

SHORT VERSION:

Oerlikon Textile at ITMA Asia + CITME 2010 in Shanghai

Innovation, the key to lasting success

Oerlikon Textile, leading manufacturer of textile machinery and systems, is remaining true to its principles at this year's ITMA Asia

Remscheid, Shanghai, 7 April 2010 – Oerlikon Textile will be exhibiting at ITMA ASIA 2010 in Shanghai on its 750-m²-plus stand C 51/C 52 in hall W2 from 22 to 26 June 2010, presenting technological innovations under a general slogan that is as relevant tomorrow as it is today: Innovation remains the key to success.

This is illustrated by the five brands included under the umbrella of the textile machinery manufacturer at the show: from polymer through to the textured package, **Oerlikon Barmag**, world market leader in spinning and texturing manmade fibres, offers future-oriented technology for quality- and cost-conscious yarn manufacturers of Fully Drawn Yarn (FDY), Draw Textured Yarn (DTY) and industrial yarn. Its fair highlights are an innovative FDY technology for top yarn quality with significantly reduced conversion costs and the updated, 288-position DTY texturing machine eFK, which customers can see in operation in Suzhou or via a live video feed.

Oerlikon Schlafhorst, market and innovation leader in ring and rotor spinning and winding, will present the new, highly productive BD-416 rotor spinning machine with up to 416 spinning units, the longest and yet most compact machine in its class. Also on show is the Zinser 351 Impact FX ring spinning machine with up to 1,680 spindles, which boasts innovative improvements to guarantee constant yarn quality and greater efficiency. The new Autoconer X5 will set the standard in winding technology for ITMA Asia as a whole, with the focus on greater automation and flexibility.

Following the successful positioning of the latest shuttle embroidering machine Saurer Epoca 05 (second generation), innovative doubling and embroidery specialist **Oerlikon Saurer** brings the Saurer Era to the show with a host of new features. This embroidery

Page 2 machine offers the optimum production vehicle for design sampling and small orders with the highest requirements. Other product lines being exhibited are Allma and Volkmann, leading suppliers of two-for-one twisting and cabling machines for tyre cord, industrial plied yarns, all staple fibre yarns, carpet yarns and glass filament yarns.

Oerlikon Neumag will present comprehensive solutions covering BCF carpet yarns and staple fibres as well as all key nonwovens production processes such as spunmelt, meltblown, carding and airlaid. And **Oerlikon Textile Components**, specialist in premium components for filament and staple fibre spinning, will be showing various new products in its product lines and brands Accotex, Texparts, Fibrevision, Daytex, Heberlein and Temco.

About Oerlikon:

Oerlikon (SIX: OERL) is a leading high-tech industrial group specializing in machine and plant engineering. The company is a provider of innovative industrial solutions and cutting-edge technologies for textile manufacturing, thin-film coating, drive, vacuum, solar energy systems and advanced nanotechnology. A Swiss company with a tradition going back 150 years, Oerlikon is a global player with around 16,000 employees at 157 locations in 36 countries and sales of CHF 2.9 billion in 2009. The Company invests more than CHF 200 million annually in R&D, with over 1 200 specialists working on future products and services. The operative businesses rank either first or second in their respective global markets.

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