

To our customers

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The new earthing contact for SCHUKO socket outlets

Dear business partners,

We are constantly striving to optimize our products and maximize their benefits for our end customers.

With a new development, we have succeeded in significantly improving the spring characteristics of the earthing contact for SCHUKO socket outlets. The rounded edges on sliding contacts are a small optical change with a big effect, which can be used for

- constant contact resistance,
- longer service life and
- highest strength against pressure and torsion.

The number of mating cycles required in the DIN VDE 0620 standard for the earthing contact is still significantly exceeded for all our SCHUKO plug connections.

The new earthing contact will be installed in the following ABL products:

- SCHUKO Hightech connectors 1579xxx
- SCHUKO Built-in socket outlets 1561xxx, 1562xxx, 1661xxx, 1662xxx
- SCHUKO Built-in socket outlets BOWAmini 1471601
- SCHUKO Built-in socket outlets BOWAmaxi 1632602
- SCHUKO Built-in socket outlets BOWAcompact 1471460 and 1632490
- SCHUKO Socket outlet BOWA67 1632760

We are pleased that we have succeeded in implementing this product optimisation in a cost-neutral manner. Your existing sales prices for the products concerned will therefore remain unchanged.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for further information.

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