

Bookbindery Terbeck puts the fifth automatic cover machine from Rahden into operation

## Once Kolbus, always Kolbus

When Sascha Terbeck talks about his Kolbus DA 370, he can't help but gush. "Kolbus is simply world class," emphasises the second-generation managing partner of the Terbeck bookbindery based in Coesfeld, Münsterland. Founded in 1977, the company has around 35 employees and two production halls, making it one of the leading large-scale industrial bookbinding companies in Germany and internationally. "Where the work of other bookbinderies ends, Terbeck begins," says Sascha Terbeck

the motto of his company, which specialises in hardcover books. It is therefore no surprise that Terbeck relies on top quality for central elements of production. "We have relied on Kolbus for a long time and have also chosen our trusted supplier for this replacement investment for an older Kolbus DA 270," says Terbeck. "The machines are technically mature and we appreciate the precision and the high

outstanding quality." Actually, the replacement would not have been necessary: The DA 270 was still working perfectly. "But we know that certain electronic components become more difficult to procure over time, which means that production downtimes can last longer. We also like to keep up with the times and want to utilise the technical possibilities that progress brings. Kolbus is continuously developing its machines, and this permanent improvement gives us a competitive edge," says Sascha Terbeck.

### Flexible all-rounder for everything to do with grey board

Available in different versions, the Kolbus DA 370 blanket machine is an all-rounder that is suitable for large and small print runs through to customised products. In addition to hard



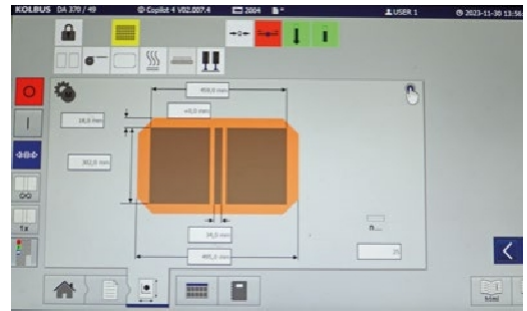
Sascha Terbeck with his new Kolbus DA 370, the fifth of its kind at Terbeck and equipped, among other things, with a cardboard cutting device and a non-stop panel feeder.



View of the cardboard feeder. The machine can also process very thin cardboard. In the foreground, finished book covers from current production.

cover books can also be binders, folders, calendars, cardboard boxes or games - in short, anything where grey cardboard is laminated with printed paper and high quality is important. It incorporates proven Kolbus engineering expertise and manufacturing quality. The machine also has a high degree of automation and is easy to operate thanks to its well thought-out ergonomics. This allows for very short set-up times and quick job changes, which are increasingly in demand today.

For Sascha Terbeck, this is another important feature of the DA 370: "This puts us in a position to produce even short runs economically." Further advantages result from the large variety of formats and materials as well as the possibility of using all common adhesive types, even in very small order quantities.



Job changes are completed in just a few minutes via the clear and user-friendly display. The settings in the machine are made automatically.

thicknesses. "For example, we can now run even thinner material and even produce vegan books," reveals Sascha Terbeck. "The conventional glue is replaced by a water-based dispersion adhesive.

### Proven partnership

The new DA 370 was installed by Kolbus technicians in October 2023 and put into operation immediately. "The collaboration with the supplier was as smooth and cooperative as usual," says Sascha Terbeck. This also applies to the service, which is characterised by close contact and a quick response. Terbeck: "We are completely satisfied!"

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Terbeck has "resided" on Dülmener Straße in Coesfeld for 25 years. There are currently 35 employees working in the two large halls.