

World's Leading Trade Fair for Industrial Coating Technology

14 – 17 April 2026

Exhibition Centre Karlsruhe, Germany



The place to meet for the international coating industry

PaintExpo takes place every other year in Karlsruhe as a showcase for innovations, applications, future technologies and trends covering all aspects of industrial coating. The trade fair spans the entire range of **international products and services in the supply chain for industrial coating technology**. The wide spectrum of products extends from **spray guns, equipment and materials to automation technology**. This globally unique get-together of companies from the industry is unparalleled worldwide, making it highly attractive for coating service providers and in-house coating companies from around the world.



PaintExpo at a Glance

Fair duration: 14 to 17 April 2026

Opening times: 14 to 16 April 2026: 9 am – 5 pm
17 April 2026: 9 am – 4 pm

Event location: Messe Karlsruhe
Messeallee 1
76287 Rheinstetten
Germany

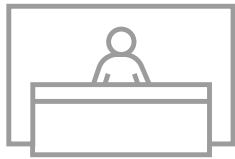
Exhibitors

Exhibition Areas

The exhibitor spectrum covers the following areas:

- Systems and equipment for liquid painting, powder coating and coil coating
- Application systems and spray guns
- Wet paints and powder coatings
- Automation and conveyor technology
- Compressed air technology
- Cleaning and pre-treatment
- Drying and curing
- Environmental technology, air supply and exhaust air purification, water treatment, recycling and disposal
- Accessories, e.g. covering materials and systems, hangers, filters, pumps
- Measuring and test technology, quality assurance
- Paint stripping
- Job-shop coatings
- Packaging
- Services
- Training and vocational education
- Research
- Technical literature

Exhibitors 2024



430
Exhibitors



from **25**
Countries



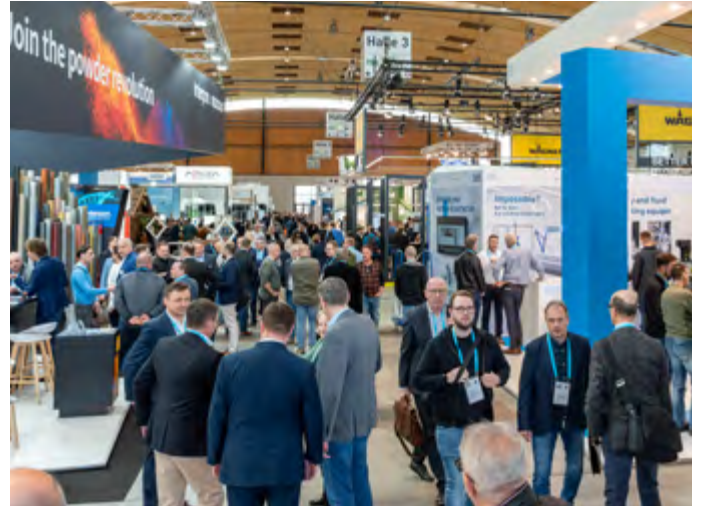
Visitors

Visitor Target Groups

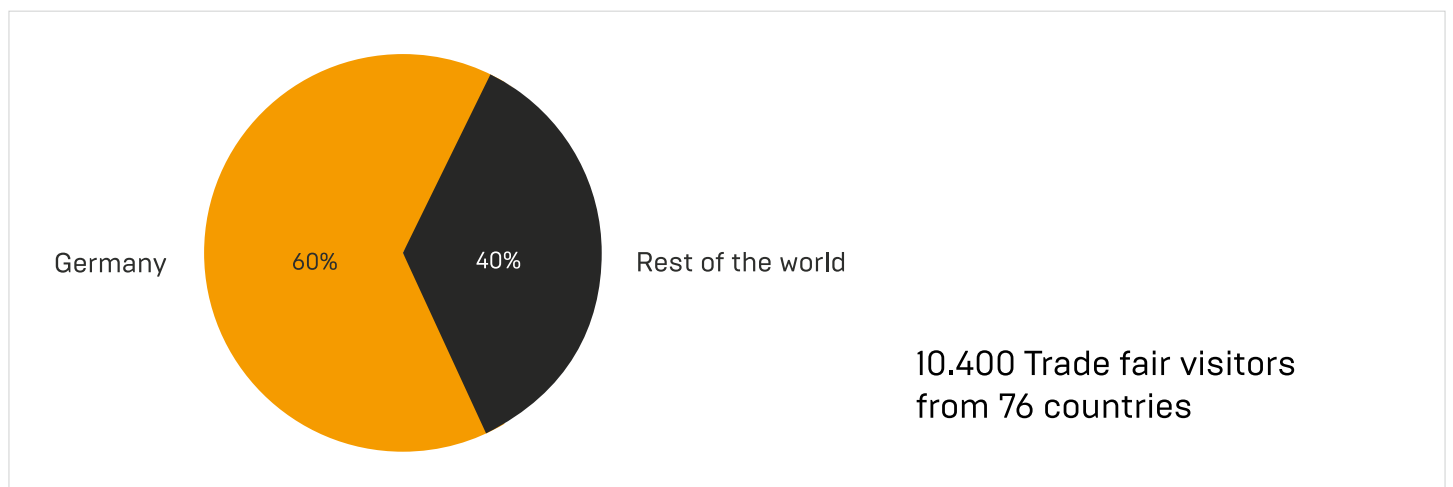
Management, Plant Management, Division Management, Department Management, Project Management, Other Employees, Skilled Workers, Lecturer, Teacher, Research Assistants, Students, Trainee

Visitor Industries

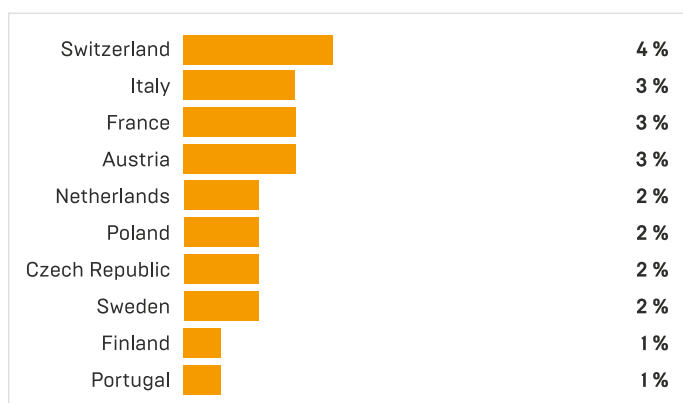
- Contract Coating
- Automotive Industry
- Mechanical Engineering
- Metal Working
- Sales Organisation
- Vehicle Construction
- Polymer Processing
- Electrical Industrs
- Furniture (Wood and Metal)
- Aerospace
- Construction (Fronts and Windows)



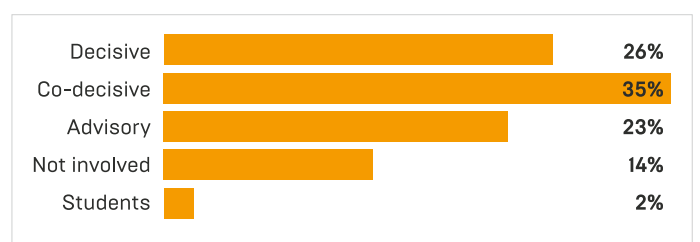
Visitor Origin



Top 10 Visitor Countries



Influence on Procurement Decisions



Booking

	Rebooking- Package 09 to 30 April 2024	Early Booking- Package 01 to 31 May 2024	Advantage- Package 01 June to 30 November 2024	Regular Registration from 01 December 2024
Same Stand Space as 2024	●			Recommended Registration deadline 30 November 2025
Early Booking price ¹	●	●		
Individual invitation code for your customers ²	●	●	●	

¹ Regular price for stands under 100m²: 259€/m²
 Regular price for stands from 100m²: 249€/m²
 Until 31 May 2024 we grant an early booking discount of 10€/m²
 All prices plus AUMA fee, marketing fee and waste management contribution

² You will receive an individual invitation code for your customers. After the trade fair, we will send you a report of your code. This will contain the registration data of the visitors who have registered for a visit to PaintExpo 2026 using your code. Neither you nor your customers will incur any additional costs for redeeming the code. The code can be redeemed for an unlimited number of day tickets.



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Impressions of
 PaintExpo 2024



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