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* **ROEMHELD delighted with the start of the Fakuma**
* **Focus on magnetic clamping systems and hydraulic wedge clamps**

*Laubach, October 14, 2015*. The ROEMHELD team is very pleased with how the Fakuma exhibition in Friedrichshafen has started, according to Product Manager Sebastian Veit: “The first day of the Fakuma show was excellent. We have already received orders for magnetic clamping systems over a quarter of a million euros. In addition, we had many good conversations with new customers for our quick mould clamping systems and hydraulic solutions.”

The experts will be presenting components and systems for quick and safe mould changing on injection moulding machines and presses up until Saturday. Modular all-in-one solutions comprising magnetic clamping plates, media couplings, roller conveyors and ball bars as well as carrying and loading consoles can be viewed at the exhibition stand.

A new feature is the display of hydraulic and electromechanical wedge clamps with flexible clamping edge and cost-effective mechanical and hydromechanical clamping nuts. These provide optimum clamping power even in extremely tight spaces. For the first time, a patented, mechanical clamping solution with visual clamping force display is now available. Another premier at the trade fair is a new, battery-powered version of the successful transport cart with safety docking station for moulds weighing up to 500 kg. The cart can be used individually or as part of a quick changing system for dies and moulds.

**Magnetic clamping systems for safe positioning and clamping of moulds and dies**

HILMA magnetic clamping systems of the M-TECS series can be used as part of quick clamping systems or as stand-alone clamping elements, for example when retrofitting existing presses and injection moulding machines. They can be used to position and clamp moulds and dies of all sizes, shapes and weights in just a few minutes, and are designed for working temperatures up to 240°C. HILMA magnetic clamping systems are manufactured according to customer-specific sizes and geometries. Their control units meet the highest safety requirements of the new press standard EN201 and EN 289 for plastics and rubber machines, applicable since January 2014.

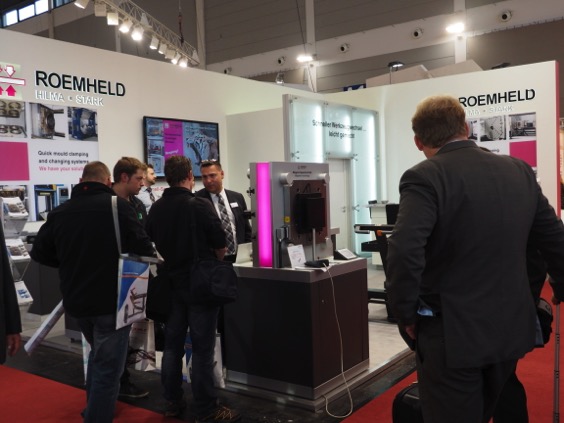
**ROEMHELD: Optimiser of set-up times for plastics processing**

With their die clamping and changing technology, ROEMHELD considers themselves as an expert for the optimisation of set-up times. For plastics processing, the product range offers a very wide selection of magnetic clamping systems, hydraulic rapid-clamping systems as well as electromagnetic and mechanical clamping technology. The extensive selection of products for mould changing such as media couplings, roller conveyors, carrying consoles and die-carts completes the range.

Furthermore, ROEMHELD is a global market and quality leader in efficient solutions for industrial production, assembly, clamping and drive technology. Elements for the production, testing and maintenance of large-scale components for wind power plants, components for the automation of set-ups and machine communication within Industry 4.0 complement the portfolio. The comprehensive product range of more than 25,000 components, modules and systems offers the right product for almost every application and is continuously expanded by customised solutions.

ROEMHELD is represented in more than 50 countries worldwide with service and sales companies and, in addition to plastics processing companies, supplies in particular the international mechanical engineering, automotive, aerospace and agricultural industry as well as the field of medical technology. At the three locations in Laubach, Hilchenbach and Götzis, Austria, the 500 employees achieved sales of around 93 million Euro in 2014.

**Picture:**



The ROEMHELD team led by Andreas Reich (in the middle) and Sebastian Veit will be presenting components and systems for rapid and safe mould changing on injection moulding machines and presses up until Saturday (Picture: ROEMHELD).