

Press release

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At Fruit Logistica, Cabka-IPS will be showing the new version of its Twistlock Box and its new pallet Euro E7.

From February 08–10, Cabka-IPS will be presenting a selection of its one-of-a-kind product range at Fruit Logistica in Berlin.

The new version of the Twistlock Box will be shown for the first time at Fruit Logistica. The Twistlock Box is a popular folding box that is from now on available in the dimensions of 300 x 400 mm. It complements the previous version, which is available in the dimensions 600 x 400 mm.

The product has already proven its worth with the innovative click lock system Twistlock, which simplifies handling and enables quick locking and unlocking. This makes it much easier for users to set up and collapse the boxes. Loose and delicate products like fruits and vegetables are optimally protected. When folded, the box is only 28 mm high, permitting dense storage of empty boxes. In total, a semitrailer can carry 10,296 Twistlock Boxes, each measuring 600 x 400 – which cuts down on processing costs and reduces CO₂. This is just one of the areas where the Twistlock Boxes are among the best on the market.

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Another new product, just waiting to be discovered at the Cabka-IPS stand, is the Euro E7, the company's newest pallet. It brings together the best of two worlds as it offers the advantages of both wooden and plastic pallets. Thanks to its special construction the Euro E7 is a pallet unique to the market. It was designed in a way that forklift pockets, deck height and blocks match the dimensions of an Euro-pallet. This allows for the seamless integration of the plastic pallets into storage and transport systems designed for handling standard wooden pallets. Not to mention the numerous benefits for the management of load carriers:

- The Euro E7 can run in a conveyor system parallel to wooden pallets without adjustment problems.
- The Euro E7 can serve as a shuttle for defective wooden pallets.
- Stoppers, light barriers and sensors in the conveyor systems must not be adjusted in addition.

The low follow-up costs (e.g., breakage, handling, transport, loss, and storage costs) of the Euro E7 and the associated high profitability are another big plus for users. The Euro E7 offers a long service life even with high circulation rates, fewer process downtimes, and thanks to its light weight, low transport costs. Sharp edges and wooden splinters, which can damage goods and conveyor systems, are now a thing of the past. Additionally, Euro E7 pallets retain their material value at the end of their operational lives. They are 100% recyclable and can be turned back into new pallets by Cabka-IPS.

Cabka-IPS at Fruit Logistica in Berlin: Hall 21 / Booth B-03.

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Captions:



Image 1: When the Twistlock Box is folded, it is only 28 mm tall. This significantly reduces process costs and CO₂.



Image 2: The Euro E7 offers the advantages of both wooden and plastic pallets

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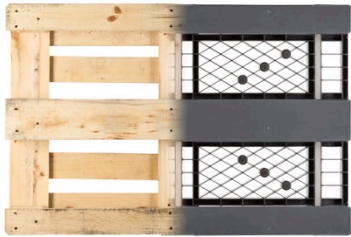


Image 3: The Euro E7 from Cabka-IPS integrates seamlessly into conveyor systems tailored to Euro-pallets.

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The press release and all pictures are available for downloading on the website cabka-ips.com.

Information about Cabka-IPS:

Cabka-IPS produces plastic pallets and boxes in Weira (Germany), Ypres and Herstal (Belgium), Valencia (Spain), and St. Louis, MO (USA). The company employs 570 people in Europe and North America. Cabka-IPS is represented with its products in more than 80 countries.