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Semi-mounted central delivery rakes GA 7631 and GA 8131

The GA 7631 and GA 8131 complement the existing KUHN range of semi-mounted central-delivery rakes. Simple, user-friendly, offering a wide range of equipment and with working widths from 6.7m to 7.5m for the GA 7631 and 7.1m to 8.0m for the GA 8131, they are intended for medium and large size farms.

The GA 7631 and GA 8131 are designed for ever more intensive use and to rake dense and heavy fodder, with the MASTER DRIVE GIII double reduction gearbox with conical and cylindrical sprockets. Aluminium alloy bearings incorporating a guide with bronze bushings and an outward sealing ring allow significant reduction in the weight of moving parts. The service life of the rotor is extended, with the lubrication intervals spaced at 200 hours. The reliability of these machines and their low level of maintenance actively contribute to cost control.

Their design, with a high frame, ensures fast rotor lift during turnaround manoeuvres, thus providing important clearance under the rotors (from 43cm to 70cm depending on the working width setting) in order to prevent damaging already formed windrows. The rotor attachment point is optimised to lower the rear of the rotor first. The plant cover is preserved thanks to the "jet effect". The u-joints of the rotors and wheels located closest to the tines allows faithful ground following and clean raking. These factors contribute positively to harvesting quality forage.

These two rakes also offer a very high degree of customisation and are thus tailored to meet the needs of the farms. The hydraulic adjustment of the working and windrow width is standard. Many optional equipment additions allow adaptation of these rakes to the specific farm configurations such as hydraulic adjustment of the working height, individual rotor lifting, wide transport wheels, bogie axle and hydraulic windrow curtain.

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