

## Announcing JIMTOF 2024: The 32nd Japan International Machine Tool Fair

**Date: Tuesday, November 5 to Sunday, November 10, 2024**

**Venue: Tokyo Big Sight**

The Japan Machine Tool Builders' Association (Chairman: INABA Yoshiharu) and Tokyo Big Sight Inc. (President & CEO: ISHIHARA Kiyotsugu) will hold JIMTOF 2024: The 32nd Japan International Machine Tool Fair at Tokyo Big Sight for six days from Tuesday, November 5 to Sunday November 10, 2024.



JIMTOF, one of the world's largest international technology shows, brings together cutting-edge technologies and products. The fair serves as a comprehensive showcase of items from across the manufacturing spectrum, ranging from machine tools to peripherals of all kinds.

### ■Exhibitor application schedule

#### **Application period:**

[Members from organizing associations, cooperating organizations, and overseas associations]

9:00 on Monday, October 2 to 23:59 on Tuesday, October 31, 2023 (JST)

[Non-members in Japan and overseas]

9:00 on Wednesday, November 1 to 23:59 on Thursday, November 30, 2023 (JST)

#### **Application method:**

All applications should be made via the official JIMTOF website. Exhibitors should apply by completing the Exhibitor Application Form, which is available on the official website.

### ■Main features of JIMTOF 2024

#### **(1) A compelling collection of the latest cutting-edge technologies and products: Enhancing JIMTOF's pull as an international technology show**

JIMTOF has long been a platform for product debuts, with more than half of all the exhibitors at every gathering using the opportunity to roll out their latest creations. For many exhibitors, JIMTOF represents a major target on the development timeline. Considering its high profile in the industry, JIMTOF has won acclaim for giving visitors their first looks at new products and technologies. The JIMTOF Fair Management Office will continue to provide visitors with as much information as possible on new products and technologies.

#### **(2) Concurrent programs to meet the needs of the times: Hosting a variety of captivating concurrent programs and special exhibits**

JIMTOF offers much more than just the booths of new products and technology. As organizer, we will also put on a wide variety of concurrent programs to enhance the pull of the fair as an international technology show. These will include a range of lectures and seminars, special exhibits that allow visitors to get a hands-on experience of the latest trends in technology, and events for students, who will be

responsible for the future of the manufacturing industry.

Additive Manufacturing Area in JIMTOF, which was held for the first time in JIMTOF 2022, was decided that it would continue to be held in JIMTOF 2024 as a special concurrent exhibition. In addition, an Academic Area (provisional) will be newly installed this time to create a place for exchange between students who will be the next generation in the manufacturing industry and working generations.

### **(3) Extensive services for exhibitors and visitors: Further advancements in DX and enhancing on-site services**

Plans are in place to implement a new service that information will be available for continuous release on the official website and through social media to increase visitors' interest and excitement for JIMTOF 2024. Data will also be provided through a wide range of media in order to actively attract visitors located a distance away who may be difficult to reach directly. In addition, a full range of services, including shuttle bus and jumbo taxi services, will be available at the venue to improve accessibility to the east, west and south exhibition halls and conference tower.

#### ■Outline

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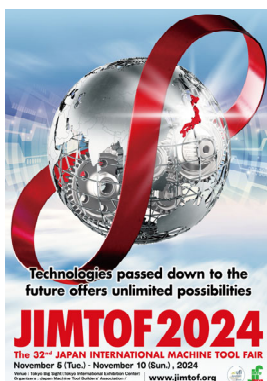
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Exhibit categories: Machine tools (metal cutting, metal forming) / Machine tool accessories / Power tools (cutting tools/wear-resistant tools) / Diamond/CBN tools / Grinding wheels and abrasives / Gears and gear devices / Oil hydraulic, water hydraulic, and pneumatic machinery / Precision measuring machines and instruments / Optical measuring instruments / Testing machinery / Controllers and related software (CAD, CAM, etc.) / Other associated machinery and equipment, raw materials, products, technologies, and publications

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#### **Catchphrase:**

Technologies passed down to the future offers unlimited possibilities

**Concept:** The sash symbolizes the cutting-edge manufacturing technologies at JIMTOF being passed down to the future. The sash is designed to resemble a Mobius strip, the image of infinite possibilities ( $\infty$ ).

We hope that the immeasurable number of connections made at JIMTOF will serve to further expand the endless potential ( $\infty$ ) to be found in the development of the machine tool industry, businesses and JIMTOF.

#### **For more on the trade fair and exhibitor applications, contact:**

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