

ProfilGate®

ProfilGate® is the cleaning system that cleans the rollers and wheels of industrial vehicles with every pass, thus reducing the entry and carry-over of dirt within the company. Industrial companies focussing on technical cleanliness are already using ProfilGate® on a large scale.

Numerous companies in **logistics**, **electronics**, **automotive**, **engineering**, **packaging** and many other sectors are already using ProfilGate® blue brushes to prevent dirt from causing damage in production and from being deposited as contamination on the goods. The cleaning systems are installed in the floor, where they are flush with the ground and clean the tire surfaces with their active bristles every time they are passed over - without any additional human effort. The ProfilGate® system is therefore the vehicle equivalent of the doormat, but is also suitable for shoe soles.

Managing Director Christian Löwe explains the observation that brought the ProfilGate® system to life: 'In companies with high standards of operational cleanliness, we have seen that employees properly use floor mats or adhesive mats before entering certain areas. But just a few metres away, hand trucks or forklifts drive into the company without comparable measures - with the dirt from other areas!' A solution had to be found to give the company's own customers the best possible competitive advantage.

Based on this idea, the entire ProfilGate® family is a group of products designed to always provide the **best cleaning for vehicle treads**. The cleaning fields store mechanical energy in their pre-tensioned brush strips, which is released in the form of a scrubbing motion as the vehicle passes over them. The design and mechanics of ProfilGate® offer some significant advantages in businesses looking to raise their **hygiene standards**. The ground-level installation not only allows use in the **emergency routes** but can be used in both directions - for people and vehicles.

ProfilGate® forms a comprehensive range with variants for different types of castors and wheels. Every size and condition is covered: from small AGV castors to medium-sized forklift tyres and wide truck tyres.

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The traditional Solingen-based company is the market leader for classic shoe shine machines, sole cleaning systems for industrial and commercial applications and industrial tire cleaning systems. Founded in 1905, the manufacturer initially produced shoemaking machines and later shifted its business to shoe cleaning. HEUTE Maschinenfabrik systems can now be found all over the world: both ProfilGate brand cleaning systems and shoe cleaning machines such as the COSMO can be found in factories and hotel lobbies all over the world. HEUTE Maschinenfabrik serves the global market with 45 employees and generated a turnover of 12 million euros in 2021 under its Managing Director Christian Löwe.

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