



## Series introduction of a new brake lining type BPW 6404 for the BPW SN 4220 drum brake from July 2025

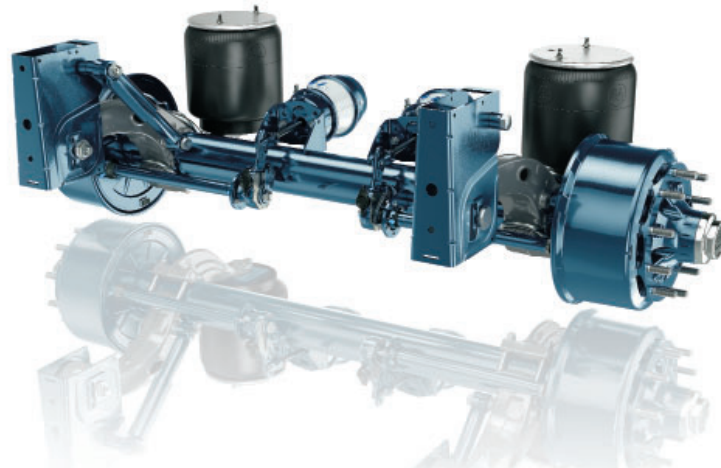
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From July 2025, BPW will be introducing a new additional brake lining type BPW 6404 for the BPW drum brake size SN 4220 up to 12.2 t.

This is the second step on the way to revising the brake lining portfolio.

The first step will take place in January 2025 with the changeover of size SN 4218 (see BPW News 75362301e from September 2023).

Other brake sizes will follow.



The inclusion of another supplier reduces the risk of a supply bottleneck and significantly increases the security of supply for our customers.

The brake lining type BPW 6404 was developed exclusively for the requirements in BPW drum brakes and has successfully passed all tests regarding performance, noise, strength and wear on the test bench and in road tests.

**For the successful introduction in July 2025, the adaptation of existing vehicle type approvals (homologations) is necessary.**

**Please ensure that your system and vehicle type approvals are adjusted accordingly by this date.**

The test report RDW-19160120-03 is available on the BPW website under Service/ Downloads/ Expert reports/ Brake reports for the amendment of existing approvals.

You can also obtain detailed information from your BPW contact person.