

Press Release

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Announcing the Remodeling of the Stuttgart Technical Center

Mori Seiki Co., Ltd is pleased to announce that we have recently completed the remodeling of our Stuttgart Technical Center, a branch of Mori Seiki GmbH (Head Office: Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg). Customers were invited to an Open House on February 7.

The Stuttgart Technical Center is Mori Seiki's primary sales and service base in Germany. We have enhanced our customer support system by strengthening not only our Sales and Engineering departments, but also Parts, Service and Training. Because of this increase in staff, it was necessary to expand our facilities by significantly extending and remodeling the Parts Center, Service Center, Training Room and Spindle-Rebuilding Room.

The remodeling was started in July 2005 and completed in January 2007 at a total investment of approximately 6 million Euros. The total floor space is now approximately 10,000 m², 1.5 times as large as before. The Parts Center has almost doubled in size, to 3,400 m². The total area is now 18,000 m².

About 800 customers from Germany and other countries attended the Grand Opening at the Stuttgart Technical Center from February 7 – 9, and we received orders for 30 machines.

By extending the Stuttgart Technical Center's floor space, we are aiming to further strengthen our sales and service systems throughout Germany. The economic situation in Germany is very good at present, and we expect it to remain so for some time. Enhancing the functions of the Stuttgart Technical Center is one step toward increasing Mori Seiki's market share in Germany.

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