ABOUT LISTA

When was Lista AG founded?
Lista AG was founded in 1945 by Alfred Lienhard. The current name of the company is an acronym of the initial letters of the founder’s surname, Lienhard, and the German word for steel (Stahl), which is the main material used for the company’s products.

What is the legal status of Lista AG?
Lista AG has been a limited company since the 1960s. Today the sole shareholder is the Great Star Group, based in Hangzhou.

Where is the LISTA headquarters?
The Lista AG headquarters is in Erlen, in the Swiss canton of Thurgau. We also have seven other locations in Germany, Austria, Italy, France, England, China and Spain. For more information see here.

How many drawer cabinets does LISTA produce every year?
The LISTA drawer cabinet is one of our company’s most popular products. Around 45,000 drawer cabinets are manufactured every year at the LISTA factory in Erlen alone.

What is the company’s annual steel consumption?
LISTA consumes an average of 8,000 tonnes of steel per year.

What products are in the range?
The LISTA system covers the entire spectrum of modern warehouse and workspace equipment. Our products include: drawer cabinets, workshop trolleys, drawer storage walls, CNC warehouse and transport systems, workbenches and workplace systems, cabinet systems, shelving systems, partition material and labels, access control systems and dynamic systems (storage lifts).

What is the most popular product from Lista AG?
Our single most popular product remains the LISTA drawer cabinet.

What are the core areas of expertise at Lista AG?
LISTA is one of the leading providers of warehouse and workspace equipment worldwide. In addition to having plenty of know-how when it comes to development, production and sales, our core areas of expertise also include planning and consulting on major projects in this area.

How many people does Lista AG employ?
As of 2020, LISTA has 289 employees at its Erlen site and another 121 working at its international locations.

What is the market position of Lista AG?
Lista AG is the market leader in the production of warehouse and workspace equipment in Europe.

In which sectors are LISTA products used?
LISTA products can be used in practically every industry and business sector. Our customers include industry and trade, as well as institutions and the service sector, such as:

- Automotive
- Banking and administration
- Education and leisure
- Fire Brigade
- Healthcare
- Aeronautics
- Mechanical engineering
- Metalworking
- Motor sport
- Museums
- Public transport
- Schools and universities
- Watches, jewellery, coins
- Maintenance and repair
- Defence and security
- Tool manufacturers

For testimonials and example projects from different sectors, see here.

Which countries do you export your products to?
LISTA sells its products to almost every country in the world. For a list of our international contacts and their locations, see here.

How is LISTA progressing with digitisation?
LISTA is investing in digitisation in a consistent and customer-focused way. This is particularly evident in marketing and sales – with ListaPedia, for instance, our completely electronic online catalogue featuring all of our products, accessories and replacement parts – as well as new online stores and configurators to speed up and simplify sales processes.

What importance do you place on sustainability and environmental protection?
Sustainability and environmental protection are particularly pressing concerns across all areas of our business. You can find out more about our commitment to these issues here.

How are LISTA products made?
The manufacture of our products is a complex and multifaceted process. We’ve captured this in an interesting film. Take a look here.

What is special about Lista AG and its products?
Our company is renowned for the high quality and other benefits that our teams, our products and our services offer customers. In addition, the LISTA system sets us apart on the market. Discover the various aspects and advantages of the LISTA system here.
LISTA WORKSPACE EQUIPMENT

What exactly is workspace equipment?
Workspace equipment is furniture or furnishing systems intended mainly for trade and industry. Classic workspace equipment includes steel furniture such as drawer cabinets, workbenches or workshop trolleys. This also includes different types of cabinets and shelving options. The most important here are hinged door cabinets and universal shelving systems. Heavy-duty shelving systems are also important for workshops and production.

For which applications is workspace equipment suitable?
Storage and workspace equipment is suitable for a wide range of applications. They fulfil various tasks and functions as worktables, workstations, storage for tools, work material, etc. There are special versions for heavy-duty, mobile use or special stored goods (e.g. environmental cabinets). This enables the workspace equipment to be flexibly adapted to suit the requirements of various sectors and industries. Applications range from car repair shops, production, offices and laboratories to container solutions.

What is the quickest way to obtain suitable workspace equipment?
If you are planning to use, renew or extend workspace equipment, contact us. We will be happy to advise you and provide a tailored solution. Whether warehouse, workshop, assembly line, production, staff room or office: we offer comprehensive support and expertise from planning through to customer support. We can jointly analyse your individual requirements, visualise your new workspace equipment and deal with the installation and implementation. Analysis, planning, assembly and service from a single source: this is the quickest way to a solution that suits your individual requirements.

What will it cost to equip my company with LISTA products?
With LISTA, you have chosen high-quality workspace equipment: robust, high-quality and durable. Much can be achieved in your company with little. Costs vary from customer to customer, depending on the scope and requirements. Our sales team will be happy to advise and support you in the selection, configuration and arrangement of your workspace equipment.

What are the advantages of LISTA products?
LISTA workspace equipment is a system solution where individual furniture and elements are perfectly matched. From drawer cabinets to workbenches, all LISTA products match perfectly. Down to the last detail: in this way, drawers from drawer cabinets can also be installed in drawer storage walls. Or, partition material can be used for any application and in any arrangement. In addition to diversity and flexibility, storage and workspace equipment from LISTA is of the highest quality: with a 10-year guarantee, your investment is safe. Added to this are an extensive range of services such as planning and support from initial contact to assembly of the products at your company.

Which LISTA products come into question for my workspace equipment?
The exact choice of suitable products for your workspace equipment depends on your company. LISTA offers over 100,000 articles: from classic drawer cabinets to shelving systems, cabinets and workstation systems, workbenches, workshop trolleys and matching accessories. Workspace equipment can be individually configured and equipped depending on the type, size and space available. The majority of furniture is available in different dimensions. A wide range of accessories includes partition material or casters, etc., for configuring drawer cabinets and other equipment. In training centres, a hexagonal group workbench is often used instead of a conventional workbench. ESD workspace equipment is available for electrical installation companies. Special solutions are available for car repair shops such as cabinets for supplying power, compressed air, oil, water and other liquids. Our field representatives will be happy to provide you with an individual quotation.

What options does LISTA offer for my workspace equipment?
Cabinets, shelving systems and workshop trolleys from LISTA provide extensive partition material for the individual configuration of your workspace equipment. LISTA offers everything from storage containers, plastic boxes, dividers, metal dividers, troughs, slotted partitions and holding pins, to anti-slide mats and foam inserts, all of which are easily combinable. Our free LISTA Script software allows convenient and standardised labelling of individual drawers to suit your requirements.

Can I see my workspace equipment in advance??
At LISTA, it goes without saying that you can see your workspace equipment in advance. The LISTA planning group offers the necessary competence and a modern visualisation software solution: with LISTA Draw, you can see in advance how your workshop, production, office, warehouse or container will look when furnished with the workspace equipment. Play it safe. We will be happy to advise you.

What customers does LISTA serve?
From Audi AG to Zoo Zurich, LISTA arepresented in numerous branches and sectors of industry. We not only serve major customers, but also handle smaller projects, such as workspace equipment in car repair shops or workshops, with the same level of care. Contact us.
What kind of equipment do I need for my workspace?
Every business is different and therefore has different workspace equipment requirements. Prior to planning, consider your workspace equipment requirements, the elements you need and the best configuration for your workflow. A list or drawing will help.

How should I arrange my workspace equipment?
The most important workspace equipment aspects are the location and intended purpose. For this reason, precisely clarify for which departments and applications you require the workspace equipment, how much space is available and the respective space conditions.

Is my equipment sufficiently compatible?
Ensure that all the workspace equipment fits together. This increases the ergonomics and simplifies subsequent adaptation or extension. The LISTA system ensures that all elements such as drawer cabinets, shelving, workbenches, worktables or cabinets match perfectly irrespective of the size or extent of your project.

Can I configure my workspace equipment individually?
At LISTA, not only can the complete workspace equipment be individually configured, but also every individual element. In this way, a perfectly tailored product is always ensured. We will be happy to advise you and provide perfect solutions.

In what colours is the workspace equipment available?
Colours are fun, provide identity and are a means of orientation. With a total of 18 LISTA standard colours, you can achieve a discrete, trendy or stylish effect to make your staff feel even more at home. Or give your workflow the appropriate colour accents. And, it goes without saying that we can supply your workspace equipment in your company colour, preferred colour or department colour on request.

What should I look for when it comes to the quality of my workspace equipment?
Your workspace equipment should be as durable and robust as possible. Choose quality. LISTA offers a 10-year guarantee and stands for recognised top quality made in Switzerland and made in Germany.

What level of security does my workspace equipment provide?
Protect your tools, work materials and important documents reliably and efficiently. In addition to mechanical locking solutions, LISTA also offers intelligent, electronic locking systems for your workspace equipment. Locking and opening via CODE, RFID badge or AUTO Lock simplifies and facilitates the working process constantly and securely.

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