Focusing on your needs

Hygienic closure systems – from a modular structure to individual designs.
You manufacture baby diapers or incontinence briefs; we supply the right closure system. Whether a modular system or tailor-made, whether self-adhesive or mechanically closing – as one of the leading manufacturers with international production plants and a global sales network, we are there for you – worldwide.

What connects us? A passion for closure systems that offer the best functionality in every situation.

With more than 40 years of experience. With development know-how, DIN-certified processes and a sustainable production. And with highly motivated employees who are dedicated to finding the best possible solution for you.
What are your demands on closure systems? Do you want to increase process reliability in order to be able to produce more economically? Are you looking for the perfect fit for your diaper with the aid of excellent elasticity? Or do you want to benefit from modular closure solutions that can be integrated into your production process with a low deployment threshold? Questions that are not only of concern to you, but also to us: We would like to support you with modern and innovative closure systems that fit perfectly to your intended application.

More process reliability, cost-effectiveness and wearing comfort thanks to sophisticated products.

Precision is the key to success
We are only satisfied when you are.

Our closure systems withstand high mechanical loads and can be re-fastened without problem. They are flexible, skin-friendly and possess reliable retaining properties. So that you are satisfied with your product. And the quality of life of your products’ users worldwide is increased.
In four process steps to a closure system perfectly adapted to your needs.

Many ways can lead to the right product. Our approach is very simple: In order to find the right connection, we first connect with you – and listen to you very carefully. Because we do not regard ourselves simply as a supplier. We see ourselves as an active partner who works together with you to develop a closure system that fits perfectly to your needs. Regardless whether it is a modular or individual solution.
Application
The starting point for each closure system is the detailed knowledge of the concrete application. This is where the experience and know-how of our product development pay off. We will show you the possibilities and alternatives of product components and product values and define the technical design of your choice jointly with you.

Products
Basing on the knowledge of your specific requirements, we will find the right product for you with the required and necessary parameters.

Tools
Essential for an efficient closure system is the perfect integration into your production process. Our competent contacts support you with advice and assistance, including the globally available technical service at your own location, so that your new product runs efficiently on your machine.

Services
We are at your disposal at all times as the point of contact and offer numerous services. Starting with the maintenance of a consignment stock, via EDI services to safety stocks for maximum flexibility.
We think globally and act locally. You will benefit from the technical support and advice, which is available to you on the spot. At our locations in Altendorf (Germany), Guadalajara (Mexico) and Tianjin (China), around 590 highly qualified employees work daily to produce perfect products for you by means of state-of-the-art production processes. And to ensure that they are deliverable globally by adapting them to the individual regional market requirements. It is this close proximity to the customer that has made us one of the world’s leading manufacturers of hygienic closure systems.
The main location in Altendorf, Germany
The main location Altendorf serves the regions of Europe, the Near East and Africa. Apart from the production of our global portfolio, our core business lies in elastic products, mechanical tapes and elastic laminates. We also advise and support our global subsidiaries on specific topics – an efficient mix of sales, development and support.

- Serving the regions of Europe, the Near East and Africa

The production plant in Guadalajara, Mexico
Originally established as a subsidiary for sales support, we have been developing self-adhesive closure systems for baby diapers and adult incontinence briefs in Mexico since 2006. In 2010 the production of combined mechanical closure systems was added. Thanks to its central position, customers from all parts of the Americas benefit from local security stocks and short delivery times. Investments in a state-of-the-art machine park and a sophisticated test laboratory make Lohmann-koester Mexico an ideal partner when it comes to tailor-made solutions.

- Serving the regions of North, Central, Latin America and the Caribbean
- Certified according to DIN EN ISO 9001:2008

The production plant in Tianjin, China
In order to cope with the strong market growth in Asia and the Pacific, the site, which was founded in 2006, was ultimately expanded to include the production facility for hygienic closure systems. The core competencies lie in the coating and laminating of nonwoven, as well as the coating of technical and adhesive tapes, in the high-precision cutting of different materials and in the cross-winding of different carrier materials. With a state-of-the-art production line, Lohmann-koester China is in a position to develop tailor-made solutions of all kinds.

- Servicing the regions of Asia and the Pacific
What distinguishes us

Highly motivated employees, certified processes and a sustainable production.

With our closure systems, we orient ourselves on the highest production standards. Also in our corporate conduct, we are aware of the great responsibility we bear. This already starts with the choice of our partners. We work with companies that produce environmentally friendly products and adhere to the highest hygiene and safety standards. We mainly use solvent-free and siliconized carrier materials as well as environmentally friendly adhesives.

Experienced experts work every day to support you with their know-how. With great passion, innovative power and efficient quality management, which have met the highest international standards since 1996. Since we started with the production of hygienic closure systems more than 40 years ago, we know that only uncompromising quality has a future.

The dedication of our experts ultimately results in a positive effect on the quality of your products.


Internal training programs continually expand the expertise and competence of our employees.

State-of-the-art machines and extensive testing procedures at each of our production plants guarantee a consistent product quality.
Our product portfolio

Perfectly engineered, versatile and proven in practice.

Our modular closure systems guarantee optimal functionality in all situations. They have been tried and tested for years and keep their promise in every application. From elastic and comfortable diaper side panels with soft nonwoven straps as well as the matching Mini Tapes for baby diapers, to multi-layered solutions, with or without elastic materials for incontinence briefs. Innovative, of the highest quality and made from the best raw materials: Our extensive and modular product portfolio in the field of baby diapers and incontinence briefs allows you to perfectly cover all areas of application.
Closure systems for baby diapers

When discovering new territories, the tiniest tots are the greatest explorers. With curiosity and a thirst for action, the challenge is to explore their own agility and mobility every day. Good that the diapers fit exactly so that nothing goes astray – and at the same time remain flexible enough to accompany every one of baby’s movement “at close range”.

With our innovative developments for diaper closures, putting on the diaper becomes child’s play. Thanks to FlexEar® the diaper side panels can be particularly widely stretched. In order to close them as best as possible, the Flex Hook® Lines are available with a sophisticated hook strip geometry.

And with our elastic and non-elastic mechanical tapes, we offer you optimal closure systems with soft nonwoven straps. For babies with the urge to explore, and those who want the newest developments on the market that are nonetheless tried and tested. Its simply Lohmann-koester’s know-how.

Closure systems for incontinence briefs

Those who wish to enjoy freedom of movement and maintain their social contacts well into their old age naturally do not want to be hindered by physical restrictions. This places particular demands on incontinence briefs. Reliable retaining properties, easy handling and problem-free reclosability are the first priorities on the list of requirements.

Our closure technologies Flex Hook® Lines, adhesive and mechanical tapes as well as our Combi Tapes ensure this. With tailor-made incontinence closure systems for various target groups and application areas.
Our individual solutions
We determine everything that the closure of your product must be able to do. And from the initial design to the finished closure system of the diaper, we find a solution that fits your individual product.
There is only one best solution: The one that exactly fits your application. How do we find it? By advising and supporting you. From the initial idea to the integration into your process. Our philosophy in three words: Smart Bonding Approach.