



**Axel Springer  
Offset printing plant**

**Ahrensburg,  
Germany**

Realisation of a logistic concept with  
Telelift UniCar for transporting printing plates.

## The Customer, the Requirements, the Solution

In the Hamburg-Ahrensburg offset printing plant, which has been in operation since 1983, Axel Springer produces newspapers for the North German region as well as titles from other publishers as subcontractor.

After the reorganisation, the Ahrensburg offset printing plant is today the most advanced plant in Europe.

Start-up:	1989
Area size:	140.000 m <sup>2</sup>
No. of staff:	530
Capacity of paper:	73.000 to.



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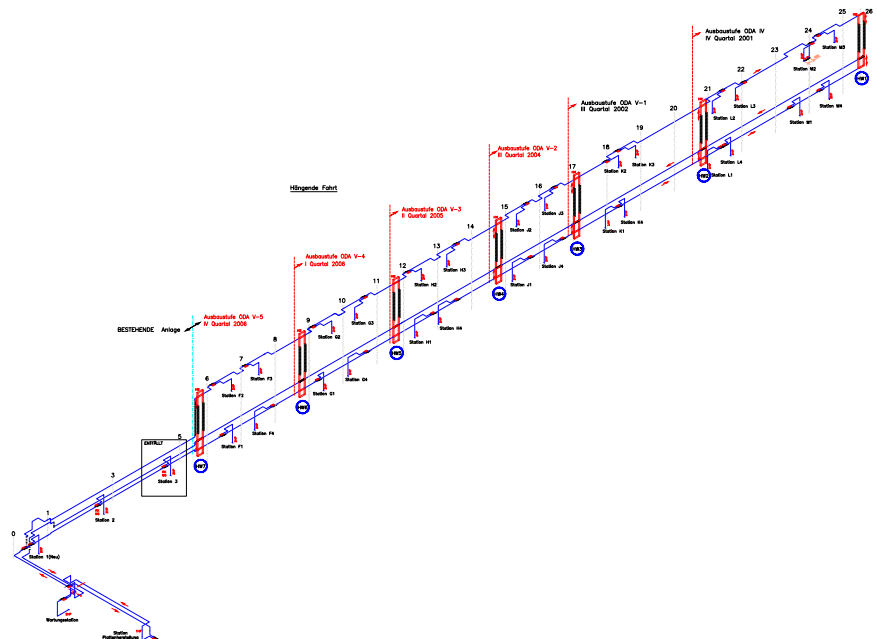


## The Solution:

System: UniCar  
Track length: approx. 600 m  
No. of stations: 33  
No. of vehicles: 60  
Commissioning: 1989  
Extension: 2000- 2006  
Control: EMK-III

## Benefits:

- > Strong automation grade in a complex working environment
- > 100% monitoring of forwarded printing plates
- > 99% availability of system
- > 24/7 operational availability



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