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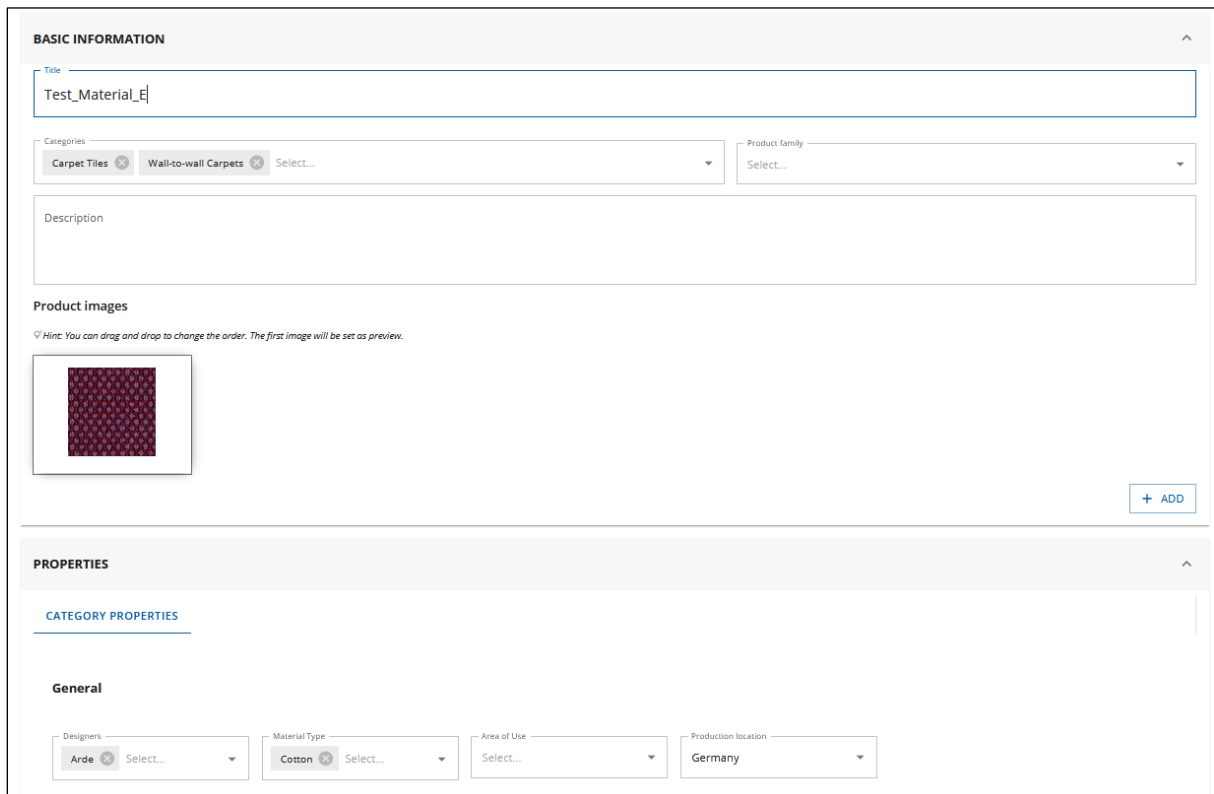
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1 Transfer of material information to other pCon applications

With the latest release, material information stored in the *pCon.catalog Editor* is now automatically transferred to other pCon applications. This ensures that all applications can consistently track which materials are used in a design.

The following information is transferred:

- Manufacturer name
- Material title
- Categories
- Descriptive texts
- Product properties



The screenshot displays the 'BASIC INFORMATION' section of the pCon.catalog Editor. It includes a 'Title' field with the text 'Test_Material_E', a 'Categories' section with 'Carpet Tiles' and 'Wall-to-wall Carpets' selected, and a 'Product family' dropdown. Below these is a 'Description' text area. The 'Product images' section shows a single image of a red and black patterned carpet tile, with a hint indicating that images can be dragged and dropped to change their order. A '+ ADD' button is located at the bottom right of the image section. The 'PROPERTIES' section is partially visible at the bottom, showing 'CATEGORY PROPERTIES' and a 'General' subsection with dropdowns for 'Designers' (Arde), 'Material Type' (Cotton), 'Area of Use', and 'Production location' (Germany).

Figure 1 - Material information in the pCon.catalog Editor

The material information is displayed in the following pCon applications at the moment:

- pCon.planner 8
- pCon.planner web
- Impress

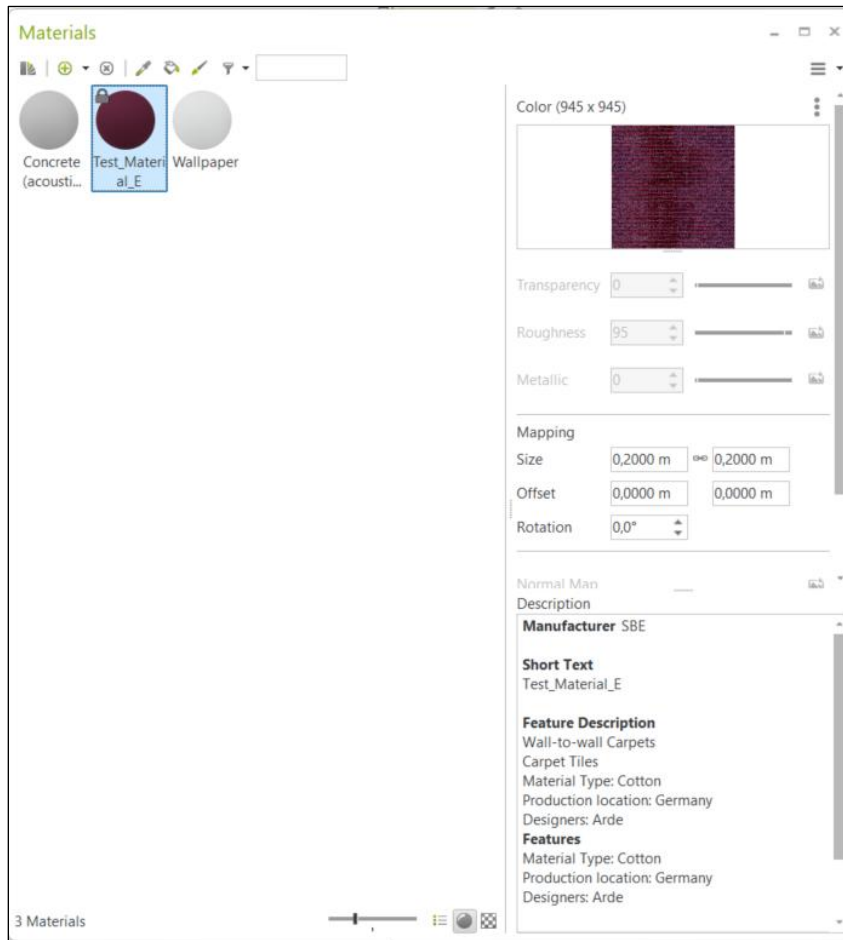


Figure 2 - Display of material information using the example of pCon.planner

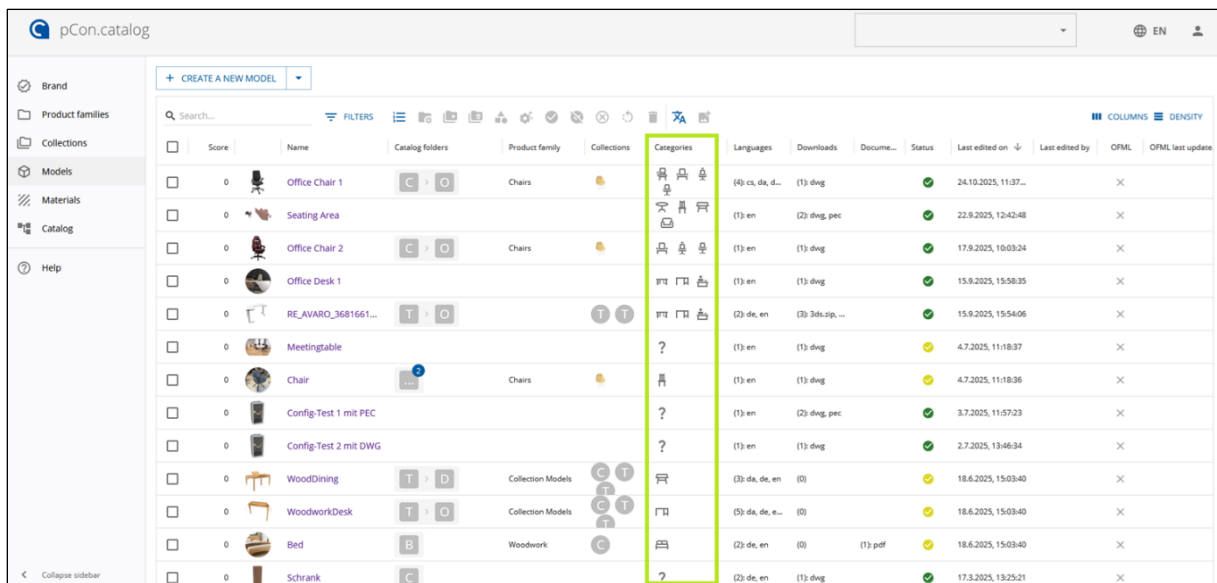
2 Multiple categorization of models and materials

With the new multiple categorization feature, models and materials in the pCon.catalog Editor can now be assigned to up to 5 categories at the same time. This allows content to be structured and presented more flexibly—without having to create multiple data sets.

This allows complex product portfolios to be displayed more clearly and expanded dynamically. Users of *pCon.catalog* can find relevant content faster, as products are displayed in all relevant categories.

In the model and material overview, the various selected categories are now displayed with icons in the “Categories” table column. When you hover your mouse over an icon, the category name is displayed.

Uncategorized models/materials are displayed in the table column with a “?”.


















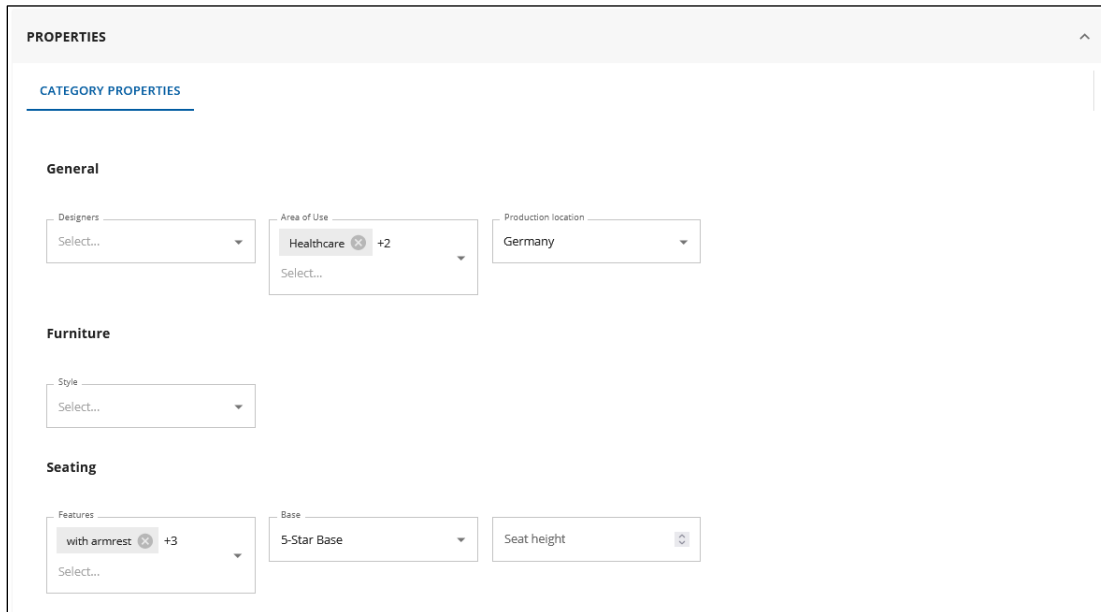
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Figure 3 - “Categories” table column in the pCon.catalog Editor

Depending on which categories have been selected in a model/material, different product properties can be stored, which are then displayed in pCon.catalog.



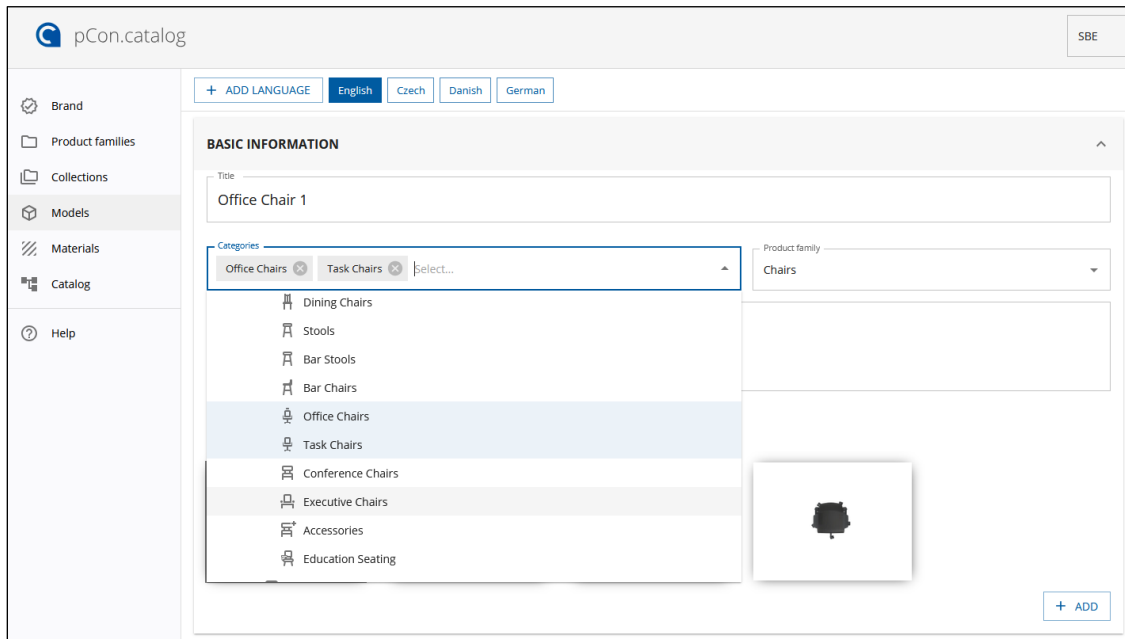
The screenshot shows the 'PROPERTIES' panel with the 'CATEGORY PROPERTIES' tab selected. It is divided into three sections: General, Furniture, and Seating.

- General:** Includes 'Designers' (Select...), 'Area of Use' (Healthcare +2, Select...), and 'Production location' (Germany).
- Furniture:** Includes 'Style' (Select...).
- Seating:** Includes 'Features' (with armrest +3, Select...), 'Base' (5-Star Base), and 'Seat height' (adjustable).

Figure 4 - Category properties

Example for multiple categorization

A chair model can appear in both the “Office Chairs” and “Work Chairs” categories. Once a subcategory has been selected, it is no longer possible to select the main category “Chairs.” If five categories have been selected, no additional categories can be selected.



The screenshot shows the pCon.catalog interface. On the left is a sidebar with navigation options: Brand, Product families, Collections, Models, Materials, Catalog, and Help. The main area is titled 'BASIC INFORMATION' and shows the 'Title' as 'Office Chair 1'. Below this, the 'Categories' section displays a list of categories: Dining Chairs, Stools, Bar Stools, Bar Chairs, Office Chairs (selected), Task Chairs (selected), Conference Chairs, Executive Chairs, Accessories, and Education Seating. The 'Product family' is set to 'Chairs'. A small thumbnail image of a chair is visible on the right. At the bottom right, there is a '+ ADD' button.

Figure 5 - Multiple categorization of models in pCon.catalog

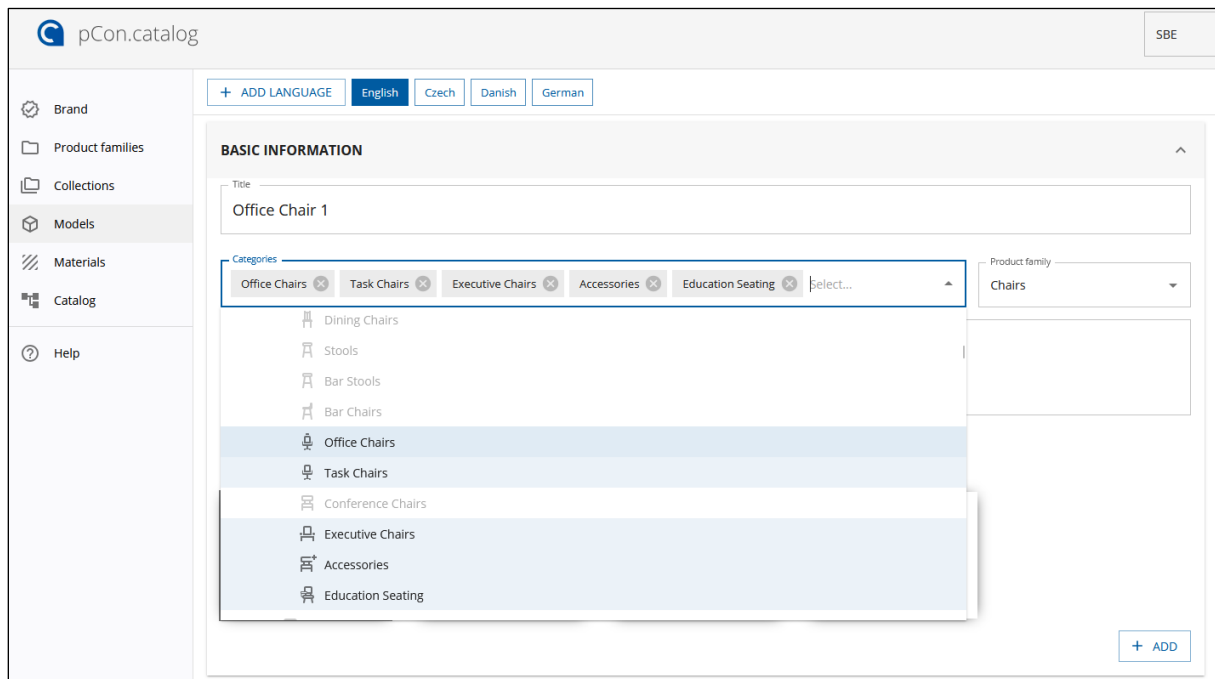


Figure 6 - Maximum number of categories in the pCon.catalog Editor

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