

General Product Safety Regulation (GPSR)

The current version of the General Product Safety Regulation (GPSR), like the previous Product Safety Directive, serves to protect consumers. This regulation therefore only applies to “consumer products”, i.e. products that are supplied or made available to consumers and are intended for them, or where it is likely that they will be used by consumers. This does not apply to vehicle parts without exception, which has also been communicated by the Federal Motor Transport Authority with regard to the Product Safety Directive.

The bilstein group does everything necessary to ensure the greatest possible consumer protection. Wherever necessary, we provide appropriate warnings and safety instructions and also enclose these with the products.

Since, in our legal opinion, the majority of our portfolio requires special knowledge and skills for proper and professional installation, we do not consider the requirements of the GPSR to be applicable to this part of our product portfolio. Products that undoubtedly fall under the GPSR naturally meet all the relevant requirements.

The bilstein group confirms compliance with the manufacturer’s obligations set out in Chapter 3, Paragraph 1, Article 9 to the extent required.



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