Terms & Conditions

Scope of Conditions

- 1.1. Our following general terms and conditions apply to all contracts with merchants and non-merchants regarding the delivery of newly manufactured goods that we offer for sale in our catalogs. In dealings with non-merchants, they become part of the contract under the conditions of §2 AGBG upon conclusion of such contracts.
- 1.2. Deviating purchasing conditions of the customer shall only apply with our written consent. We hereby expressly reject any confirmations from the buyer containing deviating conditions.
- 1.3. The legal invalidity of individual provisions does not affect the validity of the remaining content.
- 1.4. Where these T&Cs do not contain regulations, the content of the contract shall be governed by the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany.
- 1.5. The seller's terms and conditions explicitly apply and take precedence in the contract.

Contract Conclusion

- 2.1. Our offers are non-binding. The purchaser is bound by their order until rejected by us, but no longer than 8 weeks. The contract is concluded upon our declaration of acceptance (order confirmation) or by delivery/performance within the acceptance period.
- 2.2. Our sales representatives are only authorized to receive orders, not to conclude contracts.
- 2.3. Individual agreements (e.g., delivery time, pricing, guarantees, or deviations from these T&Cs) must be in writing. This requirement cannot be waived.
- 2.4. Specifications regarding form, color, performance, and images are approximate and non-binding unless explicitly stated otherwise.

Delivery

- 3.1. With conclusion of contract, we commit to delivering the goods free of defects within the agreed timeframe. If no deadline is set, a period of 4-8 weeks from contract date applies.
- 3.2. Minimum order value is EUR300 net. For smaller orders, a EUR7 handling fee is charged.

Deliveries within Germany: Orders of EUR1000 net or more per delivery address and date are delivered free of charge at buyer's risk. Below that value, a 5% shipping flat rate (based on net order value) is charged.

Deliveries outside Germany: 10% shipping flat rate (based on net order value).

- 3.3. Clearance or special-priced items are delivered by arrangement from Ludwigsfelde warehouse.
- 3.5. Packaging is not charged and not taken back.

- 3.6. For custom-made products, delivery time starts only once we receive all necessary documents (e.g., drawings, templates, samples).
- 3.7. If changes or additions are requested, delivery time is extended appropriately.
- 3.8. In case of delay or non-performance on our part, compensation claims (according to §326 BGB) are limited to 5% of order value unless gross negligence or intent applies. Further claims are excluded as far as legally permitted.

Prices

- 4.1. Prices in our lists, ads, and brochures are non-binding and only valid upon written order confirmation.
- 4.2. Our prices are in EURO, net of VAT. The catalog prices valid on the date of contract apply.

Place of Performance, Jurisdiction, Severability

- 5.1. These terms and the entire legal relationship are governed by the law of the Federal Republic of Germany.
- 5.2. Place of performance for all payments is our company's registered office. If the buyer is a merchant, Potsdam District Court has jurisdiction.
- 5.3. If any clause is or becomes invalid, the validity of the remaining clauses remains unaffected.

Warranty

- 6.1. If the delivered goods are defective, the buyer may only demand rectification. If this is impossible, they may demand a replacement. Only after two failed attempts may the buyer request a price reduction or cancellation of contract.
- 6.2. Shortages must be reported in writing within 8 days of delivery, including our delivery note. Otherwise, delivery is considered approved.
- 6.3. All further claims, including consequential damages, are excluded as far as legally permissible.

Payment Due Date

- 7.1. Unless otherwise agreed in writing, payment is due on the calendar day in the following month corresponding to the invoice date (e.g., invoice dated March 3 -> due April 3).
- 7.2. Timeliness is determined by the date payment is received, not sent.
- 7.3. Late payment invalidates any granted deferrals for other invoices. This applies to insolvency or check protest cases.
- 7.4. Discount and bill of exchange charges are borne by the buyer.

Default Interest

- 8.1. Both parties may claim interest on overdue receivables based on standard bank interest rates, but at least 9% per year.
- 8.2. No interest accrues if:
- a) the claim is deferred;
- b) the creditor is in default of acceptance per §§ 293 ff BGB;
- c) the debtor was entitled to deposit payment and did so.
- 8.3. Later deferrals do not cancel the obligation to pay interest.

Retention of Title

- 9.1. Goods remain the seller's property until full payment, including all incidental costs, is received.
- 9.2. Retention also applies if individual receivables are included in a current account.
- 9.3. Buyer may only resell under the condition that receivables per 9.5 are assigned to the seller.
- 9.4. Buyer's resale rights expire upon our revocation due to financial deterioration or non-payment after three reminders, or insolvency filing.
- 9.5. Buyer hereby assigns to us any claims from resale. We accept this assignment.
- 9.6. Buyer may collect receivables unless in default or if revocation occurs. We are then authorized to notify third-party debtors directly.
- 9.7. If the total value of security exceeds our claims by 20%, we will release excess security upon buyer's request.

Complaints, Returns, Credit Notes

- 10.1. Complaints must be submitted within 7 days in writing, stating invoice or delivery note number. Unpaid returns will not be accepted.
- 10.2. Returns will be picked up by us or approved for destruction by agreement.
- 10.3. Credit notes are only issued for complaint rates above 1% of the net invoice amount and no less than EUR10.

Offsetting

Buyers may only offset against our claims if their counterclaims are undisputed or legally binding.

Jurisdiction Agreement

- 12.1. For property claims arising from the purchase contract, the competent court is Potsdam District Court, provided both parties are merchants and no exclusive jurisdiction exists.
- 12.2. This applies also if:
- a) the buyer resides abroad or in an EU country;
- b) the defendant has moved outside Germany or their residence is unknown at the time of litigation.