

# NEURO SWING – Dynamic Balance and Stability



# NEURO SWING – Dynamic and Multifunctional System Ankle Joints



## NEURO SWING

**THE ORIGINAL** With its adjustable alignment and interchangeable spring units, the NEURO SWING is the ideal system joint for a flexible treatment. Another plus is the **plug + go** modularity, which allows a conversion to any other product in the **plug + go** series in just a few simple steps.



## NEURO SWING 2

The NEURO SWING 2 has integrated noise reduction and is therefore the ideal choice for people who appreciate silent locomotion. Like the NEURO SWING, it is part of the **plug + go** series and can be converted in record time.



## NEURO SWING Carbon

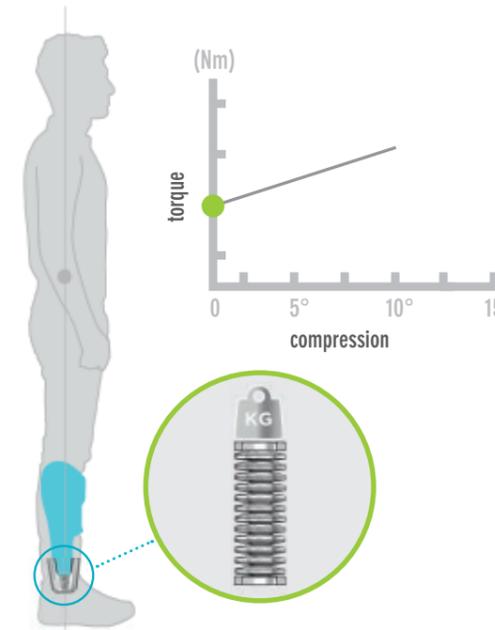
The NEURO SWING Carbon is the waterproof version of the NEURO SWING. With its adjustable alignment and interchangeable spring units it offers the same advantages as the NEURO SWING, but can also be used in wet and outdoor areas thanks to the ultralight carbon fibre reinforced joint case.

proven and scientifically tested system ankle joints to control spasticity and/or rotational deviations caused by neurological disorders

# NEURO SWING: Precompressed Spring Units Making a Huge Difference

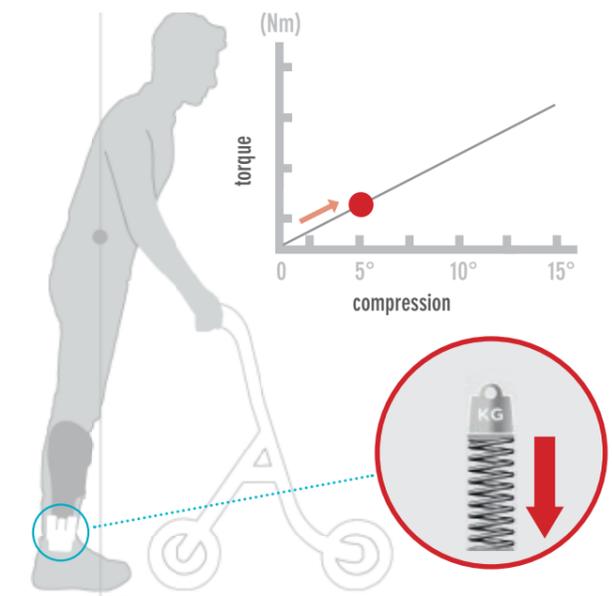
## Precompressed

In order to bring a body into a stable balance, the forefoot lever must be activated. Precompressed spring units with high basic resistance provide dynamic balance and stability. This allows for a secure stance and gait over different terrains. Since no medical devices other than the orthosis are required, the hands are free for everyday tasks.



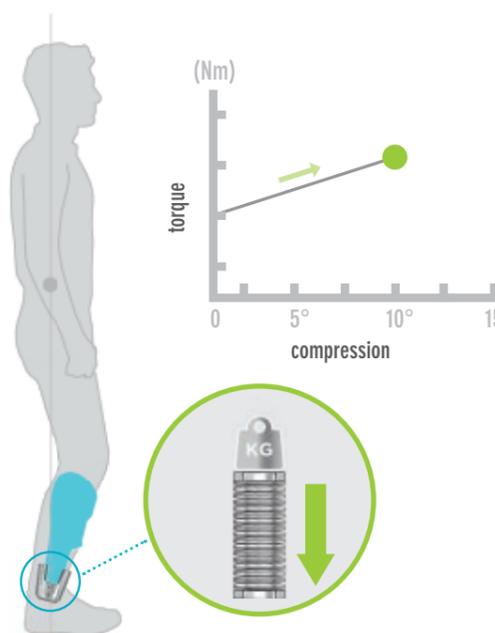
## Not Precompressed

Commonly used standard coil springs must be heavily compressed to generate resistance. The nonexistent basic resistance due to the lack of precompression leads to a yielding of the spring when loaded during stance and, due to the missing security, to an unstable stance and gait. This requires the use of medical devices such as crutches or walkers. The hands are therefore needed for support.



## Precompressed + Dynamic

The precompressed spring units with the high basic resistance support the anatomical mobility in the ankle joint and a dynamic stance. This way, walking becomes fun again.



## Energy Recovery

The high spring force ensures that the energy is returned and thus enables a physiological gait, recognisable by the heel lift.

### Dynamic Heel Lift through Extremely High Spring Force



## Calculation of the Spring Force

The FIOR & GENTZ Orthosis Configurator determines, based on the muscle strength, the spring force with the corresponding precompression that is best suited for the needs of your patient.

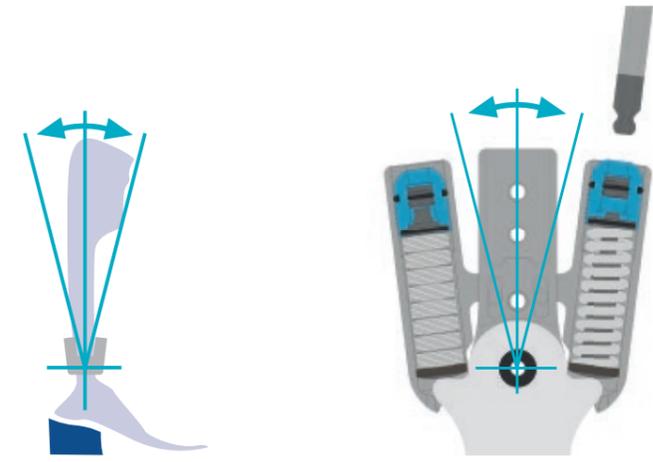


The patented, individually adjustable, precompressed spring units compensate the forces generated by the motion at every step, at every speed, on every terrain and when standing. Thus, a constant, dynamic balance is achieved.

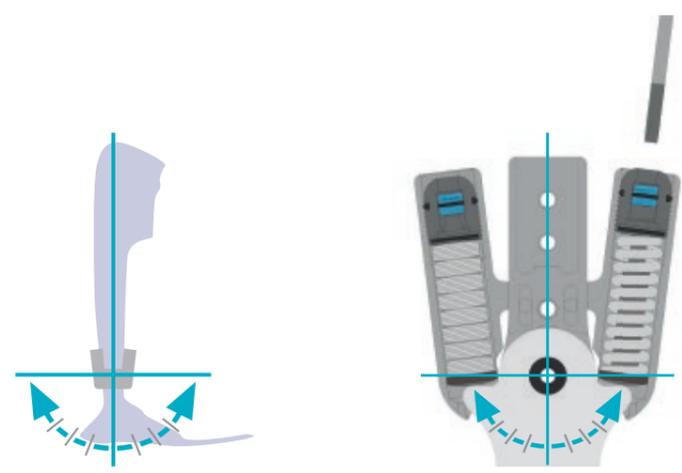
# NEURO SWING – 3-Way Adjustable



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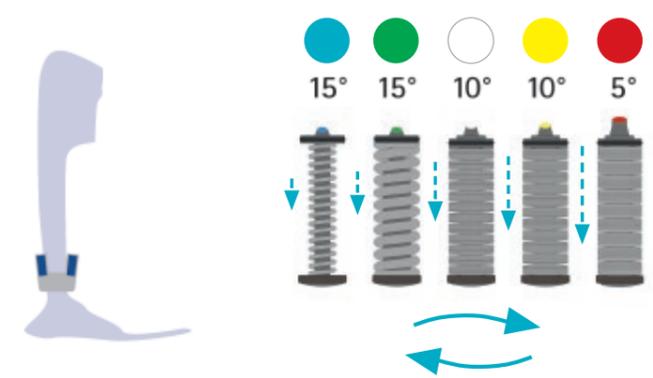


**1 Adjustable Alignment**  
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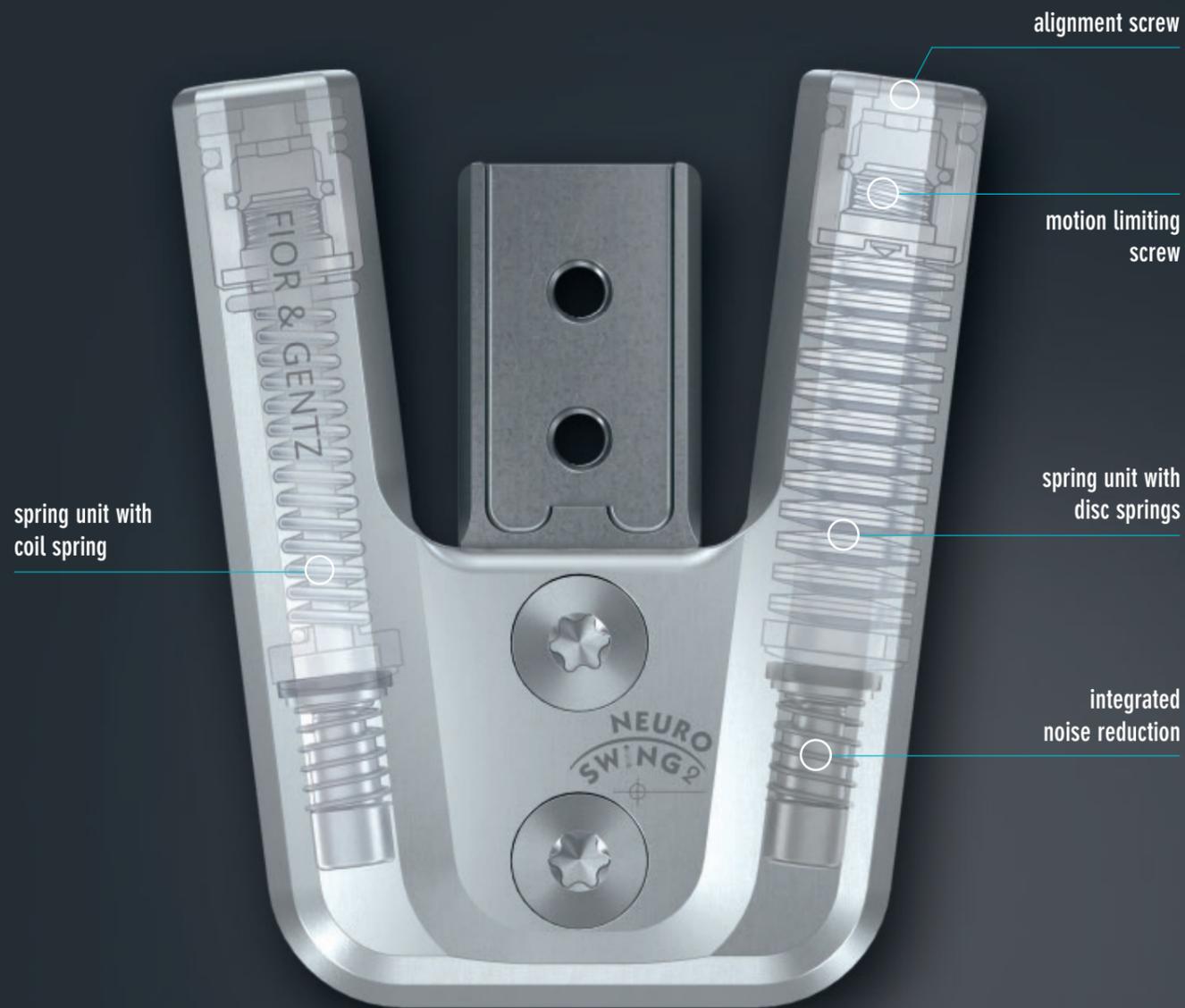
**2 Adjustable Range of Motion**  
In the early rehabilitation stages following a surgery, it may be necessary to partially or completely disable the range of motion of an orthosis and to only enable it at a later stage of therapy. Thanks to the motion limiting screw, which is integrated in the **NEURO SWING** system ankle joint, the predefined range of motion in plantar flexion and dorsiflexion can be completely blocked and gradually released again.

All adjustments can be made separately. They do not influence each other.

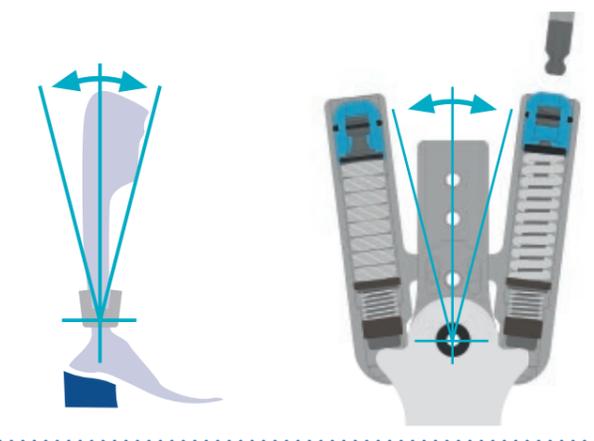


**3 Variable Spring Force**  
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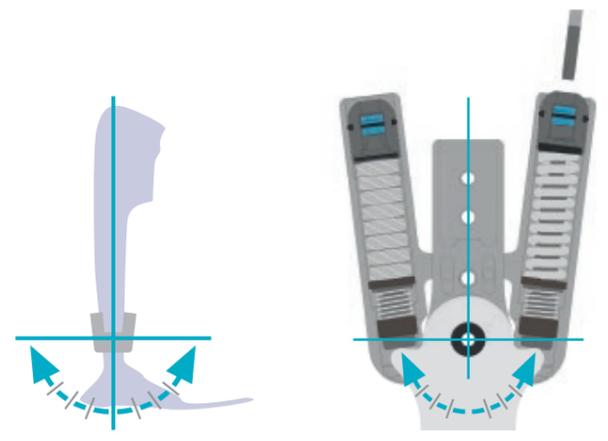
# NEURO SWING 2 – Silent



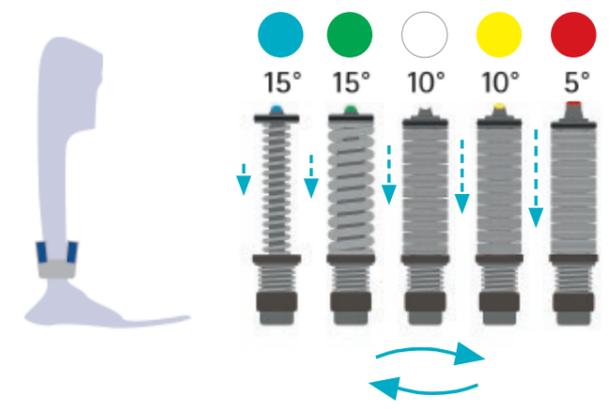
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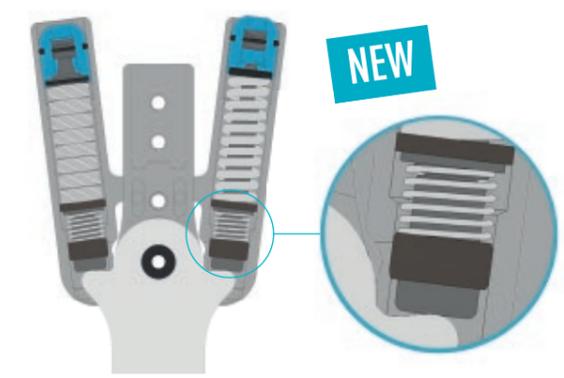


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**Integrated Noise Reduction**  
A special feature of the **NEURO SWING 2** system ankle joint is the integrated noise reduction, which reduces the clicking of the stops to a minimum. Thus, it is a perfect fit for people who want to be as quiet as possible in everyday life.

# NEURO SWING Carbon – Waterproof

ultralight thanks to carbon fibre-reinforced joint case

alignment screw

resistant to dirt and water

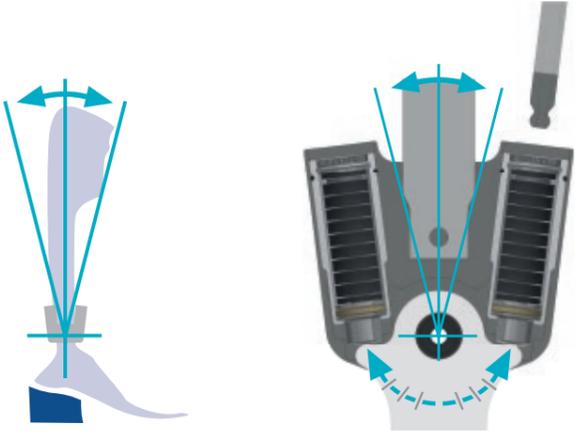
spring unit with disc springs



extremely robust, ultralight carbon fibre-reinforced case

spring unit in water- and dirt-resistant spring unit sleeve

seawater-resistant stainless steel screwing



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## 1 Features

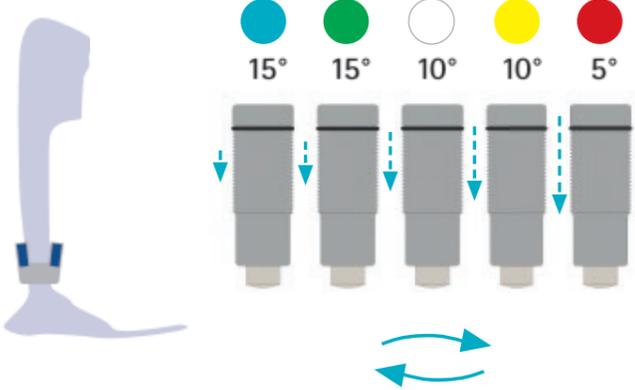
Many orthosis wearers are outdoor enthusiasts who do not want to limit their activities because of their orthosis. The **NEURO SWING Carbon** system ankle joint was developed for exactly this target group. Thanks to its ultralight and robust carbon joint case, the water- and dirt-resistant spring unit sleeve and the seawater-resistant stainless steel screwing, it can be used in wind and rain, on the beach and in the sea during various activities.

## 2 Adjustable Alignment

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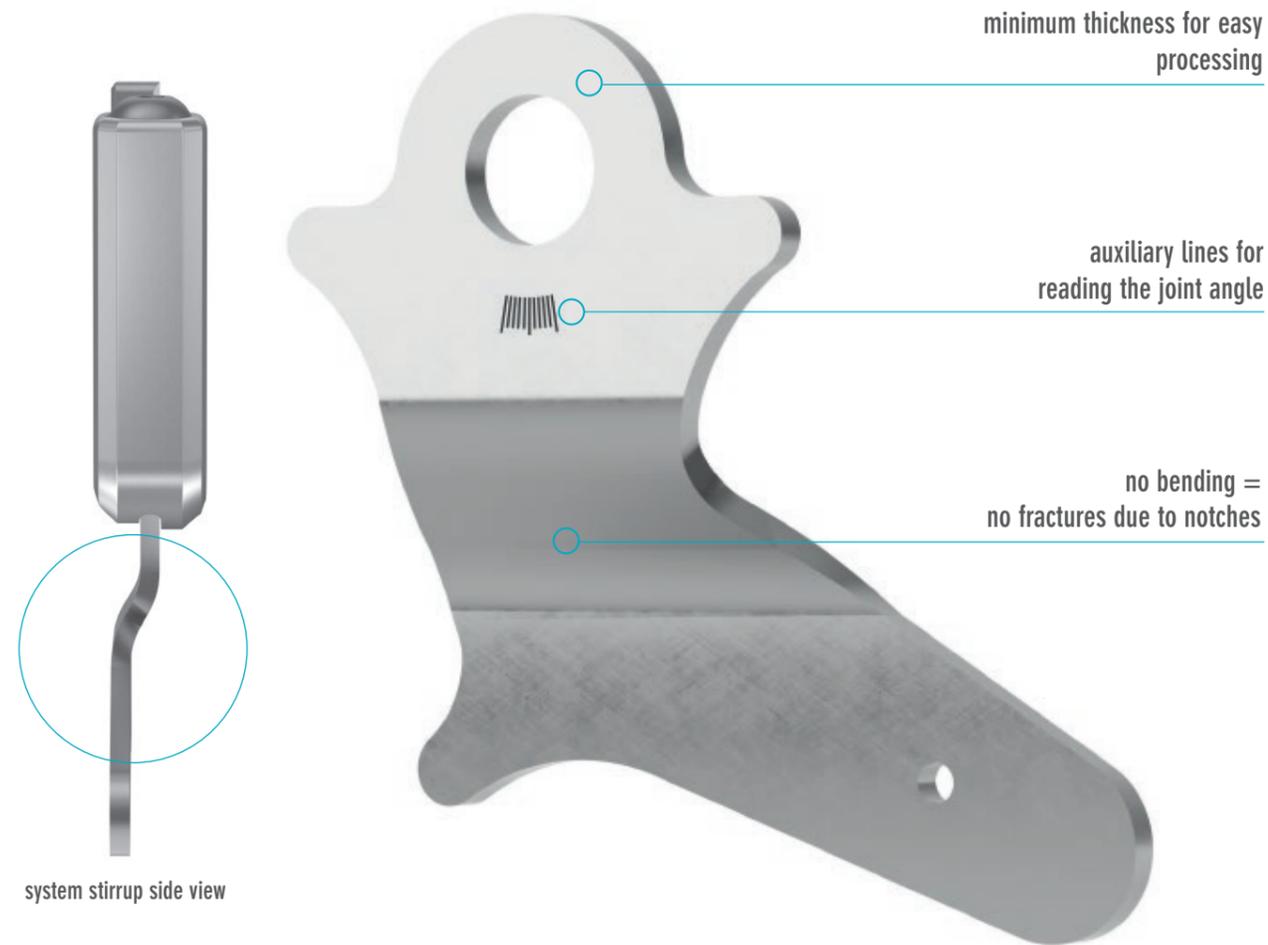
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## NEURO SWING: System Stirrups

Example: Lamination/Prepreg Stirrup (Bent)



## NEURO SWING: Examples of Use



**Orthosis for a Patient with Cerebral Palsy**  
unilateral construction AFO with NEURO SWING system ankle joint



**Orthosis for a patient with Spina Bifida**  
unilateral construction KAFO with NEURO CLASSIC zero system knee joint and NEURO SWING system ankle joint



**Orthosis for a Patient with Multiple Sclerosis**  
unilateral construction KAFO with NEURO MATIC system knee joint and NEURO SWING system ankle joint



**Orthosis for a Patient with Poliomyelitis**  
unilateral construction KAFO with NEURO LOCK Carbon system knee joint and NEURO SWING Carbon system ankle joint

## NEURO SWING: System Ankle Joints Compared

	NEURO SWING	NEURO SWING 2	NEURO SWING Carbon
Material	steel/ titanium	steel/ titanium	carbon
Adjustable alignment	+	+	+
Adjustable range of motion	+	+	-
Variable spring force	+	+	+
Integrated noise reduction	-	+	-
Water-resistant	-	-	+
plug + go modularity	+	+	-
Inwards and outwards bent joint versions	+	+	-
Weight, e.g. system width 20mm (titanium + carbon)*	156g	189g	104g

\* without spring units

## Spring Unit Cases

A practical spring unit case is available as an accessory for each of the three NEURO SWING versions. It contains two spring units per spring force for each system width as well as the necessary tools for exchanging the spring units. Your advantage: with this case, the effects of the different spring forces on the gait can be compared and a flexible reaction to the therapy progress is possible. The case can also be ordered empty for customised equipping.

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### NEURO SWING 2



### NEURO SWING Carbon



NEURO SWING System Ankle Joints —  
Dynamic Balance and Stability  
in Every Situation



NEURO SWING with Orthosis Shoe PARKSTREET

## Overview of Treatment Guides



### MS Guide

A Guide for the Diagnosis and Orthotic Treatment of Patients with Multiple Sclerosis



### Stroke Guide

A Concept for the Orthotic Treatment of the Lower Extremity following a Cerebral Vascular Accident



### CP Guide

A Concept for the Orthotic Treatment of the Lower Extremity in Cerebral Palsy



### Guide to Paraplegia

Evaluation of the Orthotic Treatment of the Lower Extremity following Paraplegia



### General Physical Examination Guide

For the Orthotic Treatment of the Lower Extremity



### Guide to Partial Foot Amputations

A Concept for the Prosthetic Treatment of Patients with Amputations Below the Ankle Joint

## Use the Orthosis Configurator

to independently select the necessary system components for your orthosis. The Orthosis Configurator determines the appropriate system components and spring units for your patient by taking the patient data and the load capacity of the **NEURO SWING** system ankle joints into account.



[www.orthosis-configurator.com](http://www.orthosis-configurator.com)

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