



## **SYNCRO 45** The latest generation of ca

The latest generation of cable yarders for economical timber harvesting

# **SYNCRO 45**

## **Innovation from tradition**

Our cable yarders were originally developed for our own forestry business due the dissatisfaction with the available solutions and the requirement for high work safety, productivity and value retention. To this day, this motivates us to continue to drive forward innovations together with our customers. The latest are the SYNCRO 45 cable yarder and the MM-SHERPA UE universal carriage.



## **Cable systems**



## Criteria for high profitability

### • Productivity

- Very high carriage speed when traveling empty and loaded
- High pulling power even when the cable drum is full
- High pulling power
- Flexibility
  - Wide range of use
  - High payload (weak to strong wood)
  - Suitable for all modes of operation (2-/ 3-cable, uphill, downhill and flat terrain)
  - For long cable corridors and additional lengths

### • Machine availability

- Low downtime
- Low operating costs
- Low fuel consumption due the high energy efficiency
- Low ongoing maintenance
- Length of life
  - Long length of life with regular maintenance
- High resale value
  - High resale value for used machines
- Safety
  - High safety standard for the operating team and the machine

# THE SYNCRO-PRINCIPLE

## **Functionality**

Conventional winches fort he pull and return rope are driven separately. The respective winding winch "pulls" the respective unwinding winch "brakes" to keep the rope system tight and therefore stable.

With the **SYNCRO winch**, two coaxially mounted large cable drums, which are driven by a common hydraulic motor, form a common winch for the towing and return cable. The working ropes are wound up on the drums in opposite directions. As a result, when the drums rotate together, one rope is wound up while the other is unwound. Another hydraulic motor, which connects the two drums and pretensions them against each other, ensures that the working ropes are pretensioned.

#### Advantages of the SYNCRO winch over conventional systems:

- Unbraked traction independent of the preload
- No loss of braking due the restraining cable
- High energy efficiency
- Smooth running and cable speed thanks to the very well pretensioned cable system
- Work that is gentle on the rope thanks to the large diameter



### SYNCRO BOOST SYSTEM

The two hydraulic motors can be coupled when pulling the load to the carriage and during the load travel to the cable yarder (permanent in 2-cable operation, briefly in 3-cable operation). This increases the maximum tractive effort, the maximum tractive power and thus also the maximum speed when loaded by up to 50%.

#### Advantages SYNCRO BOOST SYSTEM:

- Extension of the area of application in strong timber and windthrow processing
- Increase in productivity (load travel speed and payload)
- Increased safety through controlled tractive force amplification

## **MOUNTAIN HARVESTER**

#### **Universal carriage MM-SHERPA UE**

- For every route, length and incline uphill and downhill
- Electrical slack pulling in 2-cable operation
- Slack pulling for cable 2 in 3-cable operation
- Low weight
- Robust construction
- Excellent running

#### Hydraulic system

- Design for simultaneous cable car, crane and harvester head operation
- Filter concept with ultra-fine filtration for a long service life of the hydraulic components and the hydraulic oil

#### **Skyline winch**

- to 800 m cable length

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- to 120 kN basic tension
- to 150 kN max. tension

#### Controls

- Automatic distance
- Wide range of remote options
- Wide range of remote systems
- Robust constructions

#### **Mounting winch**

- Wiring with high-strength synthetic rope

#### **OFF ROAD CARRIER VEHICLE**

- Optionally mounted on a 3-axleor a 4-axle truck (MAN TGS\*)

\* other manufacturers also possible on customer request



#### Tower

- 12 m telescopic tower
- Alternative lowered operating hight
- Tower tilt up 12° all sides
- Swivel range up to 360°
- Flexible supported tower

#### SYNCRO-winch with SYNCRO BOOST SYSTEM

- to 45 kN average pulling force, 140 kW pulling power, up to max. 10 m/s rope speed
- to 1,800 m rope length
- excellent synchronization of the working ropes
- high energy efficiency
- constantly visibly rope drums

#### Processorcrane PALFINGER S280L94

- Large lifting force & range (up to 1.000 kg at 9.4m range added to the harvester head)
- Working with loader and processor is possible without lifted tower!

#### **Guy line winches**

- up to large length a diameter

#### Cabin

- Safety distance to the rope line
- Front- and side door
- Large inner hight
- Air conditioner (optionally)

#### Harvester head

 According to customer requirements

## **DATA SHEETS**



## **Cable yarders**

		WANDERFALKE 3to	SYNCROFALKE 3to	SYNCRO 45	SYNCROFALKE 4to	SYNCRO 55
Tower						
Telescope tower high (Truck mounted)	m	11.5	11.5	12	12	12
Folding tower high (mounted on trailer or crawler)	m	11	11	12.3	12.3	12.3
Skyline winch						
max. Basic tension skyline	kN	70	85	120	120	120
max. working tension	kN	98	120	150	150	180
diameter	mm	(16)/18	18.5/20	(18.5)/20.5/22	(18.5)/20.5/22	(20.5)/22.5
max. length	m	700/600	750/700	900/800/700	1200/1100/950	1100/950
Anchorwinch						
Diameter steel cable	mm	16 - 18	18 - 20	20-22	20-22	20-24
Diameter synthetic ropes	mm	18 - 20	20-22	22-26	22-26	22 - 26
max. length	m	85 (16mm)	70 (18mm)	70 (26mm)	70 (26mm)	70 (26mm)
Winches for mainline & hau	l-back	line				
Working principle 1)		conventional	SYNCRO	SYNCRO	SYNCRO	SYNCRO
max. traction cable 1	kN	23-34	26-34	38 - 50	36 - 50	48-62
max. pulling power	kW	90	120	180 (120) <sup>2)</sup>	180	240 (180) <sup>2)</sup>
max. speed	m/s	7,5	10	10	10	10
cable 1						
Diameter	mm	10	11	12	12	14
max. length	m	1200	1800	1900	1900	1900
cable 2						
diameter	mm	7	8	8 (10)	10	10
max. length	m	1200	1800	1900	1900	1900
Universal carriage: MM-SHERPA		U3 / UE3	U3 / UE 3 / UE 4L / UH 4L	U 4L / UE 4L / UH 4L	U 4L / UE 4L / UH 4L	U 4L / UE 4L / UH 4L

 No reduction of pulling force & power by the force of the haul back line working with the SYNCRO-principle with 3 lines 2) Increased pulling power using the SYNCRO BOOST SYSTEM working with 2 lines uphill

## **TYPES OF MACHINES**



#### Yarder on truck



... on trailer





## **Types of machines**

Mountain harvester		WF 3to K	SF 3to K	SY 45 K	SF 4to K	SY 55 K
Telescope tower height	m	11.5	11.5	12	12	12
Weight <sup>1)</sup>	kg	30000	32000	32000	36500	37500
Transport dimensions (LxWxH)	m	11.1 x 2.55 x 4	11.1 x 2.55 x 4	11.8 x 2.55 x 4	11.3 x 2.55 x 4	11.3 x 2.55 x 4
Crane: Palfinger S280L94						
Reach	m	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4
Lifting moment	kNm	229	229	229	229	229
Swivel moment	kNm	49.2	49.2	49.2	49.2	49.2
max. lifting load at ma. range <sup>2)</sup>	kg	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
Harvester head: by request of the custo	omer <sup>3)</sup>					
Truck: Standard Truck: MAN TGS <sup>4)</sup>						
axles		6x4 / 6x6	6x4 / 6x6	6x4 / 6x6 / 8x6 / 8x8	8x6 / 8x8	8x6 / 8x8
Engine power	PS/kW	470 / 346	470 / 346	470 / 346	470 / 346	470 / 346
Yarder on TRUCK		WF 3to S	SF 3to S	SY 45 S	SF 4to S	SY 55 S
Telescope tower height	m	11.5	11.5	12	12	12
Weight <sup>1)</sup>	kg	21500	23500	25000	27000	28000
Transport dimensions (LxWxH)	m	9.5 x 2.55 x 4	9.5 x 2.55 x 4	10 x 2.55 x 4	10 x 2.55 x 4	10 x 2.55 x 4
Truck: Standard Truck: MAN TGS <sup>4)</sup>						
axles		6x4 / 6x6	6x4 / 6x6	6x4 / 6x6	6x4 / 6x6	6x4 / 6x6
Engine power	PS/kW	430 / 316	430 / 316	430 / 316	430 / 316	430 / 316
Yarder on trailer		WF 3to A	SF 3to A	SY 45 A	SF 4to A	SY 55 A
Telescope tower height	m	11	11	12.3	12.3	12.3
Weight <sup>1)</sup>	kg	13000	15000	16500	18500	19500
Transport dimensions (LxWxH)	m	7.15 x 2.5 x 3.7	7.15 x 2.5 x 3.7	7.15 x 2.5 x 3.7	7.15 x 2.5 x 3.7	7.15 x 2.5 x 3.7
Engine power	PS/kW	190 / 140	190 / 140	278 / 205	278 / 205	278 / 205
Chassis		2-axle tandem	2-axle tandem	2-axle tandem	2-axle tandem	2-axle tandem
yarder on crawler		WF 3to R	SF 3to R	SY 45 R	SF 4to R	SY 55 R
Telescope tower height	m	11	11	12.3	12.3	12.3
Weight <sup>1)</sup>	kg	15500	17500	19000	21000	22000
Transport dimensions (LxWxH)	m	5.9 x 2.45 x 3.1	5.9 x 2.45 x 3.1	6.0 x 2.45 x 3.1	6.0 x 2.45 x 3.1	6.0 x 2.45 x 3.1
Engine power	PS/kW	190 / 140	190 / 140	278 / 205	278 / 205	278 / 205
Chassis		crawler 500mm	crawler 500mm	crawler 500mm	crawler 500mm	crawler 500mm

1) depends on the specifications of the machine

2) Max. lifting load at maximum horizontal range additional to the weight of the harvester head (app. 1,500 kg)

3) Seperate technical calculation needed

 on custumers request alternative truck possible

### **Universal carriage MM-SHERPA UE**

#### Low weight

- reduces fuel consumption

#### **Robust design**

#### **Electric slack pulling** in 2-cable system uphill

- Any spooling length
- 2 m/s spooling speed

Payload

Weight

Skyline Ø

Mainline Ø

max. tilt angle skyline

2-cable operation

Slack pulling

3-cable operation

Slack pulling type

Charging the battery when moving in

## **Technical specifications**

#### Very smooth running on the skyline

#### **High traction**

Also by pulling from far away from lateral position

#### Slack pulling by cable 2 in 3-cable operation downhill, uphill and in flat terrain

- Large slack pulling force & speed also on long and steep lines
- Long spooling length

#### **MM-PRISYS MM-SHERPA** BA 1.5 U 3 U 4L UE 3 UE 4L UH 4L H 3 1500 3500 4700 3500 4700 4700 3000 kg mm 14 - 2014 - 20 18-26 14-20 18-26 18-26 18-24 190 460 540 530 590 720 580 kg 8,5-14 8.5-14 8.5-14 10-12 6 - 128.5 - 148,5-14 mm 0 75° 75° 75° 75° 75° 75° 75° o 90° 90° 90° 90° 90° 90° 90° max. tilt angle laterally yes no no yes yes yes yes hydraulic manually electric hydraulic electric 100 / 80 max. slack pulling lenght any any any 80 m 2 2 6...\* max. slack pulling speed m/s 6...\* 3,5 max. slack pulling force kΝ 1,6/2 3,5 1,6 yes yes no yes yes ves no Slack pulling Slack pulling Slack pulling Slack pulling Slack pulling performed by performed by performed by performed by performed by cable 2 cable 2 cable 2 cable 2 cable 2 max. slack pulling lenght 150 220 110 220 220 m 110 160 80 160 160 m



\* ... depends on the cable yarder



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### **MM-carriages**