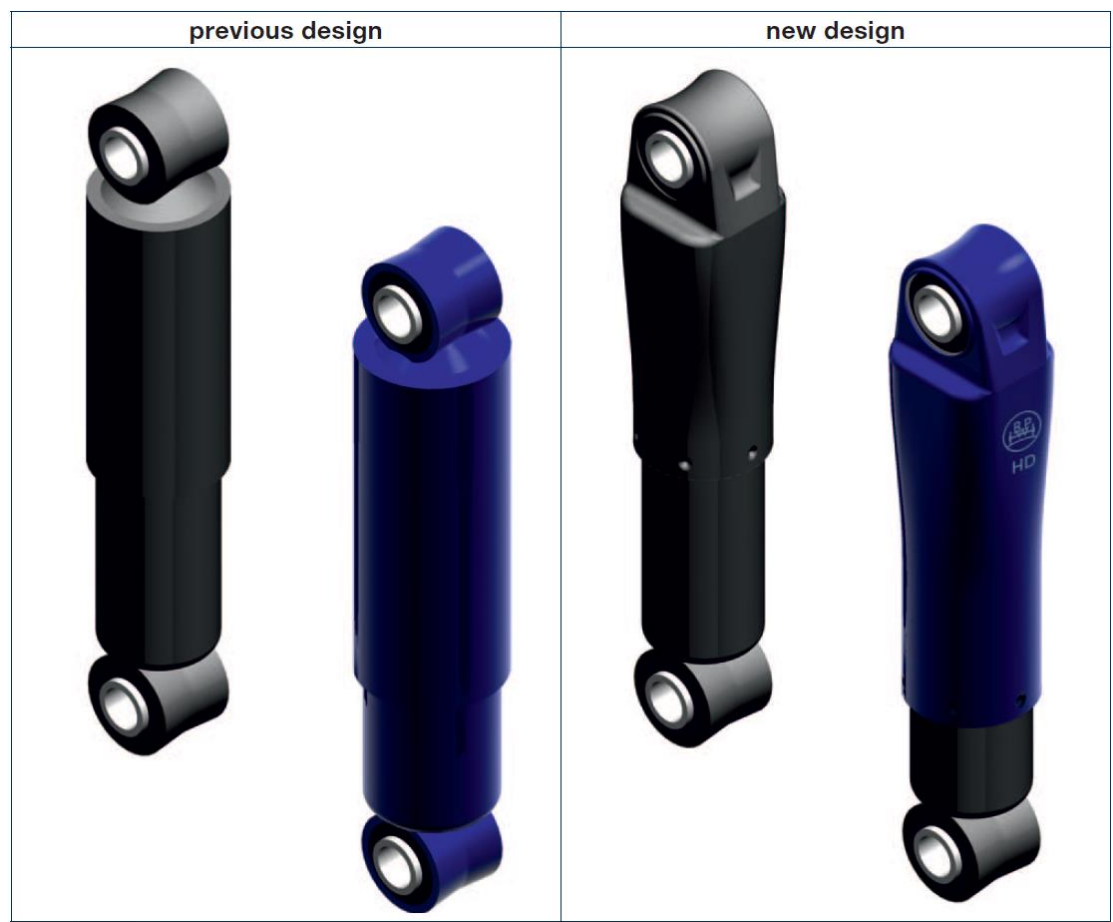


New BPW Shock Absorber Design

BPW Axles is introducing a new plastic protective tube design for its shock absorbers for series production as from week 29-2016.



The shock absorbers will be available under the same part numbers. The existing design will remain alongside the new design.

The shock absorbers are technically identical, right down to the design of the protective tube. This means that the shock absorbers are interchangeable and can be mixed in the same vehicle, or on the same axle.

Please note:

Due to the protective tube being plastic, extra care has to be taken in the installation of the suspension into the chassis. It is important that the protective tube of the shock absorber has to be protected from welding splatter.

An example on how to protect the protective tube can be seen in the picture below. (Heat resistant cloth)



Please ensure that your production processes take this change into consideration when building your trailers.

Please contact BPW Axles if you have any queries.

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