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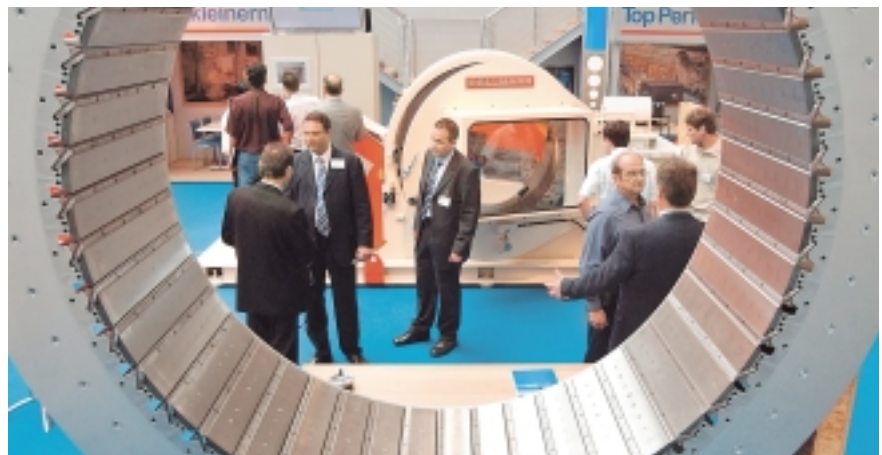
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The world of wood

Bird's-eye view of the entire market at LIGNA+ HANNOVER



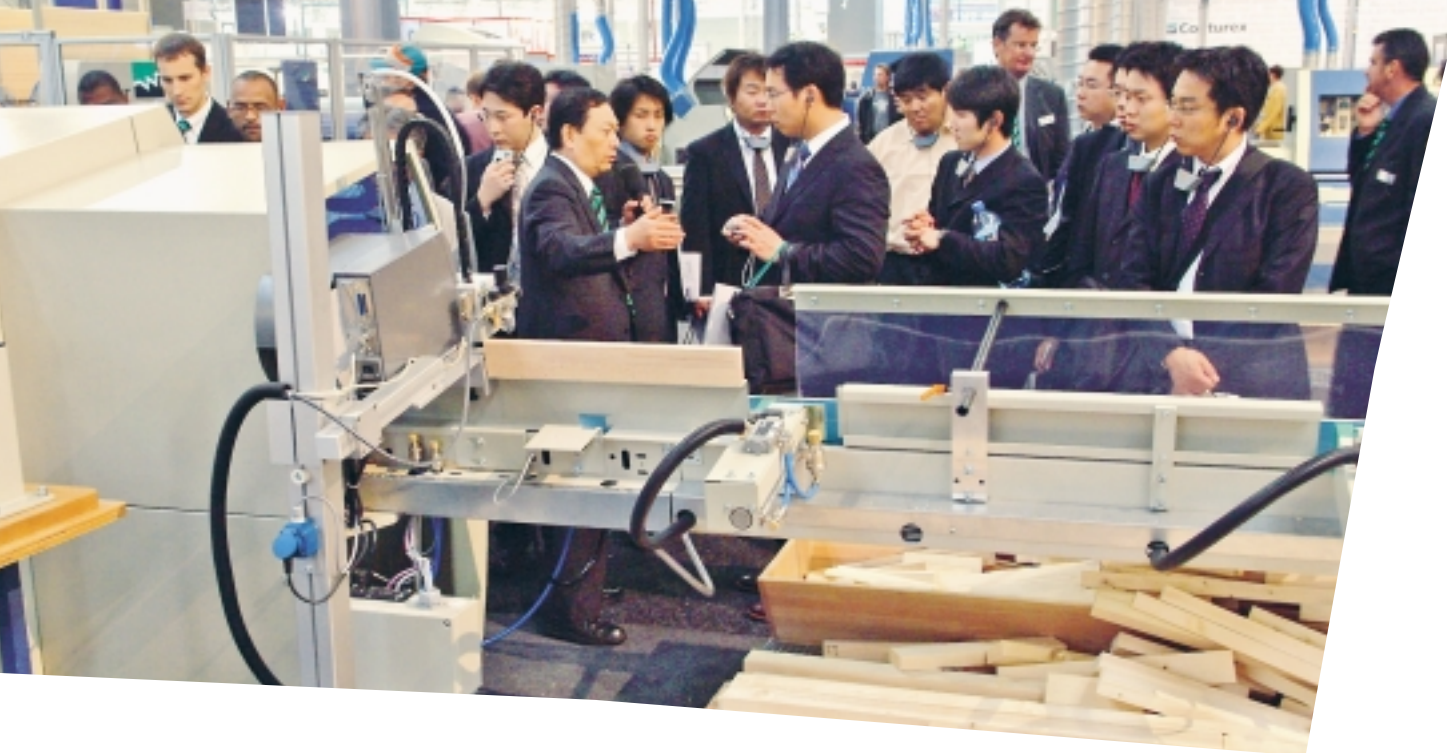
Demand for wood is climbing steadily – especially in Europe, where it is the material of first choice among property developers, home owners and furniture buyers. It is also enjoying record popularity as a fuel. The scene is thus perfectly set for LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007, the international shop window for the forestry and wood industries to be held in Hannover, Germany, from 14 to 18 May in 2007. Boasting 130,000 square meters (1,399,308 sq. ft.) of displays, the show attracts some 1,800 suppliers from over 40 nations and features the latest innovations and trends in wood-working machinery, forestry technology, wood-based materials and construction. It reflects the entire spectrum of wood – the entire wood production chain, from forestry, to timber, to the industrial manufacture of wood products. The keynote themes at the 2007 event include energy, wood-based construction and surface finishing technologies.

LIGNA+ HANNOVER reflects the entire market. In 2007, the show is expected to attract some 100,000 trade visitors, who will use the event as a one-stop shop for new technology from all the main providers, pick up new ideas, and make invaluable business contacts.

The exhibition program is complemented by an array of special presentations, seminars, conferences and international contact exchanges.

Handwerk, Holz & mehr

So successful was its premiere in 2005 that Handwerk, Holz & mehr, the section of the show devoted to the woodworking trades, will be even bigger in 2007. The big magnets include presentations by the Association of Lower Saxon Carpenters (VNZ) and the German Association of Carpentry and Joinery (BHKH). More on pages 4 and 5.



Technology kick-start

LIGNA+ HANNOVER leads the way

LIGNA+ HANNOVER is the launch pad for technological innovation in the forestry and wood industries, the place where decision-makers come to catch the wave of the future. All the market leaders are there. It's where machinery providers showcase the latest developments for the forestry and forestry technology sectors, sawmill technology, solid wood working, wood-based materials and veneer production, the wood-working trades and furniture industry. This technology kick-start could not come at a better time: the wood industry is booming in Eastern Europe and Asia, the German market is picking up, and the way is now clear for the wood processing and woodworking sectors to catch up on long-overdue capital investment.

The imperative to stay competitive for long-term survival means that businesses are extremely demanding when it comes to investment. They expect their suppliers to deliver greater productivity, more flexibility and new ways to save

money as well as quality support services. The industry is rising to this challenge. In the timber construction sector, for example, companies offer lower prices, shorter construction periods and superior ecological performance; the latest building designs offer greater energy-efficiency and earthquake resistance, can withstand higher loads and stresses, and are more fire-resistant than their concrete counterparts.

Machinery + Materials + Applications

Increasingly, businesses in the wood-working and furniture trades are looking to machinery manufacturers as knowledge brokers, technology partners and providers of integrated, flexible, and custom-tailored solutions. This level of sophistication on the machinery side is essential if they are to be able to produce high-value, custom products capable of competing with mass-produced goods from Asia and Eastern Europe. This will be one of the key themes at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007.

Industry on growth track

Germany's world-leading woodworking machinery industry is going from strength to strength. Following solid growth in 2005, the industry boosted its first half-year sales in 2006 by 6% compared with the same period the year before. And with the volume of new orders continuing to increase over the summer months, the German Woodworking Machinery Manufacturers' Association within the VDMA (German Engineering Federation) is predicting continued growth for the second half of 2006.

The industry is particularly pleased with the recovery of Germany's domestic market. "The domestic market has fared much better than expected. At present, around one third of our sales come from Germany, making it our biggest single market by a clear margin," explains the Association's Managing Director, Dr. Bernhard Dirr. In 2005, domestic spending on woodworking machinery totaled 1.1 billion euros, a year-on-year increase of 15%. Export earnings increased 5% to approximately 2.1 billion euros. The industry's single most important export market is the USA, followed by Russia, Poland and China.





Wooden Surface Solutions

Spotlight on surface finishing technology

A product's surface characteristics depend on the materials used and its design features. And like nothing else, surface characteristics are uniquely definitive of the product's use, service life and value. More importantly, surface finish, material composition and design reflect the individual taste of the people who buy the product. Technology is the key to meeting these sophisticated customer requirements – which is why surface finishing technologies feature so strongly at LIGNA+ HANNOVER. More than 300 providers will be showcasing their latest surface technology innovations as part of the “Wooden Surface Solutions” project. “Wooden Surface Solutions” is a joint initiative between Deutsche Messe and the German Woodworking Machinery Manufacturers' Association within the VDMA.

Digital printing for custom finishes

The displays will cover an array of surface finishing topics, including digital printing, wood-based floor coverings/laminated coverings, tiles and ceramics, 2D and 3D finishes for furniture, lightweight construction panels and solid wood. Of particular interest to architects, designers and furniture makers

are the recent advances in digital printing. Melamine-impregnated decorative papers are an example of the latter. These papers can be applied to chipboard and MDF to produce a range of custom finishes that are dirt-repellent, scratch and impact-resistant, and can cope with harsh cleaning products.

Looks like natural wood

LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007 will feature surface finishing technologies for a range of substrates (fiberboard, chipboard, solid wood) that have recently undergone major advances in quality, processing speed and environmental performance. Some of the more spectacular innovations include new processes for applying life-like decorative finishes, such as wood grain patterns, using direct laser printing technology, or for employing the world's first zero-emission thermic smoothing process. These new, highly-sophisticated production systems deliver finishes that are very similar to natural wood in appearance and actually superior in terms of durability and damage resistance. The new generation of finishing systems promises extremely hard-wearing, colorfast end-products of exquisite surface texture.

Surface finishing technologies at LIGNA+ HANNOVER

- Machines for the manufacture of paper-based coating materials
- Surface preparation/pre-treatment solutions
- Paper-based coating equipment
- Liquid and solid surface finishing solutions
- Transportation and testing solutions
- Chemical additives
- Surface finishing materials
- Services

The “Wooden Surface Solutions” project is a platform where visitors can explore the many opportunities and benefits offered by modern surface finishing technologies and grasp the interrelationships between the various stages of the associated production and finishing processes. Expertise will be shared by exhibitors by means of various “information islands”. The organizers are staging the project in close cooperation with exhibitors and the Rosenheim University for Applied Studies (FH Rosenheim).

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Every piece of furniture a one-off original

Customers are willing to pay good money for made-to-order, unique furniture creations. This necessitates intelligent, highly flexible production systems, which in turn are dependent on effective, streamlined organizational and communication systems. Getting these crucial aspects right is currently an area of close collaboration between furniture makers, machinery manufacturers, software providers, systems providers and consulting firms. After all, problem-free processes in this highly competitive area are highly dependent on smooth, harmonized information flows.

At LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007, software providers will be profiling the latest developments designed to enhance the profitability of custom furniture production.





Stronger profile



“Handwerk, Holz & mehr” bigger and better

The planners at Deutsche Messe and the VDMA backed a winner when they introduced the new “Handwerk, Holz & mehr” display category at LIGNA+ in 2005. Dedicated to machinery, tools, equipment, materials and services for the woodworking trades, the show-within-a-show brought many new exhibitor and visitor groupings into the LIGNA+ fold. It made an instant name for itself, not only as the leading trades-focused expo in North Germany, but also as the place to go for architects, engineers, planners and property developers.

This successful start has inspired the organizers to improve the show for 2007 by making it more comprehensive and integrated and more clearly structured. The latest innovations and developments for users in the skilled trades will again be clustered in Halls 11, and 14 through 17. The showcase will feature the full range of machinery, tools, materials, accessories, services and training offerings available to carpenters, joiners and cabinetmakers and professionals in the wood-based construction sector. The exhibition program is complemented by an impressive array of special presentations targeted specifically at the skilled woodworking trades.

German Timber Construction Award 2007

The competition for the prestigious German Timber Construction Award 2007 gets under way in mid-December this year and is open to architects, structural engineers, owner-builders as well as to carpentry and timber construction firms. The Award, worth EUR 20,000, is sponsored by the Association of German Master Carpenters (BDZ), the German Federal Foundation for the Environment (BDU), the German Timber Sales Promotion Fund (HAF), Deutsche Messe, the Glulam Construction Research Network (Studiengemeinschaft Holzleimbau) and the Association of German Architects (BDA).

Prizes and certificates will be awarded in the following two categories:

- timber-construction architecture
- innovative building products (e.g. wood systems or components)

Application forms will be available online (www.bdz-holzbau.de) from the start of December 2006. The closing date for entries is 14 February 2007 (postmark is definitive of entry date). An independent jury will assess the projects entered and award prizes and certificates at the end of February. The awards ceremony will be held on 15 May at the Association of Lower Saxon Carpenters (VNZ) pavilion in Hall 17 at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007.

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Aktionsforum vector (Vector Forum)

Right from day one at its debut in 2005, the “Aktionsforum vector” special display was a major magnet for visitors from the carpentry and cabinetmaking trades. Organized by the German Woodworking Machinery Manufacturers’ Association within the VDMA (German Engineering Federation), the Forum consists of a series of live demonstrations of selected innovations from the LIGNA+ exhibition program. At its return season at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007, the Forum will again feature new hand tools, hardware and materials every day of the fair. Each demonstration will last 15 minutes, after which the manufacturers will be available for questions.

New: On every day of the fair there will be a prize draw, with lots of attractive prizes to be won.





Owner/developers wanted!

The Association of Lower Saxon Carpenters (VNZ) is looking for owner/developers for each of the single- and two-family show homes and the multipurpose display pavilion that will be built on site at the VNZ display stand in Hall 17 at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007. VNZ Managing Director Wilhelm Reihl has confirmed that the owner/developers "will be entitled to a sizeable trade fair discount."

Up for grabs are a timber Low Energy House of between 140 and 160 m² (1,507 – 1,722 sq. ft.) in size plus an ultra-modern, thermally insulated, timber-skeleton, Bauhaus-style single-family home.

If you are interested in one of these buildings, please contact the project's technical advisor, Hans-Peter Mahrholdt, at Tel. +49-51 05/16 34 or h.p.mahrholdt@t-online.de. The deadline for applications is 31 January 2007.

Carpenters at their innovative best

Big presence in Hall 17

In 2007, Germany's carpentry trade will again be putting in a big appearance at LIGNA+ HANNOVER. There, in Hall 17, the Association of Lower Saxon Carpenters (VNZ) will be running a spectacular group pavilion together with local carpentry firms and carpentry-trade suppliers, universities and various wood industry associations and organizations. As in previous years, the pavilion will be decked out with its hallmark laminated timber spirals for maximum visibility and recognition. The entire VNZ pavilion is designed to serve as a forum for architects and engineers, public-sector and commercial buyers, and individual owner-builders.

The VNZ pavilion traditionally features full-size show homes. This year there will be two timber-skeleton/frame low-energy houses and a timber-frame multipurpose display pavilion. The exciting thing this year is that the organizers are seeking owner-developers for these buildings (see insert).

Carpentry apprentices to build playhouses for kindergartens

In a special 'living workshop', a group of first-year apprentices and vocational academy students will be building a series of wooden playhouses that will be gifted to selected kindergartens after the fair.

Carpenters and cabinetmakers take center stage

BHKH unveils initiatives for barrier-free living

The German Association of Carpentry and Joinery (BHKH) will be showcasing the broad range of services on offer from its members at an impressive pavilion at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007. The theme for the showcase is "Carpenters & Cabinetmakers Have More to Offer!"

The Association's barrier-free living initiatives, which focus on the home-living needs of the disabled and aged, certainly have much to offer. BHKH Managing Director Dr. Bettina Wehrisch explains: "The elderly are becoming an increasingly important segment of our market. They want convenient living spaces where they can live care-free for

as long as possible." Visitors will be able to witness several powerful examples of this ethos at the BHKH pavilion. The themes of modernization and healthy living environments will also feature strongly.

The BHKH is planning a series of lectures on education and ongoing professional development, building-energy consultancy, CE marks and Germany's soon-to-be enacted decorative paint regulations (Chem-VOCFarbV). It is also planning several films and demonstrations, including a live carpentry workshop and an aptitude test for young people considering careers in carpentry or cabinet-

making. At the end of each day there will be a happy hour.

Form & Function

The traditional highlight at the BHKH pavilion is the exhibition of award-winning journeyman creations from Germany's "Form & Function" competition. The regional winners' pieces will be showcased throughout the fair, at the end of which an expert jury will select the three national winners.

New in 2007 is the "best-liked" award which gives LIGNA+ visitors the chance to choose their favorites. The awards ceremony will be held on 18 May 2007.





The future is carved in wood

Forestry technology on the open-air site and under the EXPO canopy

Forestry is the starting point of the wood production chain. This industry, which is coming under increasing pressure from the dictates of environmental protection and nature conservation, is an integral part of LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007. The show provides a comprehensive overview of the latest technological advances and innovative products for sustainable forest management, timber harvesting and hauling, wood-based energy production and timber processing. The impressive array of companies and institutes scheduled to run exhibits

on the open-air site and in the pavilions under the EXPO Canopy at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007 demonstrates that wood is a solid, reliable investment in the future. The exhibits will include highly sophisticated, state-of-the-art forestry plant, forestry machinery, equipment and tools, and mobile sawmills as well as timber transportation, logistics and storage systems.

The forestry exhibition program is complemented perfectly by a series of exciting special events, conferences, forums and lectures.

KWF – advice by and for professionals

Wood is growing in popularity both as a building material and as a fuel source. Keeping pace with this demand requires professional, efficient and safe timber harvesting work practices. The keys to achieving this are to use the right technology and to ensure that all forestry employees are properly trained and undergo ongoing professional development.

In response to these issues, the German Forestry Council (KWF) is partnering with the German Association of Forestry Contractors (AFL) and the Lower Saxony School of Forestry to run a number of joint presentations and forums in Pavilion 33 themed “Quality in Forestry Companies – Requirements and Trends” and “Forestry Safety in Lower Saxony.”

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I.D.E.E. Cluster Wood-Based Energy is back

Following on from the successful premiere of its wood energy showcase in 2005, the Renewable Energy Information and Demonstration Center (I.D.E.E.) will be back in 2007. Located in Pavilion 35 and on the open-air site under the EXPO canopy, “I.D.E.E. – Cluster Wood-Based Energy” will showcase plant and systems for converting wood into energy, processes for wood fuel production

and engineering services for wood energy.

The open-air site will also feature demonstrations on wood pellet logistics and slash bundler technology.

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Warming to wood

The growing popularity of wood as an energy source

Recent dramatic increases in oil and natural gas prices have made the quest for renewable fuel sources a matter of top priority, with wood as the prime candidate. In Germany, production capacity for wood pellets is growing steadily, firewood providers are doing a roaring trade, and once-worthless wood waste products have become a sought after raw material for the production of chip wood for home heating. LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007 will explore these themes in a number of ways, most notably via real life case studies, special presentations and conferences. The discussions and demonstrations will cover the entire wood energy spectrum, from wood pellet and firewood production to the latest in eco-friendly, cost-effective wood burning technology.

Energy from wood

Several companies and organizations will be running demonstrations on the open-air site and under the EXPO canopy. The themes include firewood processing, wood burner and furnace technology, and the plantation of so-called energy forests. Visitors will be able to look on as saws, hydraulic log-splitters, firewood processors and wood chippers transform logs into burner-ready firewood lengths and chips. Under the motto "From Tree to Fuel," complete firewood production lines, such as wood chipping lines, will

demonstrate a range of technical and logistical processes for transforming solid wood into a fully-finished, renewable fuel. Similarly, a logistics chain will show how raw wood chips are transformed into premium chips and how woodchips can be substituted for pellets as a fuel.

The event is organized by the Hannover Agricultural Association, enerCity, and Raiffeisen Warengenossenschaft eG in association with Deutsche Messe.

Lectures and forums

The Lower Saxony Agricultural Association (LWK Niedersachsen) and agricultural publisher Deutsche Landwirtschaftsverlag (dlv) will be supporting the "Energy from Wood" presentation with a range of specialist forums in Pavilion 32 and on the open-air site under the EXPO canopy. These include the "Heating with Wood" lecture series, held from 10 am to 1 pm on 16 May. Topics covered by the lectures include the use of wood to heat residential and factory buildings, fly ash waste, and the marketing of wood via wood energy centers and biomass farms. For further information, contact: Carsten Brüggemann
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Creativity gets results

Two case studies

Two case studies, which will be discussed at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007, highlight the role of imagination, creativity and entrepreneurship in achieving independence from conventional natural gas and petroleum fuels:

Wood energy from farmland

Joachim Hüttmann, a forestry contractor from North Germany, is living testimony to how farmers can successfully cultivate energy forests on their land. He started out in 2005 by planting 5 hectares (12 acres) of land with fast-growing willows and poplars, and has since extended his plantation to 80 hectares (197 acres). After three years in the ground, the largest trees were around 8 meters (26 ft.) tall and ready for harvesting. For this, Hüttmann developed a special header for his harvesting machine that fells the trees and feeds them into the intake hatch of his standard hogger unit. The shoots growing out of the stumps are left to grow for the next harvest.

The fuel yield depends on the site and tree varieties used; however, in the case of poplars, Hüttmann averages 15 metric tons (absolute dry weight) per hectare – the equivalent of around 7,500 liters (1,981 gallons) of fuel oil in terms of calorific value.

Town switches to woodchips

Pfaffenhofen's done it! The small Bavarian town is the first German municipality to reach the German government's 25% CO₂ reduction target. This achievement is due in large measure to the town's 26 MW biomass cogeneration plant.

The switch to wood fuel has provided the town with a long-term buffer against the vagaries of market oil prices. The plant saves the town 24 million liters (6,340,129 gallons) of fuel oil annually, and the environment some 65,000 metric tons of carbon dioxide emissions. In addition to heat, the plant feeds steam, cooling and electricity into local utility grids. Its customers include a hospital, a brewery, the production facilities of baby food manufacturer Hipp and over 100 residential users.



Conferences and forums

The use of wood as an energy source will be the main theme at a suite of international conferences to be held in the Convention Center on the Hannover Exhibition Grounds

International BBE/VDMA Business and Export Forum

On 15 May 2007, the Convention Center will be hosting the first-ever "International BBE/VDMA Business and Export Forum for Wood Energy." The inaugural event is titled Best-practice Case Studies from the Worldwide Wood Industry. The participants will be using international best-practice case studies to highlight the latest market developments, technologies, conceptual designs and strategies as well as the various problems and barriers that remain to be resolved. The list of speakers includes a strong contingent of internationally recognized experts from the industrial and government sectors.

The Forum is organized by the German Bioenergy Association (BBE), the Power Systems Association within the VDMA (the German Engineering Federation) and Deutsche Messe.

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Conference on wood fuel logistics

Another of the conferences to be held at the Convention Center is titled

"Wood fuels – Markets, Production, Logistics." The event comprises a morning plenary session focusing on trends on the European wood fuel logistics markets, plus two parallel afternoon sessions on the logistics of chip wood and wood pellet fuels.

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Conference on wood as an energy source

Another conference, organized by the Lower Saxony Forestry Service, is themed "Wood to Heat the Future." The topics to be discussed include the opportunities and problems arising from mounting competition for wood resources from a range of user industries. Related to this is the pressing issue of long-term sustainability.

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International bioenergy conference

Transforming forestry waste (slash) from tropical rain forests into fuel is the subject of a three-day international conference to be held from 17 to 19 May during LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007. The International Conference on Wood-based Bioenergy is organized by the Yokohama-based ITTO (International Tropical Timber Organization) and the FAO (Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations).

The objectives of the conference are to help prevent climate change, promote energy self-sufficiency at regional level, improve energy efficiency through the use of efficient technologies, and raise the standard of living of people in tropical countries.

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Provisional programs and registration information will be available online from January 2007 at

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Finalized versions will be available online from March 2007.





Careers in Wood

The “Careers in Wood” forum in Hall 16 is the place to be for school pupils and students seeking in-depth information about training options and career opportunities in the wood industry. The event features theme lectures, careers advice and guided tours of the tradeshow, plus a range of fun competitions and activities.

“Careers in Wood” is an initiative designed to attract the next generation of wood industry professionals. A number of businesses and training institutes are supporting the initiative by providing various school groups with free admission to LIGNA+ HANNOVER.

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Teaching and Research

Located in Hall 16, the “Teaching and Research” special presentation is a dialog platform for science and industry. Universities, polytechnics and vocational academies use it to profile their education and training programs, and research institutes value it as a forum for presenting their latest projects and for finding technology transfer partners in the industrial sector.

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Wood's where it's at!

The Hannover Region Climate Protection Agency has once again invited high-school age students from all over Lower Saxony to take part in a competition titled “Holz hat's – Energie aus dem Wald” (“Wood's where it's at – Energy from the forest”). The idea is for entrants to devise creative ways of showing why wood is a viable energy source and material for the modern age. The most original ideas will win fantastic prizes and go on show at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007 (14 to 18 May).

... and action!

The best of the best go head to head in a ‘battle of the titans’

On Thursday, 17 May 2007, visitors at LIGNA+ HANNOVER will be flocking to the open-air site to witness the 7th Lower Saxony Crane Driving Championship. From 9 am to 4 pm, the best drivers from Lower Saxony will be vying for supremacy in three disciplines. Their motivation is a desire to increase the public's understanding of the work they do in environmentally-sensitive forest environments, while at the same time winning mindshare among young people for forestry as a career.

The 7th Lower Saxony Crane Driving Championships are organized by the Lower Saxony School of Forestry, the Lower Saxony Forestry Service, the German Association of Forestry Contractors (AFL) and Deutsche Messe.

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Wonders in Wood

New at LIGNA+ HANNOVER 2007: Wonders in Wood, a special presentation for unique, original works of art and wood-crafted consumer items of singular beauty. Wonders in Wood replaces the ARTISTRY in WOOD presentation of prior years.

The event is divided into two sections: a central gallery for one-off creations in wood (display only) and a sales expo for wooden objects and products of outstanding craftsmanship and quality. From the many entries received, the organizers have selected around 40 for the Wonders in Wood premiere. A brochure on the event will be available from Deutsche Messe in early 2007.

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LIGNA⁺ HANNOVER 2007 at a glance

Venue

Hannover Exhibition Center,
Hannover, Germany

Dates

Monday, 14 May,
through Friday, 18 May 2007

Opening hours

daily from 9 am to 6 pm

One-day ticket

Advance sales	EUR 17.00
At the ticket office	EUR 20.50

Five-day ticket

Advance sales	EUR 29.00
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More good news: The more visitors who actually use your tickets at the turnstiles, the less you pay per ticket! There are four price ranges:

1 to 49 tickets used	EUR 13.87 each*
50 to 99 tickets used	EUR 13.45 each*
100 to 199 tickets used	EUR 13.03 each*
200 + tickets used	EUR 12.61 each*

* plus VAT

Discount ticket for afternoon session

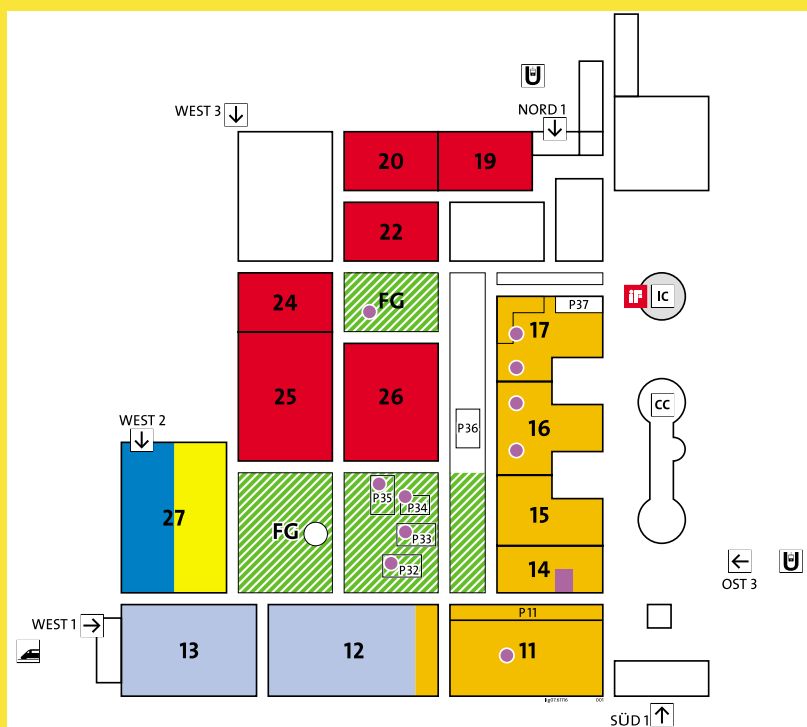
In 2005, our afternoon ticket offer proved to be excellent value for LIGNA⁺ visitors with tight schedules. This service is available again in 2007. Valid only for admission to LIGNA⁺ HANNOVER after 3 pm, the tickets cost EUR 5.– per person.



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