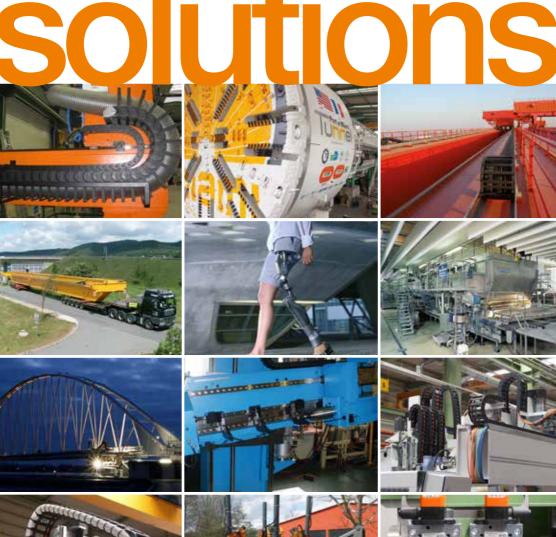
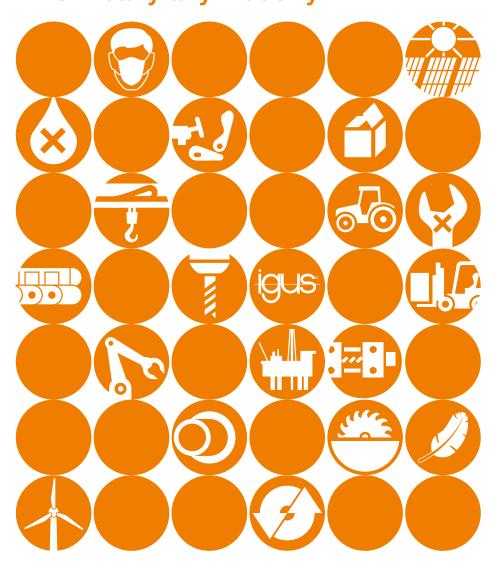
# ICUSTI motion plastics solutions for any industry...





## igus<sup>®</sup> motion plastics<sup>®</sup> solutions ... ... for nearly any industry



"Did you know ...

... that we have polymer solutions for nearly 60 industries?"

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### Fit and forget - matching solutions from stock

- Innovative and cost effective products that can be assembled quickly
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- Customised assembly modules delivered ready to install
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- Cables with 36 months guarantee (according to igus® guarantee provisions)
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Head of industry management

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### Ready to install and cost effective ...





### ... Machine tool industry

"Toolmakers and their suppliers are facing major global challenges. The competition is becoming more intense, the price pressure is becoming greater, as also the demand for local production. igus® has the right solutions: top quality but are affordable."

## Your contacts



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For flexible use, cost effective: chainflex® M

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Dirt repellant dry running: drylin® hybrid bearing

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System E4.1L



Chip tests at the igus® test-lab prove the excellent sealing of igus® RX e-tube, even with hot chips.



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## Move reliably in all axes ...





## ... Robotics industry

"For all 3D applications: triflex® R provides modular protection of cables and hoses in the robotic modular kit."

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## ... Automotive industry bearings

"igus® bearings are 7 times lighter than metallic rolled, PTFE coated bearings and do not rust."

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Cost-effective for the engine compartment: iglidur® H4

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Save 90% weight: igubal® coupling rods

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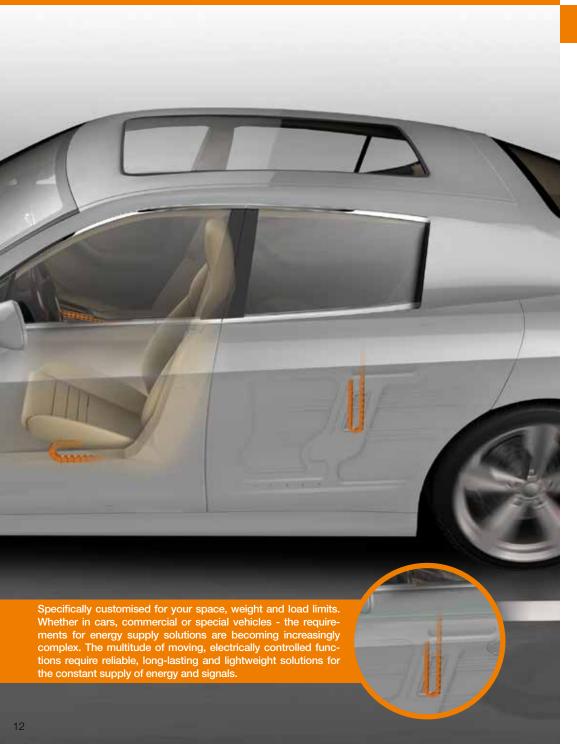
Quality assurance: 100% visual inspection for the highest quality, target: 0 errors



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## Guide reliably in confined spaces ...



### ... Automotive industry on board

"Failsafe energy supply systems specifically for your installation space, adapted to your weight and load limits."





Johannes Zournatzis

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## **Products in focus**



Modular and in one piece for easy application: e-chain® E1

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assemble: e-chain® E2.10

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Stable, quiet, light and easy to Corrugated hose solution with inherent rigidity: e-skin®

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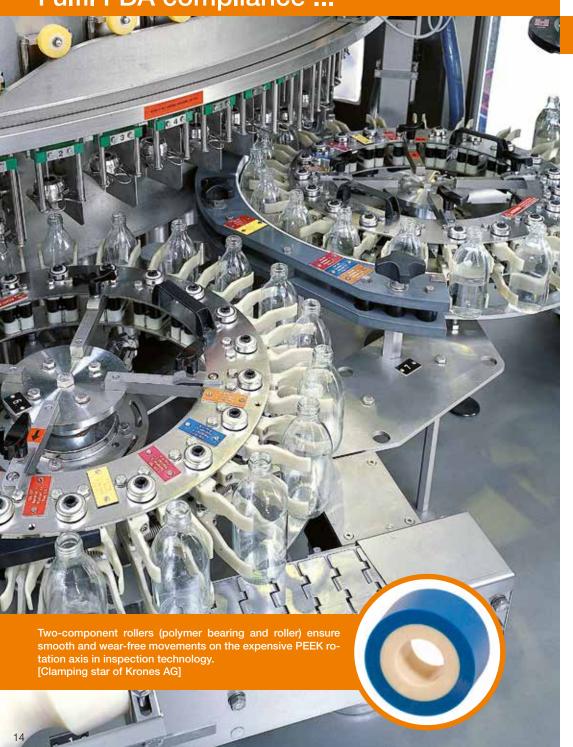
Test 3621: Control cable CF98.05.04 withstands more than 138 million strokes at a radius of 18 mm (3.2 x d).



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## Fulfil FDA compliance ...





### ... Packaging industry

"Tuned to the specific needs of the packaging industry, such as food hygiene or FDA compliance, we offer you solutions made of high-performance plastic solutions that optimise your packaging machines."

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### **Products in focus**





Corrosion resistant steel com- Temperatures up to +250°C, ponents: drylin® SLW

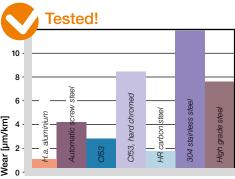
www.igus.eu/drylinSLW

FDA compliant: iglidur® A500

www.igus.eu/a500

Assembled and ready to install: readychain® systems

www.readychain.eu



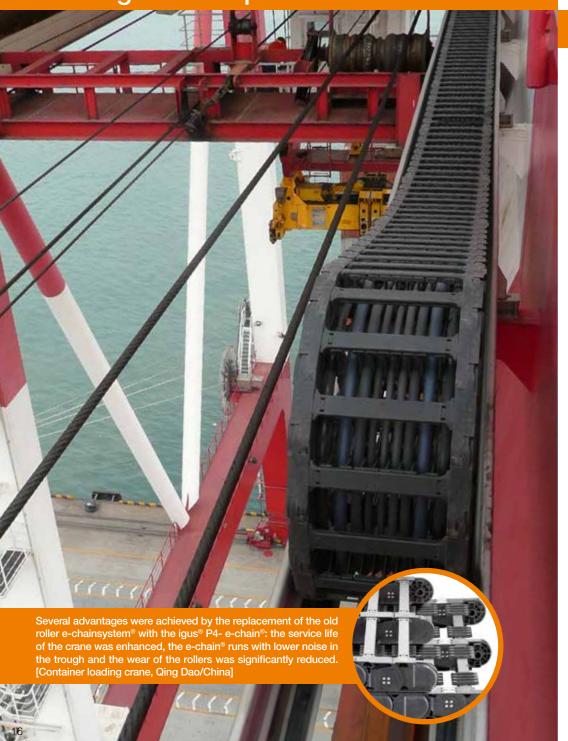
Wear iglidur® G with various shaft materials (rotating 0.3 m/s; 1.0 MPa). Low load aplications can often be worked with inexpensive shaft materials.



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## On long travels up to 800 m ...





### ... Crane industry

"igus® e-chainsystems® and flexible chainflex® cables have been successfully used worldwide on more than 800 STS, 5,000 RTG / RMG and over 10,000 harbour installations, like bulk handling cranes, Goliath cranes, reach stackers, empty container trucks, spreaders, lifts and forklifts."

Your contacts



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For very high fill weights and speed: P4 roller chain

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Predictable maintenance with

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For outdoor applications, TPEintelligent products: smart plastics qualities: chainflex® CF330, CFLG





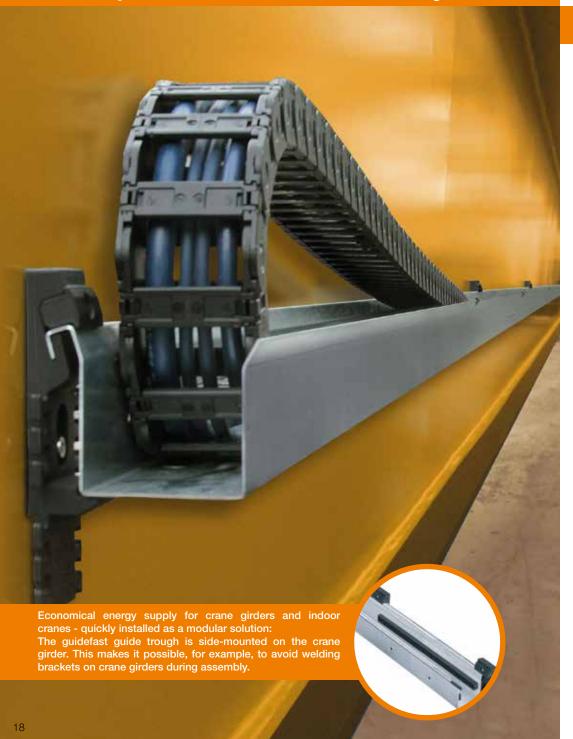
Field test: igus® e-rover enables automatic coupling and decoupling on e-chainsystem®. Supply energy, data and fibre optic signals at Gbit speed.



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## Save space and enhance reliability ...





### ... Indoor crane industry

"igus® e-chainsystems® with flexible chainflex® cables for single or double girder cranes, rolling and box girder profile cranes, as well as travelling, overhead or jib cranes. Easily and safely mounted directly on or above the crane girder."

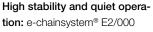
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For side mounting on crane girders: guidefast trough

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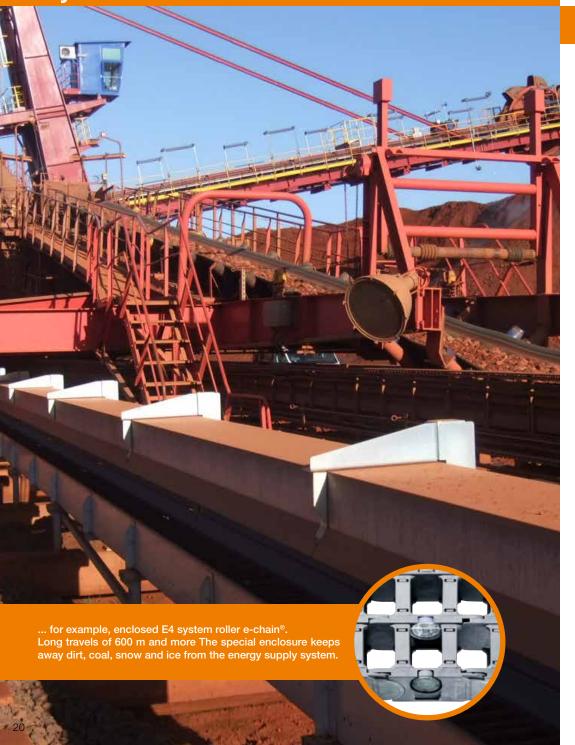
Bending cycle test: Just one of the many series of tests for the reliable prediction of igus® e-chains®.



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## Defy loads in the most adverse environment ...





### ... Bulk handling

"Moisture, dirt, chips, heat, cold - we have the solution for every requirement. igus® is the specialist in plastics research and can bank on its experience of more than 50 years."

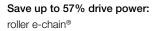
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Frank Schlögel

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more: rotary module

www.igus.eu/MRM



Rotary motion from 1250° and TPE control cables for extreme flexing performance

www.igus.eu/chainflex



Service life test on long travels at high speeds in the igus® lab



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### Solutions for every situation ...





### ... Material handling

"No other manufacturer offers this diversity in energy chains® and cables from stock and no other manufacturer provides as much service as igus®."

## Your contact:



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Industry manager Material handling

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For storage and retrieval systems: GLSL-P guide troughs

www.igus.eu/GLSL-P



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For increased tensile stress, hanging up to 50 m: CFSPECIAL.182

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chainflex® CFSPECIAL proves itself in the tensile force test as the ideal solution for applications with exremely high tensile forces, such as in forklifts.



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### The optimum solution designed for the customer





### ... Offshore, oil and gas

"They are already in use in many offshore applications and have proved very effective: energy chain systems and plain bearings from igus® withstand the toughest environmental conditions."

### Your contacts



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The largest e-chain® with 350 mm inner height: e-chain® E4.350

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more: rotary module

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Rotary motion from 1250° and With DNV-GL approval for offshore applications: CFLG.LB.PUR

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RBR test set-up: customer-specific construction of a circular motion in the igus® lab. Each product is tested thoroughly before it is delivered to the customer.



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### High loads on soft shafts ...





## ... Agriculture

"Especially in agriculture you need solutions that will withstand the harshest conditions such as dirt, shocks and high edge loads. Freedom from lubrication and long service life are also important."

### Your contact:



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## Products in focus



Long lasting at high loads: iglidur® Q290

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Curved guides according to your specifications

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Reliable cable routing for the smallest installation spaces: E2 micro

www.igus.eu/E2micro





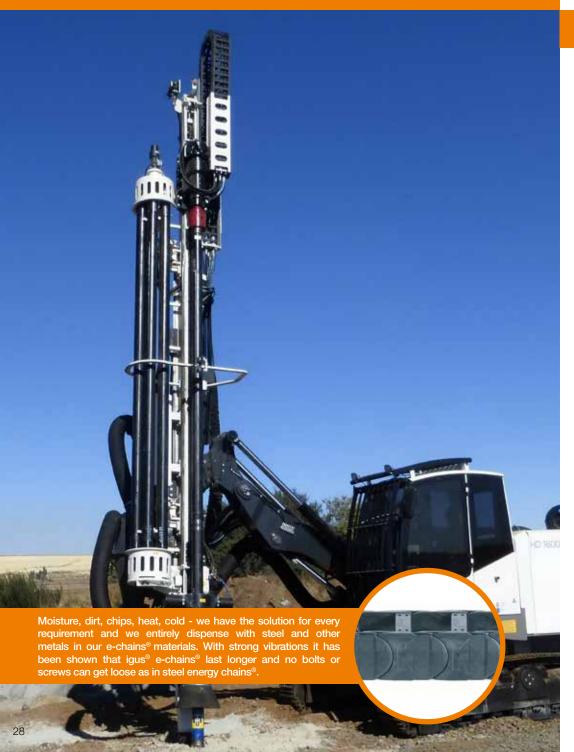
Pivot test on galvanised shafts: iglidur® Q290 plain bearing (left) against metallic model.



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www.igus.eu/agriculture

### Dirt and vibrations ...





### ... Construction machinery

"Machine components are subjected to high loads particularly in the construction equipment and machinery industry. igus® products have been tested for outdoor applications with vibration, cold, heat and UV radiation."

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### **Products in focus**

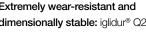


Reliable under vibration: e-chain® E4 "Heavy Duty" www.igus.eu/E4-HD



Extremely wear-resistant and dimensionally stable: iglidur® Q2

www.igus.eu/Q2





High UV-resistance and use in up to -35°C: chainflex® CF9

www.igus.eu/CF9



Vibration test: A standing installation of igus® E4 e-chain® was exposed to direct vibration (comparable to a rock drilling).



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www.igus.eu/constructionmachinery

### Highest hygiene standards ...



## ... Medical engineering & lab equipment

"Functional safety and the prevention of contamination are top priorities in medical and laboratory equipment, as well as in the production of pharmaceuticals. Due to the elimination of lubricants, igus® products are often the first choice."

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### Products in focus



Reduces the germ load: antibacterial iglidur® AB

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Parallel guiding of two capillary hoses possible: e-cord

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Minimum bending radii up to 4 x d: chainflex® CF9 and CF98

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Special test bench for comparative wear rate determination of materials of igus® and competitors



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### In all axes and maintenance-free ...





### ... Wood working / processing

"Chip-resistant igus® plastics solutions help you decrease installation times and the demands on your logistics, reduce throughput times and dispense with virtually all maintenance."

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**Guido Lopes** 

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## Products in focus



With integrated seal against dust: e-chain® E4.64L

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Drive cables according to 24 manufacturers: readycable®

www.readycable.eu



**Dry running and resistant to dirt:** drylin® hybrid bearing

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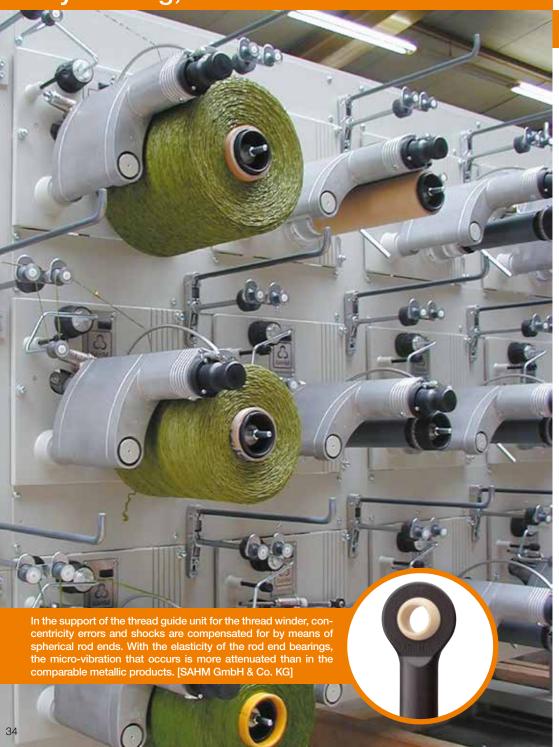
**Customer-specific tests:** We test each product also specifically for the application. Here a test with wood chips for a side mounted E4.64L e-chain®.



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

www.igus.eu/woodworking

### Dry running, without lubrication ...





### ... Textile industry

"The textile industry places top priority on components being free from lubricants and resistant to dust. Maintenance-free and tribologically optimised plastics from igus® ideally fulfil these and many other requirements."

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## Products in focus



ESD-compatible universal bearings: iglidur® F2

www.igus.eu/F2



Usable as a belt tensioner or guide roller: xiros®

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Suitable for multiple lining of surfaces: Tribo-Tape

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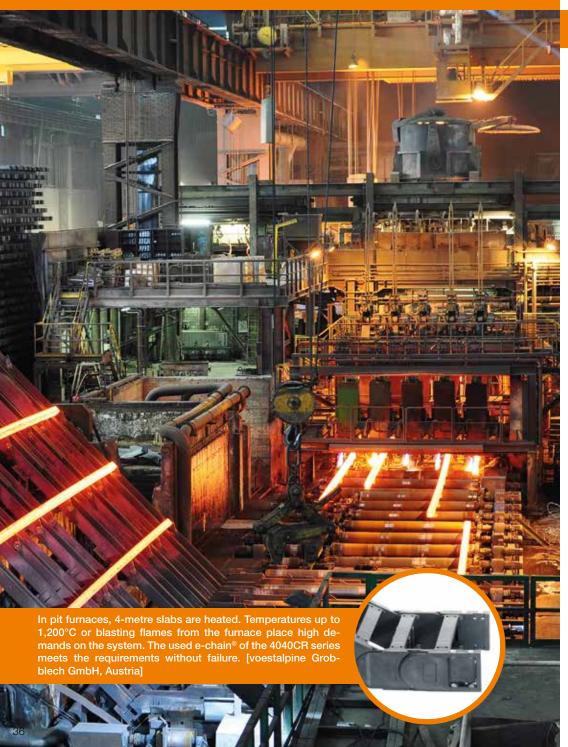
Wear test: igus® materials are significantly more resistant to wear than PTFE films in the test.



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

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### In heat and cold ...





### ... Steel industry

"In steel mills and foundries there is constantly high external strain on man and machine. For these tough environments we offer you low-maintenance, low priced and long-lasting systems."

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Michael Berteit

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Save up to 57% drive power: roller e-chain®

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Highly abrasion-resistant at tem- TPE control cables for extreperatures up to +250°C: iglidur® X me flexing use: chainflex® CF9

www.igus.eu/X

www.igus.eu/CF9



Wear-resistant: Every e-chain® has a mileage of more than 10,000 km.



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### Aesthetic and functional ...





### ... Furniture industry

"Smooth running, corrosion resistant and high load capacity instead of rust, lubrication and squeaking. The convenience of igus® high-performance plastics are great for your furniture and interior ... long-lasting and low priced."





Michael Hornung

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Low price and flexible sliding guide: drylin® N

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Ideal for chairs, lights, handles: clearance-free pretensioned bearing le applications: e-chain® ZF

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Aesthetic for height-adjustab-

www.igus.eu/ZF14











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### Print out a single part quickly yourself ...





### ... 3D Printing technology

"The use of maintenance-free drylin® linear bearings eliminates the regular greasing, and they move quietly and dampen the vibrations occurring during high accelerations while printing."

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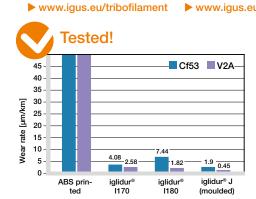
to wear: iglidur® Tribo-Filaments

Up to 50 times more resistant 3-times more abrasion-resistant Interchangeable 1:1 with recir-

culating ball bearings: drylin® R

for laser sintering: iglidur® 13 www.igus.eu/l3

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Wear-resistant, linear: Up to 50 times more abrasion-resistant than common 3D printing filament materials.



products for 3D printers

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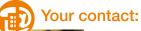
### Reduce weight, dispense with maintenance ...





### ... Two-wheeler industry

"In all types of cycling, there is one factor that is always crucial – the weight of the bike! To achieve top sporting performances or simply enjoy a relaxed bike ride without too much effort, it is essential for the bike to have a low weight."





Patrick Carl

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Very wear-resistant on (almost) all shafts: iglidur® J

www.igus.eu/J



The classic endurance runner up to 30 MPa: iglidur® W300

www.igus.eu/W300



Excellent price-performance ratio: iglidur® G

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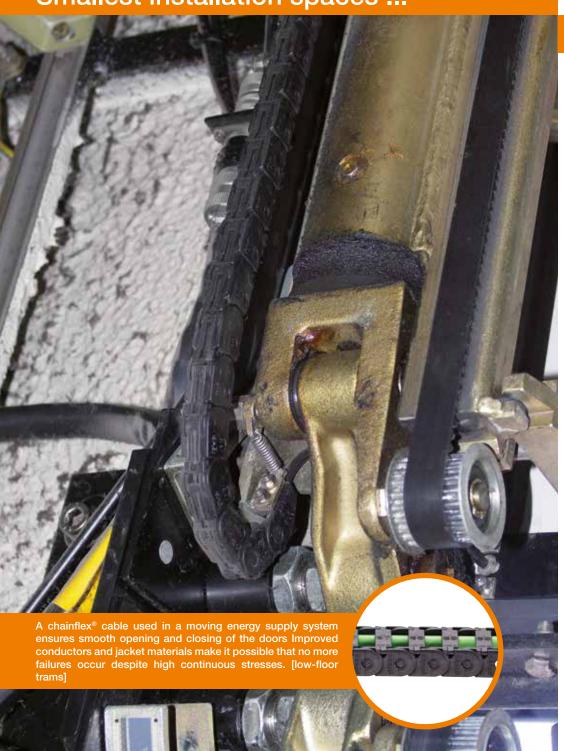
Simulation of continuous load. Tested with impact in suspended parallelogram seatpost.



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

www.igus.eu/bicycle

## Smallest installation spaces ...





### ... Rail technology

"Lasting, tough and reliable mechanical components form the backbone of the transport industry. A maintenance-free continuous operation is critical in applications with high cycle rates under changing weather conditions."

## Your contact:



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# Products in focus



High reliability and efficiency: dryspin® technology

www.igus.eu/dryspin



Low-cost all-rounder for fire safety: iglidur® G V0

www.igus.eu/GV0



Particularly for use in rail vehicles.

www.igus.eu/cfspecial414





igus® has certified the material igumid V0.GF for the fire safety standard EN45545. With these test results igus® covers the requirement areas R22, R23 and R24.



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

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### Failsafe and maintenance-free ...





### ... Aviation

"Lightweight, quiet, failsafe and as small as possible. igus® combines these product requirements for aviation - specifically for the interior design - with freedom from lubrication and maintenance."

### Your contact:



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## **Products in focus**



For flexible adjustments (backrest, tables, etc.): drylin®

www.igus.eu/drylin

Reliable cable guiding for smallest Extremely lightweight, rugged installation spaces with UL94-V2

www.igus.eu/easychain



and stable: drylin® carbon

www.igus.eu/drylin-carbon





igus® has certified the material iglidur® G V0 for the fire safety standard EN45545. With these test results igus® covers the requirement areas R22, R23 and R24.



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

www.igus.eu/aircraft

### Silent operation and smoothly sliding ...





### ... Camera technology

"The lubrication-free components can be moved with millimetre accuracy and have an absolutely smooth movement. The best conditions for perfect photos."

## Your contacts



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## **Products in focus**







Pre-assembled camera slider with double roller: drylin® WWH ments: slewing ring bearings

For rotary and pivoting move-

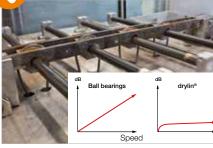
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For small installation spaces, height max. 12 mm: drylin® N

### www.igus.eu/drylinN



www.igus.eu/drylinW



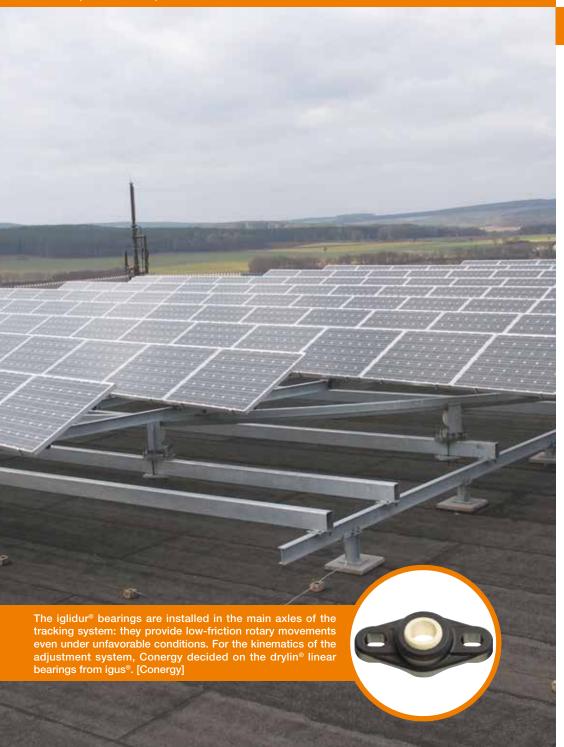
Noise test: comparison of noise development of ball bearings against drylin® linear bearings



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

www.igus.eu/camera

### Dirt, sand, heat and rain ...





### ... solar technology

"The requirements of systems for the recovery of energy from sunlight could not be more different. Extreme temperatures and weathering by wind, water, dirt and dust expose products to their very limits.

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### **Products in focus**



Self-adjusting and high fatigue Dirt-repellant threaded nuts: strength: igubal® dryspin®

www.igus.eu/pillowblocks



www.igus.eu/dryspin



Twistable up to 10°/chain link: 3D e-chain® triflex® R

www.igus.eu/triflexR



Endurance test: igubal® rod end bearing (right) against metallic rod end bearing. 97 million cycles, steel has failed by about 50 million cycles.



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### Weather resistant ...





### ... Wind energy

"Wind power is your strength, motion plastics® ours. igus® offers a wide selection of solutions for wind power generation as well as in production equipment, transport and installation."

## Your contact:



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### Products in focus



Azimuth and rotor blade adjustment: RBR system

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Rotor blade adjustment and brake: iglidur® linear bearings

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Reliable torsion up to  $\pm$  10° per link in the rotor hub: triflex® R

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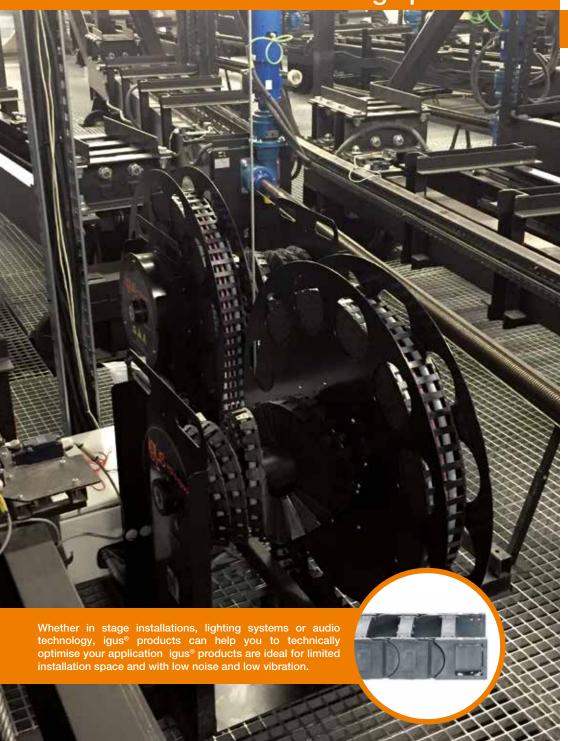
Test 3105: chainflex® robotic fibre optic cable can withstand more than 27.5 cycles in the torsion test.



Industry web pages with detailed information, application examples and more ...

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## Guide all media while saving space ...





### ... Theatre / Stage construction

"Fit and forget ... this summarises the requirements orf a stage and theatre builder. This is possible with igus® products."

## Your contacts



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Industry manager Theatre / Stage construction Phone: +49-2203 9649-7040 E-mail: tpiepenbring@igus.de

### **Products in focus**



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The "igus® cable reel" without For flexing applications without slip ring: e-spool

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influence of oil: chainflex® cables.

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### Tested!



Noise test: The e-spool is moved in a sound-insulated space at a speed of approx. 0.3 m/s. The noise development is measured.

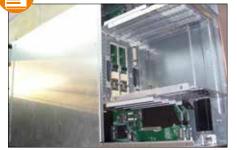


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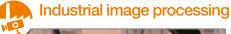
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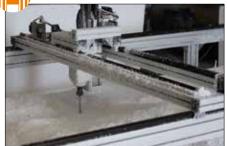


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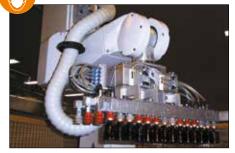
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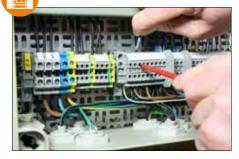
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### The igus® e-chain® construction kit.

e-chainsystems® are the "umbilical cords" of modern machines. They reduce downtime and increase the service lives of cables and hoses. Plastic energy chains® have been developed, produced and tested by igus® since 1971. e-chainsystems® carry sensitive bus, data and fiber optic cables, as well as energy forms such as electricity, gas, air and hydraulics.

- Carry sensitive bus, data and fibre optic cables, as well as energy forms such as electricity, gas, air and liquids in one system
- For high dynamic loads and tough service life requirements
- Many possibilities in terms of movement and length

Strong "stop-dogs" for high loads and forces

Cross bars snap open on both sides for quick filling

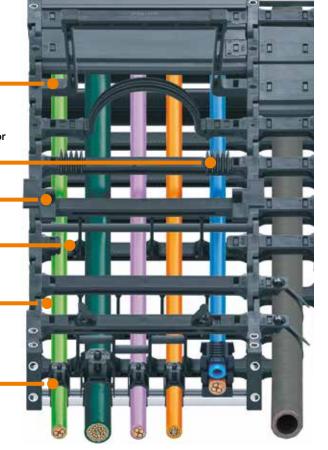
Dirt-repelling exterior contour

Very quiet operation due to structural stop brake

Gliding surfaces for long service life

Custom colours and special solutions

- For all environments and climates (from -40°C to +120°C)
- Easy to clean
- Space-saving installation
- Enclosed or open types
- Also as detectable material or as ESD/ATEX version
- Available as preassembled readychain<sup>®</sup> system (chain + cable)
- Easy installation of the systems, and quick retrofitting
- Numerous standards, approvals and certificates
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### More than 1,354 highly flexible igus® chainflex® cables from stock

... cables for flexible movements

Flexible cables in energy chains® need special characteristics to last through many cycles, high speeds and accelerations, as well as demanding environmental conditions. Likewise, EMC safety and the fulfillment of standards and guidelines such as NFPA 79, UL, CSA, VDE, Inter- and Profibus are today essential requirements to be met. The igus® chainflex® range extends over control, servo, motor and robot cables up to bus, data, encoder and fibre optic cables, all ideal for the energy chain®.

- Temperatures -40 °C to +90 °C
- For highly dynamic applications in energy supply systems
- Special design prevents cable failure and "corkscrewing"
- Highly abrasion-resistant jacket materials (PVC, PUR, TPE)
- 3 years guarantee for every chainflex® cable\*
- readycable®: assembled cables with connectors according to 22 manufacturer standards

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### Lubrication-free ... maintenance-free

### Maintenance-free iglidur® plain bearing made of plastic

No lubrication and thus low maintenance, while cutting costs and increasing service life, everything from stock and delivered promptly – that is the central idea of all igus® products. iglidur® plastics have been extensively tested with respect to wear and friction values including other relevant material properties. iglidur® polymer plain bearings from igus® signifies the step from the plastic bushing to the tested and therefore predictable machine element.

- Absolutely lubrication-free
- Very light weight
- High static loads
- No corrosion
- Vibration dampening
- Metric and imperial dimensions
- Special dimension and designs
- Numerous standards, approvals and certificates
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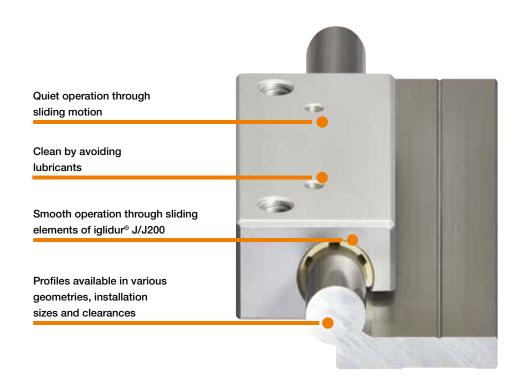
## The base polymers are crucial for the wear resistance Fibres and filling materials reinforce the bearing to absorb high forces or edge loads Finally, the solid lubricants automatically lubricate the bearings and reduce the friction in the system

### ... dry running ... gliding ... low noise

### Maintenance-free drylin® linear plain bearings and linear guides

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- Resistant to dirt due to dry operation
- Resistant to impacts and vibrations
- High static load capacity
- Suited for short-stroke applications
- Lightweight
- Vibration dampening
- Quieter than metallic linear bearings
- Special designs according to customer needs
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### In the largest lab of the industry...

### ... 2,750 m<sup>2</sup> lab ... 107 test stations ... more than 2 billion cycles/year

Applications with high cycle rates, speeds and accelerations in demanding environmental conditions require tested and reliable systems especially for energy chains® and cables, as well as polymer plain bearings and linear systems. igus® constantly conducts tests in its in-house laboratory under real-world conditions.

• 3,000 tests for e-chainsystems® every year on over 180 facilities: climatic chamber, field tests, noise chamber and more



igus® laboratory with 2,750 m² inside / outside areas



Bending cycles tests



 Two billion test cycles a year for highly flexible cables

- One million electrical measurement data records annually
- 15,000 tribological tests (friction and wear) in 300 test set-ups
- 140 trillion test movements in the bearings business unit
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Torsion tests



Long term wear and life-time test



Chip test

### ... tested, developed and produced

### igus® motion plastics® from Cologne

Nearly 200,000 customers worldwide trust "plastics for longer life®".

Manufacture affordable products and yet ensure high quality, this is a promise that we keep with "motion plastics®": moving parts made of plastic that cost less and last longer.

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Material preparation



**Toolmaking** 

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Assembling factory



Open offices



Injection moulding

## Fitted with experience ...

Fast, professional installation by specialised installation staff: saves installation time and cost, increases the service life, prevents failures.



Predictable fixed prices for the installation and maintenance: saves you administrative work in planning and purchasing.



Predictable installation time for your system in your plant: helps you in scheduling and contributes to plant availability.



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Customer-specific developments with many solutions from the "modular kit"

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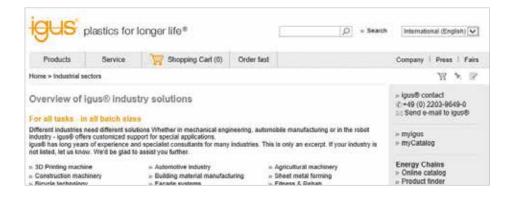
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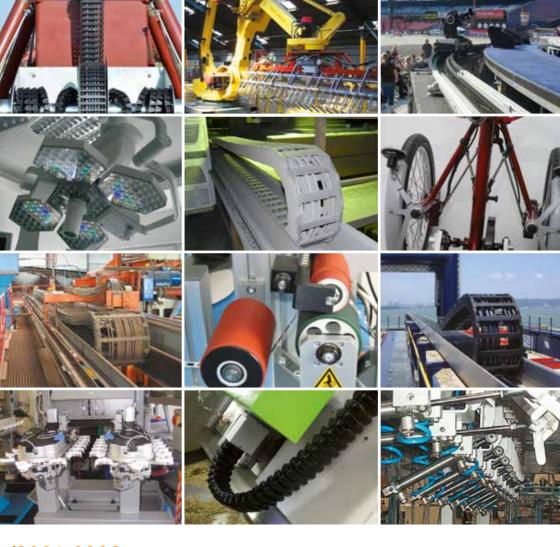


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