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17th Edition of the International Trade Fair:

SVARKA/WELDING Once More Offered a Well-Visited Stage for Welding and Joining Technologies

Over 150 Exhibitors Showed Their Innovations to Around 6,000 Trade Visitors

Russia continues to possess significant potential for international joining, cutting and surfacing technologies: In spite of challenging economic and political outline conditions, around 6,000 experts visited SVARKA/WELDING from May 17 to 20. For the first time, the fair and the congresses took place in St. Petersburg's new fair venue, the EXPOFORUM Convention & Exhibition Centre.

The trade visitors were offered a comprehensive available range of welding and joining technologies. Over 150 exhibitors presented their new products. A lot of companies travelled from abroad in order to introduce their services on one of the top five world markets for the welding industry – amongst other countries, from Germany, Belgium, Hungary, India, China, the USA and Switzerland. In addition, firms from 56 Russian regions presented their portfolios. At SVARKA/WELDING, Messe Essen also offered a platform to international companies and trade visitors: Eleven companies presented their new products and services in the ESSEN WELDING PAVILION. Moreover, 15 exhibitors were represented on the Chinese joint booth.

Informative Supporting Programme at the Fair

Numerous conferences, seminars and workshops accompanied the 17th edition of SVARKA/WELDING. The highlights in the congress programme included the conference which was entitled "Topical issues in improvement of efficiency of welding operations", was supported by the Russian Ministry of Industry and Trade and was used in order to discuss the changing economic outline conditions in the sector. In Gazprom's specialist conference which, because of the positive response, took place within the framework of SVARKA/WELDING for the umpteenth time, oil and gas firms presented projects as well as innovations for the construction of pipelines. The next SVARKA/WELDING will take place in May 2018.

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