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# The history of Aebi at a glance

140 years at the forefront of agricultural engineering



Aebi, founded in 1883 in Burgdorf, Switzerland, is the world's leading brand for vehicles that enable the safe mechanical cultivation and maintenance of extreme slopes and particularly demanding terrain. In 1976, Aebi launched the first Terratrak on the market, and it remains the benchmark reference in its class today. The current portfolio is supplemented by single-axle implement carriers as well as powerful multipurpose transporters.

## Company Milestones

- 1883** Johann Ulrich Aebi founded his mechanical workshop in Burgdorf.
- 1900** The revolutionary, horse-drawn Aebi mower "Helvetia" is awarded the gold medal at the 1900 World Exhibition in Paris.
- 1951** The AM 52 was Aebi's first single-axle mower to be produced in large numbers. Almost 29,000 units left the factory by 1971.
- 1965** This year marks the beginning of the era of Aebi transporters. The TP 1000 was the best-selling model, with up to 800 units per year.
- 1976** The Aebi Terratrak TT 77 offers unprecedented comfort and performance in the cultivation of steep slopes. The concept of the twin-axle mower becomes a global success.
- 2024** Aebi's single-axle mowers, slope tractors and transporters with are still market-leading products for mountain agriculture and municipal services. In 2024, the electric CC 140e marks Aebi's entry into the age of electrification.



## From Aebi to Aebi Schmidt

**Aebi CC 160 – Single axle mower**



**Aebi TT 211+ - Slope tractor**



**Aebi TP/VT 470 Vario - Transporter**



Aebi was always driven by the desire to maintain technological leadership in cooperation with an efficient network of specialist dealers. Our mission was and is to provide intelligent products and services to significantly support and, wherever possible, facilitate work in agriculture in general and, of course, mountain farming in particular.

Today, with our typical Aebi DNA, we are part of a globally active group and we have developed far beyond agriculture to become a leading partner for intelligent product systems and services for municipalities, airports and contractors. Whereas a few decades ago it was exclusively vehicles and equipment, today and in the future, we provide service and support and allow our customers to concentrate on their core activities.

More than 200 colleagues, including 10 apprentices, currently work at the Burgdorf site in the factory and in the sales and service organisation. Many Aebi employees have extensive experience, in some cases spanning several generations of the family. Together, we are proud to have regularly received awards for outstanding work and products.

## The Aebi Schmidt Group

Aebi and Schmidt merged in 2009 and formed the foundation of today's Aebi Schmidt Group. Since then, many other long-standing companies from the machine industry in Europe and North America have joined the group. Today, the Aebi Schmidt Group is a global leader in intelligent solutions for customers who care for clean and safe infrastructure and cultivate challenging grounds.

The unique variety of our range of products comprises our own vehicles as well as innovative attachable and demountable devices for individual vehicle equipment. A support and service programme perfectly tailored to sophisticated customer needs offers the appropriate solution to nearly any challenge.

Our 14 production facilities in Europe and North America form the backbone of our organisation. Our machines and equipment are produced on a total area of over 100,000 m<sup>2</sup> of production facilities using state-of-the-art technology and continuously improved processes.



**935 Mio. €**

net sales in 2023

**10**

strong product brands

**3,000**

employees

presence in **16** countries with our own sales and service organisations

presence in over **90** countries through established partnerships with dealers

**14** production facilities across the globe

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