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## <u>PLASTINDIA 2023 – POST-SHOW REPORT</u> New Delhi, February 1-5, 2023

From February 1 to 5, 2023 in Pragati Maidan, New Delhi, the eleventh edition of the international triennial exhibition PLASTINDIA took place, after a 5 years stop due to the pandemic of Covid-19, organized by Plastindia Foundation, with the support of Government of India and overseas Associates Messe Düsseldorf, Adsale and EURO-MAP patronage. Messe Düsseldorf took care of the participation of the European and North American exhibitors, whereas Adsale of the Chinese and Taiwanese ones.

According to the organizers, the gross area occupied amounted to 125,000 sqm (against 90,000 in 2018, 100,000 in 2015 and 2012, 77,000 in 2009 and 65,000 in 2006 in New Delhi historical fairground).

As for the number of exhibitors, the registered participating companies have been 1,800 from 45 countries, whereas 1,897 in 2018, 1,590 in 2015 and 1,600 in 2012 (1,500 in 2009 and 1,250 in 2006).

Twenty-one halls: all reserved to machinery manufacturers, except for two devoted to raw materials and one to semi-finished and finished products and services.

According to estimates, without official details by PIF and coordinators in charge, here below a list of country pavilions that attended the show:

Austria: 12 exhibitors, 200 sqmChina: 52, around 1,000 sqm

Denmark: 6, 54 sqm

• France: 12, around 100 sqm

Germany: 67, around 1,500 sqm

Iran: 6 in raw materials, around 500 sqm

Italy: 14, 450 sqmMalaysia: 4, 50 sqm

South Corea: 14, around 150 sqm

Taiwan: 39, 600 sqmVietnam: 8, 100 sqmUK: 10, 100 sqm

As far as visitors are concerned, the organizer confirmed an affluence of 360,000 people compared to 245,619 in 2018, 200,000 in 2015, 150,000 in 2012, 120,000 in the previous edition.

In February 2026 PLASTINDIA will take place again in New Delhi.