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BEST INDUSTRY LINKED TECHNICAL INSTITUTE 2017 IN INDIA

8th December 2017

AICTE New DELHI



The institute is proud to announce that it has been awarded the most prestigious AICTE-CII Award for the Best Industry Linked Technical Institute 2017 in India.

The award was handed over to the institute by Mr. Ashutosh Sharma, Secretary, Department of Science and Technology(DST), GoI, Mr. Anil Sahasrabudhe, Chairman, All India Council for Technical Education(AICTE), and Mr. Vijay Thadani of the Confederation of Indian Industries(CII).



MoU WITH SOUTH KOREAN UNIVERSITIES

We have a great pleasure to share that our institute has signed MoU with two leading South Korean Universities for all the programs/courses of the institute. The Universities are :

- 1) Yeungnam University, Gyeongsan, South Korea.
- 2) Chonnam National University, Gwanju, South Korea.

Prof. Dr. Jie-Jin-Shim, PhD - Director, Institute of Clean Technology , Yeungnam University and Prof. Dr. J. H. Kim, Phd - Professor at Chonnam National University visited DKTE for signing the MoU, leading to the establishment of the framework for educational and research cooperation for the students, faculty and the staff. The important aspects of the collaboration are:

- Internship for students and Student Exchange Programs
- Training of Faculty
- Joint Research Projects and Joint Publications.

MoU WITH TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITIES

Cooperation agreement, leading to the MoU has been signed by DKTE & Texas Tech University, USA on the 29th July 2017. The representative from Texas Tech University was Dr. Seshadri Ramkumar, Professor, Nonwovens & Advanced Materials, Texas Tech University, USA.

This agreement is to assist in the development of technology in partnership whereby both parties jointly fund the development costs or seek external funding and share in the commercialization of the product. This agreement also includes the deputation of students for summer internship at Texas Tech University in the month of May-June every year. Mutual understanding of the agreement leads to the exchange of faculties, joint seminars, publications & patents. This agreement was executed in the presence of DKTE management and senior faculty members





MoU BETWEEN DKTE AND COEP, PUNE

A delegation consisting of Prof. (Dr.) B. B. Ahuja, Director COEP, Dr. N. K. Chougule, and Dr. S. S. Pardeshi visited DKTE for the exchange of the MoU. The MoU enlists the following:-

- Faculty exchange
- Collaborative work on the fronts of R&D
- Publications and consultancy from the industry
- Development of laboratories in specialized areas
- Sharing of information through E-library
- Student internship in various fields
- Improving the industry and institute relationship
- Guidance in the accreditation process & organizing various programs at various levels jointly.

PROGRAMMES ORGANISED BY THE INSTITUTE



TBI

- Faculty Development Programme on "Fabric defects in shuttle less weaving" was held on Saturday, the 1st of July 2017 for faculty & staff members of the institute. A total of 25 attended the faculty development programme.
- A Workshop on 'Supply Chain Management, Design development and Retail Management' was conducted for Final Year Fashion Technology students on 24th and 25th February 2018 at Bangalore Various renowned Speakers / Technocrats /

Experts / CEOs from leading Apparel industries guided students on the topics related to Merchandising, SCM, Lean Manufacturing, Garment Quality, IE & Retailing, etc.



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- The faculty development programme on Uster Technology was held on the 20th & 21st of June 2017 for the faculty members & staff members of textile departments.
- The faculty development programme was organized on the Development in Technical Textiles on 29th of July for the faculty and staff members of the institute, by Prof. Ramkumar.
- An expert lecture on Fabric Pilling was held for the 3rd year Man Made Textile Technology students on the 22nd Sept. 2017.



Visit to SJTU, China



Visit to Donghua University, China



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VISIT TO SJTU, CHINA

The director and deputy director visited the Shanghai Jiao Tong University(SJTU) China for collaborative discussions. The discussions were held with Prof.Yang Shengrong, Vice Dean of SJTU Graduate School pertaining to students internship at SJTU, progression of students of DKTE to SJTU for higher education, faculty training and joint research.

SJTU is one of the higher education institutes which enjoys a long and rich history of 121years. With its unrelenting efforts, SJTU has become a comprehensive, research oriented and an internationalised university in China. Today SJTU has 31 schools/departments, 63 PG programs, 250 UG programs, 203 Ph.D. programs, 50 post doctorate programs. Its total enrollment of students amounts upto 42,881, of which 1598 are international students. The university has more than 1900 professors and associate professors, including 15 academicians of Chinese Academy of Sciences and a Nobel Laureate as a Professor. Mr. Rahul Navik an alumini is currently pursuing his Ph.D at SJTU

VISIT TO DONGHUA UNIVERSITY CHINA

The Director and Dy.Director(Adm.) visited Donghua University, China on 6th of November 2017 for possible collaboration and discussions with the key faculty of Donghua University. The institute's presentation was made in a meeting with the following faculty members of Donghua University. Dr. Nanling Chen - Professor and Dean Dr. Wang Fujun - Director Central Laboratory Dr. Zou Ting - Secretary Biomedical Textile Materials

Donghua University (DHU) is a multi-disciplinary university with a wide range of undergraduate and graduate degree programs across a vast field of disciplines including engineering, economics, management, literature, art, laws, science, and education. It has 14 colleges and schools, offering 54 undergraduate programs, 59 master's degree programs, 30 doctoral degree programs, and 5 postdoctoral research programs. It features disciplines, such as Fashion Design, Textile Engineering, International Trade, Material Science, Computer Science & Technology and Information Technology have received high reputation both domestically and abroad. There are more than 2,800 faculty and staff, and over 30,000 enrolled students at DHU.



INDUSTRIAL VISITS AND TOURS :

Industrial visit of Third year B. Text. Students

T. Y. B. Text (MMTT) students visited following industries as a part of their Industrial Tour from 27th of November 2017 to 1st of December 2017

- Reliance Industries Ltd.,
- Polygenta Technologies, Nashik
- Rieter India, Pune
- Garware Wall Ropes, Wai
- Brinton Carpets, Pune
- Indaco Jeans Pvt. Ltd.
- Welspun India Ltd.
- Kusumgar Corporate Pvt. Ltd.



They visited polyester fibre manufacturing, recycled polyester fibre manufacturing, twine, cables, net manufacturing, woven carpet manufacturing. This visit provided opportunities for the students to see the state of the art technologies in various industries.

Educational Tour of Third Year B. Text Students

Third Year girl students of Fashion Technology, Textile Technology, Man Made Textile Technology and Textile Plant Engineering were on Industrial Tour from 27th of Nov. 2017 to 2nd Dec of 2017. They visited following organizations:

- Shahi Exports Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore
- Central Silk Board, Bangalore
- SGS India Private Ltd., Bangalore
- Arvind Mills Ltd., Bangalore
- Laguna Clothing Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore
- Himatsingka Seide Ltd, Bangalore
- BilTek Fashions Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore





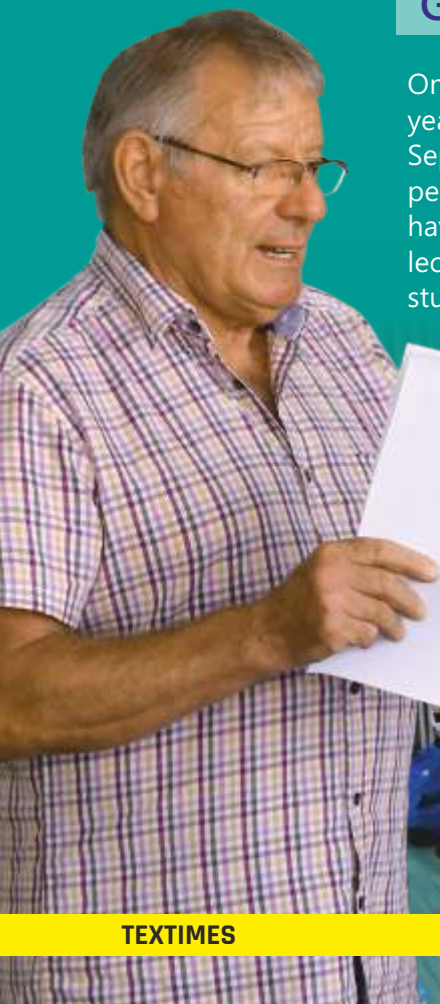
BOOK EXHIBITION AT DKTE

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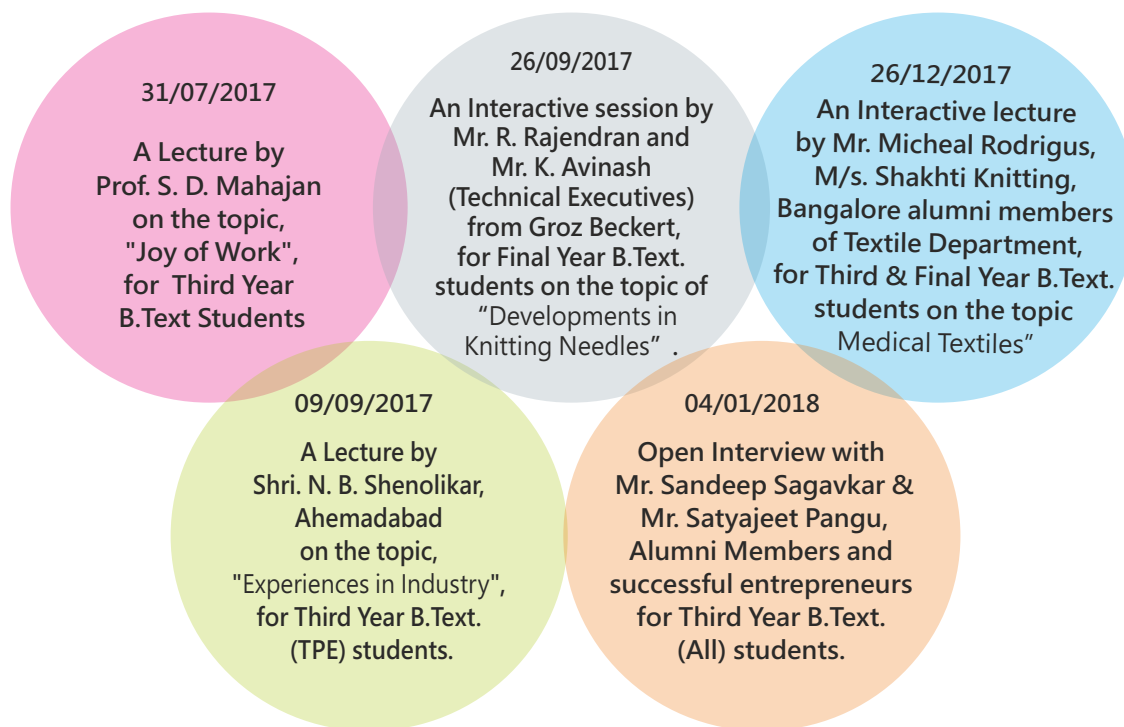
Book publishers and suppliers displayed their new titles in various fields like engineering, textile, management, etc. An overwhelming response was shown by the students and teachers. Prominent publishers were:- * Wiley * S.Chand * Vikas * Shroff * TMH * Oxford *Narosa

GERMAN EXPERT AT DKTE

On behalf of SES Germany, every year an expert visits DKTE to give inputs to students. This year Mr. Rolf Muller, Senior Experten Services (SES), Germany visited our institute on 5th Sept. 2017 to interact with students and faculty members. He was in the Institute for the period of one month. He is an expert in the field of Knitting, Dyeing & Finishing. He is having experience in the field of Textiles for more than 30 years. He has conducted lectures, seminars and workshops in the various fields of manufacturing for the benefit of students and faculty members.



TAIMU Student Chapter Activities



New Body of Students Chapter

Selection of student coordinators of TAIMU for the period of 2017-18 was carried out under the guidance of faculty coordinators Prof A.U.Awsare and Prof. R.H.Deshpande. The following team is managing the student chapter activities for this year.

Sr. No.	Name of Students	Class	Designation
1.	Nikhil Kalika	TY MMTT	President
2.	Shivtej Gasti	TY FT	Vice-President
3.	Himali Patil	TY TT	Vice-President
4.	Dhananjay Mhetar	TY TC	Vice-President
5.	Parateek Kumar	TY TPE	Hon. Secretary
6.	Sushant Supane	TY TC	Jt. Hon. Secretary
7.	Salila Thite	TY TT	Jt. Hon. Secretary
8.	M. Sudarshan	TY MMTT	Jt. Hon. Secretary
9.	Subhodeep Dag	TY MMTT	Treasurer
10.	Sammed Patil	TY TT	Jt. Treasurer
11.	Saicharan T.D.V.N.	TY TC	Jt. Treasurer
12.	Vaishnavi Kamble	TY FT	Jt. Treasurer
13.	Parth Marda	SY TT	Jt. Treasurer
14.	Nikita Zarkar	TY FT	Event Manager
15.	Rishikesh Kumar	TY TPE	Event Manager
16.	Yogesh Patole	TY FT	Event Manager
17.	Mrutunjay Aidamale	SY TT	Event Manager
18.	Vaishnavi Baheti	SY FT	Team Member
19.	Abhishek Sarda	SY TC	Team Member
20.	Sanjita Rajpurohit	SY FT	Team Member
21.	Rushikesh Battad	SY FT	Team Member
22.	Sameer Maner	Final TT	Mentor

Mr Sameer Maner, Final year Textile Technology has been given the responsibility to act as mentor of Student's chapter.

Paper Published by the Faculty Members in International Journals

- Prof. Dr. P. V. Kadole & Prof. P. B. Malkane published a paper on 'Influence of carding variables on sliver quality and fibre orientation' in Textile Trends, Oct 2017.
- Prof. P. M. Katkar & Prof. M. S. Kulkarni published a paper on 'Studies on Sansaveria Trifasciata Fibre' in China Textile Science, Nov 2017.
- Prof. S. R. Kamat published a paper on 'Efficient synthesis of chromeno (2,3 -c) pyrazolyl-pyrazolol(s) in hydrotropic solution and their anti-infective potential' in Springer (online), Nov.2017.
- Prof. Vaibhav K. Dhange published a paper on 'Specialty Clothing: Need of the Day' in Journal of Textile Engineering & Fashion Technology, Nov. 2017.
- Prof. S. R. Kamat published a paper on 'Trifluoroethanol and liquid-assisted grinding method green catalytic access for multicomponent Synthesis' in Springer (online), Dec.2017.
- Prof. S. K. Laga & Prof. (Dr.) A. I. Wasif published a paper on 'Eco friendly pre-treatments of Linen' in China Textile Science, Dec 2017.
- Prof. S. D. Asagekar & Prof. (Dr.) U. J. Patil published a paper on 'Super absorbent polymer and its use in textiles' in the Asian Textile Journal, Dec 2017.

Papers published by faculty members in National Journals

- Prof. P. B. Malkane published a paper on 'an Overview on Fibre Orientation Measurement and Effect of Carding on Yarn Quality' in the Textile Value Chain, July 2017.
- Prof. S. G. Kulkarni & Prof. P. S. Joshi published a paper on 'Comparative Study of Yarn Conditioning' in Spinning Textiles, July- August 2017.
- Prof. (Dr.) P. V. Kadole & Prof. A. J. Dhavale published a paper on 'An Overview of Nonwoven filter fabric' in Colourage, August 2017.
- Prof. Dr. U. J. Patil published a paper on 'Studies on the Effect of Calendaring Process on Properties of Needle Punch Nonwoven Fabric' in Colourage, September 2017.
- Prof. S. S. Lavate & Prof. A. A. Hulle published a paper on 'Effect of Different Travellers on Ring and Compact Yarn Properties' in Spinning Textiles, Sept-Oct 2017.
- Prof. M. S. Kulkarni published a paper on 'Effect of Yarn Structure on properties of double yarn' in Spinning Textiles, Sept-Oct 2017.
- Prof. S. G. Kulkarni published paper on 'Manufacturing of glass fibre reinforced composite' in The Indian Textile Journal, Dec 2017.
- Prof. (Dr.) U. J. Patil published a paper on 'Knitted and nonwoven filter fabric' in Man Made Textiles in India, Dec. 2017
- Prof. S. S. Lavate published a paper on 'Studies on compact spinning' in Spinning Textiles, Dec. 2017.

Paper Presentation in National Conferences

Prof. S. M. Landage presented a paper on 'Academic Practices for Sustainable Growth – DKTES Textile Department' in the ICTIEE 2018 - Fifth International Conference on Transformations in Engineering Education, organized by Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Madurai on the 8th and 9th of January 2018.

Seminars, Workshops, Trainings and Conferences attended

- Textile faculties attended a one day faculty development programme on 'Fabric defects in shuttleless weaving' on 1st of July 2017 held in the institute.
- Textile faculties attended a one day faculty development programme on 'Garment- Product Development, Quality Systems and Quality Projects' on 15th of July 2017 at institute.
- Textile faculties attended a half day faculty development programme on the 'Developments in Technical textiles' on 29th of July 2017 at institute.
- Prof. P. B. Malkane attended a one week AICTE sponsored QIP on 'Advanced Textile Materials (Textile Composites and Nano textiles)' at VJTI, Mumbai from 30th of Oct 2017 to 04th Nov 2017.



- Prof. A. A. Hulle attended two-week FDP on 'Medical and Healthcare Textiles-Products, Manufacturing, Testing and applications' at Kumarguru College of technology, Coimbatore from 04th Dec 2017 to 17th Dec 2017.
- Prof. J. A. Alase attended a one day workshop on 'Modeling, simulation and Implementation using MATLAB' on 9th of Sept 2017.
- Textile faculties attended a two-week equivalent ISTE workshop (FDP 101X) on 'Foundation Programme in ICT for Education' by IIT Bombay, at DKTE on 3rd of Aug 2017 to 7th of Sept 2017.

- Textile faculties attended a two-week Equivalent ISTE workshop (FDP 201X) on 'Pedagogy for Online and Blended Teaching Learning Process' by IIT Bombay, at DKTE from 14th of Sept 2017 to 12th of Nov 2017.
- Prof. S. V. Chavan attended a 'First Course Detailing Workshop for 2nd the Group & V Semester Programme' at NITTTTR, Pune 11th of Oct 2017 to 13th of Oct 2017.
- Prof. S. S. Lavate attended a conference on 'Advanced Textile Materials' at VJTI, Mumbai from 30th of Oct. to 4th of Nov. 2017 & Vth 'Semester Programme' at NITTTTR, Pune from 5th to 7th Dec 2017.



SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT

Prof. S. S. Lavate has been awarded Certificate of Excellence in Research Paper Reviewing by International Journal of Innovative Research In Science & Technology.



STUDENT'S ACHIEVEMENTS

'Futura' 17'
Bannari Aman
Institute of
Technology, Erode

Shubhodeep Das
(Teasure Hunt)

Sharang Bhosale
(Technical Quiz & Paper Presentation)

Rohit Dhulugade
(Technical Quiz & Paper Presentation)

National level
Technical Event
'Master Presenter'
SIT, Yadrav.

Pankaj Bajaj
(Master Presenter 2K17)

Stuti Malu
(Master Presenter 2K17)

Neha Adure
(Master Presenter 2K17)

Texas' 18 Quiz gun'
Bannari Aman Institute
of technology, Erode.

Darshan Bilagi
(Technical Quiz)

Mohseen Khan
(Technical Quiz)

IIM Ahmedabad

Rushikesh Bhattad
(Innovation Playground Event)



SPECTACULAR STUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS



The Final Year Textile Technology student Mr. Pranil Vora, won the First Prize of Prestigious 'EDANA R&D Student Award' for Nonwovens Innovation Academy (NIA) 2017 in Chemnitz, Germany on 25th - 26th of October, 2017.

Mr. Pranil has also been invited for the International Nonwovens Symposium to be held in Rome, on 23rd-24th of May, 2018 to present his latest work before more than 250 attendees.



Our students Mr. Suraj Sakharpe and Mr. Rakesh Khandelwal have been selected for pursuing their MS in Wuhan Textile University under the China Government Scholarship. Both the students will get a Scholarship benefit of around Rs. 25 lakhs which includes-Tuition Fee, Living Expenses, Free Accommodation in Campus, and Medical Insurance, and International tickets.



ALUMNI CORNER

Mr. Ashok Rajpurohit, an alumnus of our institute is currently pursuing his Ph.D. from Ecole de Mines Paris Tech institute, and is also working at Chromat. During his master's course at IIT-D, he secured a German government scholarship work on his master's thesis project at ITV Denkendorf (Uni Stuttgart). He began his career as a research engineer at Germany's, Fraunhofer Institute for Chemical Technology (ICT) in Karlsruhe. His work experience in Germany at Fraunhofer ICT and KIT was mostly on process development and product development for composite materials, currently he is working in R & D department with a team of 500 technocrats.



Mr. Dayanand Khot is an alumnus of our institute. He completed B.Text in Textile Technology. He also completed M.Tech. from IIT DELHI. He has experience on the Toyota JAT 710, Tsudakoma 9100, 9200i, Picanol Summum Cam and dobby air jet looms and Picanol Gammex & Optimax Rapier looms. Presently he is working as an Executive in the composite unit of Vardhaman Textile Group, in the Weaving Quality Assurance and is looking after 820 looms. He has undertaken projects on 'POWER CONSUMPTION'.





BALLISTIC PROTECTION

Warfare has existed ever since the existence of humanity and there has always been a need for protecting the warriors from certain death on the battle field. With the advancement of technology in various fields, the weapons used on the battle field also saw an exponential advancement in the technology used to make them. The face-off between armor and battle field threats is a never ending game, either the armor has the upper hand or the threat has the upper hand. Protection for the warriors or soldiers can be traced back from the simple leather jacket used to protect the soldiers from cuts to the metal chain body armor to the silk garments which used by the gangsters to the modern day ballistic protective gear which are used to protect the soldier from the battle field threats like bullets fired at him or the stray shrapnel which if it came in contact with the human body could do enormous amounts of damage to critical organs.

The world wars provided the greatest push in producing body armors for the military personnel. Although the leap in protective technology occurred. It wasn't a significant one during this time period. During WW2 the technology leap forged again and this time the allied bomber crews used something known as the flak jacket, although these would never stand a chance against the modern day threats, they certainly served their purpose of stopping shards of shrapnel from the deadly German 88 flak anti-aircraft gun from causing any sort of damage to them when they were flying bombing missions over Germany . The advent of the high performance fibers with high strength and high modulus has led to the protection being provided against small to medium arms fire.

Body armor can be broadly classified into soft body armor and hard body armor. The hard body armor is made of ballistic grade ceramic plates, these are heavy and thick and stop projectiles but not to the extent that the soft body armor can stop. Hard body armor was used to stop bullets and shrapnel which were at a lower velocity but they couldn't stop the rifle caliber bullets which are very high velocity projectiles.

The soft body is made of a number of manmade fibers (eg:Kevlar,Twaron,Technora) these fibers are extremely light weight and also have the ability to resist bullets or any fast moving shrapnel by absorbing the kinetic energy possessed by these fast moving objects and dissipate the energy throughout the fabric structure. The most widely used fibers for today's state of the art soft body armour protection are the aramid fibers but other which have shown great potential are also under testing and development.

The most widely used fiber for ballistic protection is the Kevlar fiber, Kevlar body armors are widely used all over the world to protect the nation's soldiers and law and enforcement agencies.

A number of iteration of Kevlar are present in the market, with new one's being developed as we speak some of them are : Kevlar 29, Kevlar 49, Kevlar 68, Kevlar 100, Kevlar 119, Kevlar 129, Kevlar protera, Kevlar 149. Each of these various types of Kevlar derivatives have specific enhanced qualities along with their usual property.

There are other fibers which are used for ballistic protection too, but the most widely used fiber for the purpose of ballistic protection is Kevlar.



Akshat T. M.
T. Y. (B.Text) MMTT

PRUDENT STUDENT PROJECTS

Title Of Project - Study Of Lubrication Practices & Lubrication Testing At Weaving Preparatory Machines.

Name Of Guide : Irshad M. Momin

Name Of Students : Avadhut Hirugade, Vinaykumar Bhosale, Gajendra Kamat, Aqif Kavathekar

Objective :

1. To study the lubrication used in different technology of weaving preparatory machine with their properties at standard condition.
2. To check suitability of lubricant for particular applications.
3. To study the detailed breakdown of lubricant performance. i.e. life span of different lubricants.
4. To know more value of oil in investment.
5. To reduce repairs and equipment downtime.
6. To analysis the performance of lubricants and machine parts weaving preparatory machines.
7. For the potential cost saving.
8. To study the possibilities to check improvement.

SUMMARY : In this project different tests were carried out on fresh as well as used oil such as viscosity test, density test, pour point test, flash & fire point test, carbon residue test, spectroscopy test. Due to the various working conditions, properties of lubricating oil degrade. Results obtained by these tests were analyzed & life of lubricant oil was predicted. According to that decision regarding replacement of oil was taken.

Title of Project : Performance evaluation of commercial detergents

Name of Guide : Prof. Mrs. S. V. Chavan

Name of Students :

- Mr. Ranjeet Ravindra Kumbhar
- Mr. Suraj Mohan Latane
- Mr. Raju Shivaji Mane
- Nihal Noormahammad Mujawar

Objective:

- To study the effect of commercial detergents which are used in home laundering on dyed good
- To evaluate the effects of ingredients those are present in commercial detergents
- To evaluate colour strength loss in terms of K/S and l, a, b values after each wash cycle
- To study cost effectiveness of commercial detergents

Summary : Four commercial detergents were selected for the study and named as A, B, C, D. The laundering effectiveness of detergents was evaluated for tea stains and oil stains on reactive dyed fabrics. It was found that detergent A and D show better laundering performance for both oil and tea stains as compared with detergent B and C. Detergent D is more cost effective as compared with detergent A.



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TEXPOSURE 2018

TEXTILE MACHINERY AND UTILITY EXHIBITION

Texposure 2018 was a mega event which was jointly organized by Rotary Club and DKTE Society's Textile and Engineering Institute, Ichalkaranji from the 11th to 14th of January 2018 in Ichalkaranji. Rotary club of Ichalkaranji Central has been conducting many events since being established in 1992. More than 300 members are associated with the Ichalkaranji unit and DKTE is one of the premiere institute in the field of textiles.

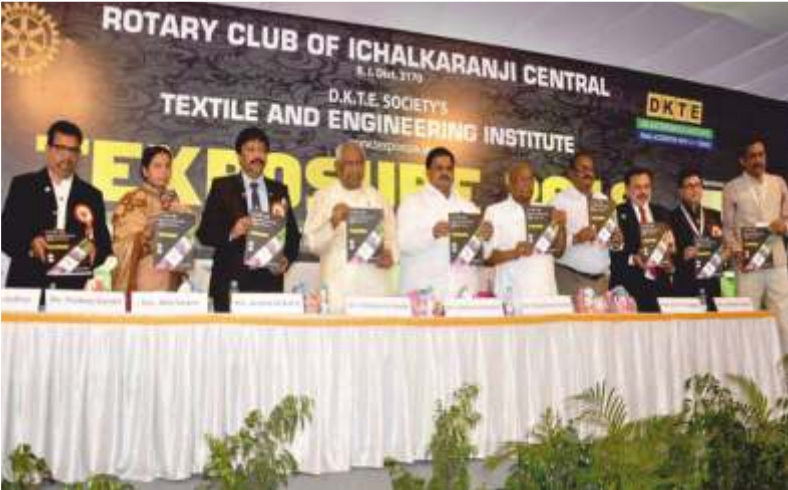
Texposure 2018 was a Textile Machinery cum utility show for the textile segment ranging from fibers to garments to upholstery. The exhibition had a successful footprint in the years 2015, 2007 and 2001.

The purpose of Texposure 2018 was to have an interaction of buyers, technocrats and manufacturers. Texposure 2018 has successfully managed to hold its own and have a significance in the history of textile field exhibitions.

Rotary Club of Ichalkaranji Central and D.K.T.E. Society's Textile and Engineering Institute Ichalkaranji have always been trying to fetch the knowledge about the latest developments in the textile sector to grab new opportunities for fabric manufacturers, processors and entrepreneurs looking for lucrative field of garmenting. Hence, The Fourth edition 'TEXPOSURE 2018' was organized, where the emphasis was given on the shuttle less weaving, weaving preparatory, knitting, garment and fashion trends, processing and related spares.

The highlight of this show was doubling the number of exhibitors coupled with a huge number of visiting buyers and Textile technocrats. This show witnessed new technologies in the textile value chain making mark in the Manchester city of Maharashtra, Ichalkaranji.





“Ichalkaranji is already a huge Manchester for greige fabrics. The vision is to make it a full garment hub by 2022. We look forward to active participation of machine manufacturers of processing and garmenting segments.”

Mr. Amrish Sarda
Project Chairman Texposure 2018

“We are proud that Ichalkaranji will witness a mega show of this kind. It is delighting to know machine manufacturers from different segments like spinning, weaving, processing, garment taking keen interest to participate.”

Prof. (Dr.) U. J. Patil
HOD DKTE's Textile Institute

“Texposure 2018 will bring in manufacturers of latest machines and technologies. It will be a win-win situation for all stakeholders. True to our Rotary club culture, I would love to see this exhibition serve a large fraternity of people.”

Rtn. Pradeep Gandhi
President, Rotary Club Ichalkaranji Central

“As an industrialist, I am excited to see varied machine manufacturers presenting their latest innovations. We would like to see new technological developments in Ichalkaranji.”

Mr. Purushottam Bhara
Member, Project Committee

INTERACTION WITH FOREIGN EXHIBITORS



During Texposure, the Marketing and communication Manager of Picanol was interviewed.

Picanol is headquartered at Belgium. In India they have offices at Mumbai, Coimbatore and headquarters at Delhi.

In Texposure event Picanol had put forth their prospects and were interacting with their costumers giving them information about their service in India and abroad. Mr. Erwin Delvoo when asked about the stall, told that, machines are important but also the service you provide to the costumer is equally important.

Talking about the indian market, he mentioned that amongst the 5 major markets, India is the 2nd largest market that Picanol has and referred to Ichalkaranji, Ahmedabad and Surat as their major markets in India.

The research and Development is set up at Belgium. Mr. Erwin Delvoo stated that the research has a direct influence on production hence, it should be near to the production. Picanol has a team of over 100 engineers working under R&D for the products of tomorrow.

Further when asked about the textile market in ichalkaranji Mr. Erwin Delvoo discussed about visits to the Ghodawat Industries, Vardhaman Industries and Trident. Trident had an installation of 500 Picanol machineries.

Mr. Erwin Delvoo has visited India for over 30 times. He appreciated India Hospility. He also praised the colourful culture that India beholds.

Picanol slogan is "LETS GO TOGETHER".

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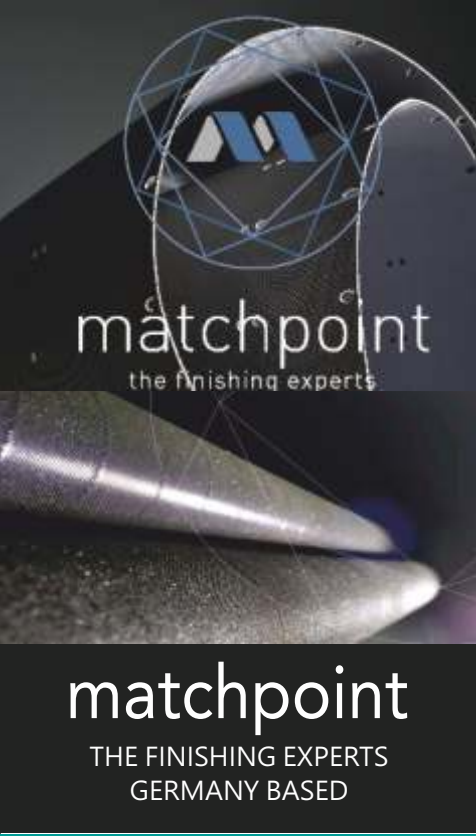
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**LET'S GROW
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AT the Texposure 2018 event, a German based company, Matchpoint was interviewed.

Matchpoint is a finishing expert company famous for its diamond finishing technology.

Matchpoint is into the textile market for the last 10 years. It ventured into the Indian market in 2009. India is the largest market for Matchpoint. Industries like Vardhaman, Arvind mills and Nandan Denims has the installations of the Matchpoint machineries. Though the diamond finishing technology is in picture for the last 30-40 years.

During the interview Mr. Thomas Ruetten gave us a comparison between diamond finishing and embery paper finishing. He stated that, there is a reduction in wastage from 3-4 % to 0.2%, which results in a win-win situation for the buyer and the manufacturer.

When asked about the after sales service, Mr. Thomas Ruetten very proudly stated, "not needed!" They believe in supporting their customers with all the knowledge they have and thus maintain a good relation.

Mr. Thomas Ruetten has visited India 25 times and Ichalkaranji twice.

Glimpses of Texposure 2018





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