DEEP SOIL LOOSENING – KNOCHE CHISEL CULTIVATORS
GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THE SOIL!

Best possible soil structure: By means of the chisel cultivators WISENT and BISON you provide ideal conditions for the root system of the field crops in the soil.

Get the most out of your soil also in the future and give it what it needs – a natural and deep soil tillage. By means of the chisel cultivators WISENT and BISON the easy breaking up of the topsoil below the plough pan is facilitated. Thus, compacted soil layers are arranged and loosened. Therefore, catchment water can drain better and nutrients in the soil are better absorbed due to deeper rooting. This aspect is very important, because the new Fertilizer Ordinance that will be valid from 2018 onwards will present new challenges to farmers.
Good soil is becoming more and more important in the fields of agriculture. The harvest is not only endangered by climatic changes, but also by the increasingly poor soil fertility due to compaction because of increasing machine weights.

That is what Knoche Maschinenbau has planned to implement by means of its machines: Our chisel cultivators BISON and WISENT ensure a basic nutrient-rich harvest. For example, deep roots of corn or rape plants whose fine root fibres often have to face strong soil resistance can absorb natural nutrients in an easier way due to soil loosening.

THE NEW FERTILIZER ORDINANCE
From 2018 onwards the new Fertilizer Ordinance will be valid. This ordinance contains stronger rules in favour of water protection and air quality management, thus ultimately benefitting the environment. Most of all, the application of fertilisers containing nitrogen and phosphate shall be reduced. Therefore, the admissible amount of nitrogen fertilisers is reduced to 60 kg total nitrogen per hectare. Due to this limitation agriculture focuses more and more on a supply of natural nutrients. Further information can be found on the website www.bmel.de.
CHISEL CULTIVATOR WISENT: 
PATH TO THE FUTURE

The single row chisel cultivator WISENT manufactured by KNOCHE represents the solution for a nutrient-rich soil structure that will get the most out of your field crops.

Whether short disc harrow or other soil tillage tools – the single row chisel cultivator WISENT can be combined with active or passive soil tillage tools so that you can perfectly coordinate the different operations. In case of a working width of 3 m the stable three-point frame picks up 2 to 6 freely movable tines at the bottom spar. The topsoil is broken up below the plough pan. Thus, optimal conditions for the root system of the field crops are facilitated even at a depth of up to 60 cm. Due to the simple, straight construction a lateral re-compacting and a re-compacting in the topsoil are not possible.
CHISEL CULTIVATOR BISON:
FOR GROUND AND SOIL

The double row chisel cultivator BISON manufactured by KNOCHE loosens strong soil resistances and facilitates optimal supply of nutrients to plants in deep soils.

The machine loosens and drains compacted soils at a depth of up to 60 cm. This is very easy for the double row chisel cultivator KNOCHE BISON. Due to small working gaps the lower soil layers remain where they belong. The mechanical breaking up of compacted soil layers improves the supply of water and air to plants, prevents puddling if there is heavy rainfall and counteracts increasing soil erosion. The spikes of the tines of the chisel cultivator BISON are rotating. The chisel cultivator is equipped with a rugged frame made of quality steel and wear plates at the struts. It is suited for loosening tramlines as well as a total area soil tillage.
TYPES WITH DEPTH GUIDANCE

From hard to loosened soil – our chisel cultivators plough every type of soil. Due to the different modes of operation they get to the bottom of the nutrients.

The chisel cultivators BISON and WISENT are characterized by the type of soil tillage – an indigenous and deep soil tillage. The chisel cultivator BISON only operates in double row design due to the tines’ curvature and arrangement. The tines are arranged in a row. In case of a double row chisel cultivator it is not possible to use another tool during the operation.

The single row chisel cultivator WISENT manufactured by KNOCHE is responsible for this. In this case the tines’ arrangement is different. They are arranged in straight order so that the machine operates in single row design.

CHISEL CULTIVATOR BISON

- working width from 1,70 m to 4,00 m
- 10 tines in case of a working width of 4 m:
  - 5 curved tines on the left and 5 curved tines on the right
- double row

By means of the professional deep soil tillage the soil maintains its full productivity.

CHISEL CULTIVATOR WISENT

- working width of 3 m
- 6 straight tines in case of a clearance of 60 cm
- single row
- equipped with PTO drive shaft and combinable with tools or rollers
- wear protection
- optimised kinematics by means of shear bolts

The freely movable tines provide stability and are particularly energy-saving during the deep working pass.
CHISEL CULTIVATORS

FACTS AND FIGURES

CHISEL CULTIVATOR
- individually adjustable working widths in case of the chisel cultivator WISENT
- several tines for deep soil tillage
- energy-saving mode of operation
- easy breaking up of the topsoil
- loosens and drains soils at a depth of up to 60 cm
- supply of natural nutrients

WISENT 3 m

BISON 3 m

BISON 4 m

CHISEL CULTIVATORS

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Optional extras
- Lightning
  - Supporting roller from the KNOCHE product range