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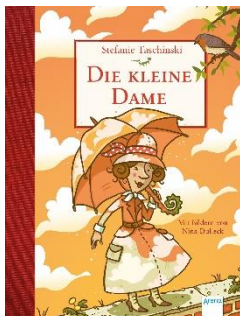
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Children's Books Highlights 2021

ARENA'S BESTSELLING CHARACTERS

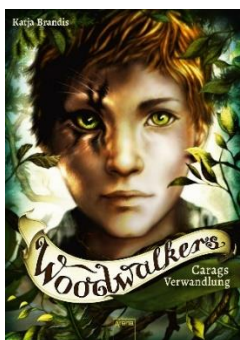


THE LITTLE LADY SERIES (5 VOLUMES) by Stefanie Taschinski, illustrated by Nina Dulleck

- New: Rights of volume 1 sold to EE
- Rights of the series sold to PL, TR, EE
- The series sold over 275,000 copies so far

When Lilly and her family move into the old house with the golden pretzel, she has no idea that a magic neighbour lives in the mysterious backyard. The little lady keeps a chameleon that is 1000 years old; she can make herself invisible and masters all kinds of magic tricks – but most of all she loves to play pranks on others! So a summer filled with wonderful adventures begins for Lilly.

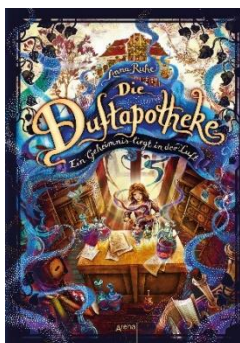
MIDDLE GRADE



WOODWALKERS SERIES (6 VOLUMES) by Katja Brandis, illustr. by Claudia Carls

- New: Rights of volume 1-3 sold to USA
- Rights of the series sold to BE/NL, CZ, English (world), ES, DK, IL, LT, PL, RU, SE, TR, UA, and German audio book rights sold
- The series sold over 1 million copies so far

At first glance Carag looks like a normal boy. Yet his bright eyes conceal a secret: Carag is a shapeshifter. Growing up as a puma in the woods, he has been living in the world of humans for a short period of time. It is only when Carag learns about Clearwater High, a boarding school that he starts to feel a sense of home.



THE MAGICAL PHARMACY (6 VOLUMES) by Anna Ruhe, illustr. by Claudia Carls

- New: Rights of volume 1-3 sold to HU,
- Rights of the series sold to BE/NL, BG, CZ, DK, FI, GR, LT, RO, RU, SK, UA, HU and German audio book rights sold
- Sold over 450,000 copies so far
- Volume 6 to be published in October 2021

There is a strange scent wafting through the old villa. It smells of a thousand different things. Yet the smells lead nowhere, and the key Luzie finds under a floorboard does not fit into any lock. Could the villa contain a hidden room?



THE CANDY GUILD (3 VOLUMES)

written by Tanja Voosen, illustrated by Viktoria Gavrilenko

- New: Rights of the series sold to BE/NL
- Rights of the series sold to BE/NL, RU and German audio book rights sold
- Sold over 40,000 copies so far
- Volume 3 to be published in April 2022

The most magical adventure since the discovery of chocolate! Everyone in the little town of Belony takes magic and miracles for granted – everyone except Elina, who thinks it's all a load of nonsense. That is, until her nervous neighbour Charlie happens to get hold of a bar of chocolate that has a very strange effect on her.

BOOKS TO READ ON YOUR OWN



MAXI OF PHLIP (3 VOLUMES) by Anna Ruhe, illustrated by Max Meinhold

- New: Rights of the series sold to BE/NL, Volume 1 sold to BG
- Rights of the series sold to BE/NL, BG, RU, German audio book rights sold
- The series sold over 25,000 copies so far
- Volume 3 to be published in February 2022

A real live wish fairy has moved into Paula Goldenberg's house – complete with glitter dust and magic powers! Brilliant, eh? Well, almost... Maximalda Feodora Dilara Nima of Phlip – Maxi for short – is on probation and has limited magic powers. Only if she can perform good deeds for Paula will she one day become a fully-fledged fairy. But Maxi has her own ideas about what might be good for Paula. From now on, dreary old normal days become super stand-on-your-head days. Goodbye to boredom! Hello to fairy chaos!



EXPLORER TEAM SERIES (4 VOLUMES) by Björn Berenz & Christoph Dittert, illustr. by Phillip Ach

- New: Rights of volume 1 sold to CZ
- Rights sold to GR, CZ
- The series sold over 38,000 copies so far

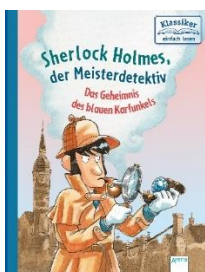
Become an explorer! Go with Lias on an exciting mission and solve the puzzles that will lead you to your goal. Eventually you must decide: how will the adventure continue? 3 paths – 3 adventures – which of them is for YOU?



THE BAREFOOT CREW AND THE STOLEN GRANNY by Jörg Steinleitner, illustrated by Daniela Kohl

- New: Rights sold to RU
- Rights sold to RU, German audio book rights sold
- Sold over 14,000 copies so far
- Volume 2 to be published in Spring 2022

Something smells of adventure: summer holidays in the country can be like a whodunnit – where else can you find a missing Granny together with a real treasure and eight bare feet?

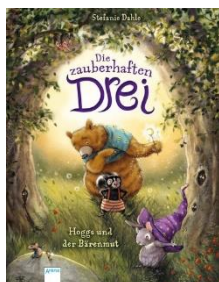


SHERLOCK HOLMES, THE MASTER DETECTIVE (4 VOLUMES) by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, re-narrated by Oliver Pautsch, illustrated by Dominik Rupp

- New: Rights of Volume 1-2 sold to GR
- Rights sold to EE, TR, GR, German audio book rights sold
- The series sold over 60,000 copies so far

Sherlock Holmes has an unexpected visitor: The hotel apprentice Bob comes to see him, carrying a dead goose under his arm. But another case baffles him as well. A precious stone has disappeared. Do the boy and the bird have anything to do with the theft? Finally the master of all sleuths discovers a trace...

PICTURE BOOK



THE ENCHANTING THREE (1). HOGGS AND BEAR COURAGE written and illustrated by Stefanie Dahle

- New: Rights sold to BG
- Rights sold to BG, DK, FI, HU, RU
- Sold over 20,000 copies so far

Hoggs the bear would love to be brave. But he is afraid of spiders and ghosts. And so Hoggs and his best friend Poki the skunk decide to go on an adventure in order to practise being brave. They head for the abandoned witch's house behind the bee field. Ugh, it's certainly ghostly! In fact, there's a kettle bubbling quite scarily. Fips the rabbit urgently needs help.

BOARD BOOKS (CO-EDITIONS)



OPEN AND CLOSE – I CAN DO IT! written and illustrated by Antje Flad

- New: Rights sold to RU
- Rights sold to KR, PRC, ROC, RU
- Sold over 410,000 copies so far

Snap! It is so easy to open the velcro of the jacket! And all the other fasteners are easy, too! The snaps on the sweater, the shoelaces, the velcro on the cap and the snap on the backpack... Any child can try it!



MY GREAT BIG TRACING BOOK. WHERE IS THE LITTLE LADYBIRD GOING? written and illustrated by Katharina Wieker

- New: Rights sold to LT
- Rights of the series sold to CZ, LT
- Sold over 10,000 copies so far

The little ladybird wants to go to kindergarten. So off he crawls: across meadows, streams, gardens and woodland – all teeming with animals. He sees mice, butterflies, rabbits, caterpillars, snails, birds and many other animals besides. Will the little ladybird get to kindergarten on time? Little hands can help him find his way.

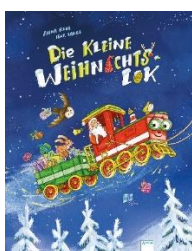
CHRISTMAS BOOKS



DAISY DORMOUSE DISCOVERS CHRISTMAS by Anna Lott, illustrated by Elisa Vavouri

- New: Rights sold to UA
- Sold over 5,000 copies so far

Plonkety plonk! Daisy Dormouse is rudely awakened from her winter sleep. Outside her den is a present. It says on the wrapping: "To Sunny Bunny for Christmas". Daisy quickly packs a few things and sets off to deliver the present. During her journey she makes many new friends and learns all about Christmas.



THE LITTLE CHRISTMAS ENGINE written by Anna Ruhe, illustrated by Igor Lange

- New: Rights sold to RO
- Sold over 5,000 copies so far

It's winter in the pleasure park. The Little Engine is dreaming of Christmas, as he does every year. It would be so nice to see a real Christmas for himself. Suddenly something terrible happens up in the sky: Father Christmas comes crashing down to earth with his overloaded sleigh. Fortunately, no one is hurt, but the sleigh is broken. This is the Little Engine's chance. He makes Father Christmas a great offer – and so he saves this year's Christmas.

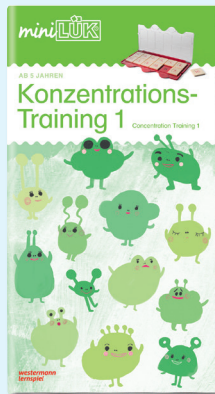
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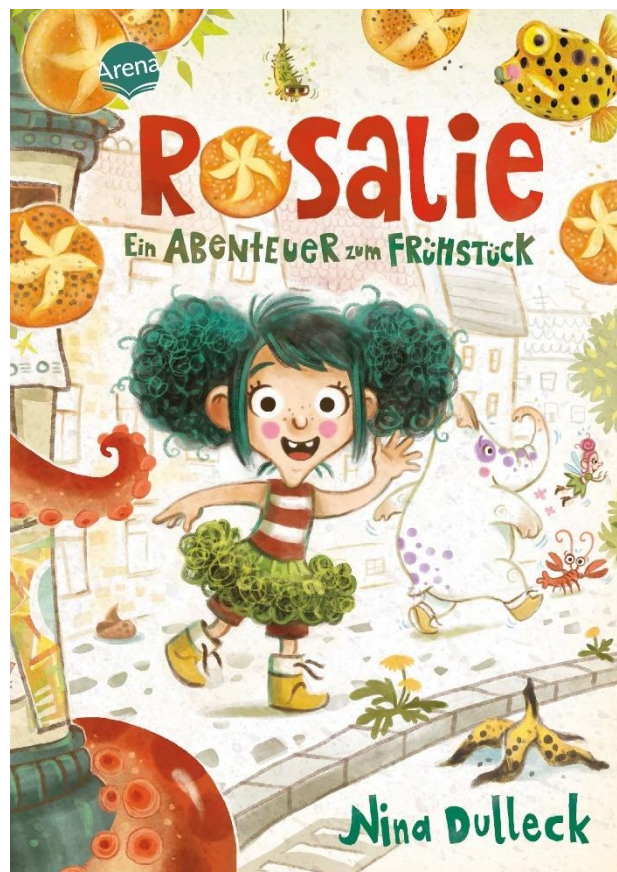


Nina Dulleck/Nina Dulleck

Rosalie

A Breakfast Adventure

Title German	Rosalie
Subtitle German	Ein Abenteuer zum Frühstück
Genre	Adventure
Age	5+
Pages	96
Format	17.8 x 24.6 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60587-6
Rights	Sold to FI



Pat-a-cake pat-a-cake! Here come Rosalie and Nina Dulleck!

It is Saturday morning, and Rosalie is bored. She's already had more than enough sleep, but Mum and Dad don't want to get up yet. "How about you going to get the rolls today?" Dad suggests. The baker's shop is a good two and a half houses down the road. Can Rosalie manage that? She sets out together with the staircase elephant and the glitter-farting elf. She knows that with a good dose of imagination, she can get through any adventure.

- The first book written & illustrated by successful illustrator Nina Dulleck (THE LITTLE LADY).
- To the baker's and back: an everyday adventure seen in glorious colour through the eyes of a child.
- With staircase elephant and glitter-farting elf on an important breakfast mission.
- Nina Dulleck's books have sold a total of 280,000 copies so far!

BACKLIST SAMPLE (AUTHOR)



**Mosquito, the Tooth Fairy,
on a Baby Tooth Hunt**
Nina Dulleck
Nina Dulleck
Rights: Sold to EE

Emma Flint/Eva Schöffmann-Davidov

My Life Looks Fabulous To Me

(when I manage to see what's what)

Title German	Für mein Leben seh ich Kunterbunt
Subtitle German	(wenn ich nur erst den Durchblick hab)
Genre	Feel Good Fun
Age	10+
Pages	336
Format	14.6 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With glittery finish on the cover
Sales price	€ 13.00
Pub. Date	August 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60584-5
Rights	Available worldwide



A turbulent time travel story by the highly successful Emma Flint

Ella has promised herself that she'll be on her best behaviour for the class trip. Since the stupid affair of the emergency exit sign, all the teachers have had it in for her. This is a real challenge for Ella, who is an expert on the art of getting into trouble. This is especially so now that her best friend Fee has fallen in love and has nothing but nonsense in her head. Disaster is inevitable.

And then the silly clown Jannis turns up at the school. 699 calamities later, all Ella wants is to start again from the beginning. Then she really does leap back in time, and at last she can see things more clearly and will be able to handle them better. Or will she?

- Sensitive mixture of humour, everyday disasters and subjects that are important to teenagers.
- How can you find out who you are if life only gives you one chance to do it?
- If only life had a rewind tape! Irresistible, which is typical of Emma Flint.
- Her books have sold a total of 85,000 copies so far.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)



My Life Full of Pixie Dust and Confetti (I Wish!)
Emma Flint
Eva Schöffmann-Davidov
Rights: Available worldwide



I Think It Glitters!
Emma Flint
Eva Schöffmann-Davidov
Rights: Available worldwide

Katja Frixe/Tine Schulz

I'm a Book, Get Me Out of Here! (1)

Beware: This Book Will Haunt You

Title German	Ich bin (d)ein Buch, hol mich hier raus! (1)
Subtitle German	Vorsicht: Hier spukt ein Buch
Genre	Adventure
Age	6+
Pages	160
Format	17.9 x 24.5 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With UV finish, laser die-cuts and embossing on the cover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	July 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71682-4
Rights of the series	Sold to RU



Wow! A book that haunts! Or: how to make reading and learning as light as a ghost

"Oh, what a book! It seems to be quite innocuous, but look out: since it's been here, strange things have happened at school. Somehow it haunts you. At least that's what we teachers think. So don't set it free..."

Don't listen to him! I'm supercool, secretly help children with their lessons, get up to all sorts of nonsense, and there's virtually nothing I can't do. For example, I can shoot dotted i's into teacher's noses, play football in the break, and do more tricks than monkeys in a zoo.

Learning to read is easy peasy. This book is interactive, hyperactive, and very gifted! As the main character and the hero, it tells its own very funny stories, and makes you hungry – to learn to read.

- The book tells its own story as the main character and the hero. Sensational new and fun way of learning to read.
- Comic stories at increasing levels of reading ability.
- The book already sold a total of 13,000 copies since it's publication in July!

Kira Gembri/Marta Kissi

Hocus-Pocus Candelabra

School of Wondrous Things (1)

Title German	Hokuspokus Kerzenständer
Series German	Die Schule der Wunderdinge (1)
Genre	Adventure
Age	8+
Pages	200
Format	14.4 x 21.1 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With silverfoil embossing on the cover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	September 2020
ISBN	978-3-401-60574-6
Rights of the series	Sold to RU



Welcome to the most wonderful, warm-hearted, whirlwindiest school in the whole wide world!

Welcome to the School of Wondrous Things. Here every child is given their own magical object: a mechanical butterfly, a magic compass, and even a camouflage cloak. But it's not so easy to protect a magical object – especially when wicked wonder thieves are out to steal it at all costs.

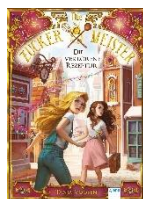
This school year can only be something wonderful! But when Tilly Beanstalk is given a candelabra named Lux, she's no longer quite so enthusiastic. Because Lux is not only cheeky, but he also loves to play with fire. Tilly has hardly got to know him when the unthinkable happens: Lux disappears! And the only clue left for Tilly and her friends Pip and Nico is a smoky SOS!

- A whirlwind of wonders! The latest children's book by best-selling author Kira Gembri.
- A secret school class that protects magical objects from wicked thieves.
- Tilly Beanstalk is THE new heroine that all boys and girls aged 8+ can identify with.
- Kira Gembri's books have sold a total of 75,000 copies.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (GENRE)



The Candy Guild (1). The Magic Pact
Tanja Voosen
Viktoria Gavrilenko
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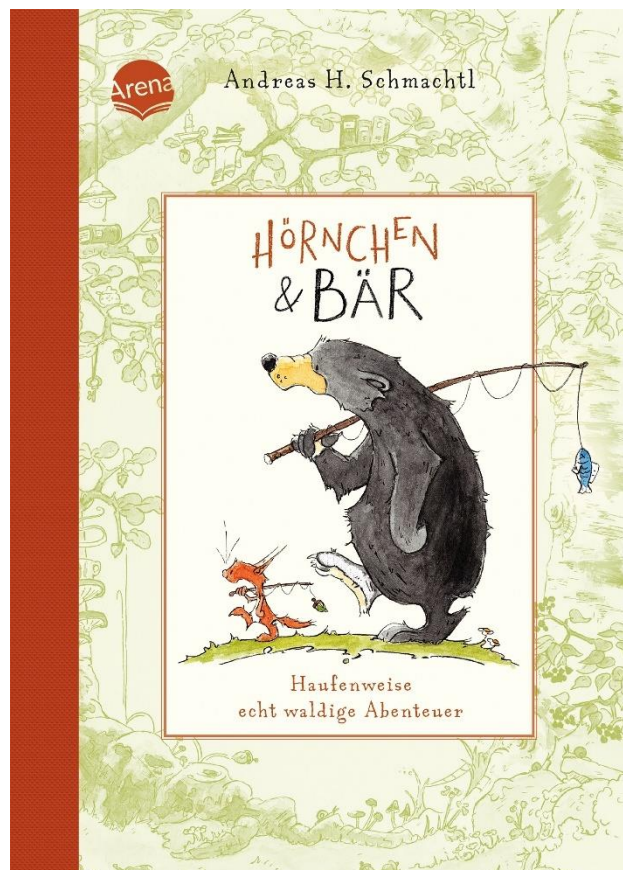
The Candy Guild (2). The Lost Recipe
Tanja Voosen
Viktoria Gavrilenko
Rights of the series: Sold to BE/NL, RU, German audio book rights sold

Andreas H. Schmachtl/Andreas H. Schmachtl

Lots of Fabulous Forest Adventures

Squirrel & Bear (1)

Title German	Haufenweise echt waldige Abenteuer
Series German	Hörnchen & Bär (1)
Genre	Adventure
Age	4+
Pages	216
Format	17.4 x 23.6 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With linen spine, embossing, UV finish and ribbon
Sales price	€ 16.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71782-1
Rights of the series	Sold to RU, German audio book rights sold



Philosophical, touching, and told with a twinkle in the eye: a read-aloud treasure with all the makings of a classic

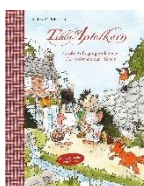
There's a certain mumbling rumbling sound in the forest. And it carries as far as the cosy comforts of Squirrel's nest high in his tree. What's it all about? And who's making it? Bear, of course! He's on his way to the lake with his fishing rod. Squirrel would like to go with him to keep him company. No sooner said than done. And so Squirrel and Bear not only become the best of friends, but they also become the best of adventurers. Together they solve the mystery of the forest ghosts, transform a bad-mood day into a glorious splash-around in the river, organise Squirrel's choral work with the rabbits, and survive a terrible storm.

- **THE book to put all the family in the best of moods.**
- **You won't find a good friend in every corner, but you might find one in the middle of the forest.**
- **Anyone who likes TILDA APPLESEED and SNÖFRID will also fall for SQUIRREL & BEAR.**
- **Poetry meets Nature: the feel-good forest has never been made so magical since Winnie the Pooh.**
- **The book sold a total of 12,000 copies since it's publication in June!**

BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR)

Tilda Appleseed (14).
Exciting Times in the Small Village

Andreas H. Schmachtl
Andreas H. Schmachtl
Rights of the series: Sold to BG, DK, EE, FI, HU, IT, LT, LV, PRC, RO, RU, TR, UA, ZA. German audio book rights sold, TV rights sold



Snöfrid (1). The Absolutely Incredible Rescue of Northland

Andreas H. Schmachtl
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Rights of the series: Sold to FI, RO, RU, VN, UA, German audio book rights sold



Jana Hoch and Jamie/Clara Vath

Diary from the Paddock

Pony Jamie. Simply Heroic (1)

Title German	Tagebuch von der Pferdekoppel
Series German	Pony Jamie. Einfach heldenhaft (1)
Genre	Horses
Age	9+
Pages	160
Format	14.3 x 21.1 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With UV finish and blind embossing on the cover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	July 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60627-9
Rights of the series	Available worldwide



Here comes Pony Jamie – hero, human whisperer and King of the Paddock

Cool, cooler, coolest, that's Jamie! This pony is an unequalled equine genius! Along with the rest of the equine team – especially Macho, the leader of the herd, Tinker mare Fanny, riding pony Paloma and fjord horse Robin – Haflinger Jamie causes all kinds of chaos. It would be really ridiculous if they were not able to train the humans in the paddock to behave themselves. But when all's said and done, Jamie is the greatest human whisperer of all time!

Haflinger Jamie has just one ambition: to have a career as a famous dressage pony. But unfortunately, he is two centimetres too big. And so instead of becoming part of the stud's sports team, he is now to be sold! Unbelievable! But then the 11-year-old Jana enters his life. And Jamie is forced to accept the fact that he still doesn't know all there is to know about these strange creatures called humans.

- The path to success is lined with carrots: here comes Pony Jamie.
- Madly funny, absolutely adorable and gloriously original.
- By the highly successful author and horse expert Jana Hoch.
- Her books have sold a total of 50,000 copies so far.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (GENRE)



Sparkling Ponies (1). A Friend for Sunny
Emily Palmer
Josephine Llobet
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Sparkling Ponies (2). Stella's Secret
Emily Palmer
Josephine Llobet
Rights of the series: Sold to CZ and German audio book rights

Henriette Wich/Steffen Gumpert

The Mysterious Dognapper

TEAM MAGNIFIER Investigates (1)

Title German	Der rätselhafte Hundedieb
Series German	TEAM LUPE ermittelt (1)
Genre	Detective stories
Age	7+
Pages	64
Format	16.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	UV finish
Sales price	€ 8.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71677-0
Rights of the series	Available worldwide



Here comes TEAM MAGNIFIER Investigates – our new diverse and inclusive detective series

Two exciting adventures with the characters from the Westermann PASSWORD MAGNIFIER educational series for exciting leisure-time reading. Beginning readers will discover the fun of reading with these interactive puzzle crime stories. Both books for 2nd and 3rd grade readers aim to inspire children's love of reading. Easy-to-read font, appropriate font size, text length and separation of text units support reading progress.

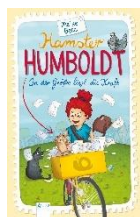
Paul's dog Marble is missing! Everyone saw her at the school party, but the next day there's no sign of her anywhere. Then Paul receives an anonymous phone call ... A thrilling case for the four detectives of TEAM MAGNIFIER!

- Reading fun with interactive puzzle crime stories for the 2nd and 3rd grade!
- A story in short chapters.
- Simple text, divided into understandable units, with puzzles to join in the detective fun.

BACKLIST SAMPLE (GENRE)



The Little Detective Gang and the Bike Theft
Christian Seltmann
Nikolai Renger
Rights: Sold to RU



Guinea-Pig Humboldt. Small and Steady Wins the Race
Meike Betz
Sonja Kurzbach
Rights: Available worldwide



The Super Secret Small Paw Gang (1). The Two Million Grain Treasure
Katja Alves
Marta Balmaseda
Rights of the series: Sold to RU

Henriette Wich/Zapf

Midnight Clues

TEAM MAGNIFIER Investigates (2)

Title German	Spurensuche um Mitternacht
Series German	TEAM LUPE ermittelt (2)
Genre	First Readers
Age	7+
Pages	64
Format	16.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	UV finish
Sales price	€ 8.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71678-7
Rights of the series	Available worldwide



On the hunt for clues with TEAM MAGNIFIER

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A break-in at the detective agency! TEAM MAGNIFIER can't take it in – they've been robbed! Then when a threatening letter drops into their letterbox, the case becomes even murkier. A thrilling case for the four detectives from TEAM MAGNIFIER

- Reading fun with interactive puzzle crime stories for the 2nd and 3rd grade!
- A story in short chapters.
- Simple text, divided into understandable units, with puzzles to join in the detective fun.

BACKLIST SAMLE (GENRE)



The Feathered Bureau of Investigations (1). Willi Watson's First Case
Ulrike Kaup
Marta Balmaseda
Rights: Sold to RU



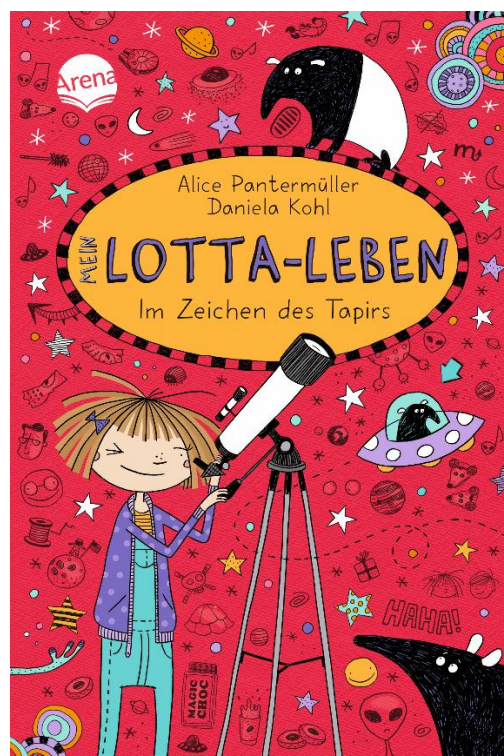
Lighthouse Sharks (1). Granny Rosella and the Secret Seal Mission
Gisa Pauly
Edda Skibbe
Rights of the series: Sold to EE, German audio book rights sold

Alice Pantermüller/Daniela Kohl

Under the Sign of the Tapir

My Life as Lotta (18)

Title German	Im Zeichen des Tapirs
Series German	Mein Lotta-Leben (18)
Genre	Diary
Age	9+
Pages	160
Format	14.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	November 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60505-0
Rights of the series	Sold to AL, BE/NL, BG, CZ, DK, EE, English(world), ES (Cast., Cat.), FI, FR, GE, GR, HU, IL, IR, IS, IT, KZ, LT, LV, MK, NO, PL, PRC, PT, RO, ROK, RS, RU, SK, TR, UA, VN, ZA, German audio book rights

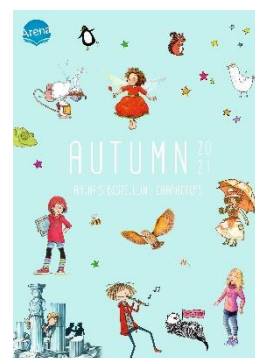


Lotta is turning 18. But there's no indication that she's grown up!

"Grandma Ingrid gives me a diary I can confide all my secrets in? Why – does she think I don't have any close friends?" With self-esteem, wit and lots of imagination, our heroine Lotta Petermann masters one adventure after another – narrated with a great sense of tongue-in-cheek humour by Alice Pantermüller and uniquely illustrated by Daniela Kohl. A one-of-a-kind diary series for reading, laughing and discovering that little and big readers will love!

After the autumn holidays, the timetable for Lotta's class will include lessons on astronomy. Paul is so enthusiastic that he plans to celebrate his birthday in the observatory, but Lotta is sceptical. And Cheyenne keeps confusing astronomy with astrology, and is now spending all her time consulting horoscopes. Even worse: Lotta's best friend is due to spend the autumn holidays with her family in the Harz Mountains. And now Paul and Rémi are devoting all their time to the great astronomy project. Meanwhile, Lotta needs help to find out where all the strange sounds she hears at night are coming from. Could it be that there's an alien after her?

- **This world is not big enough: Lotta and Cheyenne now conquer space.**
- **Always a highlight of the year: a brand new My Life as Lotta volume.**
- **Alice Pantermüller and Daniela Kohl's latest firework display of comedy.**
- **The series sold a total of 4.8 million copies worldwide!**



Please consult our Arena's Bestselling Characters catalogue for further information

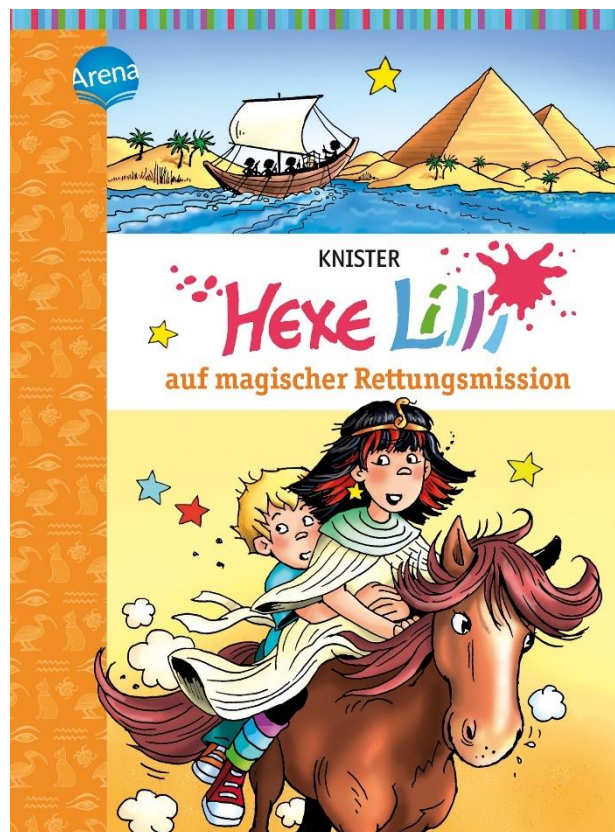
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KNISTER/Birgit Rieger

Lilli the Witch on a Magical Rescue Mission

Lilli the Witch (23)

Title German	Hexe Lilli auf magischer Rettungsmission
Series German	Hexe Lilli (23)
Genre	Magic
Age	7+
Pages	96
Format	16.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	November 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71570-4
Rights of the series	Sold to BG, DK, EE, ES (Cast., Cat., Basque, Galician), IL, IT, JP, LT, NL, NO, PL, PRC, RU, SI, TH, TR, UA, ZA and German audio book rights sold, Movie rights sold



A rescue mission in Ancient Egypt

LILLI THE WITCH is an ordinary 9-year-old girl – or so she thinks until the day that she stumbles upon a magic book which turns her into a witch. From then on she experiences many funny and wild adventures that take her all over the world.

Horror of horrors! This is what Lilli has always feared: her little brother Leon has found the secret Book of Magic. And as if that's not bad enough, he's magicked himself away to Ancient Egypt. WHOOSH! Off goes Lilli to Ancient Egypt, only to find that Leon has made an enemy of no less a person than the mighty Pharaoh. She must rescue her little brother before he gets locked up forever in a pyramid.

- **More exciting than ever: Leon finds the Book of Magic.**
- **Lilli and Leon are in danger.**
- **Well known series – loved by its target group.**
- **The series sold a total of 28 million copies worldwide!**



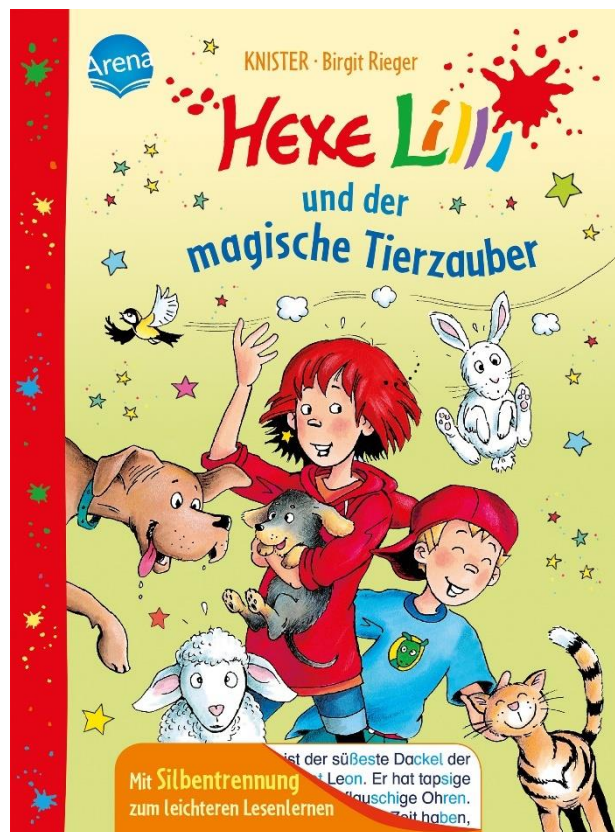
Please consult our Arena's Bestselling Characters catalogue for further information

KNISTER/Birgit Rieger

Lilli the Witch and the Bewitching Animal Magic

Lilli the Witch (24)

Title German	Hexe Lilli und der magische Tierzauber
Series German	Hexe Lilli (24)
Genre	First Readers
Age	6+
Pages	64
Format	17.9 x 24.5 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With Book Bear puppet on a string
Sales price	€ 9.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71795-1
Rights of the series	Sold to BG, DK, EE, ES (Cast., Cat., Basque, Galician), IL, IT, JP, LT, NL, NO, PL, PRC, RU, SI, TH, TR, UA, ZA and German audio book rights sold, Movie rights sold audio book rights



Make learning to read a magical experience with Lilli the Witch

LILLI THE WITCH is an ordinary 9-year-old girl – or so she thinks until the day that she stumbles upon a magic book which turns her into a witch. From then on she experiences many funny and wild adventures that take her all over the world.

Lilli the Witch and her little brother, Leon, get to watch Raudi, the cutest dachshund in the world. But Leon wants to have the dog all to himself. Not even Lilli's magic tricks are helpful. What they need is a pet of their own! Fortunately Lilli's magic book has the right spell yet it is a tricky one ...

- With picture stories.
- A story in short chapters.
- Short stories about one topic.
- The series sold a total of 28 million copies worldwide!



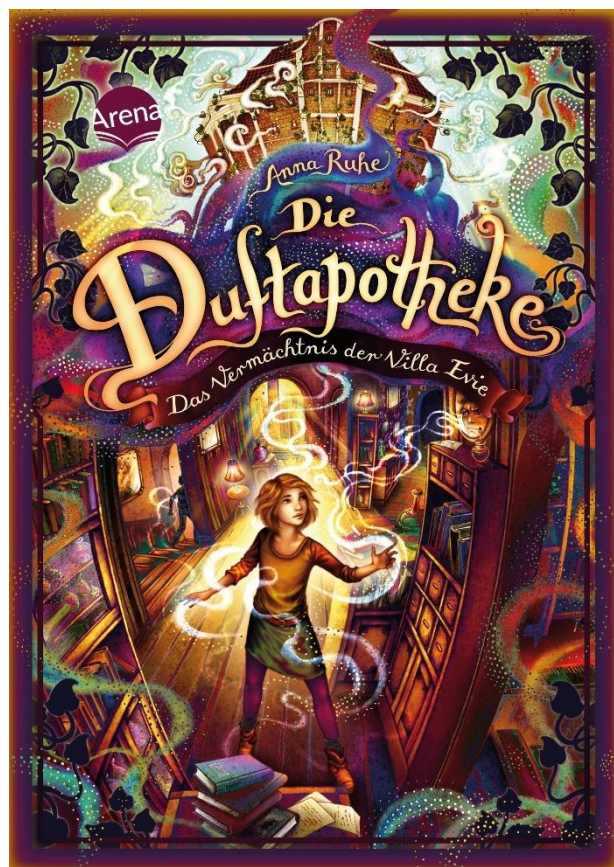
Please consult our Arena's Bestselling Characters catalogue for further information

Anna Ruhe/Claudia Carls

The Legacy of Villa Evie

The Magical Pharmacy (6)

Title German	Das Vermächtnis der Villa Evie
Series German	Die Duftapotheke (6)
Genre	Fantasy
Age	10+
Pages	328
Format	15.5 x 21.5 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With holographic embossing and UV finish on the cover
Sales price	€ 15.00
Pub. Date	October 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60598-2
Rights of the series	Sold to BE/NL, BG, CZ, DK, FI, GR, LT, RO, RU, SK, UA and German audio book rights sold

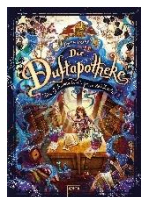


More exciting than ever: the finale of The Magical Pharmacy has a thrill on every page

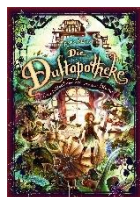
There are dark times ahead for Luzie Alvenstein and her friends: their arch enemy Edgar de Richemont tries every means possible to break into Villa Evie, because only through the Magical Pharmacy will he be able to carry out his plan and extinguish the talents of the sentifleurs all over the world. Now it's up to Luzie and Mats to defend their home and the magical perfumes. In doing so, they stumble across hidden passages and rooms which seem to emerge from nowhere, revealing more and more secrets. Deep in her heart, Luzie can sense that Villa Evie is trying to help her. But Edgar is more dangerous than ever – he will stop at nothing in order to take possession of the Magical Pharmacy.

- Best-selling author Anna Ruhe guarantees a thrill a page to the very end.
- Luzie, Mats and their friends must defend the Magical Pharmacy at all costs!
- Anna Ruhe is already working on a spin-off series. There will be more magic perfumes – from autumn 2022 onwards!
- The series sold a total of 450,000 copies so far!

BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)



Mystery is in the Air (1)
Anna Ruhe
Claudia Carls
Rights of the series: See above



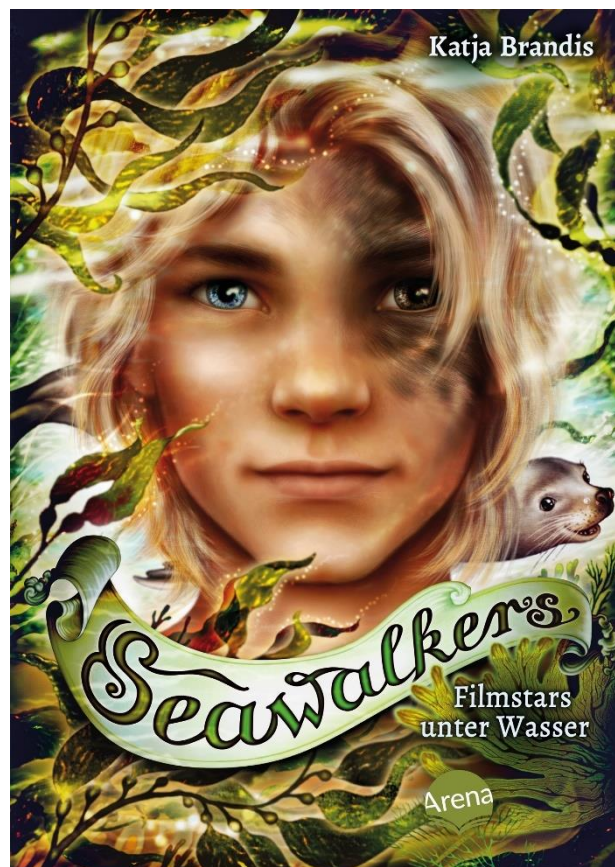
The Puzzle of the Black Flower (2)
Anna Ruhe
Claudia Carls
Rights of the series: See above

Katja Brandis/Claudia Carls

Film Stars Underwater

Seawalkers (5)

Title German	Filmstars unter Wasser
Series German	Seawalkers (5)
Genre	Shapeshifter
Age	10+
Pages	312
Format	15.6 x 21.7 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	Blue Angel certification for sustainable production
Sales price	€ 14.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60529-6
Rights of the series	Sold to BE/NL, DK, PRC, RU, SE and German audio book rights sold



Swim with the tide of success: enjoy volume 5 of this best-selling series

WOODWALKERS fans' dreams have come true: the second season of the shapeshifter series is here: SEAWALKERS. Katja Brandis sets new accents in animal fantasy. Enthralling and with a great sense of humour, the successful author writes about the breath-taking adventures of being an animal as well as a human being. The success of the WOODWALKERS series speaks for itself: over 1 million copies of the series have already been sold and the series has been on the Spiegel list of bestsellers since volume 2.

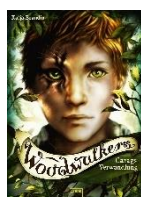
The pupils at Blue Reef High are making a film – and the hero is Tiago. Of all people, his film partner is to be Ella, the shapeshifting python. Tiago would much prefer to spend the whole day with dolphin girl Shari. But she has unexpectedly been given the chance to act on a proper film set. How will that work out? At the same time, a lot of smuggled goods are accumulating in the lagoon. Everything points to the involvement of the crooked lawyer Lydia Lennox, and to the fact that the influence of the criminals extends to the heart of Blue Reef High.

- **Blue Reef Hollywood: Tiago's school becomes a film set.**
- **Thousands of fans can't wait to get their hands on volume 5.**
- **Gripping animal fantasy for all fans of Nature and the environment.**
- **SEAWALKERS sold a total of 550,000 copies so far!**

BACKLIST SAMPLES (WALKERS UNIVERSE)



Seawalkers (1). Dangerous Shapes
Katja Brandis
Claudia Carls
Rights of the series: See above



Woodwalkers (1). Carag's Metamorphosis

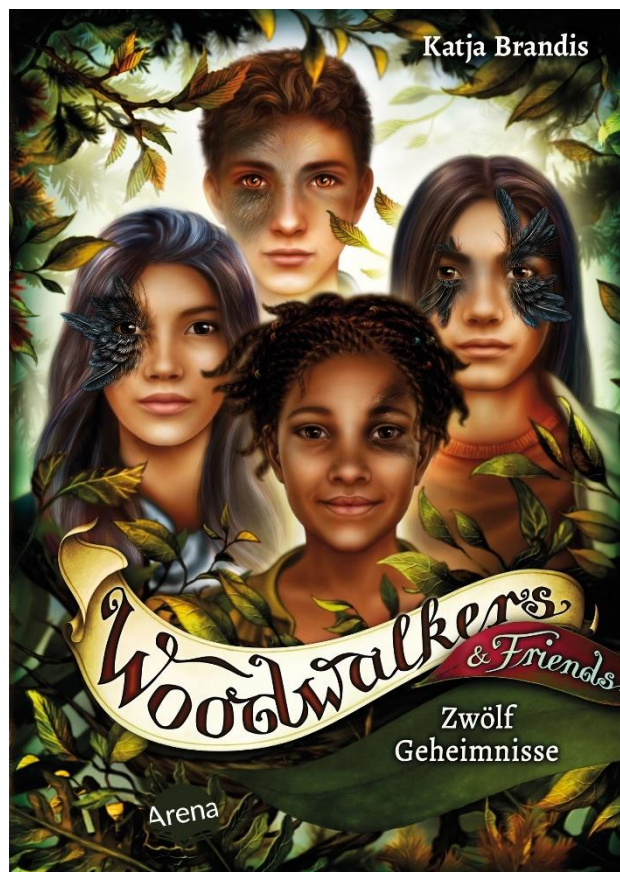
Katja Brandis
Claudia Carls
Rights of the series: Sold to BE/NL, CZ, DK, English (world) ES, IR, LT, PL, RU, SE, TR, UA, German audio book rights

Katja Brandis/Claudia Carls

Twelve Secrets

Woodwalkers & Friends (2)

Title German	Zwölf Geheimnisse
Series German	Woodwalkers & Friends (2)
Genre	Animorph Fantasy
Age	10+
Pages	224
Format	15.5 x21.5 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	Certified with the "Blue Angel" for sustainable production, including 8 colourful portraits
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60604-0
Rights of the series	Sold to BE/NL, CZ, DK, ES, IR, LT, PL, RU, SE, TR, UA and German audio book rights sold



A real treat for all Walker fans: 12 background stories about the most popular characters

Trendy topic in a novel dress: Katja Brandis sets new accents in animal fantasy. Enthralling and with a great sense of humour, the successful author writes about the breathtaking adventures of being an animal as well as a human being. The stories about the young shape shifter Carag not only thrill the fans of this popular genre; they also invite the reader into a spectacular world – the world of the Woodwalkers.

Twelve stories, told from different perspectives, about special events in the lives of some popular Woodwalker characters. In the orphanage, red squirrel Holly is planning the greatest Christmas party of all time. Jeffrey has to keep his wolf identity secret when he goes to a human school. Shapeshifter wapiti Lou can't stop thinking about mountain lion boy Carag. And the timid bison shapeshifter Brandon outgrows himself during a holiday in Hawaii.

- The stage is set for Holly, Brandon, Jeffrey and Co: the fans have never seen the Woodwalkers' world like this.
- With 8 coloured pages of portraits.
- The perfect present for thousands of fans.
- All three WALKERS SERIES sold over 1.5 million copies so far!

BACKLIST SAMPLES (WALKERS UNIVERSE)



Woodwalkers (1). Carag's Metamorphosis
Katja Brandis
Claudia Carls
Rights of the series: See above



Woodwalkers & Friends (1). Fantastic Feline Friends
Katja Brandis
Claudia Carls
Rights of the series: See above

Anna Ruhe/Max Meinzold

Wishfairy Missing!

Maxi of Phlip (2)

Title German	Wunschfee vermisst!
Series German	Maxi von Phlip (2)
Genre	Magic
Age	7+
Pages	112
Format	16.1 x 21.1 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With relief varnish on the cover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	July 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71329-8
Rights of the series	Sold to BE/NE, BG, RU and German audio book rights sold



Goodbye to boredom! Maxi of Phlip starts out on a spectacular new adventure

In Paula's father's antique shop, the almost real-life wishfairy Maxi of Phlip discovers an ancient model sailing ship which is exactly the right size for a fairy! And even better: inside the ship is a mysterious chest which reminds Maxi of the fairy world. What could be hidden inside it? Suddenly Maxi disappears without a trace. And Paula has to ask the strict senior fairies for help. After all, there's a little fairy that needs to be rescued!

- More stand-on-your-head days with the magical Maxi of Phlip.
- Charming heroines that children can easily identify with.
- Superclass reading material, with big charm factor.
- The series sold a total of 25,000 copies so far!

BACKLIST SAMPLE (SERIES)



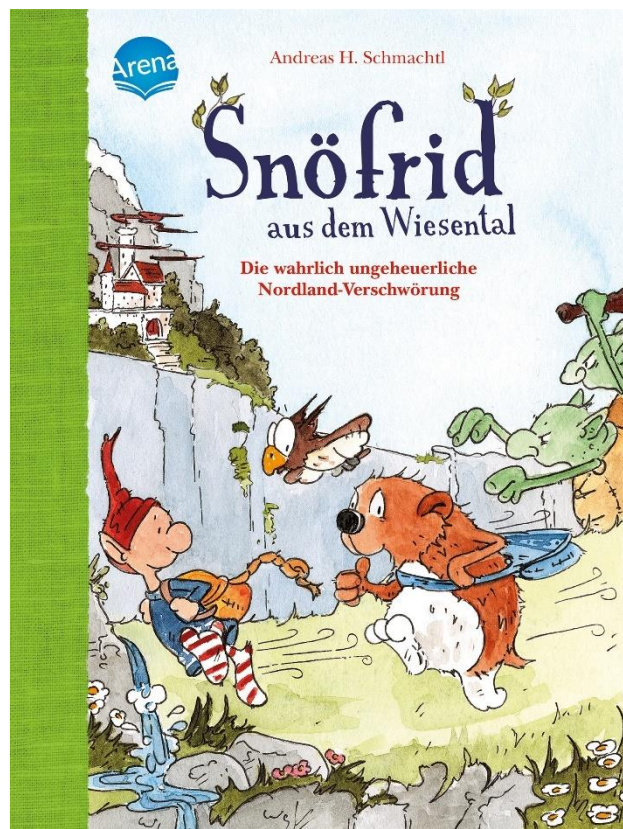
Caution, Wish Fairy! (1)
 Anna Ruhe
 Max Meinzold
 Rights of the series: See above

Andreas H. Schmachtl/Andreas H. Schmachtl

The Naughty Nasty Northland Conspiracy

Snöfrid from Meadow Valley (4)

Title German	Die wahrlich ungeheuerliche Nordland-Verschwörung
Series German	Snöfrid aus dem Wiesental(4)
Genre	Fantasy
Age	7+
Pages	128
Format	16.2 x 21.1 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With UV finish on the cover
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71781-4
Rights of the series	Sold to FI, RO, RU, VN, UA, German audio book rights sold



Snöfrid's latest heroic deeds, for children who can read by themselves

A Snöfrid is a really seldom creature, actually they prefer peace and quiet and adventures are not their cup of tea. But suddenly Snöfrid has this strange sensation: could it be wanderlust? Or even a thirst of adventures? A story book series by the exceptionally talented writer Andreas H. Schmachtl: More thrilling, more adventurous, more magical and more incredibly funny than any other story!

This is unheard of! The mountain trolls are making Meadow Valley an unsafe place for everyone else. They actually live exclusively in the legendary North beyond the mountains. But now they've come to Meadow Valley and they steal everything they can lay their paws on. It's obvious: this is a case for Snöfrid! He sets out to see King Rasmus and the fairy mannikins. This marks the start of an expedition which is not without its dangers: Snöfrid has to pass through the territory of the trolls and the dragons.

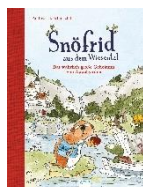
- Not too long and easy to read.
- Large letters, lots of illustrations.
- A mixture of magic and adventure.
- The series sold a total of 270,000 copies so far!

BACKLIST SAMPLE (AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR)



Missi Moppel (1). Crime Stories

Andreas H. Schmachtl
Andreas H. Schmachtl
Rights of the series: Sold to RU, German audio book rights sold



Snöfrid from Meadow Valley (1). The Truly Huge Mystery of Appelgarden

Andreas H. Schmachtl
Andreas H. Schmachtl
Rights of the series: See above

Björn Berenz, Christoph Dittert/Philipp Ach

Lost in the Castle of Dangers

Explorer Team (5)

Title German	Verloren im Schloss der Gefahren
Series German	Explorer Team (5)
Genre	Adventure
Age	8+
Pages	160
Format	13.7 x 20.5 cm
Edition	Softcover with flaps
Design	Comes with an expedition diary in four colours
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60639-2
Rights of the series	Sold to CZ, GR

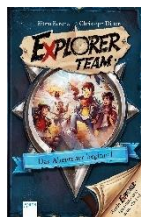


Action, adventure, tricky puzzles – and YOU are right at the centre of it all!

For reading or puzzling alone or in company: fun just for you, for the whole family, or for you and your friends. Together with Lias, Tashi, Cookie and Mojo, you can discover the secret passages in Blackwater Castle which is situated in England. You must work out how to find the hidden treasure. Your only clue is the Book of Treasures which the twins Cookie and Mojo inherited along with the castle. It is full of puzzles and hidden messages. Can you help the explorers to unravel them? But beware: concealed traps and secret passages are not the only dangers that await you behind the castle walls.

- This successful concept makes its return: Exit Games meets Escape Rooms.
- The explorers need help: solve puzzles, crack codes. And be part of the team!
- Ideal for birthday presents, rainy Sundays or long car journeys.
- The series sold a total of 38,000 copies.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)



The Adventure Begins! (1)
Björn Berenz / Christoph Dittert
Philipp Ach
Rights of the series: See above



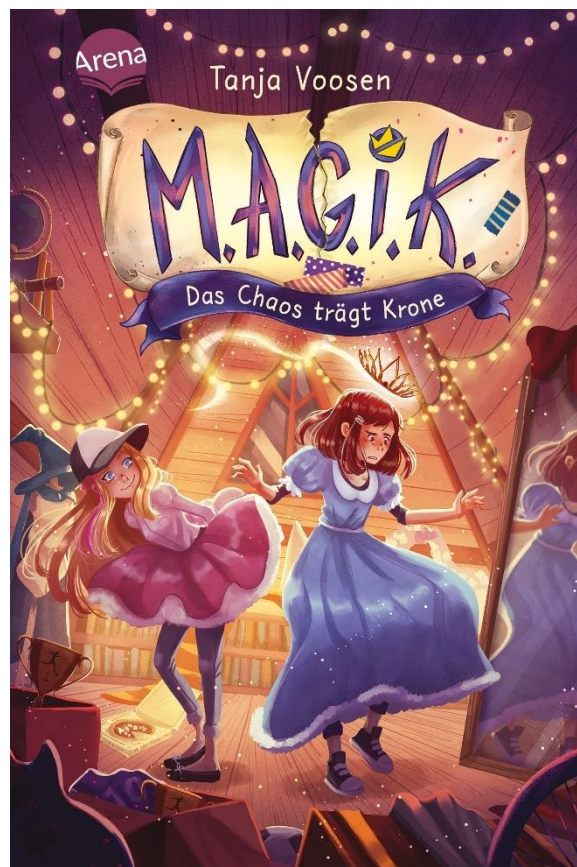
Lost in the Forgotten World (2)
Björn Berenz / Christoph Dittert
Philipp Ach
Rights of the series: See above

Tanja Voosen/Clara Vath

Chaos Wears the Crown

M.A.G.I.C. (2)

Title German	Das Chaos trägt Krone
Series German	M.A.G.I.C. (2)
Genre	Fantasy
Age	9+
Pages	216
Format	14.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With glitter lacquer on the cover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	October 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60619-4
Rights of the series	Sold to RU, German audio book rights sold



Tanja Voosen's new book for M.A.G.I.C. addicts: the second instalment of princess chaos

Princess chaos continues! Because of unrest in the kingdom, Princess Romina must stay even longer under the protection of M.A.G.I.C., for whom Nele's father works. And although she turns Nele's life upside down, Nele is very happy at first that her new friend is able to stay with them. But when when Romy joins a theatre company, once again she oversteps the mark by embarrassing Nele. And suddenly Nele's best friend Luis starts behaving weirdly and seems to be hiding something from her. Is this what you call friendship?! But when there's a succession of mysterious accidents during rehearsals, the friends must work together, because that is the only way they can find out what is going on.

- Princess was yesterday – normal is awesome!
- Always perfect for the target group: Tanja Voosen is a particular favourite of readers age 9+.
- Subtle humour, witty language and lots of quotable lines.
- Tanja Voosen's books sold a total of 42,000 copies.

BACKLIST SAMPLE (SERIES)



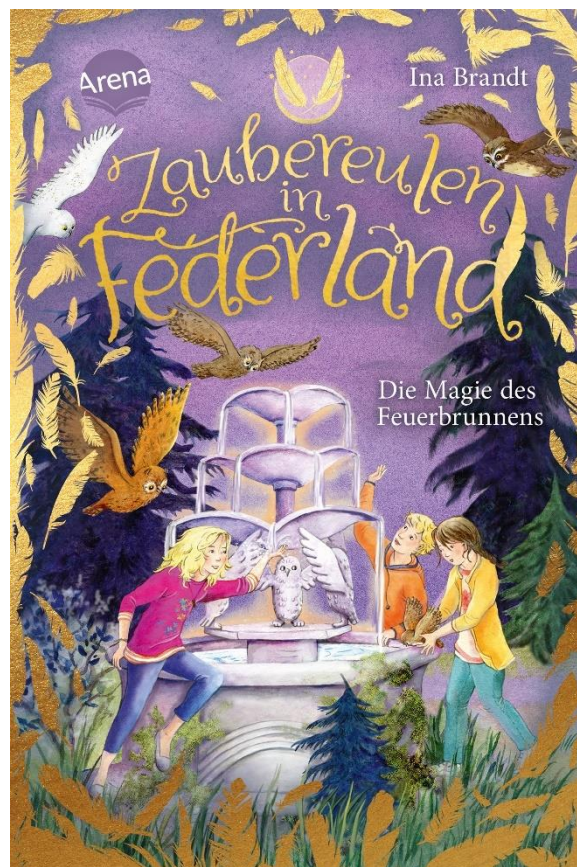
The Princess Is on the Loose (1)
 Tanja Voosen
 Clara Vath
 Rights of the series: See above

Ina Brandt/Irene Mohr

The Magic of the Fiery Fountain

Magic Owls in Featherland (2)

Title German	Die Magie des Feuerbrunnens
Series German	Zaubereulen in Federland (2)
Genre	Fantastic Adventure
Age	8+
Pages	144
Format	14.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With gold foil embossing
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	August 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60580-7
Rights of the series	Available worldwide, German audio book rights sold



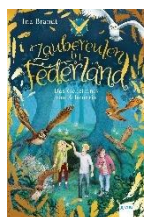
The second volume in the new owl series by best-selling author Ina Brandt

Athenaria needs help! Flora and Goldwing are summoned to Featherland by the Owl Rulers. In this secret place they wait for Mrs Beak, who has been chosen to train a special owl team...which is to include Flora and Goldwing!

Flora and Goldwing can hardly wait to help their friends solve new problems in Featherland. But who is the strange man hanging around the old monastery and apparently taking such interest in owls? Is he trying to unravel the secret of Featherland? Before the children can find out anything more about him, they receive an SOS from Athenaria. Icy air is spreading everywhere and badly weakening the magic owls. In order to deal with this danger, Flora and Goldwing have to prove that they can work as a team with their new friends.

- **Magic Owls in Featherland = cool and exciting adventures from the world of Owl Magic.**
- **The perfect destination for all Nature lovers: Featherland will take young Owl Magic fans on big adventures in magical settings.**
- **Ina Brand's books have sold 800,000 copies so far.**

BACKLIST SAMPLES (AUTHOR)



Magic Owls in Featherland (1). Athenaria's Secret
Ina Brandt
Irene Mohr
Rights of the series: See above



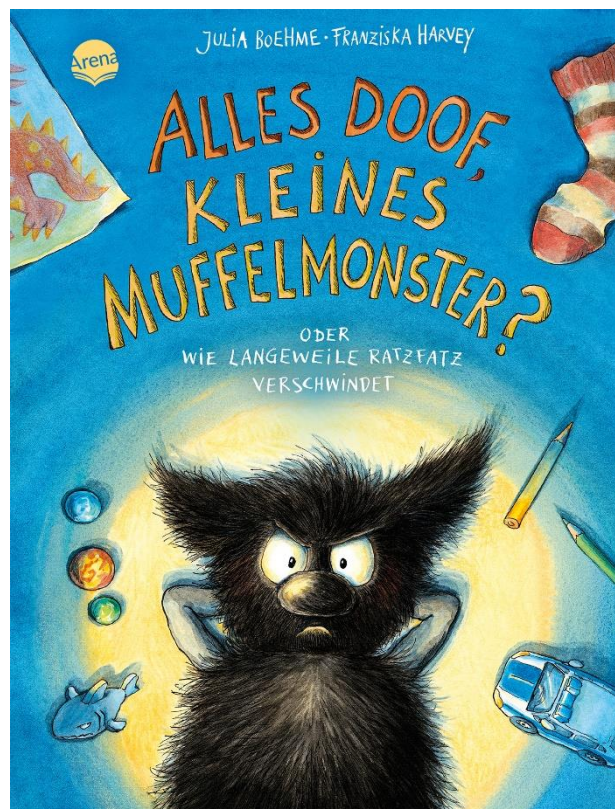
Owl Magic (1). A Golden Secret
Ina Brandt
Irene Mohr
Rights of the series: Sold to CZ, PL, RU, German audio book rights

Julia Boehme/Franziska Harvey

Is Everything Just Too Dull, Little Moody Monster?

The Little Moody Monster (4)
Or How Boredom Disappears in a Flash

Title German	Alles doof, kleines Muffelmonster?
Series German	Das kleine Muffelmonster (4)
Subtitle German	Oder wie Langeweile ratzfatz verschwindet
Genre	Picture Book
Age	3+
Pages	32
Format	22.3 x 28.6 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With UV finish on the cover
Sales price	€ 13.00
Pub. Date	July 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71583-4
Rights of the series	Sold to DK, PRC, RU and German audio book rights sold



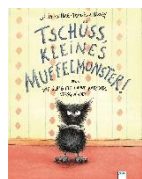
10 goofy years, and the Moody Monster is still grumpy

Important issue in children's lives: bad mood. Including great tips that will cheer up everyone. Charismatic text by the successful author Julia Boehme.

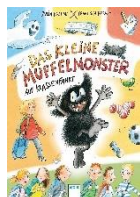
It's bucketing down outside. And inside there's nothing left to do. It's as boring as boring can be! Moritz and the Moody Monster have no idea what do to with themselves. But then suddenly the time comes when they're able to think outside the box. And then something happens. The torch becomes the sun and the sun rises, shadowy monsters begin to attack, Moritz is off to the sea, and then has an amazingly exciting adventure in the Land of Moody Monsters.

- **Best-selling author Julia Boehme gets rid of boredom in a flash.**
- **Monstrous fun guaranteed.**
- **How to turn negative feelings into positive action. A feeling that creates horribly good ideas!**
- **Witty, bold and at just the right level for children.**

BACKLIST SAMPLES (PICTURE BOOKS & BOOKS TO READ ON YOUR OWN)



Bye Bye, Little Moody Monster! or: How Bad Mood Will Disappear In No Time (1)
Julia Boehme
Franziska Harvey
Rights of the series: See above



The Little Moody Monster Goes on a School Trip (1)
Julia Boehme
Franziska Harvey
Rights of the series: See above

Christine Merz/Sonja Egger

Sandman Stories for 3 Minutes

3-Minute Stories (12)

Title German	Sandmännchengeschichten für 3 Minuten
Series German	Geschichten für 3 Minuten (12)
Genre	Bedtime stories
Age	4+
Pages	80
Format	17.8 x 24.6 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	Including audio CD
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71332-8
Rights	Sold to PRC



Good night stories as beautiful as dreams

Parents will find just the right stories for their child in the 3-Minute Stories series: short story time texts about children's favourite topics motivate children to listen. Particularly suitable as good-night stories or for short breaks during daytime.

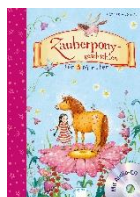
The squirrel babies don't want to go to bed yet! So it's a good thing that the sandman has these wonderful stories in his bag: like the story about the little frog who wants to jump over the rainbow or the one about the young rabbit that wants to outrun the autumn wind. And before you can blink, all children have fallen asleep and fly into the beautiful land of dreams with the sandman.

- **Perfect for reading to children Age 4+.**
- **Unique and tender stories with atmospheric illustrations.**
- **The 3-MINUTE STORIES SERIES has sold 305,000 copies in total.**

BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)



Princess Stories for 3 Minutes (10)
Milena Baisch
Eleni Livianos
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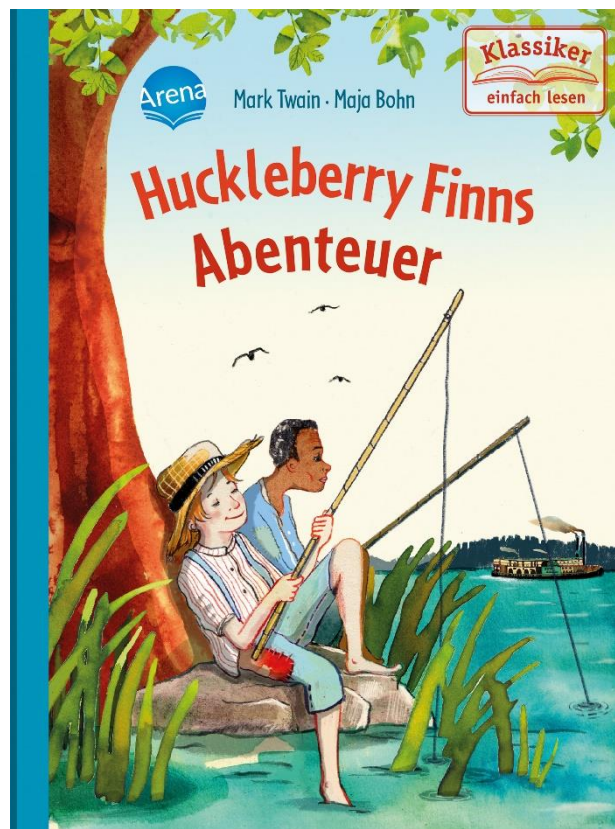
Magic Pony Stories for 3 Minutes (13)
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Mark Twain, Wolfgang Knappe/Maja Bohn

The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn

Simply Read Classics (12)

Title German	Huckleberry Finns Abenteuer
Series German	Klassiker einfach lesen (12)
Genre	Classics
Age	7+
Pages	72
Format	16.2 x 21.2 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Sales price	€ 9.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71727-2
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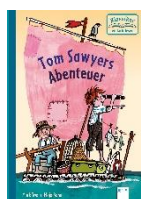
Huckleberry Finn's world-famous adventure re-narrated for first readers

The SIMPLY READ CLASSICS series is geared towards beginners in second grade. Famous classics re-narrated specifically for that age group stimulate children's interest in reading books themselves.

Huckleberry Finn lives in the house of the widow Mrs. Douglas. Will she be able to make a good boy out of him? Never in his life. The more he is supposed to behave himself, the more Huck dreams about wild adventures on the Mississippi. When slave Jim escapes and heads South on a raft, an unforgettable journey starts for Huck as well. The classic by Mark Twain re-narrated by Wolfgang Knappe in a style that is geared towards this age group.

- Speedy reading success with large print and not too much text.
- Lots of colour illustrations.
- Classics for adventure-loving kids.
- The SIMPLY READ CLASSICS SERIES sold over 600,000 copies so far.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)



Tom Sawyer's Adventures (9)
Mark Twain/ Wolfgang Knappe
Maja Bohn
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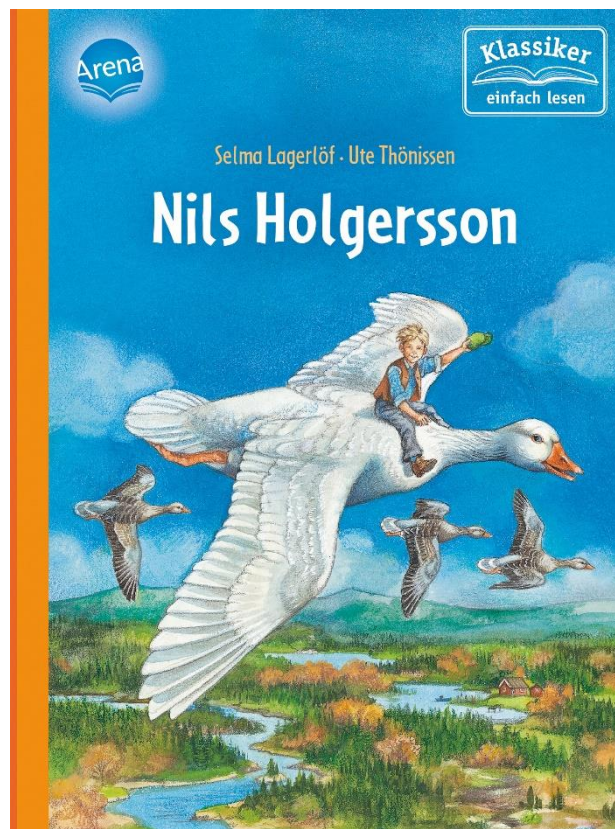
The Wizard of Oz (3)
L. Frank Baum / Maria Seidemann
Silvio Neuendorf
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Selma Lagerlöf, Maria Seidemann/Ute Thönissen

Nils Holgersson

Simply Read Classics (13)

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Series German	Klassiker einfach lesen (13)
Genre	Classics
Age	7+
Pages	72
Format	16.2 x 21.2 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Sales price	€ 9.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
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Popular children's classic re-narrated

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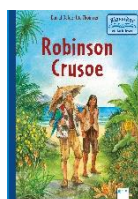
When Nils steps onto the court something really unexpected happens. Suddenly, he is tiny and sits on the back of goose Martin. And then the goose just lifts up into the air. Nils does not feel very comfortable with the situation but soon he is having fun flying through the air. Nils and Martin hook up with a band of wild geese and experience a summer full of exciting adventures together.

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Treasure Island (6)
Robert Louis Stevenson/Ilse Binting
Markus Zöller
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Robinson Crusoe (7)
Daniel Defoe/ Wolfgang Knappe
Ute Thönissen
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Judith Bär/Antje Flad

Who's the King of Farts?

A Soundbook with Vibrations

Title German	Wer ist der Pupskönig?
Subtitle German	Ein Soundbuch mit Vibrationen
Genre	Board Book
Age	3+
Pages	10
Format	20.5 x 22.1 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	With 5 sound modules and vibration
Sales price	€ 14.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71688-6
Rights	Available worldwide



The funniest sound book of all time – a listen-and-feel farting competition

Bear just let loose a bottom blast – his friends take it in good humour and quickly organise a competition. Who can toot the loudest?

- On your marks, get set, let rip.
- Laughs guaranteed: Everyone laughs at farts – children and adults alike.
- A farting competition you can hear and feel – the first sound book with added vibrations.
- 5 Sounds and vibrations.
- Books illustrated by Antje Flad sold a total of 490,000.

BACKLIST SAMPLE (ILLUSTRATOR)



Open and Close – I Can Do It!
 Bärbel Müller
 Antje Flad
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 ROC, RU

Kerstin M. Schuld/Kerstin M. Schuld

Fire Service, Police and Friends to the Rescue!

Title German	Unterwegs mit Feuerwehr, Polizei und Co.
Genre	Board Book
Age	3+
Pages	12
Format	19.1 x 19.1 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	With 6 sound modules and 2 LED lights
Sales price	€ 14.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71797-5
Rights	Available worldwide



Siren and blue flashing light – popular vehicles in action

Oo-ee-oo – the emergency services are on their way! Whether it's the fire brigade, the police, the rescue service or the THW support service (Federal Agency for Technical Relief), little heroes can join the emergency services and operate the siren and flashing lights themselves.

- Sound book on the popular theme of emergency vehicles.
- With fire engine, police car and other exciting vehicles.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (TOPIC)



Nevio, the Fearless Science Mouse (2). How the Fire Fighters Put Out a Fire, Save People and Protect the Environment
Matthias von Bornstädt
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Benno Beaver's Fire Department
Christine Kugler
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Judith Bär/Michaela Heimlich

My Little Express Train (3)

Title German	Mein kleiner Schnellzug (3)
Genre	Board Book
Age	18 months+
Pages	12
Format	18.2 x 14.3 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	Die-cut in vehicle shapes, with 4 board wheels
Sales price	€ 7.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71749-4
Rights of the series	Available worldwide



Travelling fun for young vehicle fans

How fast does the train travel? What do the refuse workers do with the rubbish? Train driver Mara and refuse collector Alex explain their work. First facts and toy all in one – perfect for young vehicle fans!

“Close the doors please!” Train driver Mara is sitting in the driver’s cabin, waiting for conductor Yusuf to blow his whistle. And then we’re off! First facts and toy all in one – perfect for young vehicle fans!

- The travelling fun continues with this successful concept: board books with wheels.
- Popular themes: train and refuse lorry.
- Die-cut in vehicle shapes.
- With 4 board wheels.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (GENRE)



My Little Fire Engine (1)
Katharina Wieker
Katharina Wieker
Rights of the series: See above



My Little Police Car (2)
Katharina Wieker
Katharina Wieker
Rights of the series: See above

Judith Bär/Michaela Heimlich

My Little Refuse Lorry (4)

Title German	Mein kleines Müllauto (4)
Genre	Board Book
Age	18 months+
Pages	12
Format	18.2 x 14.3 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	Die-cut in vehicle shapes, with 4 board wheels
Sales price	€ 7.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71750-0
Rights of the series	Available worldwide



We're off – with the train and the refuse lorry

How fast does the train travel? What do the refuse workers do with the rubbish? Train driver Mara and refuse collector Alex explain their work. First facts and toy all in one – perfect for young vehicle fans!

The refuse collectors are busy today! Refuse collector Alex and his colleagues set to work early in the morning emptying bins, then it's off to the tip. First facts and toy all in one – perfect for young vehicle fans!

- The travelling fun continues with this successful concept: board books with wheels.
- Popular themes: train and refuse lorry.
- Die-cut in vehicle shapes.
- With 4 board wheels.

BACKLIST SAMPLES(GENRE)



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My Little Police Car (2)
Katharina Wieker
Katharina Wieker
Rights of the series: See above

Franziska Jaekel/Dominik Rupp

On the Building Site

My Little Puzzle Book (1)

Title German	Auf der Baustelle
Series German	Mein kleines Puzzle-Buch (1)
Genre	Board Book
Age	18 months+
Pages	10
Format	20.0 x 20.0 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	With 3 puzzle pieces
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71465-3
Rights of the series	Available worldwide



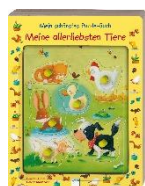
Popular puzzle books for little hands

Large puzzle pieces with colourful handles are great fun to put into their places in the book! With little rhyming stories to add to the fun.

Everyone is working hard on the building site! They're building a new kindergarten. The digger, concrete mixer and truck are ready to help – they just need to be put in the right place.

- A successful concept in small format.
- 3 large puzzle pieces with colourful handles.
- Fun rhymes promote speech development.
- Franziska Jaekel's books sold 120,000 copies so far!

BACKLIST SAMPLES (GENRE)



My Most Wonderful Puzzle Book (3). My Most Charming Animals
Sandra Grimm
Sabine Kraushaar
Rights of the series:
Available worldwide



My Most Wonderful Puzzle Book (4). My Favourite Forest Animals
Sandra Grimm
Christine Kugler
Rights of the series:
Available worldwide

Franziska Jaekel/Marta Costa

Favourite Animals

My Little Puzzle Book (2)

Title German	Lieblingstiere
Series German	Mein kleines Puzzle-Buch (2)
Genre	Board Book
Age	18 months+
Pages	10
Format	20.0 x 20.0 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	With 3 puzzle pieces
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	June 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71466-0
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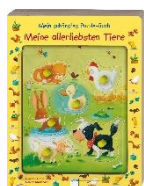
Puzzle fun for little ones

Large puzzle pieces with colourful handles are great fun to put into their places in the book! With little rhyming stories to add to the fun.

Little duck wants to go for a swim – but bear and mouse are arguing by the lake. Luckily, duck knows how to solve the problem. Now all that's needed is to put all the animals where they belong.

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- 3 large puzzle pieces with colourful handles.
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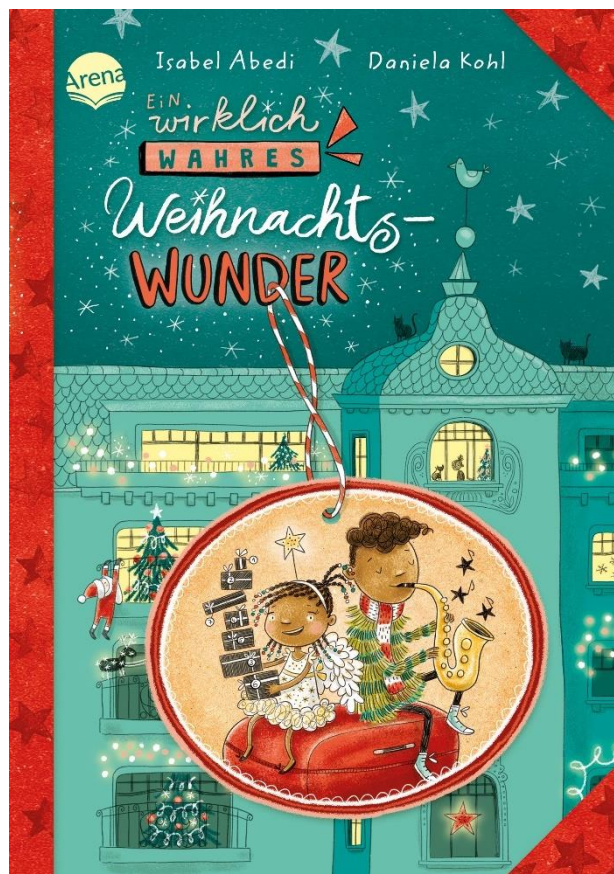


My Most Wonderful Puzzle Book (4). My Favourite Forest Animals
Sandra Grimm
Christine Kugler
Rights: Available worldwide

Isabel Abedi/Daniela Kohl

A Truly Tremendous, Marvellously Miraculous Christmas

Title German	Ein wirklich wahres Weihnachtswunder
Genre	Christmas
Age	8+
Pages	112
Format	17.8 x 24.6 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With UV finish and embossing on the cover
Sales price	€ 12.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-60637-8
Rights	Available worldwide



This is where wishes come true: a Christmas present from Isabel Abedi and Daniela Kohl

Christmas is coming! Manu and his little sister Jana are on their way to Hamburg to stay with their dad. Unfortunately, their mum has to work, and so Manu has to stand guard over their red suitcase in the train. This is an important job because the suitcase contains all the presents, Manu's saxophone and Jana's wings for her grand entry as Baby Jesus. But when the two children arrive at their father's house, the case they have brought with them bursts open. And horror of horrors, there is no sign of their presents! Someone has swapped the cases, and Manu simply MUST find the real one. His hunt for it leads to a truly tremendous, marvellously miraculous Christmas.

- Celebrate Christmas with Isabel Abedi and Daniela Kohl.
- A timeless masterpiece for Christmas.
- Miracles do happen and especially at Christmas!
- Isabel Abedi's books sold a total over 1 million copies!

BACKLIST SAMPLE (AUTHOR + X-MAS)



Merope, the Starchild
Isabel Abedi
Petra Probst
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Mila Berg/Marina Krämer

The Search for Christmas Magic

Little Unicorn Finya Brightstar (3)

Title German	Die Suche nach dem Weihnachtszauber
Series German	Kleines Einhorn Funkelstern (3)
Genre	Christmas
Age	3+
Pages	32
Format	21.5 x 28.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Design	With sparkling foil embossing on the cover and inside
Sales price	€ 14.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71461-5
Rights of the series	Sold to BG, DK, EE, FI, LT, RU, UA and German audio book rights sold



Christmas in the Wishing Wood – with unicorn Finya Brightstar

The unicorns live deep in the mysterious Wish Forest. They are as white as snow. Their fur shines, and so do their manes. A magic horn shimmers on each unicorn's forehead. They can do almost anything – and of course they can also fly. Welcome to the world of Finya Sparkling Star!

Finya Brightstar and other inhabitants of the Wishing Wood have been very busy for several days, because it will soon be Christmas. For Finya this is the loveliest time of the year. Of course that is because Christmas is a magical time. But where does Christmas magic actually come from? Together with her best friends Trixi the goblin girl and Kalle the bat, Finya sets out to find the answer: in the creepy caves, inside the great mountain, among the fairies, witches, goblins and elves, and even the wild trolls. There is a touch of this magic wherever she goes, and soon she finds out why.

- Sparkling in the Christmas Forest – a magical tale with unicorn Finya Brightstar.
- Starring Mila Berg's much loved unicorn.
- With vivid illustrations by Marina Krämer.
- 80,000 copies of the series have been sold so far.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)



How Wonderful to Be Friends (1)
Mila Berg
Marina Krämer
Rights of the series: See above

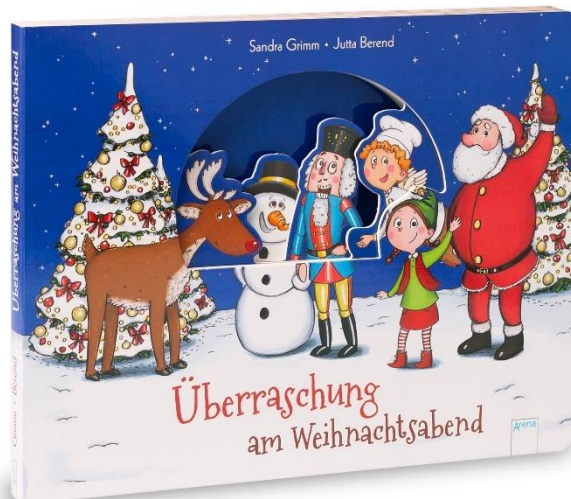


Read-Aloud Stories from the Wishing Wood (1)
Mila Berg
Marina Krämer
Rights of the series: See above

Sandra Grimm/Jutta Berend

A Christmas Eve Surprise

Title German	Überraschung am Weihnachtsabend
Genre	Board Book
Age	2+
Pages	16
Format	28.2 x 21.6 cm
Edition	Board Book
Design	With cut-outs
Sales price	€ 10.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71685-5
Rights	Available worldwide



Friendship – the most wonderful Christmas gift of all

It's the 24th of December! Santa needs to set off soon to give out all the presents. The final preparations are being made, but what's this? Where's the lantern for the sleigh? The bells are missing too! More and more things start to disappear. Can Willo the elf and her friends find everything in time? Or is Santa's run in peril? And who is behind all the confusion?

- A magical Christmas book, with die-cuts.
- Even the smallest person has an important part to play in this Christmas story.
- A hitch in Santa's sleigh ride.
- Who is stealing from Santa?
- Sandra Grimm's books sold 485,000 in total!

BACKLIST SAMPLE (AUTHOR)



The Christmas Party at Mouse Forest
Sandra Grimm
Katja Jäger
Rights: Available worldwide

Charles Dickens / Wolfgang Knappe/Markus Zöller

A Christmas Carol

Simply Read Classics (14)

Title German	Eine Weihnachtsgeschichte
Series German	Klassiker einfach lesen (14)
Genre	Christmas
Age	6+
Pages	72
Format	16.0 x 21.0 cm
Edition	Hardcover
Sales price	€ 9.00
Pub. Date	September 2021
ISBN	978-3-401-71729-6
Rights	Available worldwide



The Christmas classic re-narrated

The SIMPLY READ CLASSICS series is geared towards beginners in second grade. Famous classics re-narrated specifically for that age group stimulate children's interest in reading books themselves.

The night before Christmas the money pincher Ebenezer Scrooge is surprised by a strange apparition. A ghost demands of Scrooge to be generous from now on. He lets the old scrooge look at his own past – and the future ahead of him. That's when Scrooge realises how important it is for him to change. It isn't too late yet. The classic by Charles Dickens re-narrated by Wolfgang Knappe for this specific age group.

- Speedy reading success with large print and not too much text.
- Lots of colour illustrations.
- Classics for adventure-loving kids.
- The SIMPLY READ CLASSICS SERIES sold over 600,000 copies so far.

BACKLIST SAMPLES (SERIES)



Around the World in 80 Days (2)
Jules Verne / Wolfgang Knappe
Markus Zöller
Rights: Sold to TR



Sherlock Holmes, The Master Detective. The Ghost Dog in the Fog Moor (5)
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