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Rexroth's Product Information System, ActiveCockpit, Puts People First

Intelligent networking saves information processing time with this Industry 4.0 visualization system

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As an interactive communication platform, ActiveCockpit processes and visualizes production data in real time.

Bosch Rexroth's ActiveCockpit software system focuses on an employee's user experience. Through interviews and plant visits, Rexroth determined the new system needed a clear, user-friendly interface to provide quick, easy access to job-critical data.

ActiveCockpit software from Bosch Rexroth delivers Industry 4.0 technology straight into users' hands as it records, processes and visualizes manufacturing data in real time. In doing so, IT applications such as production planning, quality data management and e-mail dispatch are connected with software functions from machines and systems. Key metrics are clearly presented and available in real time in the most appropriate format; for example, on a large touch screen directly at the manufacturing line or on an interactive tablet-PC on site.

Higher productivity through better information

Active Cockpit is an interactive web-based communications platform that detects all relevant data for a production line, updates it in a dynamic manner, and visualizes it clearly in real time, directly on the line. Associates can

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recognize deviations in production immediately and initiate optimization measures. The availability of all relevant data forms the basis for making critical decisions more quickly and therefore increases productivity.

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Active Cockpit has just been awarded a "Special Mention" for outstanding design quality from the German Design Council as part of its annual German Design Awards. Founded in 2012, the German Design Awards is one of the most recognized design events worldwide. This year's competition included more than 4,000 submissions voted on by a jury of experts from business, academia, science and the design industry.

For more information on ActiveCockpit, please visit
<https://www.boschrexroth.com/en/us/activecockpit>.

About Bosch Rexroth

As one of the world's leading suppliers of drive and control technologies, Bosch Rexroth ensures efficient, powerful and safe movement in machines and systems of any size. The company bundles global application experience in the market segments of Mobile Applications, Machinery Applications and Engineering, and Factory Automation. With its intelligent components, customized system solutions and services, Bosch Rexroth is creating the necessary environment for fully connected applications. Bosch Rexroth offers its customers hydraulics, electric drives and controls, gear technology, and linear motion and assembly technology, including software and interfaces to the Internet of Things. With locations in over 80 countries, more than 30,500 associates generated sales revenue of approximately 5.5 billion euros (\$6.2 billion) in 2017.

To learn more, please visit www.boschrexroth-us.com

About Bosch

Having established a regional presence in 1906 in North America, the Bosch Group employs nearly 34,500 associates in more than 100 locations, as of December 31, 2017. In 2017 Bosch generated consolidated sales of \$13.7 billion in the U.S., Canada and Mexico. For more information, visit twitter.com/boschusa, twitter.com/boschmexico and www.bosch.ca.

The Bosch Group is a leading global supplier of technology and services. It employs roughly 402,000 associates worldwide (as of December 31, 2017). The company generated sales of 78.1 billion euros (\$88.2 billion) in 2017. Its operations are divided into four business sectors: Mobility Solutions, Industrial Technology, Consumer Goods, and Energy and Building Technology. As a leading IoT company, Bosch

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offers innovative solutions for smart homes, smart cities, connected mobility, and connected manufacturing. It uses its expertise in sensor technology, software, and services, as well as its own IoT cloud, to offer its customers connected, cross-domain solutions from a single source. The Bosch Group's strategic objective is to deliver innovations for a connected life. Bosch improves quality of life worldwide with products and services that are innovative and spark enthusiasm. In short, Bosch creates technology that is "Invented for life." The Bosch Group comprises Robert Bosch GmbH and its roughly 440 subsidiary and regional companies in 60 countries. Including sales and service partners, Bosch's global manufacturing, engineering, and sales network covers nearly every country in the world. The basis for the company's future growth is its innovative strength. At 125 locations across the globe, Bosch employs some 64,500 associates in research and development.

Additional information is available online at www.bosch.com, www.iot.bosch.com, www.bosch-press.com, www.twitter.com/BoschPresse.

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