

Invitation: Festo press conference at Hannover Messe 2025!

Monday, March 31, 2025, 1.30 - 2.30 p.m. at the Festo stand in Hall 7, Stand A32

In an era of economic uncertainty and shifting global dynamics, Festo continues to stand strong. Despite the challenges of 2024, we have navigated the economic landscape with resilience and look to the future with confidence.

Festo moves the industry. Into the future with 100 years of experience.

At Hannover Messe, where we are exhibiting for the 76th time, we will showcase how Festo has been moving industry for 100 years through innovation, entrepreneurial vision, and long-term action.

Speakers:

- **Thomas Böck, Chairman of the Management Board**
- **Frank Notz, Member of the Management Board, Sales**

Afterwards you are invited to an exclusive tour of our stand, led by:

- **Dr Ansgar Kriwet, Member of the Management Board, R&D**
- **Gerhard Borho, Member of the Management Board, IT&Digitalisation**
- **Jörg Kipper, Head of Sales Cluster Germany/Austria/Switzerland**

During the tour, we will present our [focus topics Seamless Automation and Drive Digitalisation](#), and our special 100th anniversary exhibit: the [Festo Incredible Machine](#). We will reflect on our history while looking ahead to the future demonstrating our fascination for motion technologies - whether pneumatic, electric, digital or a combination of all three.

To conclude, we invite you to **celebrate our 100-year anniversary** with us over a late **lunch** and engaging discussions.

Please let us know by March 24, 2025 by sending an email to presse@festo.com, if you will be attending the press conference.

We look forward to your visit!

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About Festo

Festo is a global player and an independent family-owned company with headquarters in Esslingen am Neckar, Germany. Festo has set standards in industrial automation technology and technical education ever since its establishment, thereby making a contribution to sustainable development of the environment, the economy and society. The company supplies pneumatic and electrical automation technology to 300,000 customers of factory and process automation in over 35 industries. Digitalization, AI and the LifeTech sector with medical technology and laboratory automation are becoming increasingly important. The products and services are available in 176 countries. With about 20,600 employees in over 250 branch offices in around 60 countries worldwide, Festo achieved a turnover of around €3.45 billion in 2024. More than 8% of this turnover is invested in research and development. In this learning company, 1.5 % of turnover is invested in basic and further training. Festo Didactic SE is a leading provider of technical education and training and offers its customers worldwide comprehensive digital and physical learning solutions in the industrial environment.