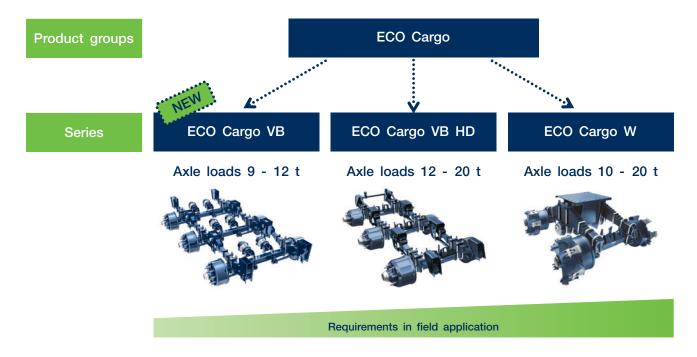
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Introduction of series production of BPW ECO Cargo VB

Mechanical suspensions are united under the name "ECO Cargo". It includes the series VB (9 - 12 t), VB HD and W.



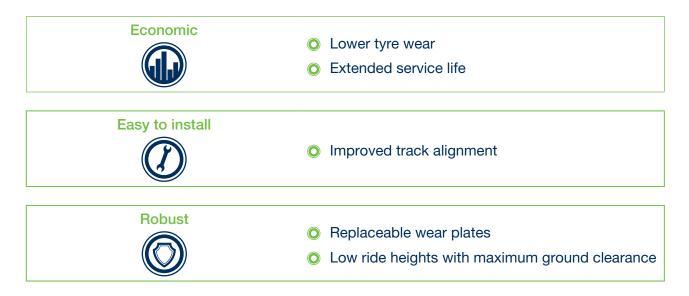
ECO Cargo VB for axle loads of 9 - 12 t, a series of ECO Cargo, has been completely redesigned:



Characteristics	
Axle load:	9-12t
Suspension:	Multi-leaf springs Parabolic springs
Brakes:	SN 3020 SN 4218 SN 4220
Wheel bases:	1,310 mm 1,360 mm 1,820 mm
Ride heights:	232 – 447 mm
Equalizer bearing bushes:	Maintenance free rubber steel bushes or bronze bushes for grease lubrication.



Some of the benefits of this suspension are:



Introduction of series production of ECO Cargo VB will be carried out in two stages and products will be assigned new BPW code numbers:

In the third quarter 2013:

Gradual introduction of ECO Cargo VB, first for the upper ride height (above 360 mm) with a wheel base of 1360 mm and multiple leaf spring suspension.

In the fourth quarter 2013:

Further ride heights, wheel bases 1310 and 1820 and parabolic springs will be gradually added to make the product line complete.

More details with regards to design and customer benefits can be found in the product brochure "ECO Cargo VB - Tough by design, economical in use". It is available in different languages on the BPW homepage under Products\VB suspension units.

You can also request drawings, installation instructions and other information regarding the introduction of the series production from your BPW contact.