# **BIW Isolierstoffe GmbH**

A market leader with history





Flexibility. Opportunities. Innovations.

When it comes to competence.

### BIW at a glance



Company locations in Germany, Poland and China

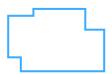


Core industries supplied



81 Mio.€

Sales (2023) with 20 % export quota outside the EU



46.000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Production area** 



600

**Employees** > 24 trainees > 33 different nationalities



175.000

**Individual products** 



5.000

**Customers** 



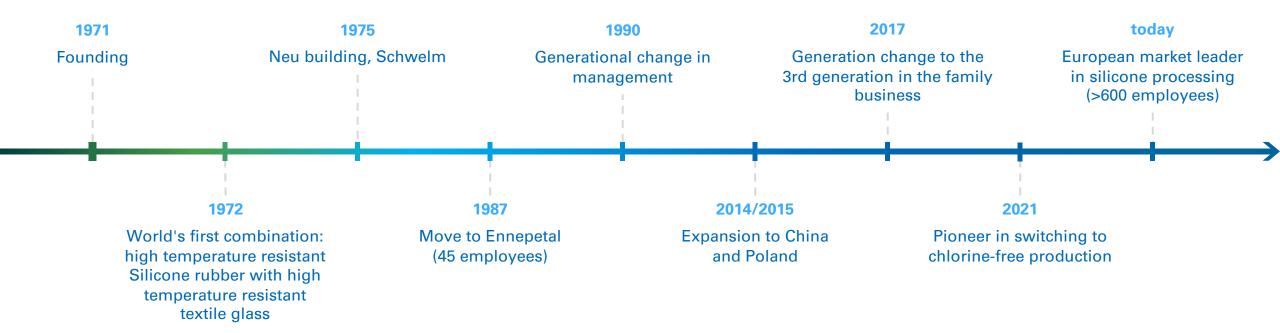
502.000 m

Manufactured cable protection systems and silicone profiles per day



### A market leader with history - Made in Germany









# One company, three core competencies combined under one roof

#### **Silicone Extrusion**

High temperature resistant up to +300 °C

- Cold flexible down to -80 °C
- Permanently elastic and mechanically resilient
- Physiologically harmless



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#### **Cable protection systems**

- High mechanical strength
- Temperature & fire resistance
- Dimensional stability
- Good chemical resistance



### Silicone molded parts

- Heat stability up to +180 °C (stabilized up to +280 °C)
- Cold flexibility down to -50 °C
- Constant mechanical and electrical properties
- Weathering, aging and UV resistance







# The in-house innovation center Research, development and prototyping



Research & Development

- In-house **development** of compounds
- Further development of material properties
- Test procedures in our own laboratory area
- In-house tool planning and tool design
- 3D modeling via CAD (Solid Works)





**Prototyping** 

- Production with innovative manufacturing processes:3D printing, crosshead extrusion, foam and co-extrusion
- Direct transition to series production from the prototype
- Standard-compliant qualification already in pilot series
- In-house tooling
- Comprehensive advice





## Competence & quality convince > 5000 customers from 8 industries

#### Automotive ~35 % Sanitary ~5 % Molded seals, high quality components & Seals, components and hose lines approved for drinking water cable protection systems Energy Technology ~20 % Aviation ~5 % Efficient insulation systems for Weight-saving and non-flammable system generators and transformers, components LED design profiles **Household Appliances ~15 % Heat Protection ~5 %** High temperature, steam and grease Thermally resilient frame seals resistant sealing systems Medicine & Pharma ~10 % Railway Technology ~5 % Fireproof functional elements, high-Hoses, molded parts and complex items such as ventilation hoses, also in clean quality sealing systems and edge



protection profiles

room production



## We go the extra mile – for employees, energy and the environment







**Exciting employee offers** 

**Extensive environmental & energy program** 



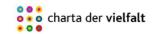


Pioneer in chlorine-free silicone production

**Commitment in sport** 



Social commitment in associations













# Our machinery includes...

54 Extrusion lines 8 Punching machines

Injection molding machines 5 Compounding mills

Impregnation lines 6 Conical Twin Mixers (CTM)

Molding presses 22 Tempering ovens

Film-vulcanization lines
78 Braiding machines

20 Chopping and cutting machines 106 Knitting and warp knitting machines

# Silicone extrusion





10 - 90°

Shore A



0,25 - 235 mm

Hose inner Ø



1,0 – 250 mm

Square width



-80 to +300 °C

**Temperature resistance** 

#### **Further properties**

- Permanently elastic and mechanically resilient
- Largely resistant to chemicals
- Physiologically harmless
- Tear resistant
- Fluorescent colors
- Highly transparent products

#### Sample products and processes

- Hoses
- Armored hoses
- Round cords
- Square
- **Profiles**
- Co-extrudates
- Foam profiles
- Glued frames

- Vulcanized corners
- Multilumen Tubing
- Overmolding
- Coatings
- LED applications
- 2-component injection molded parts

#### **Assemblies**

- Cutting to length / water jet cut
- Adhere
- Film vulcanization
- Gating
- Frame creation
- Drilling
- Inlay creation
- Equip self-adhesive



### Cable protection systems





> 30.000

**Double strokes (abrasion test)** 



> 500 °C

**Heat resistance** 



### Versatile

By combining different filaments and fibers



### Resistant

Against aging and chemicals

#### **Further properties**

- High mechanical strength
- High fire resistance
- Low heat conduction
- High dimensional stability
- Compatible with organic substances
- Not hazardous to the environment or water
- Non-toxic, non-carcinogenic, not respirable

#### Sample products

- Hoses
- Cable bundling
- Cable shields
- Seals
- **Packs**
- Shields
- Heat reflectors

- Silicone, acrylic and PU-coated fabric hoses
- Impregnated, pre-rounded tubes made of textile glass and synthetic fibers

#### **Assemblies**

- All cable protection systems can be modified according to customer requirements
- Cut to length
- Punching
- Connecting







2 - 2500 g

**Moldings weight** 



-50 to +180 °C

**Heat resistance** 



### Resistant

Against aging, weathering and UV radiation



### Constant

Mechanical & electrical properties equal over a wide temperature range

#### **Further properties**

- Excellent physiological tolerability
- Much higher gas permeability compared to other elastomers
- Excellent electrical insulation
- High transparency
- Good color adjustability
- Environmentally friendly

#### Sample products and processes

- Seals
- Membranes
- Hose elbow
- Covers
- Wrinkle coverings
- Frames
- Rings
- Overmolding

- Gating
- 2-component injection molded parts

#### **Assemblies**

- Additional gluing processes
- Marquetry
- Laser engravings
- Attach electrical contacts
- LFS Treatment





### **Energy Technology**





### **Materials**

The insulation materials used are characterized by their high dielectric strength, chemical and temperature resistance.

They comply with the **UL 1441** and **DIN IEC 60684 standards**, among others.



### **Areas of application**

- electric motor construction
- wind power generator construction
- transformer construction
- power plant construction
- Mechanical and plant engineering



### **Application examples**

- Cable assembly
- Small motor insulation
- Filling materials
- Rattle protection
- Thermal protection hoses
- Electrical insulating hoses
- Abrasion protection





### **Automotive**





### **Materials**

The protective and insulating materials used in the automotive sector are characterized by their high temperature resistance and the mapping of the requirements and test catalogs of the leading international OEMs (e.g. LV312-3, ...).

### **Areas of application**

- Electrical on-board networks
- Temperature sensors
- **Engine wiring**
- **Battery leads**
- Seat wiring
- Air bags

- **Brake lines**
- Door closing techniques
- Air conditioning lines
- Molded seals
- Connector housing seals
- 2K components





### Household appliances





There is hardly a household appliance without silicone parts when it works at high temperatures and/or comes into contact with food.



### **Areas of application**

- Cooking appliances
- Canteen kitchen technology
- Household appliances
- Oven Sealing Technology
- Pyrolysis furnace technology
- Beverage machines
- Coffee machines



### **Standards / norm requirements**

- BfR
- FDA
- KTW
- WRAS
- W270





### Medicine / Pharma





### **Materials**

The silicone compounds used are characterized by their beneficial physiological properties.

They meet the requirements of USP Class VI and relevant chapters of ISO 10993 and various pharmacopeias.



### **Areas of application**

- Breathing tubes
- Pressure hoses
- Drainage hoses
- Dialysis tubing, filters
- Surgical instruments, handles

- **Cutlery holder**
- Accessories for laparoscopy
- On request with laser and inlaid lettering





### **Aviation**





### **Materials**

For applications in the field of aeronautics, we have a range of tested materials based on silicone and silicone foam. The focus is on weight-saving (e.g. foamed) and non-flammable, self-extinguishing material qualities.

### **Areas of application**

- Aircraft construction
- Sealing technology
- Component manufacturing
- On-board equipment (interiors)

- Galleys
- On request with precise color matching to the interior





### Railway Technology





### **Materials**

As a leading supplier, we have a range of self-extinguishing and low-smoke silicone and textile-based materials and seals available for rail vehicle applications. The focus is on NF F 16101, BS6853, DIN5510, EN ISO 11925-2 and DIN EN 45545-2.



### **Areas of application**

- Door seals
- Window seals
- Hatch seals
- Cable protection



### **Edge protection profiles**

- Base with metal insert
- Fully flexible
- Compact or partially foamed
- No additional fixation necessary





## Sanitary





### **Materials**

The silicone articles of the various **SANIBIW** qualities meet the requirements of national and international drinking water guidelines. BIW will provide you with **comprehensive** advice on the **right choice** of **material qualities**.



### **Areas of application**

- Hoses
- Drinking water pipes
- Shower hoses
- Fittings
- Shower cubicles
- Sealing and joint profiles
- Assembly aids



### Possible/certified standards

KTW

ACS

**W**270

NSF 61

WRAS

3A Sanitary

- KIWA
- VA





### **Heat Protection**





### **Materials**

Special high-temperature-resistant silicone foam seals are recommended for use in heat protection areas. Silicone foam offers excellent heat insulation as well as noise insulation.



### **Areas of application**

- Oven door seals
- Grommets
- Conveyor technology
- Roll covers

- Climate cabinets
- Fire hoses
- Sealing systems flexible at low temperatures
- Conveyor flap seals



### BIW as part of the Silicone Group





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**Emergency management: "Back-up facilities" as backup production sites for single-source supplier products** 



