

Press Release

Bekum Blow Moulding Days: Save the Date!

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At the beginning of the year, the exclusive industry event, the Bekum Blow Moulding Days, is scheduled for 20-21 February 2024 at Bekum in Traismauer. This event offers customers and those who want to become customers an insight into the latest developments in the field of extrusion blow moulding at Bekum.

New machine types, newly developed innovations

The Bekum Blow Moulding Days offer the opportunity to experience new machine types of the Small Packaging, Packaging and Industrial Machines of the 8-series, as well as advances in the field of extrusion. Our experts will present newly developed technologies that can optimize production and increase competitiveness. In addition, Bekum offers the opportunity to meet participating partners from the fields of automation technology, tool and mould making as well as material production and processing.

Highlights of the event

One of the highlights of the event will be the live demonstration of our new blow moulding machines for packaging and industrial containers. Not only will the latest technologies and product innovations be presented, but also insights into our research and development work will be given. Networking with industry experts and members of the Bekum team should not be neglected, because personal discussions and customized advice lay the foundation for a reliable basis for a common future.



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Save the Date!

Mark this essential date on your calendar now: Date: February 20 to 21, 2024

Location: Bekum Maschinenfabrik Traismauer GesmbH, Venusbergerstraße 40, 3133

Traismauer, Austria

We look forward to welcoming you at the Bekum Blow Moulding Days, where we will shape the future of extrusion blow moulding together. Register now without <u>obligation</u> (link to registration) and mark this date in your calendar!

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Pioneer and Trendsetter in Blow Moulding Technology

Founded in Berlin in 1959, Bekum Maschinenfabriken GmbH is one of the world's leading manufacturers of extrusion blow moulding machines.

Founder Gottfried Mehnert conceived the name Bekum as the acronym (<u>Be</u>rliner <u>Ku</u>nststoff <u>Maschinen</u>).

The company began to flourish in its founding year with the development of the world's first neck-rim calibration. Numerous innovations and patents followed, confirming that Bekum, with its innovative and customer-oriented machinery solutions, has always been ahead of its time – and remains so to this day.

When innovative and economical machinery solutions with high productivity for individual packaging requirements of hollow packaging are in demand, then Bekum, with 60 years of experience in blow-moulding technology, is the first choice worldwide.

Product Range and Applications in Food and Non-food

With future-oriented and reliable production processes and fully electric, as well as hydraulic machinery for the commercial production of blow moulded containers ranging from 5 ml to 3000 l, Bekum offers everything for plastic packaging from one source.

Philosophy of the Company

Building and maintaining long-term relationships with market partners through future-oriented, predictable company policy determine the actions of the first and second generation of the family, represented by Michael Mehnert. This strategy ensures the jobs of dedicated and experienced staff. The preservation of traditional structures, an established network of partners and far-sighted adaptation to change form the basis for continuous development and inspiration for the company in the interest of partners, customers and employees.

Innovation and Technology



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Process reliability, availability, efficiency and sophisticated design characterise the high standard of Bekum production lines for blow moulding. Bekum contributes the expertise that has grown based on these references, associated with various patents in blow moulding, to the fulfilment of every customer requirement.

The level of process design is key for process reliability, reproducibility, parts quality and cost-efficiency. A high-quality production line for extrusion blow moulding, consisting of machine, die and automation which is impressive in terms of speed, wear resistance, availability, process reliability and stability alike, is critical for return on investment (ROI) and the level of added value.

Facts and figures

With 18,000 machines delivered and installed worldwide - about half of them still in use - the Bekum Group has achieved by far the largest production of blow moulding machines of any brand.

The Bekum Group serves approximately 100 countries around the world directly or through representatives.

Today, 350 employees work for the Bekum group worldwide at three locations in Europe and in the US (Berlin (Germany), Traismauer (Austria) und Williamston (USA)).

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