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from the federation

Dear Members and Fair Organizers,

the new year has just begun, full of hopes and expectations for a worldwide recovery... There are moderate signs of improvement in the woodworking machinery sector from many market areas, but our member companies (more than 800 belong to Eumabois through our 13 Associations) feel strongly the need to have other important confirmations from many other markets which still have great worries.

And with the new year, let's start with the "Eumabois worldwide exhibition tour 2014".

First exhibition in the Eumabois World Exhibition Network is **Expopromueble** (January 22-25) where our Past President, Mr. Gianni Ghizzoni, has been present.

Mr. Ambrogio Delachi, new Eumabois President, and Mr. Gianni Ghizzoni, Past President, will be honoured to be in **Bangalore** on the occasion of IndiaWood (February 21-25).

After the show in China (**Wmf** in Beijing - February 25-28) and in Germany (**Holz-Handwerk** in Nuremberg - March 26-29), the federation will support the 24th **Xylexpo** in Milan (May 13-17) where the big Italian companies will be back after two editions; to underline the participation of the major German, European and international companies.

In the next page there is the complete list of events supported by the Federation. You will find further information about each single event in our website www.eumabois.com.

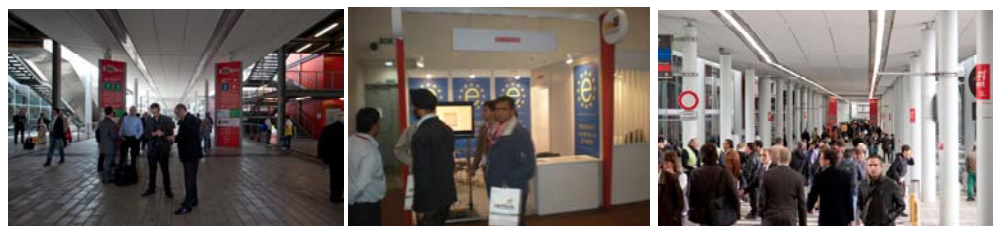
I take this occasion to recommend all the Eumabois Associations to deliver the contents of this newsletter and the World Exhibitions Network 2014 to all their member companies, considering their big propensity to the export and, therefore, to the direct or indirect participation at the supported events.

Do not forget that the Secretariat is always at your disposal for any further information (info@eumabois.com, Tel. +39 02 89210200).

To all of you all the best for this new year and good business!!!

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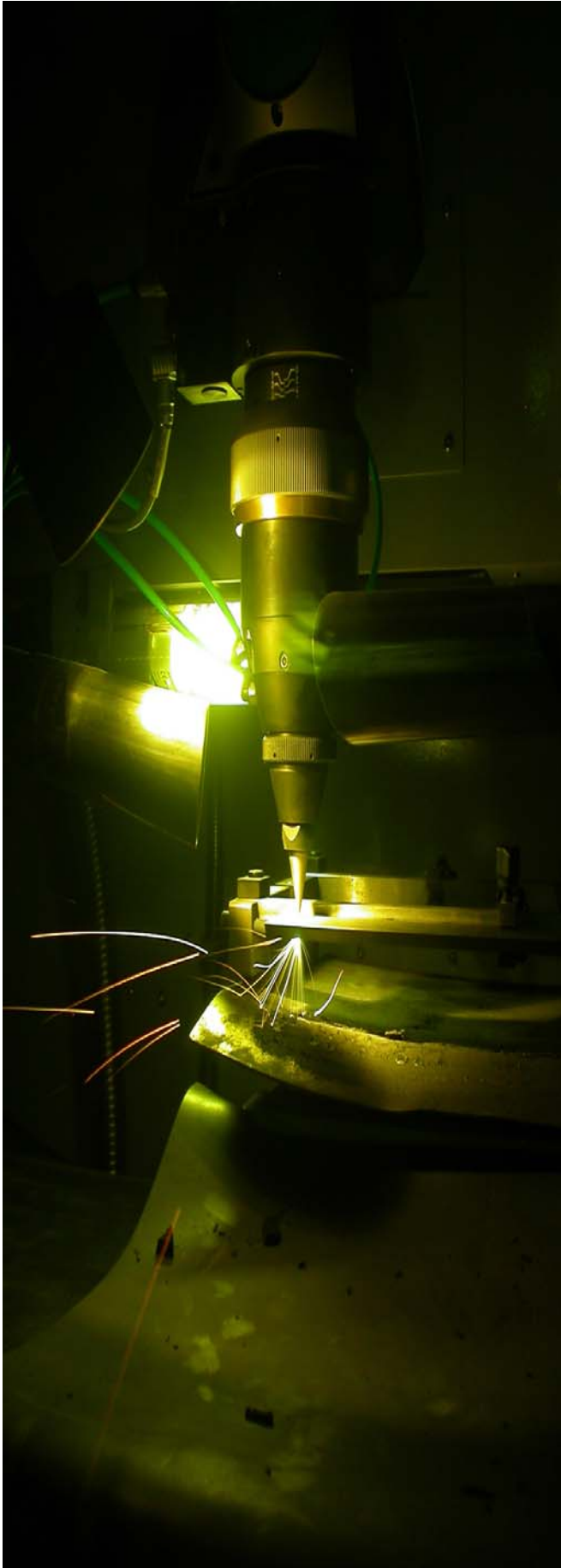
February 2014

WORLD EXHIBITIONS NETWORK 2014

The general assembly approved the **exhibition calendar for 2014**, including all the events that will be sponsored by Eumabois, the European federation of woodworking technology, tools and accessories manufacturers.

Exhibitions are one of the key topics on the federation's agenda. Constantly committed to limiting the proliferation of events that only cause a waste of resources for companies, the organization selects and supports **exhibitions that guarantee specific standards** to exhibitors and visitors, representing an effective and tangible reference in the respective world region.

EXPOPROMUEBLE	Mexico City - Mexico	22/25 January
INDIAWOOD	Bangalore - India	21/25 February
WMF	Beijing - China	25/28 February
HOLZ-HANDWERK	Nuremberg - Germany	26/29 March
XYLEXPO	Milan - Italy	13/17 May
WOODEX FOR AFRICA	Johannesburg - South Africa	5/7 June
FORMOBILE	Sao Paulo - Brasil	29 July/1 August
IWF	Atlanta - USA	20/23 August
INTERNATIONALE HOLZMESSE	Klagenfurt - Austria	4/7 September
DREMA	Poznan - Poland	16/19 September
LISDEREVMASH	Kiev - Ukraine	23/26 September
WOOD PROCESSING MACHINERY	Istanbul - Turkey	27 September/1 October
LIGNUMEXPO	Nitra - Slovak Republic	30 September/3 October
W14 - WORKING WITH WOOD	Birmingham - Great Britain	5/8 October
ASEANWOOD-WOODTECH	Kuala Lumpur - Malaysia	8/11 October
LESDREVMASH	Moscow - Russia	20/23 October
FENAFOR	Lima - Perù	23/25 October
EXPOBOIS	Paris - France	17/20 November



STANDARDIZATION UPDATE

Standardization of woodworking machines is going on both at CEN (European Union) and ISO (International) level, thanks to Eumabois support.

CEN TC142 in 2013:

- WG10 on CADES (Chips And Dust Extraction Systems) completed and is about to send to public inquiry both revision of EN 12779 on fixed installation and a new draft on indoor portable systems;
- standards on tools EN 847 series (WG8 in charge) are to be published;
- WG4 revised EN 1870-3 on down cross-cut saws and 1870 -6 on circular saws for fire wood and editorially amended EN 1870- parts 4, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19;
- TC142 held plenary annual meeting on Sept.25 and decided to start drafting on sanders through new WG12, revise EN 1218-1 and -5 (WG7 in charge), and transfer EN 859, 860, 861 on planers, EN 1870-4 on multi rip saws, 1870-19 on bench saws and EN 848-1 on toupie to ISO – positive committee vote on Dec.2;
- WG1 on common requirement proposes to other WGs unification of different solutions in various standards with run-down time, guard locking of moveable guards.

ISO TC39 SC4

following report in last news of October 2013:

- WG1 on automatic feed machines completed ISO WD (Working Draft) 19085-1 on common requirements, part-2 on horizontal panel saws and almost also part-3 on NC working centers, and is to start drafting part-4 on vertical panel saws in its 5th meeting in end January 2014;
- WG2 on manual feed machines almost completed ISO WD 19085-5 on dimension saws in its 1st meeting in Dec.'13 and will start soon part-6 on toupies.

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CZECH WOODWORKING MACHINERY MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION (SVDSZ) HAS NOW 3 NEW MEMBERS

VYDONA s.r.o.



JIŘÍ MYNÁŘ-strojírenská výroba



PILANA Saw Bodies



SVDSZ has been established in the year 1991 and associates now the **17 czech companies** and The Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology in Brno.

Members have in their production programme the **variety of woodworking machines, accessories and tools** and they can also offer and deliver the complete technological equipment for sawmills, for drying kilns, for production of glued balk and battenboard, for building-joinery production, for the furniture, windows and doors production etc.

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ITALIAN WOODWORKING MACHINERY: 2013 PRELIMINARY BALANCE

We still have to wait for coveted recovery: as a matter of fact, 2013 has been poor of satisfaction. The **preliminary balance** about the trend of Italian technology for wood and wood-based materials, processed by Acimall's Studies Office, is quite clear. The analysis by the Confindustria member association, unfortunately, highlights the signs of a tough economic season for an industry that, in the past six years, has suffered from 30 percent turnover reduction.

ITALIAN WOODWORKING MACHINERY: 2013 PRELIMINARY BALANCE

Tools included, in million Euros

	2013	Δ% 2013/2012
Production*	1,481	-5,7%
Export**	1,131	-8,1%
Import**	144	+10,5%
Trade balance	987	-10,3%
Domestic market	350	+2,9%
Apparent consumption	494	+1,3%

* Estimates at 20 December 2013

** Forecast based on Istat figures.

Source: Acimall Studies Office, January 2014.

Production, amounting to 1,481 million Euros, recorded a drop from the previous year, mainly caused by a **domestic market** that – though far from the minus 15 percent result in 2012 – is not showing signs of a rally or reasons for satisfaction. Italian **export** lost another 8.1 percent compared to 2012 (while 2012 vs. 2011 recorded 8 percent shrinkage), as a result of decreasing interest for Italian products in neighbor markets, first of all Germany, France, Spain and Portugal. In general terms, Europe has always been a key partner for Italian suppliers, but its relevance has strongly faded in recent years. This trend was not compensated by the “satisfactory” results recorded in emerging markets: China, Brazil, Canada, United States and Mexico have emerged as good destinations for Italian technology.

Import increased by 10.5 percent (up by 144 million Euros in value), mainly resulting from sales by German and Chinese competitors in Italy. The former have a 50 share on total import, mostly concentrated in the high-end of the market, while “made in China” supplies (accounting for 25 percent of Italian import approximately) include low-tech solutions or components and solutions in-transit to other destinations.

2014 FORECASTS

“As usual, it is very difficult to predict what is going to happen in the next twelve months”, said **Dario Corbetta**, newly-appointed Acimall director, who guided the Studies Office for many years. “Several factors can have an impact on the trends of an industry, even a small one like ours. We expect a slight rally of all indexes, though we cannot say there will be real recovery.

Again, export flows will play a key role for an industry where export propensity is now beyond 80 percent. If Italian companies have the capacity to approach some markets aggressively with innovative globalization initiatives, looking for technical and commercial cooperation agreements, then we will see business expansion.

However, it will take more time to see a real “growth” of the domestic market. We are still struggling with a demand crisis that can only be solved with strong actions at macro-economic level”.

“Another key element – added the manager – is the upcoming **Xylexpo**, the biennial international exhibition organized by our association in even-numbered years, that will be a valuable observatory to identify the most active markets and future decisions by big international customers”.

from the supported exhibitions

26TH WOOD PROCESSING MACHINERY AND 16TH INTERMOB FAIRS ACHIEVE GREAT SUCCESS

Wood Processing Machinery & Intermob 2013 Fairs were held in 12 halls, on 98.000m² between October 5 - 9 with the participation of 875 company and company representatives from 30 countries at TÜYAP Fair Convention and Congress Center in Büyükçekmece, **Istanbul, Turkey**. During 5 days, the fairs became a trade hub for domestic and international industry professionals. The great interest of visitors to the show once more proved it to be the most important meeting platform of the sector in Eurasia.

Professional Visitors from 86 Countries

During the fairs, The Wood Processing Machinery and Intermob Fairs hosted **59.697 professional visitors** covering **5.112 international** and **54.585 domestic visitors** coming from **86 countries** including Afghanistan, Germany, Albania, Austria, Azerbaijan, UAE, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Brazil, Algeria, Czech Republic, China, Denmark, Indonesia, Armenia, Morocco, Palestine, Finland, France, Georgia, South Korea, South Africa, India, Croatia, Holland, Iraq, Iran, Italy, Israel, England, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Japan, Cameroon, Canada, Montenegro, Kosovo, Kazakhstan, TRNC, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Kuwait, Libya, Lithuania, Lebanon, Luxemburg Hungary, Macedonia, Malta, Cyprus, Moldova, Monaco, Mauritania, Nigeria, Uzbekistan, Poland, Portuguese, Romania, Russia, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Sri Lanka, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Tajikistan, Thailand, Taiwan, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Turkey, Ukraine, Jordan, Yemen, New Zealand, Greece, Zambia have met the leader exhibitors of the industry.

International Procurement Committees from 21 Countries

The fairs, aiming to provide new markets to the sector by extending its marketing network, have met procurement committees invited by TUYAP from 21 countries including Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia Herzegovina, Bulgaria, China, Croatia, Georgia, Iraq, Iran, Italy, Montenegro, Macedonia, Egypt, Russia, Serbia, Saudi Arabia, Taiwan, Ukraine, Jordan and Greece with the exhibitors. By leading branding and R&D activities- the exhibitors of the fair who require to cover the demands of the customers which have been changing constantly, are indicating their satisfaction about the interest they took from the visitors and the cooperation they have build during the fairs.

Domestic Procurement Committees from 44 Cities...

Invited by TUYAP and coming from **44 cities** including Adana, Afyon, Amasya, Ankara, Antalya, Aydın, Balıkesir, Bartın, Bolu, Burdur, Bursa, Çanakkale, Çankırı, Çorum, Denizli, Düzce, Edirne, Erzincan, Eskişehir, Gaziantep, Hatay, Isparta, İzmir, Kahramanmaraş, Karaman, Kastamonu, Kayseri, Kırklareli, Konya, Kütahya, Malatya, Manisa, Mersin, Nevşehir, Niğde, Osmaniye, Sakarya, Samsun, Sivas, Şanlıurfa, Tokat, Uşak, Yalova, Zonguldak; the professional visitors operating in the industry have been indicating their satisfaction about the synergy and affectivity created during the fairs.

Influx of Domestic Visitors From 78 Cities

During the **5 days**, domestic visitors coming from **78 cities** had the chance of meeting the leader companies of the sector, observing latest technologies and exchanging information in the light of events realized in the scope of the fairs.

Hoping to meet with all industry professionals on **Sep 27-Oct 1 2014 at 27th Wood Processing Machinery and 17th Intermob Fairs**.



For more information: www.woodmachineryistanbul.com and www.intermobistanbul.com



FINAL COUNTDOWN TO INDIAWOOD 2014

8th edition of S-E Asia's premier woodworking show expected to record 50,000+ footfalls between **21 and 25 February**.

The **40,000 square metres** of available exhibition space for **INDIAWOOD 2014** has been sold out to more than **600 exhibitors** from as many as **40 countries**. South-East Asia's largest bi-annual trade show for woodworking machinery, tools, fittings, accessories, raw materials and products is also sure to record footfalls in excess of 50,000 – a new benchmark.

The main attractions during the **5-day show** (21 to 25 February) – to be held at the **Bangalore** International Exhibition Centre – will be **new product** launches and innovations. Visitors will get to watch full production lines and live demonstrations of more than 1,000 machines during the expo.

Also on display will be woodworking solutions, machinery, materials and components which will be categorized as machinery and non-machinery. There are **10 country pavilions** from Germany, Italy, Turkey, Taiwan, China, Sri Lanka, Canada, France, Malaysia and the US.

Impressed by the scale and reputation of the mega trade show, delegations from large furniture manufacturing and

woodworking industry groups in Nepal, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Malaysia, Myanmar, Bhutan, Thailand, Indonesia and the Philippines have assured attendance in February.

More than five country delegations of architects and interior designers have chalked out plans to participate as business visitors. The organizer, PDA Trade Fairs, is not leaving any stone unturned to reach to the target audiences.

It is **co-organized by Eumabois**, the umbrella organization of Europe's top woodworking machinery manufacturers.

INDIAWOOD is a comprehensive **platform for the woodworking industry**, supported and endorsed by The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd (NSIC), the Export Promotion Council for Handicrafts (EPCH), the Indian Plywood Industries Research and Training Institute (IPIRTI), the Institute of Wood Science & Technology (IWST) and the National Bamboo Mission, to name a few.

INDIAWOOD is also supported and represented by **various timber councils** like the American Hardwood Export Council (AHEC), American Softwood, and the Malaysian, Canadian and French timber councils. Many other industry associations and overseas companies from 30 countries also lend their professional support and recognition.

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**THE ONLY WOODWORKING EXHIBITION
SUPPORTED BY EUMABOIS
IN CHINA: BEIJING WOODWORK FAIR
IN FEB 2014**

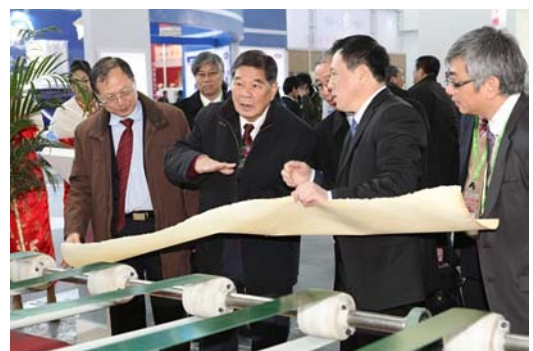
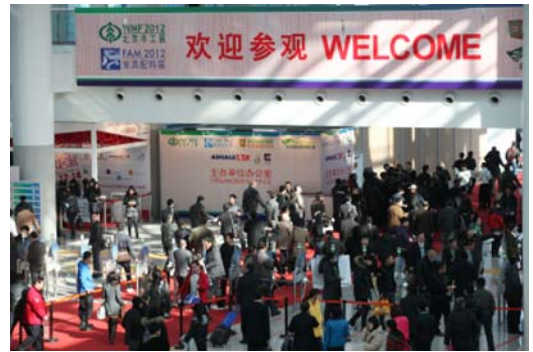
- Serving woodworking industry for nearly 3 decades in China, The International Exhibition on Woodworking Machinery and Furniture Manufacturing Equipment (WMF) has become the largest exhibition of its kind in Asia.
- **WMF 2014** will feature nearly **500 exhibitors** including international woodworking machinery giant **WEINIG** and **HOMAG**. The exhibitors are from **12 countries and regions**, including Germany, Italy, Austria, Korea, China and Singapore etc. The 4-day Event is expected to attract **30,000 visitors** in attendance.
- There will be **5 international Pavilions** organized by VDMA - German Woodworking Machinery Manufacturers' Association, Taiwan Association of Machinery Industry and 3 most prominent woodworking machinery associations in Qingdao, LunJiao (Guangdong) and Shanghai.
- Highly automated, energy efficient and low emission production is the industry's future. In response to this pressing trend in China, WMF 2014 will launch "**Automation & CNC Machinery Zone**" to exhibit world's most advanced precision CNC machining equipment and technology. Also featuring **other 7 theme zones on full spectrum of woodworking machinery and supplies** to explore the future of woodworking machinery, furniture, doors & windows and wooden products industry.

An exciting series of concurrent events will be held throughout the show period, experts will present latest industry topics such as automated production, new panel board technologies and furniture trends. Both exhibitors and visitors will be presented with unparalleled opportunities to explore business opportunities. Next edition will be held in March 2016 in Beijing.

WMF 2014

25-28 February 2014

China International Exhibition Center, **Beijing**, PR China



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XYLEXPO 2014: COMEBACKS AND ESTABLISHED EXHIBITORS

Recently, the big comebacks by **Biesse** and **Cefla** have hit the headlines. Two long-awaited decisions that are critical for the success of Xylexpo, the biennial international exhibition of woodworking technology and furniture industry supplies to be held next 13-17 May 2014 at the Milano-Rho expo center. Their comeback has put the Milan event back under the spotlights, as an even stronger and more complete showcase for a market that, despite one of the less brilliant seasons ever seen, is still among the leading marketplaces for design, woodworking and wood-based materials. Whether it's furniture or windows, logs to cut or panels to form, Xylexpo gathers and amplifies the proposals of big global groups and small-medium Italian and international companies.

Hundreds of companies committed to the development and definition of new methods to process and produce, with an eye to the environment and natural resources, able to solve all issues related to different cycles and operations. These companies will be the big actors of the Milan kermesse. Names like **Ima Klessman, Robatech, Italtipresse, Michael Weinig, Barberan, Camam, Casadei Industria, Essetre, Felder, Hundegger, Friulmac, Paolino Bacci, Siemplekamp, Wintersteiger**... just to mention a few of over 300 exhibitors that have already submitted their application so far.

"Italy is still a major global market, despite the problems caused by the economic challenge of this period", said Juergen Koeppel, member of the board of Homag Group, commenting upon the next Xylexpo. "I am confident we will see recovery soon, because the Italian furniture industry can be competitive, and a global trendsetter for design and creativity. For Homag Group, Xylexpo is a major international exhibition, although in recent years it has lost some positions due to conflicts and discussions among manufacturers. But if we look at the European scenario, it is essential to have another strong event in the Old Continent besides Ligna".

On the same wavelenght **Alberto Maestri**, Sales & Marketing Director, Cefla Finishing Group, who commented: *"Cefla is back to Xylexpo where we believe we will find an international stage to present the results of our continuous efforts in innovation and product development, supported with significant investments also in the past year".*

Confirmations and comebacks which follow the choice of **Biesse Group** – multinational company active in the sector of wood, glass and stone-working machinery – that, after two years of absence, announced the return to Xylexpo, stating that: *"...it will be an important opportunity for visitors and customers to discover the ultimate advantages of Biesse solutions in terms of machines, integrated production lines and software".*

Xylexpo

Biennial world exhibition for woodworking technology and furniture supplies

Rho Fieramilano exhibition centre, 13-17 May 2014

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DREMA CELEBRATES 30th ANNIVERSARY

This year's International Trade Fair of Machines and Tools for the Wood and Furniture Industries DREMA (www.drema.pl) celebrates unusual anniversary - **30th edition**. This jubilee is of great importance for the organizers, the exhibitors and visitors co-creating the fair's formula for years, making it the perfect opportunity to reminisce.

DREMA fair with history

The **first edition** of DREMA took place in **1978** and since the inception of this event attracted a lot of interest. DREMA Fair was initially held every two years, alternating with the Exhibition of Machines and Devices for the Production of Furniture Industry, during which exclusively Polish exhibitors presented their offer. In 1994 it was decided to change the formula for the annual, which was influenced by the dynamics of development and the huge potential of the timber industry in **Poland**.

DREMA evolves

Over the years the thematic scope of DREMA expanded and became more specific. The event also began to arouse increasing interest both from the **Polish and foreign exhibitors** and visitors. A particular intensification of interest occurred in the nineties, in which it became possible to fully open the Polish market. This time in the memories of the fair organizers and guests of DREMA is mainly associated with promoting new technologies and appending more and more companies among the exhibitors.

Professionally and contentwise

From the very beginning **DREMA cooperates with** the Association of Manufacturers of Woodworking Machinery, Equipment and Tools for wood processing **DROMA**.

In the 30 years DREMA's formula has evolved to the level of the event, which in addition to wide range of display and showing groundbreaking technological solutions also presents special areas. Live Furniture Factory has grown to be Fair's pride among them.

For several years DREMA has been on the list of world exhibitions officially supported by the European Federation of Manufacturers of Woodworking Machinery EUMABOIS.

LIGNUMEXPO 2014



Lignumexpo 2014 - 19th International Exhibition of Machines, Tools, Equipment and Materials for Wood processing Industry and FOREST - 15th International Forestry Exhibition create together in the year 2014 the largest fair focused on wood in ex' Czechoslovakia.

The fair LIGNUMEXPO + LES is for the fifth time **support by EUMABOIS** - the European Federation of Woodworking Machinery Manufactures and it is also the reason why LIGNUMEXPO is registered in the calendar of 21 most prestigious fairs of the world in woodworking **in the year 2014**.

In this year, during LIGNUMEXPO + LES, we continue also in organization of the event MNS - Materials - Novelties - Services. MNS is a presentation of **new materials** for production of furniture, doors, windows and other products made of wood. Free catering for all trade visitors will be provided during the whole fair.

For more information:

Agrokomplex

www.agrokomplex.sk

FENAFOR 2014

Fenafor is a fair specially created to attend to the needs of the lumber, furniture and carpentry sectors in **Perú**.

Fenafor is held every two years and is now in its **fifth edition**, will be in Lima (Peru), **from 23 to 25 October**. Unique in Peru, it brings together in an exclusive manner and in a single place the most diverse range of machinery, equipment, materials and services for the transforming of wood and the manufacturing of furniture, as well as addressing current issues of interest to the sector.

Fenafor has consolidated itself to become the nucleus generating business opportunities and an excellent opportunity to strengthen links and promote commercial contacts among companies which exhibit the products and services they offer, and investors interested in serving and satisfying the demands of their target public. In this way, FENAFOR has positioned itself as the **leading event in its field in Peru**.

At the 2012 event, **45% of the exhibitors were from abroad**, from countries such as Germany, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Chile, China, Spain, Italy, United States and others. In addition, the event enjoyed the **active participation of Peruvian companies** specializing in the manufacturing of machinery, equipment and materials for the transformation of wood and the making of furniture.

Visitors will be able to find up to date information, purchase with productivity, establish commercial ties, identify the main suppliers, make new contacts quickly, obtain quotes for their requirements and have an opportunity to broaden their knowledge as well as widening their vision of the sector.

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EXPOBOIS 2014

EXPOBOIS, the international woodworking machinery exhibition, now includes **the BOBAT Space**, targeting the construction timber market, accessories and finishing products. EXPOBOIS has now become the most comprehensive exhibition in France for all wood transformation processes and uses.

From Monday 17th to Thursday 20th November 2014 in **Paris Nord Villepinte**, manufacturers, craftsmen, merchants and buyers will be able to see a comprehensive range of materials, machinery and equipment, workshop and on-site power tools, accessories, finishing and decoration products, meeting the needs of any target

markets, all in one place.

EXPOBOIS 2014 will take place over 4 days across 33,000m² in Paris Nord Villepinte, welcoming over 300 international exhibitors and 20,000 professionals.

EXPOBOIS plus the Bobat Space is establishing itself as the leading trade fair in the industry, offering exhibitors maximum exposure to a broader target group of professionals, seeking innovative solutions in order to be more competitive and to open new opportunities for their businesses.

Expobois and the Bobat Space create the perfect environment to develop business!

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FITECMA 2015: MORE CONTACTS, MORE BUSINESS, MORE MARKETS

In 90 days 80 per cent of **FITECMA 2015** area **was sold**. The success confirms once again the **strong support of all sectors** taking part in the wood and furniture industry value chain to a fair which has turned along **11 editions** into an obliged reference for visitors and exhibitors looking for doing business, gaining contacts and updating knowledge. Moreover, it demonstrates the recognition to the industry representation power of the Association of Manufacturers and Representatives of Machines, Equipment and Tools for the Woodworking Industry (**ASORA**) - organizing institution - and as well of the three business chambers which since several years join the summoning: CEMA - Chamber of Woodworking Industries; CADAMDA - Argentine Chamber of Wood, and CADEFHA - Argentine Chamber of Manufacturers of Metal Fittings.

But, it makes also clear the implicit recognition to an **experienced organization** which counts on experience and supported the reached achievements with deep market knowledge by investing effort and resources, and always with a mind open to innovation. And perhaps as a more important aspect, confidence: during the worst economic crisis lived in Argentina, the fair was equally held, gathering

visitors from all over Argentina who contributed to give a new boost to the industry.

At ASORA we have already begun to work in order that the next fair may generate "**more contacts, more business, more markets**", as expressed by its motto, multiplying opportunities for companies. It will surely allow exceeding the success achieved at FITECMA 2013. In this sense, we have incorporated a **special area for bioenergy**; and we are developing efforts which may accompany the growth of the use of wood in construction from the nation-wide adoption of INTI-CIRSOC 601 Regulations for wooden structures.

On the other hand, **two tools** having proved their efficiency for doing business simultaneously to the fair will again be available for exhibitors: the "**5th Business Round**" and "**FITECMA Virtual**".

From ASORA we want to invite especially companies from all over the World and each of the sectors involved in the wood -furniture value chain to join the fair twelfth edition. We are sure it will have an effect on their business turnover and on **benefits for the whole industry**.



For more information:

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WOOD AND BIOENERGY 2015

The **Wood and Bioenergy 2013** exhibition, a leading wood industry event in **Finland**, attracted around **5,000 professionals** to the Congress and Trade Fair Center Jyväskylä Paviļjonki during the three exhibition days last September. Displaying products of **270 companies** from **25 countries**, the exhibition had great atmosphere and exhibitors were pleased.

The **next** Wood and Bioenergy exhibition will be held in Jyväskylä Paviļjonki in **September 2015**. Arrangements are already on their way, and the organizers are looking forward to at least as good event as the previous was. We hope to meet all of you again in Jyväskylä September 2015.

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