

Company Gustav Kunz, Fürstenwalde

Homepage: www.tresselt-gmbh.de/index.php/kunz-hobel

company history

The Gustav Kunz company was founded in 1910 in Fürstenwalde.

In the 1929 Fürstenwalde address book, Gustav Kunz is listed as the factory owner and (his brother?) Carl as the manufacturer. [1\)](#) The Kunz brothers' factory was located at Alter Schützenplatz 2. The same data (but: "Karl" instead of "Carl") can be found in the 1935 address book. [2\)](#)

The location at Alter Schützenplatz is also entered in a list of manufacturers from 1942 [3\)](#).

After World War II the company moved to Hanover. Address from a patent from January 22, 1953: 'Gustav Kunz tool factory, Hanover Döhren, Hildesheimer Chaussee 175'. A later patent specification dated June 12, 1958 names Hanover-Wüfel as the factory location. [4\)](#)

In 1992, the company Tresselt-Schlüter GmbH in Grossbreitebach/Thuringia took over the production of Kunz planes. In 1993, the KUNZ trademark, complete production and sales of the entire KUNZ product range was taken over. [5\)](#) The Tresselt-Schlueter company is the only manufacturer of iron planes in Germany.

Further information

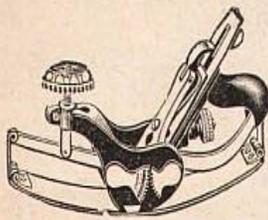


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Gebr. Kunz
Fürstenwalde (Spree)
 Älteste und grösste Spezial-
 fabrik für eiserne Hobel



Alle Sorten eiserne Hobel, wie
 Schabhobel, Schiffhobel, Zieh-
 kling-hobel, Patent-schrauben-
 zieher, Winkel usw.

Quelle/Source: www.holzwerken.de

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Gebr. Kunz Werkzeug- und Maschinen-Fabrik
 Telefon 906 (763) / Fürstenwalde (Spree) / Telefon 906 (763)

SPEZIALITÄT: Eiserne Hobel nach amerikanischer Art / Automatische
 Schraubenzieher / Fournierböcke / Fugenleim-Apparate
 Türenspanner / Schleifmaschinen / Hobelbank- und
 Fournierbock - Spindeln / Eiserne Schraubzwingen
 Bandsägeblätter / Reparaturen und Lieferung von
 Fleischerei-Maschinen und Werkzeugen

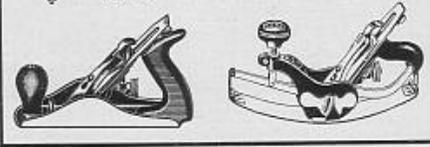
Auto-
 Schraubenschlüssel
 aus
 Chrom-Vanadium-
 Stahl.

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KUNZ
Qualitäts-Werkzeuge
 Eiserne Hobel - Eiserne Winkel
 Drillschraubenzieher - Drillbohrer
 Gehrungssägen - Schleifmaschinen
 Chrom - Van. - Schraubenschlüssel

Gebr. Kunz, Fürstenwalde (Spree)
Werkzeugfabrik
 Fernsprecher 763 u. 906, Tel.-Adr.: Hobelkunz



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References to the company in the supplier directory '[Who delivers what?](#)' :
[Plane \(1940\)](#) ,
[Plane \(1954\)](#) ,
[Plane \(1960\)](#) .

tools

In my collection:



[Rough bench no. 7](#)



[Adjustable ship plane](#)



[spokeshave](#)

Brands

Entries in "Proof of trademarks protected by law in the German Reich [[WAZ](#)]:
word mark 'Kunz' entered in the trademark register on March 27, 1985 under the register number
1075360.

Images of trademarks:





Trademarks on tools etc.:



[of this No. 7 roughing bench](#))



[3\)](#)

catalogues



9)

patents

no patents known

utility model

799100 (10/31/1921) Handle for spokeshave.

799101 (October 31, 1921) Straight and grooving plane.

799102 (10/31/1921) Spokeshave.

799103 (10/31/1921) Edge scraper.

799104 (10/31/1921) Sims and rebate plane.

799105 (10/31/1921) ship plane.

1649717 (01/22/1953) Smoothing plane, especially household

[plane 1768360](#) (06/12/1958) Hand-protected smoothing, end-grain, cleaning, compound and household plane

Sources and References

1)

[Address book Fürstenwalde 1929](#)

2)

[Address book Fürstenwalde 1935](#)

3)

The German tool industry, 1942 [[DWI](#)]

4)

Trademarks, patents and utility models come from various sources that are detailed [on this page](#).

5)

[Kunz Tools](#) (Tresselt GmbH website)

6)

Reich address book ??

7)

Advertisement in the magazine "Werkstatt und Betriebs" (1926)

9)

[Kunz catalog from around 1930](#)

10)

[German Reich address book for industry, commerce, trade and agriculture](#) (1928)
