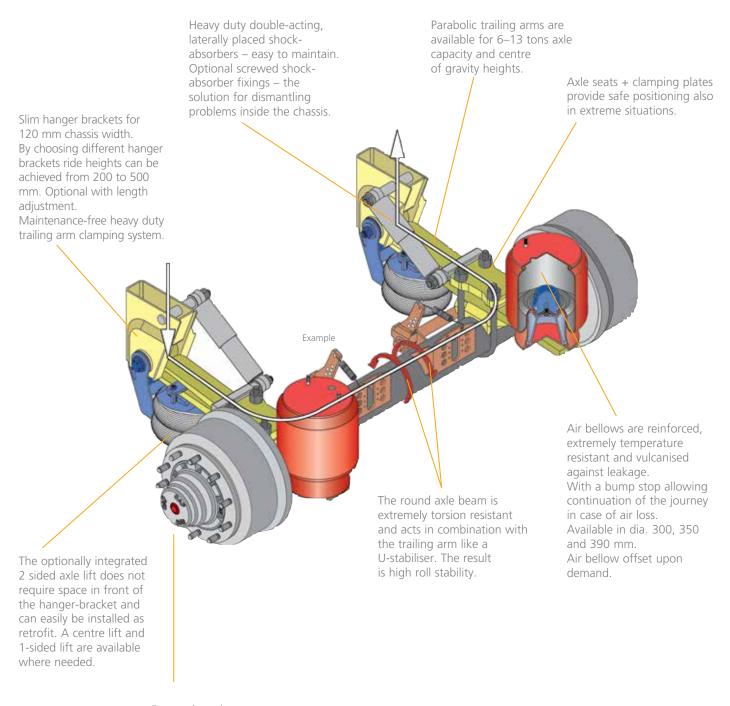


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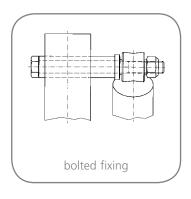


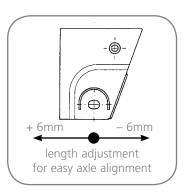


# THE SAF AIR SUSPENSION -



Extremely maintenance friendly and economically during the whole lifetime. Available from 8 to 13 tons axle-capacity.





# THE ADVANTAGES OF IT'S FUNCTION

### AIR-SUSPENSION WORKS ON THE PRINCIPLE OF COMPRESSED AIR

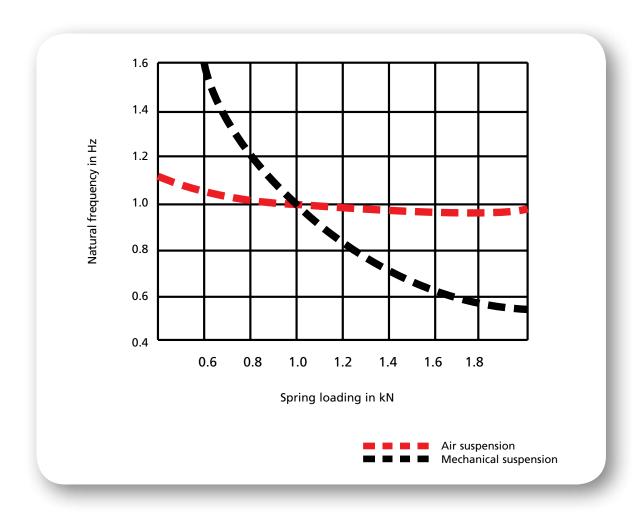
The basic principle is the use of air bellows positioned between the vehicle's axles and chassis so as to use the elastic properties of the air as a suspension medium.

Heavy duty shock absorbers minimize potential shocks to the trailer. The air supply is generated by the brake system and passes via the levelling valve into the air bellows.

#### THE LEVELLING-VALVE

maintains a constant ride height in all loading situations by adding or releasing air to/from the system

Each air suspension module can be combined to form a single/tandem or triaxle configuration. All suspension modules are mechanically independent.



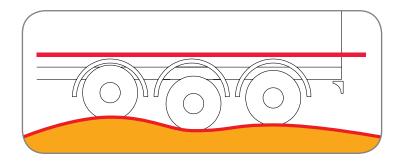
## A SPRING RATE ACCOMODATED FOR CHANGING LOAD CONDITION

- no wheel bounce reduced tyre wear
- comfort for driver
- extended lifetime of chassis and
- optimum protection of load, chassis and road under all driving conditions

## THE BENEFITS FOR YOUR BUSINESS

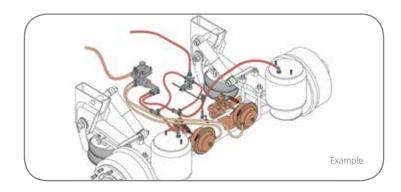
#### PERFECT LOAD-DISTRIBUTION

- axle travel per module up to 420 mm
- identical load on all axles
- road friendly
- load friendly



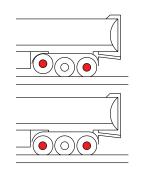
#### **BRAKE SAFETY**

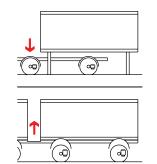
- load-dependent brake pressure via the load sensing valve or EBS (electronic braking system)
- balanced braking
- reduced wear of friction materials and tyres



# OPTIONAL AXLE LIFT(S)

- reduced tyre wear
- less fuel consumption





## OPTIONAL CHASSIS RAISE AND LOWER FACILITY

- time saving loading on different ramp heights
- swap body operation

As early as 1964, SAF was the first European manufacturer to develope and introduce workable air suspension systems. The main features of today's modul suspension:

- robust construction, although light in weight
- high lateral stability
- low maintenance
- full product range including, useful options.



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