damping properties

The lubricant is often exposed to environmental factors. How resistant is it to these?

Rhenus Lub has the relevant testing methods. We test the respective lubricating grease specifically for the plastic, the elastomer of your supplier and any environmental factors. Chemically inert lubricants, which do not undergo chemical reactions, are also available.

Another aspect is the damping of body-borne noise caused e.g. by small gear motors. We have developed greases for transmission lubrication with high damping properties which also permit exceptionally low torques at low temperatures.

Commercial vehicle industry	Application in the sector	Lubricating greases/oils
Body	Door kinematics	rhenus LKC 1
	Locks	rhenus LXN 2
	Window mechanism – gear motor	rhenus LKB 1
	Window mechanism – sliding guides	rhenus LXN 2
	Sunroof – gear motor	rhenus LKB 1
	Sunroof – sliding guides	rhenus LPO 15
	Exterior mirrors	rhenus LXN 2
	Wiper motor gear	rhenus LKK 15
	Windscreen washer system	rhenus WBN 2



Operating temperatures [°C]	Properties
-40 to 150°C	High level of wear protection (e.g. hinges, locking devices, roller guides)
-60 to 130°C	Excellent low temperature properties
-50 to 150℃	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-60 to 130℃	Excellent low temperature properties
-50 to 150℃	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-40 to 120°C	Compatible with EPDM, low sliding friction
-60 to 130℃	Very low actuating forces at -40°C
-50 to 150℃	Good wear protection and corrosion protection
-30 to 280°C	Resistant to washing water and solvents

## Special commercial vehicle greases Interior

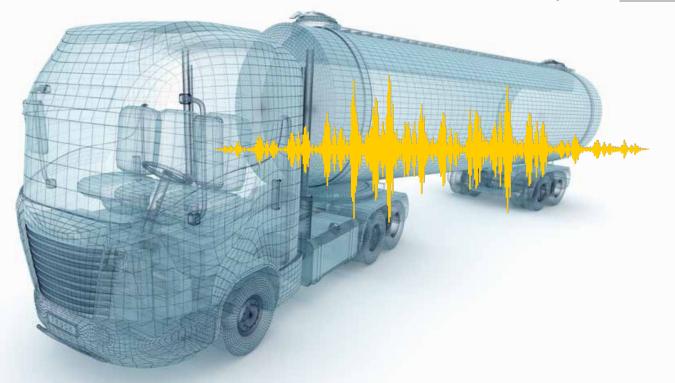
#### The future will be quieter

Friction values and vibrations can be significantly reduced by using rhenus greases, such as in seat and belt adjusters, headrests, covers/interior linings through to window regulators and gear levers. This ensures that all the interior fittings function optimally and disturbing noises are effectively damped or eliminated. We also develop lubricants in accordance with VDA 270 to prevent the development of unwanted odours – for the most stringent requirements for an odour-free interior climate.

#### Soothing calm in the interior

- rhenus low-noise greases are particularly pure, prevent noise from developing in the bearing and help to make the driving experience more relaxing.
- rhenus greases that prevent noise ensure reduced static friction and avoid the stick-slip effect. This effectively prevents squeaking and creaking.
- rhenus damping greases reduce noises such as knocking and clattering.

Commercial vehicle industry	Application in the sector	Lubricating greases/oils
Interior	Interior special grease – odourless	rhenus XBO 2
	HVAC – ventilation flaps	rhenus LKB 1
	Seats – seat rails	rhenus LKK 15
	Seats – gear motors	rhenus LXN 2
	Seats – seat recliner	rhenus BBC 15
	Seats – spindle gear	rhenus LKB 1
		rhenus LXN 2
	Plastic mechanisms	rhenus LKM 1
		rhenus BJN 15
	Headrest – height adjustment	rhenus OAS 22
	Seat belts – retractors	rhenus LPO 15



#### **Tribological expertise**

NVH – noise, vibration, harshness – we are interested in the cause: Is the difference between static and dynamic friction too great or does kinetic energy have to be absorbed?

We identify the problem and validate the solution, for example directly on your component in our noise testing facility.

Operating temperatures [°C]	Properties
-40 to 130°C	Low-odour and low-emission special grease for the interiors
-50 to 150°C	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-50 to 150°C	Good wear protection and corrosion protection
-60 to 130°C	Very low actuating forces at -40°C
-50 to 150°C	Compatible with CDC, prevents juddering
-50 to 150°C	Low sliding friction values, low starting torques at low temperatures
-60 to 130°C	
-40 to 150°C	Damping greases with varying viscosities
-40 to 150°C	
-50 to 200°C	Colourless, synthetic oil
-40 to 120°C	Compatible with PP, low sliding friction

## Special commercial vehicle greases E-mobility

## Showing initiative, rethinking and looking ahead

Not only do we consider ourselves to be your manufacturer and technology expert for special commercial vehicle greases, we also see ourselves as your strategic partner. We think entrepreneurially to meet your needs and want to play an active part in safeguarding your future viability, competitiveness and value creation.

#### Special greases for sustainable e-mobility

Whether electric vehicles or hybrid drives, new generations of vehicles are placing new requirements on special lubricating greases. There are many challenges related to the drivetrain with its high torques and we have developed intelligent solutions for these. We have just the right lubricating grease concepts for electric motor and hybrid drives, which are perfectly suited to high levels of heat generation and have the desired conductivity or insulating capacity. And if there is no lubricant that is up to your challenge, we will develop one in collaboration with you.

Commercial vehicle industry	Application in the sector	Lubricating greases/oils
E-mobility	Roller bearings in the drive	rhenus HIN 2
	Noise damping, plastic/plastic compounds	rhenus WBN 2
	Noise damping, actuators and miniature drives	rhenus WAO 2
	Electrical connectors, grease for electrical contacts	rhenus AKC 2
	Charging point, wallbox, plug grease for sealing	rhenus CVN 3
	Charging point, wallbox, grease for contact	rhenus LMN 2



Operating temperatures [°C]	Properties
-40 to 160°C	Meets the latest specifications for motor bearings
-30 to 280°C	Very stable at high temperatures, chemically resistant
-30 to 280°C	Damping, good low temperature, good material compatibility
-45 to 160°C	Low-emission, high electrical resistance
-30 to 100°C	Resistant to ageing, very good water resistance, high level of corrosion protection, very good adhesive properties
-30 to 120°C	Protects against corrosion, high electrical resistance

## From tribological to

## ecological

Sustainability is one of our main company assets. We take responsibility for our society, the environment and future generations.

You can help to improve sustainability with our rhenus special greases. Our long-life products conserve valuable, natural resources. They reduce friction values and thus contribute directly to lowering emissions. We develop lubricating greases of the highest quality for this purpose.

Opting for rhenus special commercial vehicle greases is not just the right choice in terms of cost efficiency based on purchase costs and life cycle costs, it is also an investment in a liveable, mobile future.

Social, ethical, global economic, political and ecological challenges are inherent in the entire commercial vehicle industry. Our material compliance management and active membership of the UN Global Compact initiative demonstrate that we take responsibility for sustainable development in this sector with our company's climate neutrality goals.



# When excellent partnership is a promise

Our customers put their trust in us. By offering innovative products and services, we help to create sustainable value for OEMs and commercial

vehicle industry suppliers. This has culminated in long-standing partnerships in the international commercial vehicle industry for over 130 years.

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