

Exhibitors Profile

Textile

- Auxiliary Equipment
- Bleaching & Washing Machines
- Chemicals & Dyes
- Cloth Processing Machinery & Accessories
- Embroidery Equipment
- Knitting Machinery
- Spinning Machinery & Accessories
- Steaming Machinery
- Testing Equipment & Controls
- Textile Screen Printing Machinery
- Weaving Machinery & Accessories
- Yarn Processing Machinery & Accessories

Garment

- Cutting & Laying Machines
- Dry-cleaning Equipment
- Fabric Washing Machinery
- Integrated Textile & Garment Parks
- Ironing & Steaming Equipment
- Knives/Scissors Grinding Machines
- Laundry Machinery & Accessories
- Machinery & Accessories
- Sewing Machines & Parts
- Software for Design, Data Monitoring, Processing

Buyers Profile

- Agents of Textile & Garment Machinery & Accessories
- Apparel Brands & Fashion Labels
- Buying House/Buying Agent/Sourcing offices
- CEOs, Engineers, and Technocrats
- Dealers of Textile & Garment Machinery & Accessories
- Distributors of Textile & Garment Machinery & Accessories
- Dyeing & Finishing Companies
- Fashion & Textile Designers
- Garment Manufacturers
- Importers, Distributors & Wholesalers
- Industry Associations & Chambers of Commerce
- Knitwear Manufacturers
- Laundry Operators & Dry Cleaners
- Marketing Chiefs, Professionals and Consultants
- Policy Makers, Diplomats and Officials
- Textile Design Studios & Institutes
- Textile Manufacturers
- Textile Printing Houses
- Trade Media

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About **InMac**

InMac looks to take the overall South Asian textile and apparel manufacturing industry forward by ramping up industrial developments and bringing technologically advanced equipment and machinery to the region. By doing so, **InMac** will strengthen South Asia's position as the premier manufacturer of textiles and apparel in the world.

The show will cover the complete manufacturing chain from yarns and fibres to spinning, knitting, weaving, processing and garmenting. The machinery and technology showcased will be top-notch but competitively priced for the South Asian market.

InMac has been conceived as the complete B2B garment and textile machinery show. Created by the makers of Intex South Asia – the largest textile and apparel sourcing show in South Asia – **InMac** (venue SLECC) will run concurrently with Intex South Asia (venue BMICH) thus presenting a complete sourcing, manufacturing and production solution to the South Asian industry.

InMac – Helping you move up the manufacturing and value chain.



The South Asia **Advantage**

The global and **South Asian textile and garment machinery sector** is booming. The global textile machinery market is growing at 11.11% from US\$ 31.17 billion in 2014 to US\$ 42.753 billion in 2017 and is further **expected to touch US\$ 54.679 billion** by 2022.

South Asia is recognised globally as a garment powerhouse, **manufacturing 80% of the world's brands** and considered the **next garmenting hub of the world**. Also recognised as one of the best manufacturing, sourcing and distribution destinations for garments, textiles, accessories and finished products.

South Asia is also the **fastest growing region in the world and as per the World Bank**, best placed to lure garment and textile businesses with its lower wages and its demographic **advantage of having the largest youth population** (487 million) in the world.

India, the **second largest textile manufacturing country in the world** is also the second largest market for textile machinery and technology. The Indian market for textile machinery grew from US\$ 1.1 billion in 2012-13 to around US\$ 1.5 billion in 2016-17.

Pakistan's import of textile machinery grew by around 16.12% to US\$ 88.3 million in July-August 2018, from US\$ 76 million in July-August 2017.

Bangladesh saw imports of textile machinery grow 11% to US\$ 984.4 million in 2015-16, from US\$ 885.9 million in 2014-15.

Sri Lanka's overall machinery imports grew by 9% in 2016 to US\$ 1.8 billion

These are **clear indicators of the growth in demand and imports of textile and garment machinery in South Asia**.

The **Sri Lanka** Advantage

Sri Lanka's positive economy, industry and its logistical dominance - with 24% of the world container traffic from East to West moving through the Colombo port area – make for a tremendous advantage.

The country has progressed the fastest in moving up the value chain in the region with manufacturers progressing into design and retail. The Sri Lankan garment and textile industry has received a tremendous boost on regaining the GSP Plus facility which is an opportunity for Sri Lankan industry to develop backward linkages and create a value chain helping manufacturers cut production costs and improve efficiency.

Sri Lanka plays a pivotal role for intra-regional integration due to its politically neutral status in the South Asian region, creating a positive business environment for entrepreneurs from Sri Lanka, India, Pakistan and Bangladesh to meet and do business together. Thus making Sri Lanka the gateway to the huge South Asian market.

Besides these positives, Sri Lanka is also transforming into a regional business hub attracting international interest as being the optimum location to conduct business with all South Asian countries in one central location. It has all the advantages to develop as the economic hub of South Asia.

