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## **Fastener Fair Stuttgart 2017 with record exhibition space: Further growth of leading exhibition for the fastener and fixing industry**

Fastener Fair Stuttgart 2017, the world's leading exhibition for the fastener and fixing industry, will take place from 28 – 30 March 2017 in halls 1, 3 and 5 at the Stuttgart Exhibition Grounds in Germany. The new hall positioning which increased the available net exhibition space to 20,500 m<sup>2</sup>, enabled a further growth of the exhibition by currently 7% compared to the previous event. Already 97% of the total available stand space has been booked so far.

To date around 790 companies from 41 countries secured their stand at the 7<sup>th</sup> International Exhibition for the Fastener and Fixing Industry. Germany, France, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain and the United Kingdom are the major European exhibitor countries. Asian exhibitors mainly come from Turkey, China, India and Taiwan.

The further growth of Fastener Fair Stuttgart 2017 demonstrates that the industry outlook is currently rather positive. "At the moment, the fastener and fixing industry is influenced by the developments in the areas of automation and digitalisation in construction as well as lightweight engineering in the automotive industry. These topics offer new challenges for manufacturers of fastener and fixing technology which are characterised by increased productivity and quality as well as the joining of a variety of materials", says Liljana Goszdziewski, Exhibition Director of Fastener Fair Stuttgart, on behalf of the organisers Mack Brooks Exhibitions. "The leading trade exhibition therefore offers the perfect opportunity for visitors to discover the latest solutions and discuss the trends in the industry with other experts", continues Liljana Goszdziewski.

The Fastener Fair Stuttgart Exhibition Profile covers all areas of the fastener and fixing industry: Industrial fasteners and fixings, construction fixings, assembly and installation systems as well as fastener manufacturing technology. The show targets distributors, suppliers, engineers and other industry professionals and is therefore the meeting place for the whole industry.

### **New Visitor Brochure available**

The new Fastener Fair Stuttgart Visitor Brochure is now available. It contains important information regarding travel & accommodation, ticket prices and services for visitors. In addition, it includes the latest exhibitor list as well as information regarding the venue. The

brochure can be requested via the show website [www.fastenerfair.com/stuttgart](http://www.fastenerfair.com/stuttgart) and is available in English/German.

Fastener Fair Stuttgart 2017 takes place in halls 1, 3 and 5 of the Stuttgart Exhibition Grounds in Germany and can be accessed via the East Entrance. The opening times are on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March from 9am to 6pm and on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March from 9am to 4pm. Entrance tickets will be available from January 2017 via the exhibition website and cost €28 via the Online Ticket Shop and €40 on-site during the show. The Exhibition Grounds in Stuttgart are located directly next to the airport and are easily accessible by car and public transport as well.

Companies still interested in exhibiting at Fastener Fair Stuttgart 2017 are advised to contact the organisers Mack Brooks Exhibitions as soon as possible, as there is a limited number of stands still available. Further information can be found on the Fastener Fair Stuttgart website: [www.fastenerfair.com/stuttgart/](http://www.fastenerfair.com/stuttgart/).

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