

MAKTEK 2017 WILL BE HELD IN IZMIR!

Successfully organized in Istanbul for years, MAKTEK Eurasia Fair 2017 will be in İzmir! Leading event of the Machinery Industry MAKTEK Fair is preparing to dominate manufacturing industry of Aegean Region in İzmir. To be held in İzmir every other year, MAKTEK İzmir will be the top meeting point for the industry.

MAKTEK İzmir 2017 - Lathe, Metal - Sheet Processing Machines, Gripper-Cutter Tools, Quality Control-Measuring Systems, CAD/CAM, PLM Software and Production Technologies Fair will bring hundreds of domestic and foreign industry professionals together at **fuarizmir International Fair Center in Gaziemir, İzmir between **October 4-7, 2017**.**

Count down has begun for MAKTEK İzmir 2017 in collaboration with two trade bodies representing top strategic industries in Turkey according to **TÜYAP** the “lathe” and “sheet processing” the **Association of Turkish Lathe Manufacturers (TİAD)** and the **Association of Turkish Machine Manufacturers (MİB)** with esteemed support of the İzmir Metropolitan Municipality, **İZFAŞ**, the Aegean Region Chamber of Industry, the İzmir Chamber of Commerce and **KOSGEB**.

INDUSTRY MEETING IN 43,000 m² OF INDOOR SPACE

Previously organized in Istanbul, **MAKTEK İzmir Fair** will be a huge opportunity for an industry meeting in machinery industry in Aegean Region. Emerging from the progress and potential of the machinery industry in Aegean Region, MAKTEK İzmir Fair will continue to bring the industry together every other year. MAKTEK Fair will pass to İzmir in odd years and to Istanbul in even years.

Visitor generation activities are carried out on international level i.e. **the USA, Germany, Austria, Azerbaijan, UAE, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Algeria, Morocco, Palestine, Georgia, India, Iraq, Iran, Israel, Italy, Montenegro, Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Libya, Egypt, Nigeria, Pakistan, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Jordon, Yemen and Greece**, and on national level from around Turkey. Flights for international hosted buyers and coaches for domestic visitors from the machinery industry will be organized.

13% OF INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES OPERATE IN AEGEAN REGION

General Director of **Tüyap Fairs İlhan Ersözlü** said: “We have six fair venues, domestic offices in 14 cities and over 750 employees to provide services for our customers. In addition to these venues, we will serve İzmir and the Aegean Region with our fairs that have marked their names within relevant industries at the modern fair venue **fuarizmir** in İzmir with esteemed support of the **İzmir Metropolitan Municipality, İZFAŞ, the Aegean Region Chamber of Industry and the İzmir Chamber of Commerce**. Our point of origin was our belief in making contributions to the future of Turkey and potential of İzmir and the Aegean Region. 13% of industrial enterprises in Turkey are located in the Aegean Region, which is a huge proportion showing strength of the Aegean Region. For this reason, we take İzmir as the center representing other cities in the region. The Aegean Region, particularly İzmir, has a huge potential to create visitors and exhibitors. Our visitor generation endeavors are not limited to the Aegean Region; we are planning to host visitors from

Istanbul, Ankara, Bursa, Kayseri, Konya, Gaziantep, Kocaeli and other major industrial cities. We are happy to contribute to economic progress of the region and encourage the region into employment, production and exports while improving economic, social and cultural life.”

MAKTEK İzmir is open to visitors from 10:00-19:00 between October 4-6, 2017 and 10:00-18:00 on October 7, 2017. The fair venue will be accessible using public transportation and free shuttles organized by TÜYAP.

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