

Press release

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“Building Public Trust Award” 2023 for MAHLE

- The award recognizes high quality and transparency of the MAHLE Sustainability Report
- Winner in the non-listed companies category
- Jury appreciates completeness and credibility of reporting

MAHLE has been recognized by the auditing firm PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) as the best non-listed company with this year’s “Building Public Trust Award” due to the quality and credibility of its sustainability report. The jury of renowned, independent experts from science and business recognized the automotive supplier’s high-quality and transparent reporting in terms of consistency as well as completeness and materiality of the information presented.



MAHLE sustainability manager Kathrin Apel accepted the Building Public Trust Award 2023 in Berlin.

“Sustainability is part of our social responsibility as a foundation-owned company. That is why we have firmly anchored the topic in all its facets as a goal in our MAHLE 2030+ Group strategy. We are committed to comprehensive and transparent reporting, even though we are not yet legally subject to any reporting obligation,” said Georg Dietz, Member of the Management Board.

Kathrin Apel, Global Head of Sustainability, Health, Occupational Safety and Environmental Management at MAHLE accepted the award at the event in Berlin. She said: “Today, the public, customers and investors expect much more information from companies than data on the financial and business situation. They also want to know to what extent the group assumes social responsibility and is committed to environmental and labor issues, human rights and anti-corruption. We address these issues extensively in our sustainability report.”

The basis for the assessment was all publicly available information from MAHLE related to climate protection and sustainability. In addition to the financial and

sustainability reports, the jury also assessed press releases and other publications.

PwC has been presenting the Building Public Trust Award since 2016 to encourage companies to focus on reporting that includes sustainability and social responsibility. Last year, PwC awarded the prize for the first time to a non-listed company in order to strengthen the further development of transparent reporting in non-reporting companies.

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About MAHLE

MAHLE is a leading international development partner and supplier to the automotive industry with customers in both passenger car and commercial vehicle sectors. Founded in 1920, the technology group is working on the climate-neutral mobility of tomorrow, with a focus on the strategic areas of e-mobility and thermal management as well as further technology fields to reduce CO2 emissions, such as fuel cells or highly efficient, clean combustion engines that also run on synthetic fuels or hydrogen. Today, one in every two vehicles globally is equipped with MAHLE components.

MAHLE generated sales of more than EUR 12 billion in 2022. The company is represented with around 72,000 employees at 152 production locations and 12 major research and development centers in 30 countries. (Last revised: 12.31.2022)

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