A report of the previous trade fair held 2017

The Toyama General Manufacturing Industry Trade Fair

1.Date Oct. 26 (Thu) – 28 (Sat), 2017 [3 days]

2.Venue Toyama Techno Hall

3.ObjectiveTo promote economic exchange and introduce cutting-edge technology to visitors by

exhibiting worldwide and domestic manufacturing technologies and products such as industrial machines, automobiles, precision machinery, electronics, electrical machinery, IT, casting, metal processing, mold / pressing tools, plastic, aluminum products, textiles, pharmaceuticals, chemicals, traditional crafts, food processing, creative industry, etc.

4.Exhibitors 440 companies or organizations

From overseas: 150 exhibitors from 13 countries/regions

China 103, Hong Kong 1, Taiwan 16, Korea 4, Mongolia 9, Russia 4, Philippines 1,

Vietnam 3, Thailand 1, Myanmar 1, India 2, U.S.A 4, Others 1

From all over Japan: 290 exhibitors from 17 prefectures

Toyama 218, Aichi 14, Tokyo 12, Ishikawa 10, Osaka 8, Gifu 7, Kanagawa 4, Nagano 4, Hyogo 3, Shizuoka 2, Fukui 2, Kyoto 1, Saitama 1, Nara 1, Niigata 1, Fukuoka 1, Mie 1

Historical changes in number:

Year	Total Number of Exhibitors	Japanese Exhibitors	Exhibitors from Overseas
2017	440	290	150
2015	388	226	162
2012	290	161	129
2010	348	177	171

5. Business Sectors

Industrial machines, automobile related products, precision machines, electronics, electrical machines, IT, casting, metal processing, mold / pressing tools, plastic, aluminum products, textiles, pharmaceutical, chemicals, traditional crafts, food processing, creative industry, retail, trading company, government administration office, schools, etc.

6. Visitors 24,566 visitors

7. Number of Business Sessions

5,148 sessions <all time high>

(Fair 2015: 4,354 sessions, Fair 2012: 1,541 sessions, Fair 2010: 1,025 sessions)

8. Support Programs

- An interpreter (English or Chinese) was arranged for free at every two booths of overseas exhibitors to help talk with Japanese visitors.
- 202 meetings were set up based on the requests submitted from participants in advance of the trade fair about what companies they want to meet with. Participants were highly satisfied with the well-arranged opportunities to meet the companies they had requested.

9. Other Programs

(1) Factory tours

Tours to leading companies in Toyama were organized to introduce their high-quality products and technologies. Total of 66 participants including 54 from overseas attended the tour and were fully satisfied to be able to see manufacturing sites with their own eyes. (Destinations: IZAK CO., LTD., Sankyo Tateyama Inc., NOUSAKU CORPORATION)

(2) Investment environment seminars

Representatives from nine countries/regions and an intergovernmental organization introduced the their economic trends and investment environment in their countries/regions. 141 people attended in total.

(3) Manufacturers' presentations and seminars

Twelve exhibitors including three from overseas made presentations about their products and technologies. 178 people attended in total.