

Press Information

Dana Introduces New U-joints and Center Bearings for Mercedes-Benz Sprinter

Responding to customer demand for its high-quality aftermarket parts, Dana is launching two new driveline products for the Mercedes-Benz Sprinter. The company introduces new Spicer[®] universal joints (u-joints) and center bearing assemblies – produced to original-equipment (OE) standards – with applications in the highly-popular transport vehicle. The release of the new u-joints and upgraded center bearings follow the news of Dana entering series production with Mercedes-Benz for driveshafts in the all-new Sprinter van, along with the company investing heavily in its driveline manufacturing plants in Spain. Since Dana produces its aftermarket and OE products at the same facilities and on the same production lines, these recent developments allow the company to manufacture the new aftermarket components with added performance benefits at a competitive cost.

“We are excited to provide these latest additions to our range of Mercedes-Benz Sprinter driveline products to our customers, who have asked us to make these parts,” said Guido Reiter, driveshaft product manager, Dana Incorporated Aftermarket Group. “Dana listens to our customers. Now that we can produce the new u-joints and improved center bearings with our high-quality standards, we are pleased to bring these parts to the aftermarket.”

With the upgraded, state-of-the-art machining at the manufacturing facilities, the company has overcome cost barriers and produce the u-joints to its standards for durability and reliability.

In 2016, Dana began offering Spicer center bearing assemblies that are interchangeable with OE components on previous versions of the

Published by

Dana Investment GmbH
Reinzstr. 3-7 | 89233 Neu-Ulm | Germany
www.spicerparts.com

Contact

Carolin Sailer
Manager
Communication and Marketing
Fon +49 731 7046-407
Fax +49 731 7046-400
carolin.sailer@dana.com

Sprinter, as an aftermarket first. With the improved Spicer center bearing, customers will be able to replace OE parts at a lower cost. The new center bearings will be available for our customers in October that year and the new universal joints will follow in March next year. To learn more about the Spicer u-joints and center bearings, and to place an order, visit DanaAftermarket.com.

About Dana in the Aftermarket

Powered by recognized brands such as Dana, Spicer®, Victor Reinz®, Albarus™, Glaser®, GWB®, Spicer® Select™, Thompson®, Tru-Cool®, and Transejes®, Dana delivers a broad range of aftermarket solutions – including genuine, all-makes, and value lines – servicing passenger, commercial, and off-highway vehicles around the world. Leveraged by a global network of 13 distribution centers, Dana's dedicated aftermarket team provides technical service, customer support, high fill rates, and on-time delivery to customers around the globe. For product information, visit www.SpicerParts.com.

About Dana Incorporated

Dana is a world leader in highly engineered solutions for improving the efficiency, performance, and sustainability of powered vehicles and machinery. Dana supports the passenger vehicle, commercial truck, and off-highway markets, as well as industrial and stationary equipment applications.

Founded in 1904, Dana employs approximately 30,000 people in 33 countries on six continents who are committed to delivering long-term value to customers. The company reported sales of more than \$7.2 billion in 2017. For more information, please visit dana.com.

Published by

Dana Investment GmbH
Reinzstr. 3-7 | 89233 Neu-Ulm | Germany
www.spicerparts.com

Contact

Carolin Sailer
Manager
Communication and Marketing
Fon +49 731 7046-407
Fax +49 731 7046-400
carolin.sailer@dana.com