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Press release

Ten years of KW height adjustable springs: Now available for all Audi RS3 (8V)

Fichtenberg (Germany), April 12th, 2018 – For ten years now, KW, the market leader of individual suspension solutions, has offered its well-known height adjustable springs allowing the possibility to upgrade series suspensions with an adjustable lowering range. The height-adjustable springs are now available for the Audi RS3 Sportback and the Audi RS3 notchback sedan (8V series). Similar to a coilover suspension, the KW spring system allows an individually tailored lowering. The RS3 models can be lowered continuously between 15 and 25 millimeters on the front axle and 5 - 20 millimeters on the rear axle. With conventional lowering springs, adjustable lowering on the Audi RS3 with the series suspension was not possible. The KW height adjustable springs are available for all Audi RS3 of the 8V series, with or without electronically adjustable standard suspension. More at www.kwsuspensions.net.

For ten years, the suspension manufacturer KW is one of the few suppliers worldwide that offers height adjustable springs, which, like a coilover suspension, make it possible to continuously lower the series suspension. For the tenth anniversary of the market launch of KW Height Adjustable Springs, KW is pleased to announce the next generation of height adjustable springs. "In the recent years, we have developed various systems and after extensive road tests and long-term testing select compact and mid-size models, that have a conventionally attached spring seat on the series strut can be equipped with our advanced KW height adjustable springs", explains KW Product Manager Johannes Wacker.

The new KW coilover springs are now available for all Audi RS3 models in the 8V series. The springs are equipped with a special axial bearing allowing you to adjust the stepless lowering of the RS3 between 15 and 25 millimeters at the front axle. At the rear axle height adjustment, the tested lowering range is 5 - 20 millimeters. The installation can be carried out in any specialist workshop or tire shop and doesn't take any longer than installing conventional lowering springs. The variable scope of the lowering range offers a great advantage when changing the wheel-tyre combination, the lowering can be adapted to match the new rims with just a few simple steps. This is not possible with conventional springs. The KW height adjustable springs in conjunction with the series dampers on the Audi RS3 provide a harmonious and direct driving behavior. Even in extreme driving maneuvers and sudden load changes, the KW springs with their progressive spring rate increase the agility and ensure a harmonious handling. The height-adjustable springs are available for the RS3 with or without adaptive suspension (Magnetic Ride Damper). The scope of delivery includes all components such as vehicle-specific bump stops, spanner wrench and dust protection elements as well as the technical component report. Further information at www.kwsuspensions.net

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KW automotive is market leader and innovator of individual suspension solutions for the street and racing applications. Sporty drivers rely on KW coilover kits with its five street damping variants, as well as on the Nürburgring Nordschleife tested KW Clubsport coilover kits, which are street legal and have a technical component report. Worldwide successful racing teams rely on the patented valve technology of KW Competition, the six-time overall winner of the 24-hour-race Nürburgring, winner of the ADAC GT Masters and the 24-hour race of Dubai 2017. With its large portfolio of suspension kits, modern production technology, development- and test center, KW has been succeeding for more than 20 years in markets around the world. www.kwsuspensions.net

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