

## Maintenance and Pumps & Valves trade shows combined for the first time in Dortmund

8/12/2016 (Dortmund, Germany) – For the first time, the Maintenance and Pumps & Valves trade shows will take place together in Dortmund. On 29 and 30 March 2017, numerous exhibitors will present current trends and latest standards from the world of maintenance in the Westfalenhallen. At the same time, Pumps & Valves – a trade show for industrial pumps, valves and processes – will make its début in Germany. In the newly opened exhibition hall 5, visitors will meet leading manufacturers and maintenance engineers from the fields of pump and plant engineering as well as process engineering and component construction.

### Maintenance and Pumps & Valves is already well booked

With 80 per cent of stands at Maintenance and 70 percent at Pumps & Valves already reserved, both trade shows in Dortmund are already well booked, reports Daniel Eisele, the event director at the event's Easyfairs Deutschland GmbH. “We are very pleased with the strong response, that the two events have received. The large number of ticket orders from trade visitors even four months before the start of the show confirms our concept.” The show's exhibitors include heavyweights such as Atlas Copco, Aerzen Maschinenfabrik and SEW Eurodrive in the maintenance sector, as well as AUMA Riester, EBARA Pumpen and ZWICK Armaturen in the field of pumps and components. “As a compact, two-day event, Maintenance has been an integral part of our sales concept for our individual service solutions for many years,” says Stephan Brand, international marketing manager of Aerzener Maschinenfabrik GmbH.

The expansion of Maintenance to include Pumps & Valves promises numerous synergies for exhibitors and visitors alike. The organiser expects up to 3,500 trade visitors to attend the two-day trade show in Dortmund. This year's main focus of the programme, which is always well received by visitors and exhibitors, are topics such as software solutions with a focus on industry 4.0 and the implementation of digitisation for SMEs.

### Trade show concept adopted by exhibitors and visitors

This valued industry convention will be accompanied by expert lectures in the show's ScienceCenter, including presentations on current maintenance topics as well as contributions from the field of industrial pumps, fittings and valve technology. These lectures will be held in cooperation with the Fraunhofer IML and the exhibitors themselves. Additionally, the VDI (Association of German Engineers) expert forum will also deal with the promotion of future generations and career entry into the industry via its "We secure the future" topic group. Furthermore, visitors will be able to get information about maintenance solutions and exchange knowledge with experts from the FVI member companies at a joint stand arranged by Forum Vision Instandhaltung e.V. (FVI).

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## Facts and figures

“maintenance Dortmund” and “PUMPS & VALVES Dortmund” 2017

**Date:** Wednesday 29 and Thursday 30 March 2017

**Opening times:** Wednesday 9:00 - 17:00 and Thursday 9:00 - 16:00

**Location:** Messe Westfalenhallen Dortmund, Hall 4, 5, Rheinlanddamm 200, 44139 Dortmund

**Ticket price:** 2-day ticket for EUR 30 (valid for both trade shows)

**Organiser:** Easyfairs Deutschland GmbH, Balanstr. 73, Haus 8, 81541 Munich

**Show websites:** [www.maintenance-dortmund.com](http://www.maintenance-dortmund.com) and [www.pumpsvalves-dortmund.com](http://www.pumpsvalves-dortmund.com)

## Information about “maintenance” at a glance

“maintenance Dortmund” provides trade visitors with an overview of the latest technical solutions, products, trends and up-to-date knowledge relating to the maintenance industry. It also enables exhibitors to present their technical services and machines in a compact two-day format in the centre of the economically powerful Rhine-Ruhr metropolitan area.

At the show, regional, national and internationally active suppliers of industrial maintenance solutions meet industrial users and decision-makers from the process industry. On display are technical solutions and services in the areas of maintenance, inspection, repair, industrial software and IT, plant management, efficiency consulting, work safety and production safety, technical planning, measurement and control technology as well as hydraulics, pneumatics and drive technology.

The trade show attracts specialist visitors from the following industries: chemical and petrochemical, mineral oil, gas, power plants and energy, electronics, steel and metal, pharmaceutical, food and beverage, automotive, automotive parts & accessories, recycling and building materials, wood processing and paper production, logistics and mechanical engineering.

Further information is available at [www.maintenance-dortmund.com](http://www.maintenance-dortmund.com)

## Information about PUMPS & VALVES at a glance

PUMPS & VALVES Dortmund is taking place together with “maintenance Dortmund” for the first time. In exhibition hall 5, which was recently opened specially for PUMPS & VALVES, the various exhibitors will present the entire spectrum of industrial pumps, valve technology and industrial fittings.

The show will welcome trade visitors from the chemical and petrochemical, energy, food, pharmaceutical, water and wastewater treatment, machinery, and plant and pipeline construction industries.

At the show, they will discover products and technical solutions in the fields of pumps and pumping systems, valves, drive technology, industrial fittings, plant engineering, seals and sealing systems, filters and filter systems, pipelines, testing, measuring and control technology and equipment, as well as accessories for process plants, automation technology, service and maintenance.

Further information is available at [www.pumpsvalves-dortmund.com](http://www.pumpsvalves-dortmund.com)

In 2017 up to 230 exhibitors and 3,500 trade visitors are expected in Dortmund.

## The international *maintenance series* 2017

“maintenance Dortmund” is part of the European *maintenance series*. Organized by Easyfairs, the *maintenance series* involve more than 1,000 exhibitors and 14,000 visitors at eight European locations and is the world's largest network of trade shows on the topic of maintenance. All of the shows take place in major economic regions of Europe.



“maintenance Switzerland”, 8 - 9 February 2017, Messe Zürich  
“maintenance Dortmund”, 29 - 30 March 2017, Messe Westfalenhallen, Dortmund  
“maintenance Antwerp”, 29 - 30 March 2017, Antwerp Expo  
“maintenance Malmö”, 29 - 30 March 2017, MalmöMässan  
“maintenance Stuttgart”, 17 - 18 May 2017, ICS Kongress, Messe Stuttgart  
“maintenance Bilbao”, 6 - 8 June 2017, BILBAO EXHIBITION CENTRE  
“maintenance Stockholm”, 13 - 14 September 2017, Kistamässan  
“maintenance Krakow”, 18 - 19 October 2017, EXPO Kraków

The *maintenance series* provide meeting points across national borders for all users and suppliers in the European industrial maintenance industry. It also provides an international network that enables business and knowledge transfer throughout the European maintenance community.

## Information about Artexis Easyfairs

Artexis Easyfairs enables industry to look into the future – “Visit the future”. It organises the leading events for the respective industry, which meet the requirements of their visitors and enable the presentation of new solutions in an ideal event format that is tailored to the respective market.

Under the **Easysfairs** brand, the group currently organises over 200 trade shows and exhibitions in 19 countries (Algeria, Belgium, China, Denmark, Finland, France, Great Britain, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Spain, the United Arab Emirates and the USA).

In the Germany/Austria/Switzerland region, Easyfairs organises (among others) Automation & Electronics (Zurich), Empack (Zurich), Label & Print (Berlin and Zurich), Logistics & Distribution (Zurich), Maintenance (Dortmund, Stuttgart and Zurich), Packaging Innovations (Berlin and Zurich), Pumps & Valves (Dortmund and Zurich), Recycling Technik (Dortmund) and Schüttgut (Bulk Goods) (Dortmund, Basel and Moscow, Russia).

As **Artexis**, the Group operates 11 exhibition centres in the BeNeLux and Nordic countries (Antwerp, Ghent, Mechelen-Brussels North, Mons, Namur (two exhibition grounds), Hardenberg, Gorinchem, Venray, Malmö and Stockholm). The group employs over 700 people and expects to generate revenues of over EUR 167 million for the financial year 2016/2017.

The goal of Artexis Easyfairs is to be the most adaptive, active and effective market participant in the trade show industry. To this end, its focus is on recruiting highly motivated employees and developing the best instruments in marketing and technology in addition to strong brands. Take a look into the future: “Visit the future – with Artexis Easyfairs”

For more information visit our website [www.Easyfairs.com](http://www.Easyfairs.com)

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