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HUMAN MEETS MACHINE MEETS MATERIALS.

NOTHING BEATS A REAL-LIFE ENCOUNTER.

In our digital era, there's no substitute for person-to-person encounters. But the fascination of an encounter between humans and machines cannot be topped either. In 2023, interpack inspired more than 142,000 visitors from 156 countries.

EXPERIENCE MACHINES AND PROCESSES UP CLOSE.

Exhibitors present complete production lines, from the raw material to the packaged product – the full, fascinating world of processing and packaging. That's why interpack is the No. 1 trade fair for the eight most important industry sectors: food, beverages, baked goods and confectionery, cosmetics, pharma, non-food and industrial goods.

PLEASE DO TOUCH: PACKAGING SOLUTIONS AND MATERIALS THAT WILL GRAB YOU

In the packaging material section alone at interpack, more than 1,000 exhibitors from 56 countries, in 7 halls and on an area surpassing 37,500 m², demonstrate what plastic, metal, glass, paper, (corrugated) cardboard, bioplastics and other materials can do and offer some astonishing alternatives.

Experience intelligent, minimalist, sustainable and story-telling packaging. There is no bigger, one-stop international trade fair for packaging solutions, packaging materials and packaging aids. Mingle with the global players: Schütz, Greif, Jokey, Alpa and Lanico, Metsäboard, MM Group, Sappi, Sonoco, Groku, Bericap, Seda, Antonio Carcano, SIT, Polinas, Bak, ProAmpac, to name a few.



BIG MEETS SMALL.



Be amazed not only by the trade fair's diversity, comprehensiveness, technological standard and extensive range of exhibits: the contrasting sizes at interpack are also impressive. You'll encounter the full industrial spectrum from global players to visionary start-ups. Innovative medium-sized enterprises meet family businesses, industrial nations meet emerging markets. Here's where the big picture meets the smallest detail and you'll encounter the whole world of processing & packaging in a single location.

MEET THE ENTIRE SUPPLY CHAIN.

At many levels of processing & packaging, the challenges for companies are highly complex and urgent. And at interpack, in 18 halls and on an area of more than 176,000 m², you'll find out that there are thousands of reasons for encountering the future with optimism. 2,800 exhibitors from more than 60 countries show you solutions right along the value-added chain, from manufacturing, finishing, packaging and distribution to quality assurance and protection against product piracy.

HOT TOPICS

THE
FUTURE
meets
HERE.

INNOVATIVE MATERIALS – FUNCTIONALITY MEETS SUSTAINABILITY

New material technologies are shaping tomorrow's packaging: highly developed plastics, fibre-based materials and intelligent coatings are optimising shelf life and product protection. Bio-based solutions and Design for Recycling using monomaterials are enabling optimised circular use, while innovative material concepts are reducing use of material and tapping into new functions.

SMART MANUFACTURING – AI MEETS EXPERIENCE

AI-supported, integrated systems optimise processes, minimise waste and lower energy consumption. Robotics and automation enhance precision and efficiency, while intelligent controlling maximises resource efficiency. At the same time, Value from Data is creating an advantage over the competition. Smart Manufacturing means producing more intelligently, more sustainably and more economically.

FUTURE SKILLS – HUMAN MEETS MACHINE

New jobs require new skills, while the shortage of skilled labour is intensifying competition. Innovative recruiting & retention strategies are called for. Young talents are looking for meaning, advancement and modern working environments. Ongoing training and intuitive man-machine interfaces are getting teams fit for the future. The key skill: Mastering technology.

MEET THE PACKAGING INDUSTRY.

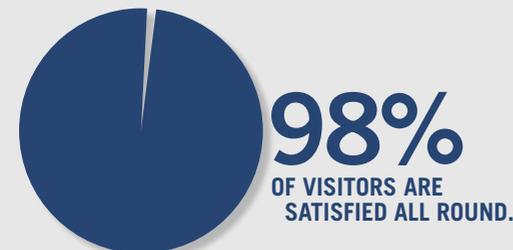
Without packaging – nothing works. Anywhere. Packaging is inseparably bound with every product. It's an essential factor for every industrial sector and therefore the backbone of interpack ever since its first edition in 1958. Along the entire value-added chain, from production to administration, smart, innovative and comprehensive packaging strategies are called for.

Experience it at interpack:

- PACKAGING MACHINES
- PACKAGING TECHNOLOGY
- PACKAGING MATERIALS / PACKAGING MEANS / AUXILIARY PACKAGING MEANS
- PACKAGING SOLUTION PRODUCTION / CONVERTING / PACKAGING PRINTING
- MARKING TECHNOLOGY / LABELLING
- STORAGE / LOGISTICS / TRANSPORT TECHNOLOGY
- SERVICES

MEET THE N°1.

Maintain business relationships, make new contacts, pick up fresh impulses. Visiting interpack is a pleasure. But even when viewed without emotion, a visit to interpack is a smart investment in time, manpower and resources, because no other trade fair for processing and packaging in the world offers such a holistic approach. The figures from the visitor survey after interpack 2023 prove that the event is the global No. 1 for processing and packaging.



MEET THE SECTORS.

For all the many differences among the industry branches, interpack is the common denominator among the eight most important sectors in the field of processing and packaging. It's a must-visit if you're at home in the food sector, the beverages industry, the confectionery or baked goods sector, in pharma, cosmetics, non-food, industrial goods or their suppliers. Along the entire value-added chain, from the raw material to disposal, innovative solutions, visions, impetuses and inspiration await you.

BAKED GOODS

The fungus *saccharomyces cerevisiae*, better known as fresh yeast, is the world's best-known leavening agent in the baked goods industry – closely followed by interpack.



CONFECTIONERY

Around 1,500 exhibitors from the confectionery sector do their utmost to hit your sweet spot.



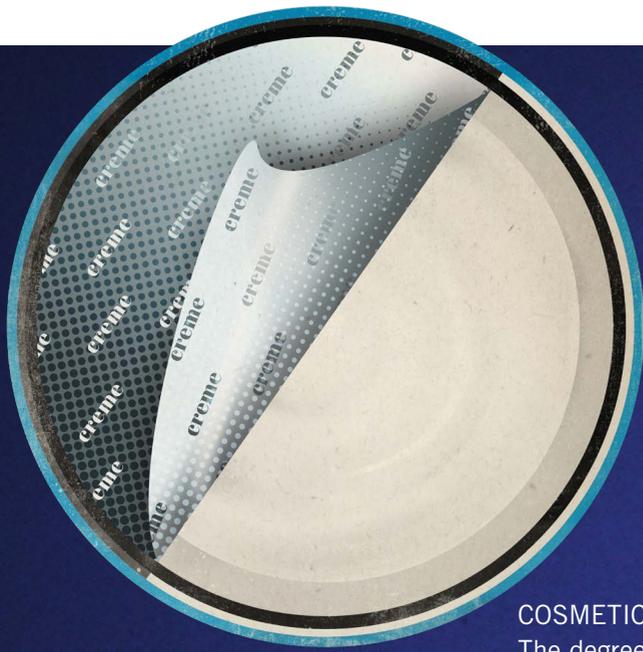
FOOD

Food for thought: 95% of what exhibitors present at interpack is of relevance to the food sector.

BEVERAGES

Thirsty for innovations? More than a half of the exhibitors are active in the bottling area.





COSMETICS
 The degree of innovation in this sector is the most attractive example of staying young.



NON-FOOD
 Every third exhibitor has very interesting innovations for the consumer goods industry.



PHARMA
 1,800 exhibitors keep the pharmaceutical industry healthy with innovations.

INDUSTRIAL GOODS
 1,300 exhibitors from this often behind-the-scenes sector make their big stage appearance at interpack.



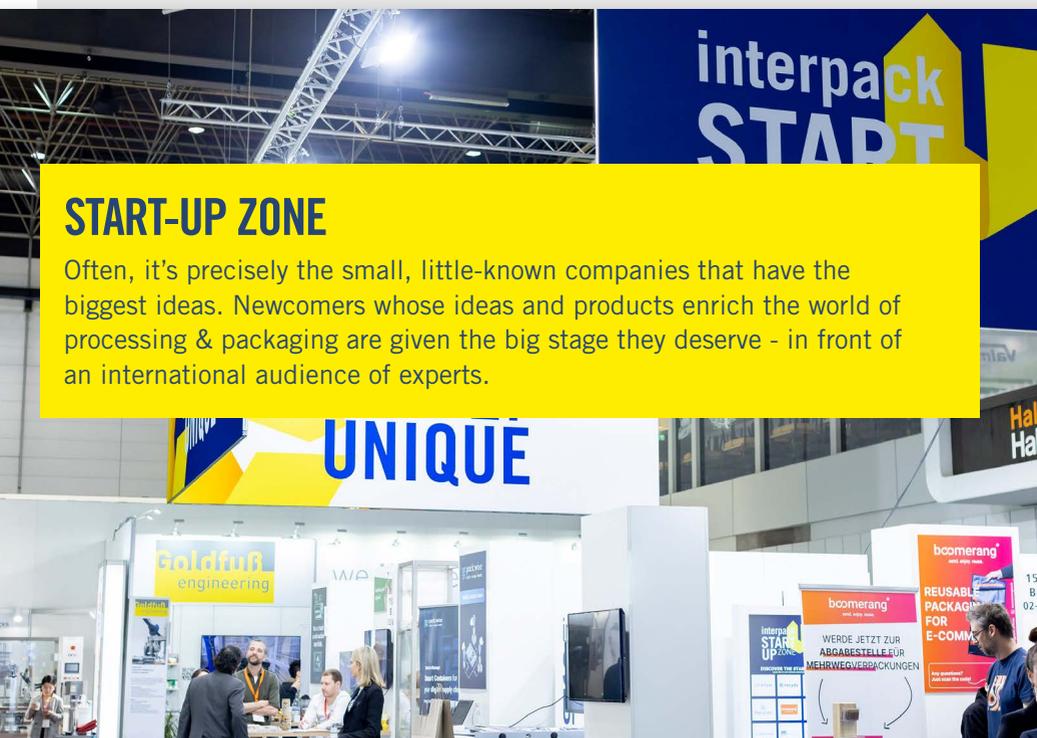
INSPIRATION MEETS AUDIENCE.

The booths are not the only show at interpack. The SPOTLIGHT Forum offers talks and presentations, on all seven days, on the hottest trends and hot topics from the world of processing & packaging. In the Start-Up Zone, newcomers take to the big stage, and on interpack live TV, the microphone is handed to exhibitors and visitors – with this video format, you'll be kept up to date right throughout the trade fair.



SPOTLIGHT FORUM – 7 DAYS OF INFORMATION

On all seven trade fair days, professionals – machine manufacturers, packaging manufacturers, associations and organisations, universities, brand owners and logistics giants – provide information on what can be seen on the industry's horizon. The focus is on the industry's urgent, critical questions for 2026 and beyond – and there will be answers. The programme is jointly presented by interpack, the dfv Conference Group and packREPORT.



START-UP ZONE

Often, it's precisely the small, little-known companies that have the biggest ideas. Newcomers whose ideas and products enrich the world of processing & packaging are given the big stage they deserve - in front of an international audience of experts.



INTERPACK LIVE TV

Exciting people from the packaging sector, best practices and background reports on innovations: interpack live TV – the video format of interpack during the trade fair – on-site and digital.

INTERPACK MEETS YOUR NEEDS 24/7.

interpack is also on hand between trade fair dates: seven days a week, all year round. After all, the processing & packaging industry never takes a break and technological developments are racing ahead at an uninterrupted pace. For that reason, services, news and inspirations are available at any time on the interpack channels. During the trade fair, numerous practical online tools turn your visit into a success and a pleasure.

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With a wide range of content, interpack provides answers to the current challenges facing the industry - in the form of news, talks and reports, live at the trade fair and online throughout the year. Everything on one channel: interpack.com/magazine

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BE THE CHANGE.

The phrase that inspired the SAVE FOOD motto at interpack 2026 is attributed to Mahatma Gandhi: "You must be the change you wish to see in the world."

One third of the foods available globally go to waste on the way from the field to the plate. This quantity would be enough to feed the entire world. Something needs to change – especially in view of the rapid population growth.

TACKLING IT TOGETHER.

To help solve this problem, in 2011 Messe Düsseldorf and interpack joined forces with the UN's Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) and the environmental programme of the United Nations (UN Environment) to launch the SAVE FOOD initiative. The aim of the initiative is to reduce food losses and food waste through innovative processing & packaging technologies. It comprises a network of experts, promoting sustainable methods for a secure food supply as well as the exchange of knowledge and innovations within the industry.

**BECOME A MEMBER AND JOIN THE ENDEAVOUR
TOWARDS A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE.**



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components

Machinery for labelling and marking technology/
packaging production/integrated packaging printing

Packaging materials,
packaging means and
auxiliary packaging means

Processing and packaging
technology for pharmaceuticals
and cosmetics

Processing and packaging technology
for confectionery and bakery

Processing and packaging technology
for food/beverages/consumer goods/
industrial goods

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1 TICKET. 2 TRADE FAIRS.

Your interpack ticket is a veritable two-in-one offer. It also gains you access to components, the suppliers' trade fair of the packaging industry, which takes place simultaneously with interpack on the same complex. So, you get double the benefit with your visit.

ONLINE TICKET PRICES*:

One-day ticket	€ 70
Reduced one-day ticket**	€ 18
Season ticket	€ 150

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* Differ from on-site prices

** Valid for children 12–17 years of age,
pupils, students, trainees



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