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### **SAWIKO presenting the next generation of towing hitches**

The MT054 system also offers the optimal solution for individual installation situations

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Motorhomes are becoming more and more customised – and this includes both the layout and configurations. The result: Retrofit products, such as towing hitches, must then be produced as a small series or even a special solution, which is difficult and expensive. SAWIKO now has a clever solution for this. The company from Neuenkirchen-Vörden, a subsidiary of AL-KO Vehicle Technology, is one of the most competitive and capable manufacturers of rear rack systems and tow bars for motorhomes in Europe. These specialists for motorhome accessories have drawn on nearly 20 years of experience to develop a construction kit system that also consistently offers the optimal solution for special situations.

The new type MT054 system includes four basic components – ball head, clamping ring, cross member and side plate – which are bolted on to the chassis or chassis extension as one assembly. This offers the highest flexibility. Tow balls can be mounted either as a removable variant, with a fixed ball rod or as a four-hole flange coupling, ensuring optimal use of the installation space under the structure for every vehicle type. The cross member is available in all lengths for AL-KO chassis and SAWIKO chassis extensions. And the side plates are also available for all common variants of the existing AL-KO cross member for the AL-KO chassis. In addition, additional installation positions are also possible due to the construction kit system.

What's more, this system is also available as a heavy load variant (type MT055).

The advantages of both construction kit systems:

- Greater ground clearance possible
- Easier installation for "fitted" vehicles
- Less reworking for the rear apron

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Founded in 1931, AL-KO Vehicle Technology is a global technology company today with more than 40 sites in Europe, South America, Asia and Australia. Offering high-quality chassis components for trailers, recreational vehicles and light commercial vehicles, AL-KO represents optimum ergonomics and functionality, highest comfort as well as innovations for greater driving safety. The company is characterised by its sophisticated innovation processes and has received many awards for this.

AL-KO Vehicle Technology and Dexter Axle have merged to become DexKo Global Inc. (USA). This combination is the world's largest manufacturer of trailer axles and chassis components in the light segment. DexKo Global Inc. has a turnover of nearly US\$ 1 billion.

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