



# A great show to capture new business.



#### **EXHIBITOR**

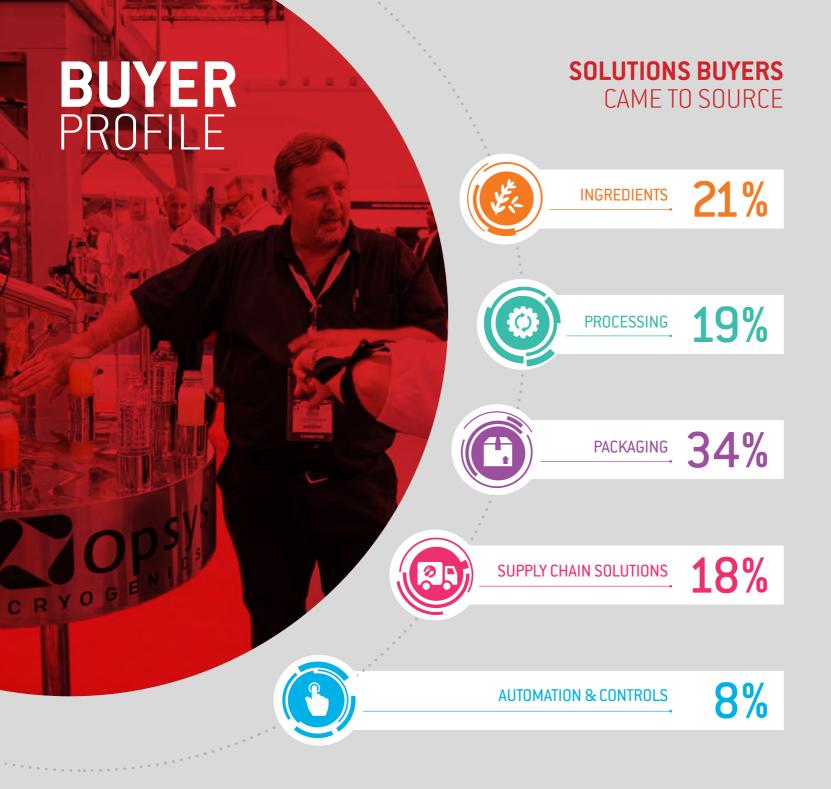
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# THE PLACE FOR REAL BUSINESS

Trade visitors had an annual average budget of **US\$ 2 million** to spend on food production solutions in general

Almost 90% trade visitors allocated a budget of up to **US\$ 500,000** to spend with exhibitors at the show or 12 months post show

Over **50%** were repeat visitors loyal to the show, rating it as the best venue for doing business within the F&B manufacturing sector





### **BUYER** STATS

MORE INTERNATIONAL **BUYERS THAN 2016 SHOW** 



How did Gulfood Manufacturing's Net Promoter Score rank in relation to other similar regional shows?





### ALMOST 50% OF BUYERS

came to the show with pre-determined budgets and lists of products/solutions for their businesses





95%

Visitors / Buyers were **satisfied with the show** 

97%

Visitors / Buyers rank the event as **important to** their business

85%

Visitors / Buyers
will return to the 2018
edition of the show

## BUSINESS THAT WENT ON...

**Tetra Pak** showcased the next generation of food processing and packaging technologies

**Frico** displayed emerging air curtains and cold storage solutions for the first time

**Kawasaki** demoed robotic palletising applications for food warehousing and transport

**Italia** put up the biggest ever pavilion with 3,400 sq. meters of world class Italian technology

**Ford Motors** showcased the Transit Custom chiller van for F&B cold chain

**Symrise** explored 'the best of science, best of nature and best for you' ingredient philosophies

These were just a few among 1000s of exhibitor solutions presented to eager buyers with allocated budgets.

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CLICK HERE TO SEE FULL EXHIBITOR LIST

### **GEOGRAPHICAL PULL**

All major F&B manufacturing technology countries were present, including:





#### **EXHIBITORS**

(up 45% since the first edition of the show in 2014)







# **SHOW** FEATURE

# GULFOOD MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Rewarding best practices & innovation within the food manufacturing industry value chain, celebrated through a sparkling, memorable evening at Armani Hotel, Dubai.

ENTRIES ENTRIES

STOP OF

**FINALISTS** 

60

60

WINNERS

HIGHLY COMMENDED

CLICK HERE TO SEE LIST OF WINNERS

#### AWARD CATEGORIES

#### MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

Major Plant Expansion or Renovation Incorporating Ground-Breaking Technology Greenfield Facility

Major Plant Automation Upgrade Major Plant Food Safety Initiative Major Plant Sustainability Initiative Cost/Waste Reduction Of The Year Environmental Initiative Of The Year

#### PACKAGING & PROCESSING

Process Innovation
Packaging Design
Product Protection
Distributor and/or Integrator of the year
Outstanding Customer Service
Robotics/Industrial Vision

#### INGREDIENTS INNOVATION

Most Innovative Food Ingredient
Most Innovative Health Food Ingredient

#### SUPPLY CHAIN

Environmental Improvement
Freight Transport Best Practice
Supply Chain Innovation
Best Warehouse
Best Commercial Vehicle (light/heavy)



# **SHOW** FEATURE

# THE 'BIG BUYERS' PROGRAMME

Featuring one of the biggest hosted buyer programmes in the region, recruiting **serious F&B buyers** from across the Middle East, Africa and South Asia.

# BUYERS HOSTED

MEETINGS ARRANGED

A pre-determined budget of **US\$ 502,000** average is to be spent by hosted buyers over the next 12 months with show exhibitors.



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### KEY SPEAKERS PANEL

# **BUSINESS TALKS**CONFERENCE

Learning from the best minds in the business and discovering new ways to steer business in a more "future-friendly" direction.

#### **CONFERENCE TOPICS INCLUDED:**

- I Are you ready for VAT?
- I Construction & operation of food establishments
- I Industry 4.0 and digitalisation
- I Top 10 processed food trends in 2017 and many more...







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### BREAKING THE NEWS

The show's marketing & PR campaign generated a PR value equivalent of

US\$6.5 MILLION







in print, online and broadcast media were published

**GULFOOD MANUFACTURING WAS TALKED ABOUT IN ALL MAJOR REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL NEWS NETWORKS** (PRINT, BROADCAST, ONLINE):

































and many more..

# BIG TO MID-SIZE BUSINESSES WERE ON THE FLOOR TO TRADE WITH EXHIBITORS

FMCG COMPANIES

















RESTAURANTS & CAFÉS

















HOTELS















BOUTIQUE STORES







AIRLINES & CARRIERS







These are just a few among 1000s of serious buyers who were recruited by the show to do business with its exhibitors.

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