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## **GENERAL**

#### Introduction

This service manual is part of the instructions and contains the technical information for servicing, configuring and repairing a küschall® wheelchair.



#### WARNING!

Danger of accident and severe injuries.

If the wheelchair is improperly set it can cause accidents and severe injuries.

 Changes to the wheelchair may only be carried out by the provider.

To guarantee the required safety and reliability, all wheelchairs must be comprehensively checked once a year.

In part, assembly and adjustment require extensive experience. For this reason, the following assembly instructions have been split into three categories:

Requirement	Symbol
Easy – technical understanding required	●○○
Intermediate – specialist knowledge required	••0
Difficult – specialist wheelchair assembly knowledge and experience required	•••

The required tools and their respective sizes are listed above each instruction. The instructions include information on the torques with which the respective screw connections must be tightened. Adhering to the given torques requires the use of a torque spanner.

Tools	Symbol
Allen key	<b>3</b> , 4, 5
Phillips screwdriver	<b>x</b> 2
Straddle spanner	<b>—C</b> 10, 11, 19
Socket spanner/ring spanner	○ 8, 10

## Spare parts and adaptations

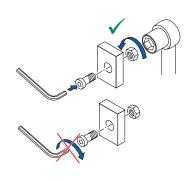
All spare parts can be purchased from küschall®'s Customer Services. An electronic spare parts catalog is available by logging onto www. kuschall.com. Only original spare parts may be used. Installing additional adaptations to a küschall® wheelchair requires the prior written approval of Küschall AG.

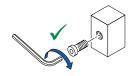
## **Tightening Allen screws**

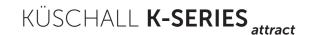
Allen keys are not designed for greater forces. When tightening or loosening an Allen screw, it is therefore advisable to apply force to the nut to prevent the hexagon socket from being damaged.

#### Tightening and loosening

■ Turn the nut with a socket spanner (only use a straddle spanner if there is insufficient space) and merely hold the screw tight with the Allen key.









#### Tightening and loosening if there is no nut

If an Allen screw is directly screwed into a screw thread, the screw must be tightened using an Allen key.

Ensure that the Allen key is of good quality and not worn.



#### **Torque**

■ All screw connections must be tightened with the torques specified in the following instructions.

#### Checks

#### Visual check

■ Check all components for cracks, especially the areas around joints and welded seams.

#### Checking the screw connections

■ Check all bolts with the torques specified in the instructions regularly, and adjust if required.



#### **CAUTION!**

∆ Several screw connections have been secured with thread locking adhesive. If these are opened, they must be secured again using new thread locking adhesive. Liquid high-strength and low-strength adhesives are available. For torque entries notice shall be made whether an adhesive and which adhesive needs to be used.

### Identifying and alleviating malfunctions

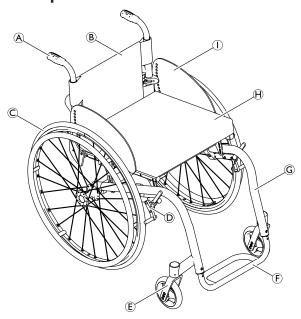
Malfunction	Possible cause	Measure		
	Incorrect tire pressure in a rear wheel	Correct tire pressure		
The wheelchair will not	One or more spokes broken	Replace defective spoke(s)		
move in a straight line	Spoke unevenly tensioned	Tighten excessively loose spokes		
	Dirty or damaged wheel bearings	Clean or replace bearings		
The second of the state of the second	Rear wheels have been fitted too far forward	Fit rear wheels further back		
The wheelchair tips backwards too easily	Backrest angle too great	Reduce backrest angle		
backwards too easity	Seat angle too great	Use longer vertical struts		
The brakes engage poorly	Incorrect tire pressure in one or both rear wheels	Correct tire pressure		
or asymmetrically	Brake setting incorrect	Correct brake setting		
Doll registance is too great	Insufficient tire pressure in the rear wheels	Correct tire pressure		
Roll resistance is too great	Rear wheels are not parallel	Ensure that the rear wheels are parallel		
The front wheels wobble	Insufficient tension in the front wheel bearings block	Lightly tighten the nut in the bearings block axle		
when moving fast	Front wheel is worn flat	Replace front wheel		
The front wheel is stiff or stuck	Dirty or damaged bearings	Clean or replace the bearings		
Increased forward tip tendency	Frame deformed	Replace frame		

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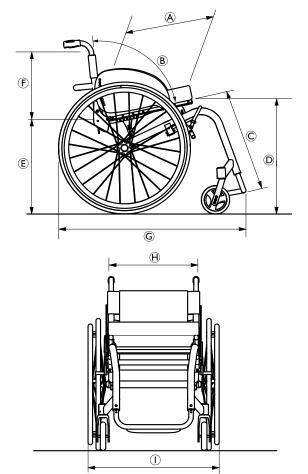
## **OVERVIEW**

## Components



A	Backrest
<b>B</b>	Rear wheel with handrim
©	Quick release axle
D	Folding mechanism
(E)	Front wheel fork with front wheel
F	Footrest
G	Frame
$\Theta$	Seat
1	Mudguard

## **Dimensions**



A	Seat depth	375 – 475 mm, in increments of 25 mm)
<b>B</b>	Backrest angle 74°/78°/82°/86°/90°	
©	Knee-to-heel length 400 – 480 mm, in increments of 10 mm	
D	Seat height front	480 – 510 mm, in increments of 10 mm
Œ	Seat height rear	400 – 480 mm, in increments of 10 mm
F	Backrest height	315 – 480 mm, in increments of 15 mm
©	Total length	75°: approx. 830 mm
		90°: approx. 760 mm
$\Theta$	Seat width	Seat width + 170 mm

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FRAME

## **FRAME**

The küschall **K-Series**  $_{\rm attract}$  frame is available in aluminium. Aluminium frames come with frame angles of 75° and 90°.

	Front seat height (SHv) in Frame mm (with a 24" rear wheel)		Lower leg length (UL) with standard- mounted bar*	Seat depth (ST)
Alu	75° standard	480 to 510	SHv -110 to SHv -30	375 <b>to</b> 475
⋖	90° standard	480 to 510	SHv -130 to SHv -40	375 <b>to</b> 475

<sup>\*</sup>For **lower leg lengths**, the high-mounted footrest must be used.

<sup>→</sup> Chapter: Footrests, "Assembling and adjusting high-mounted footrests"



## **SEAT**

### Seat width (SB)

Available seat widths: SB 360 to 480 in 20 mm steps.

Changing the seat width is very complicated and requires the replacement of numerous parts.

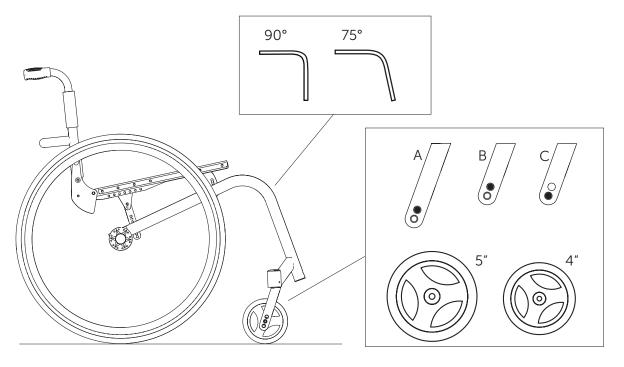
## Seat depth (ST)

Available seat depths: ST 375 to 475 in 25 mm steps.

Changing the seat depth requires the replacement of the seat rails, the seat cover and potentially also the seat cushion.

## Front seat height (SHv)

The front seat height is dependent on several factors that interact with each other. The size of the rear wheels determines the height of the sub-structure. In addition to the positioning of the brackets on the seat module, the frame, seat depth and rear seat height influence the seat height.



Possible front and rear wheel combinations				
Rear wheel Frame •4" •5"				
24"	75°	Α	С	
24	90°	В	-	

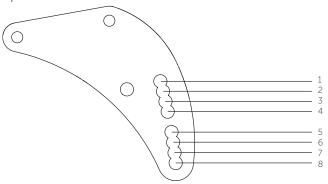
Only select combinations listed in the Table to ensure that the frame is straight and the front wheel supports are perpendicular to the ground.

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**SEAT** 

If the rear wheel, front wheel and front wheel fork are defined, the front seat height can be adjusted by changing the position of the seat module within the frame. There is 1 bracket available with 8 fixing options.



## Positioning or replacing the brackets at the front for setting the front seat height (SHv)

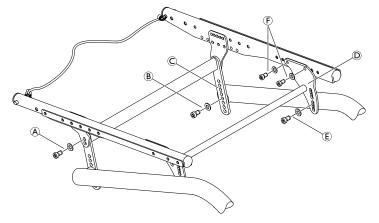
Difficulty:  $\bullet \bullet \bullet$  Tools:  $\bullet 4, 5$ 

- Remove the rear wheels, fold the backrest forward and place the wheelchair on its back.
- Remove all screws on one side that hold the seat cover to remove tension.
- Loosen the screws (a) and (b) that connect the seat brace (c) to the seat module or the frame on both sides.
- Remove the screw © and place it in the bracket's © other hole.
- Refit the rear wheels, stand the wheelchair back up and check the position of the seat braces ©. They must be as perpendicular to the ground as possible.
- Reattach the seat cover and tighten the screws.
- Tighten the screw connections (a) and (b) of the seat braces and (c) and (c) of the front brackets again.
- Carry out the same setting on both sides.
- Note: ensure that adjusting the front seat height results in a change to the seat angle. It may be necessary to correspondingly adjust the rear seat height (SHh) or the backrest angle.



**€** → 7 Nm

(F) → 7 Nm





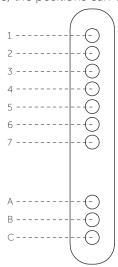
## Rear seat height (SHh)

The seat braces can be repositioned to adjust the rear seat height.

Generally, we recommend fixing the seat braces to the hole A on the frame.

Following table serves as an example, the positions can vary.

Rear seat height based on wheel position		
_	Hole	
SHh	combination	
400	A 1	
410	A 2	
420	A 3	
430	A 4	
440	A 5	
450	A 6	
460	A 7	
470	В 7	
480	C 7	



#### Adjusting the rear seat height (SHh)

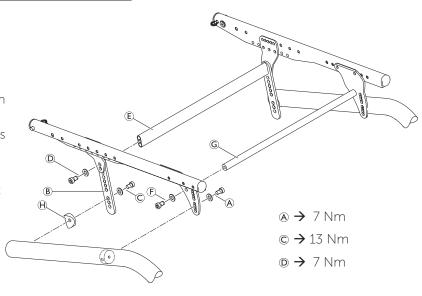
Difficulty: ●●● Tools: ● 5

Remove the rear wheels, fold the backrest

- Remove the rear wheels, fold the backrest forward and place the wheelchair on its back.
- Remove all screws on one side that hold the seat cover to remove tension.
- Loosen the screw @ for the front bracket on both sides.
- Loosen the screw © and remove the screws © and the connecting bar €.
- Carry out the same setting on both sides.
- Slide the seat brace against the rear bracket so that the required holes overlap.
- Insert the connecting bar **(E**) and fix it with screw **(Q**).
- Refit the rear wheels, stand the wheelchair back up and check the position of the seat brace ©. It must be as perpendicular to the ground as possible.
- Reattach the seat cover and tighten the screws.
- Tighten the screws ♠, © and ℗.
  - Note: ensure that adjusting the rear seat height results in a change to the seat angle. It may be necessary to correspondingly adjust the front seat height (SHv) or the backrest angle.

## Seat angle (SW)

The seat angle is determined by the difference between the rear seat height (SHh) and the front seat height (SHv).







## Tipping point adjustment

The tipping point of the wheelchair can be adjusted by changing the horizontal position of the seat module.

Difficulty: ●●●

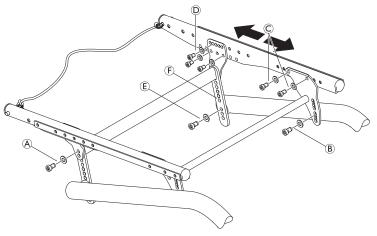
*Tools:* ● 4, 5

- Remove the rear wheels, fold the backrest forward and place the wheelchair on its back.
- Remove all screws on one side that hold the seat cover to remove tension.
- Loosen the screws (A), (B) and (E) on both sides.
- Remove the screws © and © and slide the seat module forwards or backwards.
- Reposition all screws (♠, ®, ©, ® and ®) but do not tighten them.
- Reattach the seat cover and tighten the screws.
- Tighten all screws (♠, ♠, ♠, ♠ and ♠) alternately and uniformly on both sides.

There are 4 possible positions for the rear bracket and 4 possible positions for the front bracket.

Make sure to choose the corresponding position front to back.





- ♠ → 7 Nm
- ∂ 7 Nm
- © → 7 Nm
- (E) → 13 Nm



## **BACKREST**

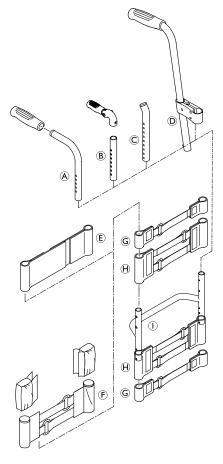
The adjustable back is fitted with velcro bands and a cover. Apart from the adjustable back there is the light cover, which is produced individually for each backrest height (RH) and seat width (SB).

Backr	Backrest height (RH) to cover, backrest tube, pushhandles and bands				
RH cover	backrest foldable pushhandle	standard pushhandles (A) foldable pushhandles (B)			
		bands above stabilizing bar	top band		
315	S	L	S	1-band ©	
330	S	L	S	1-band ©	
345	М	L	S	2-bands ⊕	
360	М	L	S	2-bands ⊕	7 Œ
<i>37</i> 5	М	L	S	2-bands ⊕	.0 cı
390	М	L	L	2-bands+1-band	1, Ju
405	М	L	L	2-bands+1-band	tbar
420	L	L	L	2-bands+1-band	resi
435	L	L	L	2-bands+1-band	backrestband, 10 cm
450	L	L	L	2 x 2-bands ⊕	k
465	L	L	L	2 x 2-bands ⊕	
480	L	L	L	2 x 2-bands ⊕	

<sup>\*</sup> RH 270 only for standard pushhandles

Backrest height (RH) to pushhandles, telescopic tubes and bands						
	without pushhandles ©			height adjustable pushhandles, rearset ①		les,
RH	bands above stabilizing bar	top band	telescopic tube bended ©		bands above stabilizing bar	top band
315	1-band ©		S		1-band ©	сш
330	1-band ©		S		1-band ©	5°
345	1-band ©		S		1-band ©	
360	2-bands ⊕	(L)	ω S		1-band ©	
<i>37</i> 5	2-bands ⊕	cm.	М		1-band ©	(L)
390	2-bands ⊕	endband, 10 cm ${\mathbb E}$	М		2 x 1-band ©	cm.
405	2-bands+1-band	ınd,	М		2 x 1-band ©	10
420	2-bands+1-band	eqp	М		2 x 1-band ©	ınd,
435	2-bands+1-band	er	L		2-bands+1-band	endband, 10 cm 🖲
450	2-bands+1-band		L		2-bands+1-band	er
465	2 x 2-bands ⊕		L		2-bands+1-band	
480	2 x 2-bands ⊕		L		2-bands+1-band	

A 1-band strap @ is placed beneath the stabilizing bar if there is a clothes-guard, and a 2-bands strap @ if there is a mudguard.





**BACKREST** 

## Backrest height (RH)

The height of the backrest can be adjusted by moving the backrest tube.

## Adjusting the backrest height

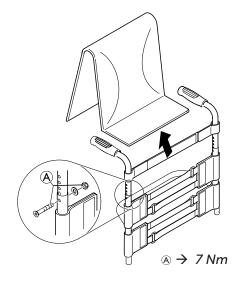
#### Readjusting the push handle/telescopic tube

Difficulty: ●○○

- Remove the backrest padding.
- Remove the screw connection ② and adjust the desired height of the push handle or the telescopic tube. Insert the screw connection ③ again and tighten the nut.

Tools: ● 3, **(**) 8

- Carry out the same setting on both sides.
- Refit the backrest padding.
  - If the desired height cannot be achieved, you must use a different telescopic tube or push handle.



## Securing/adjusting the release cord

Difficulty: •00

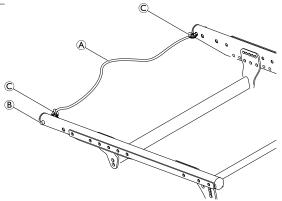


#### WARNING!

Risk of injury to the user during use as a result of the backrest folding over unintentionally.

If the release cord is too taut, the locking mechanism  $\ensuremath{\text{\textcircled{B}}}$  can open unintentionally.

- → Make sure that the release cord is not too taut.
- Knot the release cord ②, left and right, to the wire rings © such that it is free from tension, but still ensuring that there is only minimal slack (< 5 mm).



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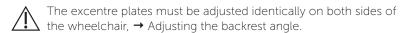


**BACKREST** 

## Replacing the backrest tube

Difficulty:  $\bullet$ 00 Tools:  $\bullet$  3, 4  $\bigcirc$  8, 10

- Remove the backrest padding.
- Slide the backrest bands upwards or downwards to gain access to the screws ②. Remove the screws and nuts on both sides.
- Remove the push handles or the telescopic tubes and remove the upper Velcro® bands.
- Remove the screws ® on the backrest joint.
- 2 Remove the lower Velcro® bands and the sleeve ® with the adjustment screw ® from the backrest tube © and fit both to the new backrest tube.
- Fit the backrest tube to the backrest joint with the screws ⑧. Here, first fit the lower screw followed by the upper screw.
- Fit the upper Velcro® bands and the push handles or the telescopic tubes again and fix them with screws ® and nuts.
- Carry out the same setting on both sides.
- Refit the backrest padding.

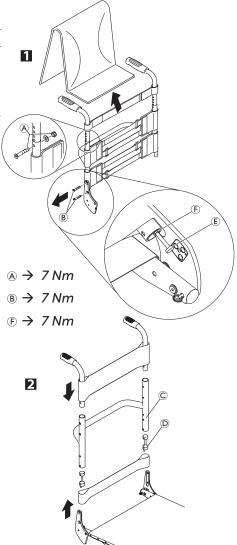


#### Check:

Check the settings of the adjustment screws © on both sides. The screw head must only lightly touch the seat module when the backrest is in the upright position. If necessary, readjust the length by releasing the counter nut and tightening or loosening the adjustment screw. Then retighten the counter nut ©.



Incorrectly adjusted adjustment screws result in damage to the backrest joint's mechanism, → Adjusting the backrest joint.



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**BACKREST** 

### Replacing the handle

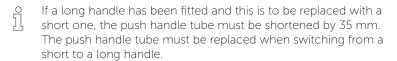
An adhesive (e.g. hair spray) is used in these instructions. When applied to the handle, this substance works as a lubricant and as an adhesive once dry.

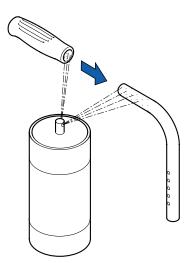


After drying, the adhesive used must be able to resist a pull-off force of 750 N. If in doubt, contact Küschall® AG.

Difficulty: ●●○

- Remove the old handle.
- Remove any residue (residual adhesive, grease, dust) from the push handle tube.
- Apply a thin layer of hair spray all over the surface of the push handle tube onto which the handle is to be slid.
- Apply a thin layer of hair spray to the inside of the handle.
- Slide the new handle onto the push handle tube.
- Move the handle into the correct position (grooves facing upwards).





## Replacing foldable push handles

Difficulty: •00

Tools: Hole punch pliers 6 mm, ● 3, 4

- Remove the old foldable push handle.
- Pull down the backrest cover ⑤ on the telescopic tube, until its hole (B) is uncovered.

#### IMPORTANT!

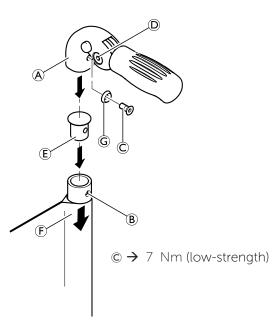
- Make sure that the threaded insert (E) (part no. 1580450) supplied with the new push handle is used for assembly.
- Place the threaded insert ② in the telescopic tube.
- Punch a hole through the backrest cover with a distance of 10 mm from the upper egde, using hole punch pliers (see graphic
- Slide the new foldable push handle ② onto the telescopic tube.
- Pull up the backrest cover, until it covers completely the rear hole in the pushhandle.
- Fix the foldable push handle with screw © and washer ©.
- Check screws ② on both sides of the push handle and re-tighten if necessary.
- Carry out the same steps for the other push handle.

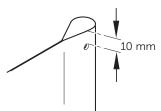
#### IMPORTANTI

Make sure that the folding force is approximately 5 N (0.5 kg).

Fixing screw © may only be used once. Alternatively the screw can be cleaned (remove old thread locking adhesive) and reinstalled with new low-strength thread locking adhesive.

The retrofit of foldable push handles requires new tubing.





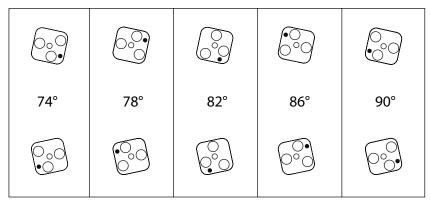


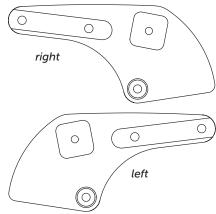


## Backrest angle (RW)

The angle of the backrest can be changed by repositioning the excentre plate in the backrest joint plate.

The following angles (measured from the seat) can be set:

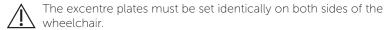




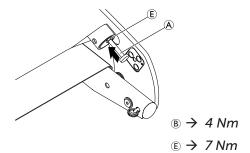
#### Adjusting the backrest angle

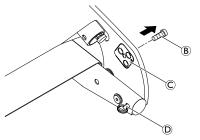
Difficulty: ●●○ Tools: ● 3, **—**€ 10

- Fold down the backrest and release the counter nut of the adjustment screw (a) and screw it in completely.
- Remove the screw ® on the excentre plate ©. Remove the excentre plate and reinsert it in the desired position.



- Reinsert the screw ® and tighten it.
- Fold the backrest up until the stop bolts ② engage and unscrew the adjustment screw ③ until it touches the frame and the backrest joint no longer moves.
- Tighten the counter nut ②.





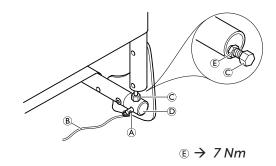
#### Adjusting the backrest joint

Difficulty: ●●○ Tools: **—C**10

- Put the backrest up and let the pin ♠ engage.
- Press the backrest forwards to ensure the joint cannot move.
- Unscrew the screw © until it touches the spigot ® of the seat frame.
- Screw the screw back in by between a ¼ and a ½ turn and counter with the counter nut €.
- Correctly adjust the backrest joint on both sides.

#### Function check:

Sit in the wheelchair and lean back so that the backrest is strained. Upon pulling the release cord ®, the pin ® must be easily removed on both sides and must fully glide back in upon letting go of the release cord.



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The footrest must be selected in accordance with the seat width. A standard footrest and an angle-adjustable footrest are available.

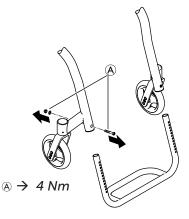
### Lower leg length (UL)

To change the lower leg length, the footrest can be fixed at a higher or lower position. → Table, Chap. Frame. The shortest lower leg lengths can be achieved using the high-mounted footrest. → ⟨Fitting and adjusting high-mounted footrest⟩

### Replacing footrests



- Remove the screw connections (A) on both sides.
- Remove the footrest and replace it with a new one.
- Tighten the screw connections (A) on both sides.
- Carry out the same setting on both sides.

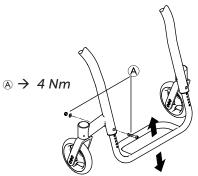


## Adjusting the footrest height



The height of the footrest can be adjusted in 10 mm steps.

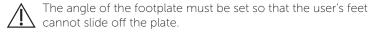
- Remove the screw connections (a) on both sides.
- Slide the footplate to the desired height.
- Tighten the screw connections (a) on both sides.
- Carry out the same setting on both sides.



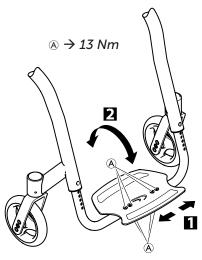
## Angle-adjustable footplate, adjusting the angle

Difficulty:  $\bullet \circ \circ$  Tools:  $\bullet \circ 4, \bigcirc 10$ 

- To adjust the angle, release the four screw connections ⓐ until the footplate can be moved.
- Check and/or adjust the distance between the left and the right sides by pushing in or pulling out the tubes below the footplate in such a way that the bearings blocks are perpendicular to the ground.
- Tilt the footplate into the desired position and tighten the screw connections @.



Make sure that the footplate has a minimum distance of 20 mm to the floor at its lowest point.



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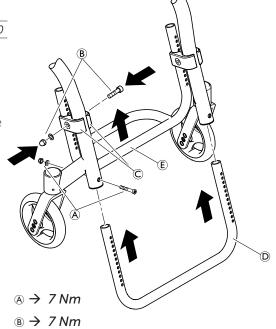


**FOOTRESTS** 

## Fitting and adjusting high-mounted footrest

Difficulty:  $\bullet \circ \circ$  Tools:  $\bullet 4, 5 \bigcirc 8, 10$ 

- Fit the frame bar © for the high-mounted footrest to the front frame on both sides using the screw connections ②.
- Fix the clamp set © to both sides of the frame using the screw connection B. Only tighten lightly.
- Slide the high-mounted footplate ⑤ into the clamp set and to the desired height.
- Tighten the screw connections ® on both sides.





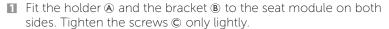
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## **SIDE PARTS**

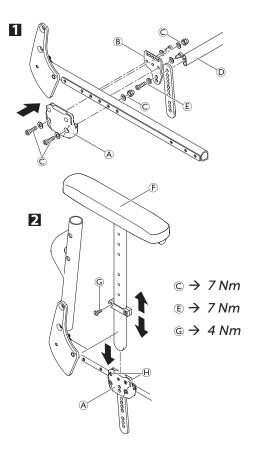
#### Fitting and adjusting a height-adjustable armrest

Difficulty: ●●○





- Fit the bar © between the brackets ® using screws ©. Tighten the screws ©.
- **2** To adjust the armrest height, insert the armrest **(P** into the holder **(A)**.
- Loosen the screws © for the height adjustment and slide it into the desired position.
- Then retighten the screws © for the height adjustment.
- By tightening or loosening the screws ⊕, you can adjust how easily the armrest can be pulled out or pushed in.





## Clothes-guard/mudguard

The clothes-guard fitted as standard can be replaced by a mudguard. Clothes-guard and mudguard are available in plastic or in carbon. For the carbon mudguard there is an additional size (XL) for the two smallest rear seat hights (SHh).

Clothe	s-guard size	
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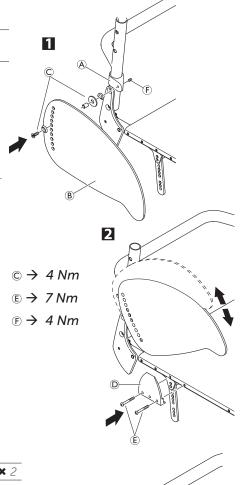
SIDE PARTS

#### Replacing the clothes-guard

The mounting element @ on the backrest must already be fitted.

Difficulty: ●●○
Tools: ● 3, 4

- If present, remove the clothes-guard to be replaced by loosening the screw connection ©.
- Check the correct position of the clothes-guard ® with fitted rear wheel. Here, find the suitable height on the clothes-guard ® for fixing the screw connection © to the backrest mount ®
- If necessary, the holder © on the seat module can be replaced. Here, remove the screw ©.
- The clothes-guard is correctly positioned if it can be inserted between the seat module and the holder and the upper edge runs above the rear wheel.



#### Fitting the mudguard

Difficulty: ••0

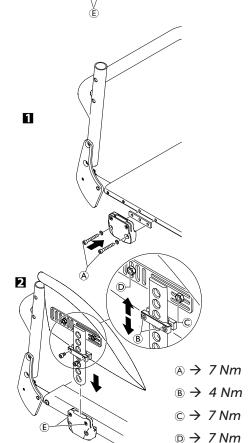
Tools: ● 3, 4, ( 10 × 2

Remove the clothes-guard and the mounting elements on the backrest and the seat.

- Fit the holder to the seat module using the screw connections (a) and then refit the rear wheel.
- Slightly loosen the screws ® on the adjustment plate and slide it along the mudguard carrier until the mudguard is at the right height.
- The position of the mudguard can also be adjusted: Here, loosen the screw connections © and ®, position the mudguard as required and tighten the screw connections © and ® again.
- Tighten the screws ® again.
- Carry out the same setting on both sides.
- By tightening or loosening the screws © you can adjust how easily the armrest can be pulled out or pushed in.
  - If the wheelchair is equipped with a suspension, the distance between the mudguard and the wheel must be at least 40 mm.
- The existing axle may not be sufficiently long for the new configuration with mudguard. In this case, a longer axle must be fitted. → Changing the wheel chamber / fitting and adjusting an axle



The distance between the mudguard and the wheel must be either < 8 mm or > 25 mm to prevent fingers from becoming caught between the wheel and the mudguard.



FRONT WHEELS

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## FRONT WHEELS

### Replacing a front wheel

Difficulty: ●○○ Tools: ● 2x3

Remove screws ֎.

Remove the wheel axle ®.

Remove the front wheel ©.

The bearings are pre-mounted in the front wheel.

Slide the axle ® through the fork © and the bearings of front wheel © and fix the axle using screws ֎. Here, use the new screw supplied with the wheel as this screw comes with a thread-locking device.

Function check:

### Replacing a front wheel fork

The wheel may not wobble, but must rotate easily.



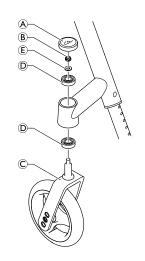
- Remove the sealing cap (a) of the bearings block by inserting two screwdrivers into the grooves and flipping it off.
- Remove the nut ® with the washer ©.
- Remove the front wheel fork ©.
- $\hfill \blacksquare$  Check the ball bearings  $\hfill \textcircled{0}$  and replace them if necessary.
- Insert the new front wheel fork with the washer ⑤ and the nut ⑥ and tighten the nut.
- Carry out the function check (see below).
- Replace the sealing cap (A).

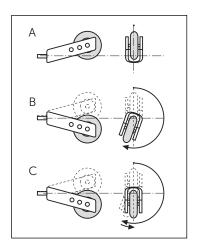
# Function check:

Tip the wheelchair backwards by 90° so that it is lying on the backrest and the rear wheels. Turn the fork upwards (position A) and let it tip downwards.

The fork has been correctly adjusted if it easily turns to beyond the bottommost point and remains there (position B).

If the fork turns back to the lower position (position C), it has not been sufficiently tightened. There is a risk that the front wheels will start to wobble at high speeds.





REAR WHEELS

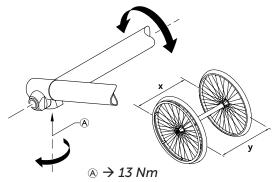
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## **REAR WHEELS**

### Ensuring the rear wheels are parallel

Difficulty: ●●○ Tools:  $\bullet$  5

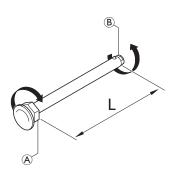
- Loosen the screws ② on both clamp sets. Rotate the axle tube to set the correct position.
- Tighten the screw (A) on both sides.
  - This setting must be carried out on a horizontal surface. The track of the rear wheels is correct if the distance between the rear wheels is the same at the front and the back (x=y) measured at the height of the centre of the axle.



### Adjusting the removable axle

Difficulty: ●●○ Tools: **—C** 11, 19

- Remove the rear wheel.
- Hold the end of the removable axle ® using the straddle spanner.
- Adjust the length L of the removable axle by turning the nut @. The length is correctly adjusted if the removable axle engages correctly when fixing the wheel and wheel has just minimal clearance.
  - The wheels must be exchanged (left to right side and vice versa) after adjusting both removable axles. The adjustment must now be checked or carried out again to ensure the wheels can be switched.



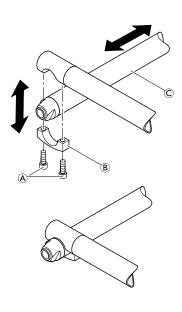
## Changing the wheel chamber

#### Standard axle

Difficulty: ●●○ Tools: ● 5

A new axle must be used to change the wheel chamber.

- Remove the screws (a) on both sides and remove the lower part of the axle holder (B).
- 2 Replace the axle © with a new axle with the desired wheel
- Attach the lower part of the axle holder ® on both sides and insert the screw (A).
- Ensure the rear wheels are parallel,
  - → Ensuring the rear wheels are parallel.
- Tighten the screws ♠ on both sides.



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**BRAKES** 

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## **BRAKES**

## Fitting / adjusting the parking brake

Difficulty:  $\bullet \bullet \circ$  Tools:  $\bullet \circ$ 

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Following each positioning, the rear wheel parking brakes (e.g. when changing the wheel chamber) must be readjusted.



The parking brake function is only guaranteed if the tire has the corresponding air pressure.

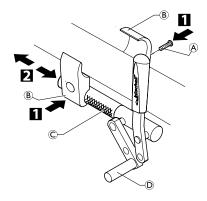
- Check that the rear wheels have sufficient tire pressure.
- 1 Loosely fix the clamping piece ® to the frame with the screw .
- Slide the brake © into the correct position and tighten the screw .
- When the brake is on, the brake shoe ® must press approx. 4 mm into the tire.
- Furthermore, please note that very little force is required for activating and deactivating the brake. If necessary, a brake lever extension can be fitted.



Check that the parking brake is correctly positioned. The brake is correctly adjusted if the brake shoe does not press more than 4 mm into the tire when the brake is on.

#### Function check

Place the loaded wheelchair on a ramp with a 7° slope with the parking brake on. The wheelchair must not move. Carry out this check with the wheelchair both facing down the ramp and facing up the ramp.



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**OPTIONS & ACCESSORIES** 

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### **Antitipper**

There are two different sizes of antitipper for both the left and the right sides.

#### Fit antitipper without rear wheel extension

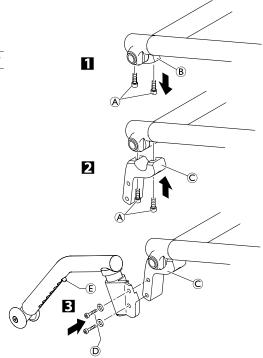
Difficulty: ●●○

Tools: **●** 3, 5**〈** } 8

- Loosen the screws 

  and and remove the lower part of the axle holder 

  note.
- Fix the adaptation holder clip © with screws A.
- Check that the rear wheels are parallel,
  - → Chap. Rear wheels; Ensuring the rear wheels are parallel.
- Fix the antitipper to the adaptation holder © using screws ©. Measure the distance between the antitipper and the ground,
  - → Adjusting the height of the antitipper.



#### Adjusting the length of the antitipper

Difficulty: 000

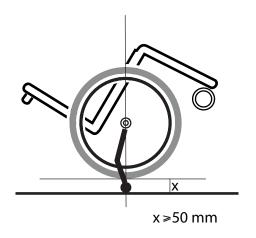
Tools: ● 3, 5, ○ 8

Press the adjustment button © on the antitipper and pull the antitip tube into the desired position. Let the adjustment button latch into the adjacent hole.

#### Function check:

The distance between the antitipper and the ground must be 40 - 60 mm. It must be easy to fold up the antitipper.

Tip the wheelchair backwards using the antitipper until the axle is perpendicular to the antitipper's point of contact with the ground. In this position, the distance between the rear wheel and the ground must be at least 50 mm.







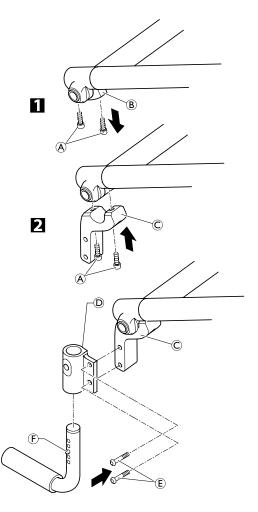
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## **Tipper aid**

#### Fitting the tipper aid

Difficulty:  $\bullet \circ \circ$  Tool:  $\bullet \circ \circ$ 

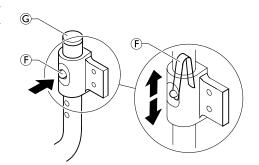
- Loosen the screws ⓐ and and remove the lower part of the axle holder ⑧.
- Fix the adaptation holder clip © with screws A.
- Check that the rear wheels are parallel,
  - → Chap. Rear wheels; Ensuring the rear wheels are parallel.
- Secure adaptation support ② with bolt ② onto adaptation holder clip ②.
- Push in spring clip **(E**) and push the tipper aid into the adaptation support.
- Make sure that the spring clip is correctly engaged in the adaptation support.



#### Height adjustment

Difficulty: ●○○

■ To adjust the height, remove cap © and, e.g. using a screwdriver, compress the spring ⑤ inside the tube and push into the required position.







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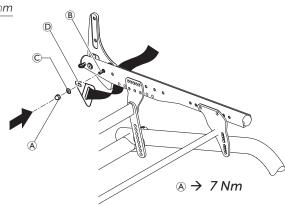
## Fitting the pelvic belt

Difficulty: ●○○ Tools: ○10 mm

- 1. Remove cap nut (a) and washer (c).
- 2. Attach the steel strap © to the backrest joint screw ® using the supplied, new cap nut @ and washer ©.

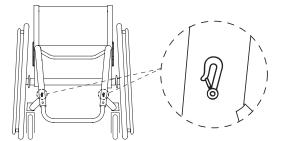


Ensure that the webbing of the pelvic belt is not twisted during assembly and the locking mechanism shows towards the front.

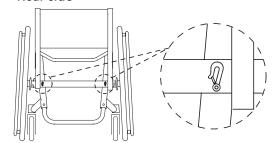


## Attaching the snap hook symbols

#### Front side



#### Rear side







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