



Gusta & Gusto Series – For Libraries Factsheet 1 / EN

English title: “Gusta & Gusto – Horns and Hearts in Rhino Country, Book 1”

German title: “Gusta & Gusto – Hörner und Herzen im Nashornland, Band 1”

This factsheet provides libraries with an overview of all key information about the bilingual editions *Gusta & Gusto – Horns & Hearts in Rhino Country, Book 1*, which foster emotional literacy, a love of reading, and intercultural exchange.

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<p>Title: Gusta & Gusto – Horns & Hearts in Rhino Country, Book 1</p> <p>Series: Gusta & Gusto</p> <p>Author: Lea Sakran</p> <p>Illustrations: Jason Van Winkle</p> <p>Genre: Children's book, read-aloud story, animal tale, fantasy & friendship, humorous stories with animal wisdom and poetic charm – an intergenerational, all-age narrative.</p> <p>Target Audience: For reading aloud from age 6, for independent reading from age 8 (from age 7 for experienced readers) – for children, teens, adults & families: For ages 6 to 106.</p> <p>Language: English (German edition available)</p> <p>Page count (EN): 92</p> <p>Formats: HC / PB / E-book / Audiobook</p> <p>Publication Date: March 12, 2026</p> <p>Publisher: Gusta & Gusto Publishing House</p>	<p>Title: Gusta & Gusto – Hörner & Herzen im Nashornland, Band 1</p> <p>Series: Gusta & Gusto</p> <p>Author: Lea Sakran</p> <p>Illustrations: Jason Van Winkle</p> <p>Genre: Children's book, read-aloud story, animal tale, fantasy & friendship, humorous stories with animal wisdom and poetic charm – an intergenerational, all-age narrative.</p> <p>Target Audience: For reading aloud from age 6, for independent reading from age 8 (from age 7 for experienced readers) – for children, teens, adults & families: For ages 6 to 106.</p> <p>Language: German (English edition available)</p> <p>Page count (DE): 96</p> <p>Formats: HC/ PB / E-book / Audiobook</p> <p>Publication Date: March 12, 2026</p> <p>Publisher: Gusta & Gusto Publishing House</p>

Availability

Available in German-speaking territories from **March 12, 2026** (via VLB/Buchzentrum).

International distribution will be expanded gradually from **April 2026** onwards.

Please note: availability may vary slightly by territory during the initial distribution phase.

About the Book — Reading Promotion & Inspiration

Gusta & Gusto are two rhinos who make their way through life with heart and a pinch of humor. In Book 1, they gently embark on a journey through the realms of friendship, courage, and imagination — told in a warm, poetic, and thoughtful way. Written in clear, accessible language and lovingly illustrated, the Gusta & Gusto stories invite both young and adult readers to share meaningful moments across generations.

Ideal for: library reading corners, family reading events, bilingual and emotional literacy initiatives.

Reading Engagement, Cultural Programs and Community Activities

- Storytime & Read-Aloud Sessions (10–15 minutes): ideal for family events, bilingual story hours, or themed afternoons.
- Cultural Weeks & Library Exhibitions: highlight topics such as friendship, courage, empathy, or nature through creative displays and activities.
- Intergenerational Reading Corners: connect children, parents, and grandparents through shared storytelling moments.
- Partnerships with Schools & Kindergartens: encourage emotional literacy and early language development in collaboration with educators.
- **Special Occasions:** Reading Aloud Day, Library Week — thematic highlight: **World Rhino Day: September 22** to celebrate courage, empathy, and connection with nature as part of broader community programs.
(PDF available in our download section)

Order directly with the ISBN — worldwide in EN | DE (*cataloging information*)

(*trade distribution via Ingram and VLB/Buchzentrum*)

Ordering via standard wholesaler portals:

(*Ingram iPage; Libri / Umbreit / Zeitfracht; Buchzentrum*).

Please note:

Titles are available after publication/launch. Gusta & Gusto Publishing House has no influence over distribution management in individual regions.

“Gusta & Gusto – Horns and Hearts in Rhino Country, Book 1” — EN

UK/US/International (Ingram)
Print: 978-3-907730-12-6 (PB)
/ 978-3-907730-13-3 (HC)

DE/AT/LI/LU/IT-BZ/CH (VLB/Buchzentrum)
Print: 978-3-907730-15-7 (PB)
/ 978-3-907730-16-4 (HC)

„Gusta & Gusto – Hörner und Herzen im Nashornland, Band 1“ — DE

UK/US/International (Ingram)
Print: 978-3-907730-22-5 (PB)
/ 978-3-907730-23-2 (HC)

DE/AT/LI/LU/IT-BZ/CH (VLB/Buchzentrum)
Print: 978-3-907730-18-8 (PB)
/ 978-3-907730-19-5 (HC)

E-Book (EPUB)

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Available via major e-book platforms.

Distribution via StreetLib to: Tolino

· Apple Books · Kobo · Google Play Books.

*(Library access subject to regional licensing)***Notes:** To minimize cross-border shipping and potential import fees, please order locally via your usual wholesaler.*Search by title + author or use the ISBN.**Availability may vary by region.***Ingram — Examples:**

Barnes & Noble (US), Waterstones (UK).

Metadata Visibility:All titles are also listed in **Nielsen BookData (UK/AUS)** and **Bowker Books In Print (US/Canada)** — **ensuring worldwide discoverability** across the international book trade.**VLB/Buchzentrum — Examples:** Libri ·

Umbreit · Zeitfracht; Buchzentrum (CH).

→ Production & fulfillment (DACH): print-on-demand via BoD (not an ordering channel).

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Edition Information

The international hardcover edition is produced as a classic case-laminated hardcover. A premium hardcover edition with sewn binding is available exclusively in the German-speaking market.

Formats & Market Availability
Hardcover: – International: classic case-laminate – German-speaking market: sewn binding
Paperback – International
E-Book / EPUB – International

Audiobook: Distribution

The audiobook editions of *Gusta & Gusto – Horns & Hearts in Rhino Country, Book 1* (English) and *Gusta & Gusto – Hörner & Herzen im Nashornland, Band 1* (German, currently in production) are distributed by external partners and available on major platforms such as Audible, Apple Books, Storytel, and many more. Audio samples can be found directly on these platforms:

Search by book title and author.

Readings & Usage Possibilities

Author readings available upon request.

Travel expenses apply: Costs will be communicated transparently in advance.

For event, reading, or collaboration inquiries, please contact us directly.

Contact Information for Libraries

For inquiries about our reading program and collaboration possibilities:

Please email us at contact@gusta-gusto.com for further information.

We will gladly get back to you and arrange a phone call if needed.

You can also reach us by phone during the following hours:

+41 79 477 677 9 (Thu 3 – 5 pm and Fri 11 am – 12 pm CET)

We look forward to hearing from you – and to collaborating!

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