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FLANDERS EXPO 22-23 Sept 2026



POST SHOW REPORT 2026

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THE FUTURE OF PACKAGING

01 CONCEPT

- 3th edition in **Flanders Expo** in Ghent
- **Ghent**, strong growing logistic hub in flanders
- Co-location with **Empack** (packaging) and **Logistic & Industrial Build**
- Focus on **food and beverage** industry
- Complete **end-to-end supply chain solutions**, from **packaging to logistics, transport & logistics real estate**

6.589
Professionals
(Unique visitors + stand personnel)

5.637
Unique visitors

220
Exhibitors & partners

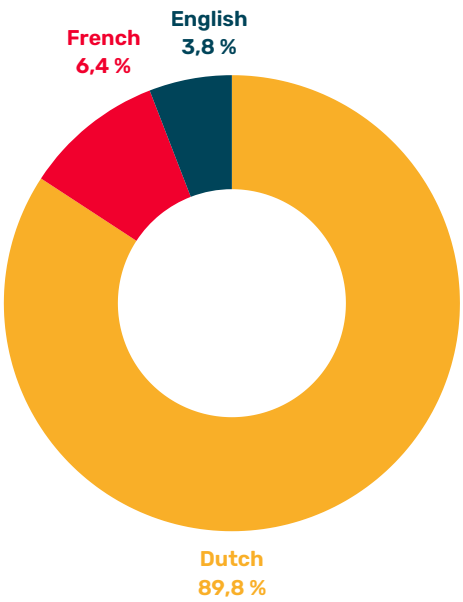
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Conferences
48
Keynote speakers

> I would recommend this trade fair because it offers a good opportunity to stay up to date with new developments and innovations within the sector.

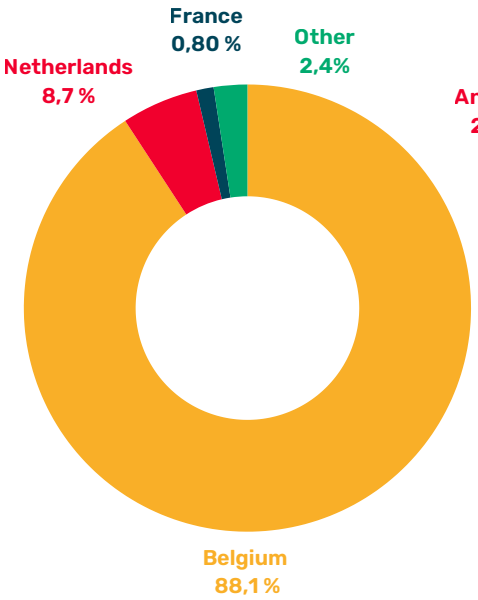
VISITOR

02 Visitor Profile

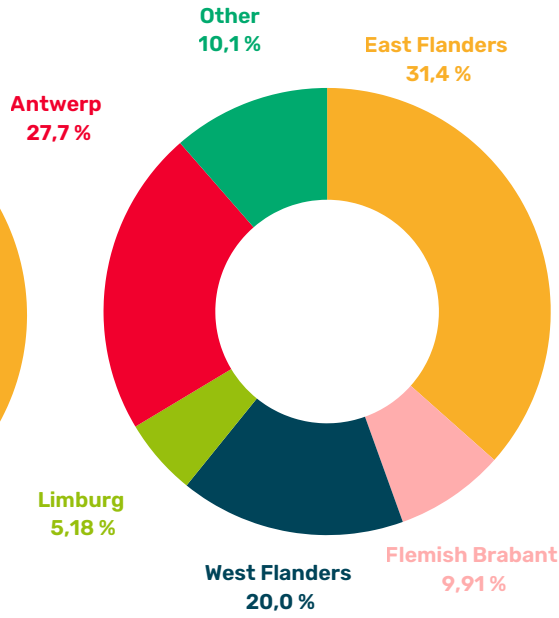
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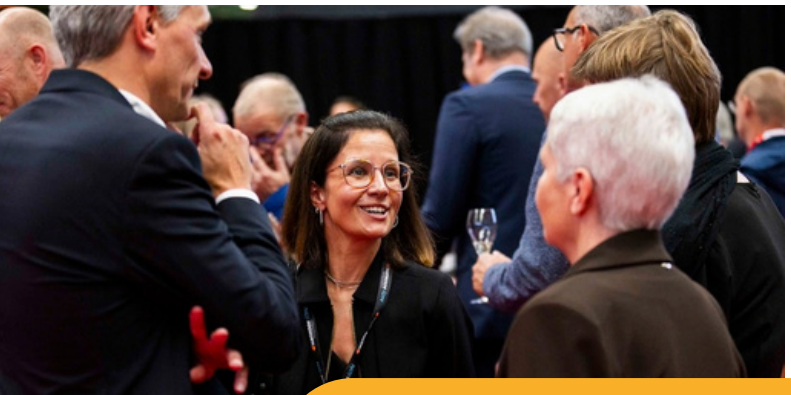
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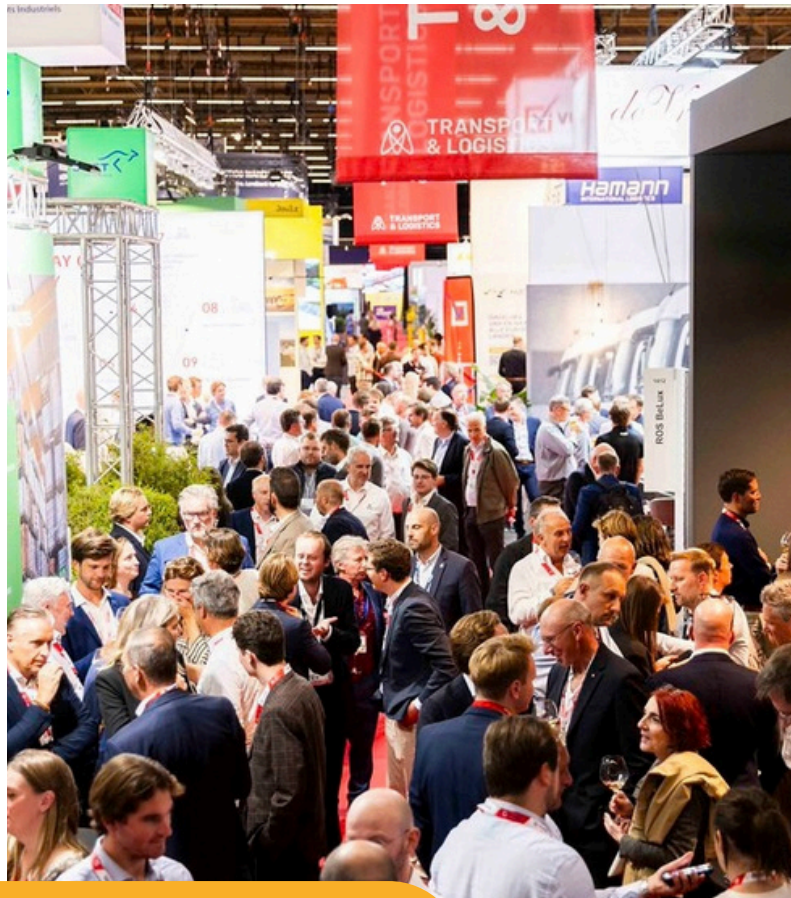


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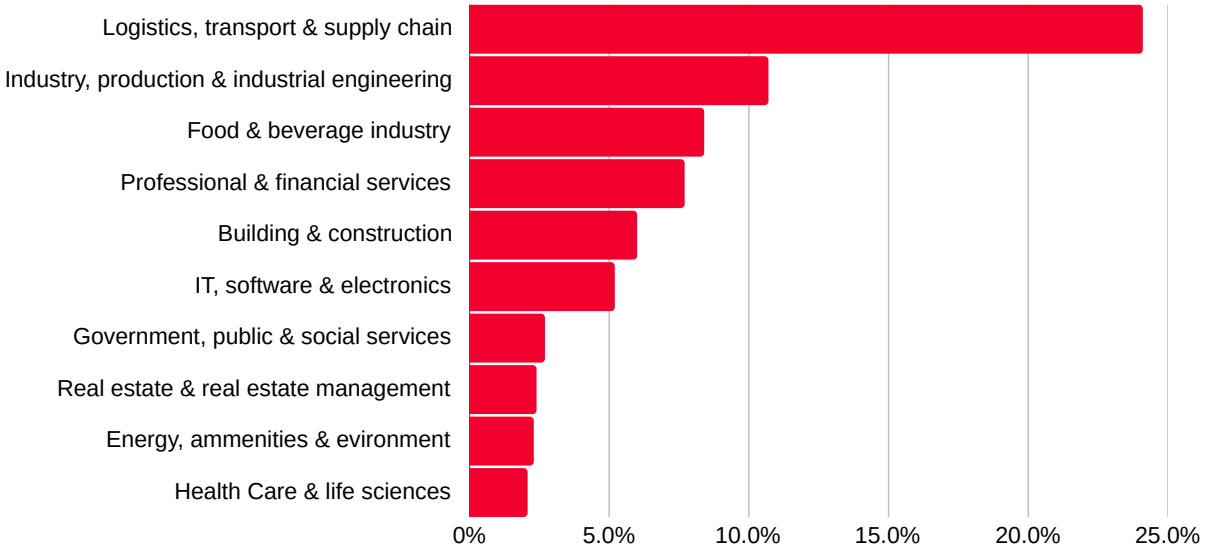




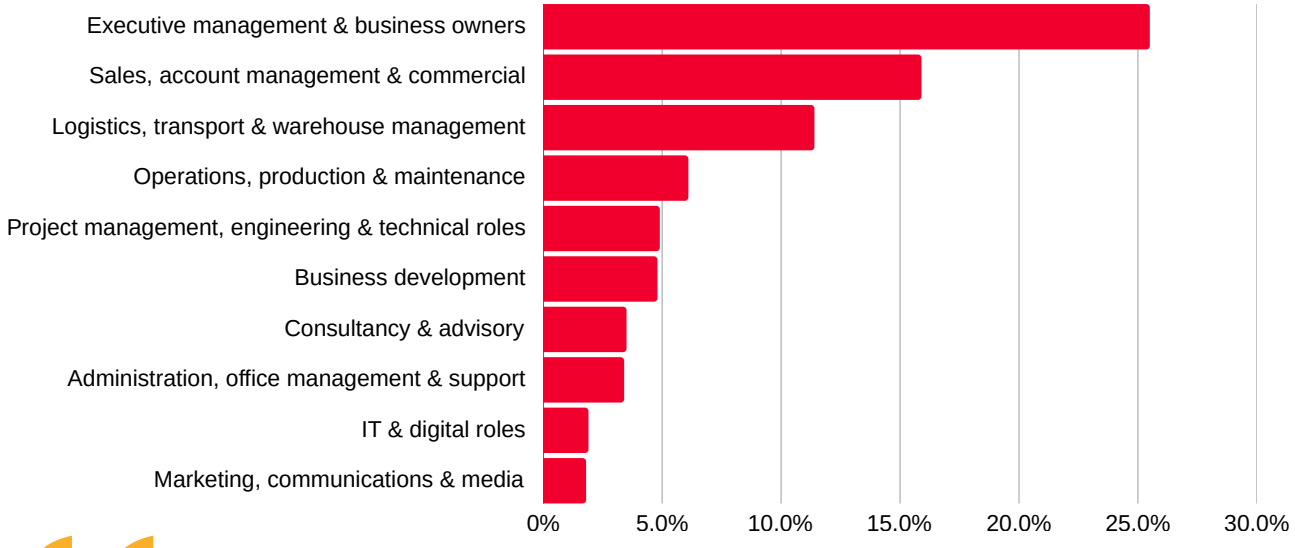


02 Visitor Profile

Top 10 Industry



Top 10 Functions



> How do we stay relevant in a world of fierce competition between the US and China? The answer lies in reinvesting in technology and innovation. Trade fairs like this are ideal meeting places to stay up to date and engage in dialogue with one another.

PROFESSOR DAVID CRIEKEMANS

03 Visitor Survey

Reasons to visit

81%
Of the visitors rated the show between good and excellent

67%
Of the visitors feels that this is a must attend event in the sector

63%
Of the visitors will revisit the show

72%
To gain information/ discover new trends

70%
To meet and network with the community

68%
To meet new suppliers and purchase new products

> Very well organized trade fair. There were also multiple suppliers for certain products, which made comparing quality easier.

VISITOR

04 Exhibitor Profile

56%

of the exhibitors already signed for the next edition in 2028 in Ghent (2 years before event)



74%

finds it important to exhibit at Transport & Logistics



> Well-organized trade fair with the right presence
>
> EXHIBITOR

Reasons to exhibit

- To meet potential customers, gain new leads | 95%
- To strengthen the relationship the company products brand awareness | 90%
- To meet new customers & sell products and services| 86%

05 Smartbadge & Easyfairs app

6.852

Leads of **visitors** in total during the show

50%

Used the Easyfairs-app

69

visitor **touches** on average **per exhibitor**





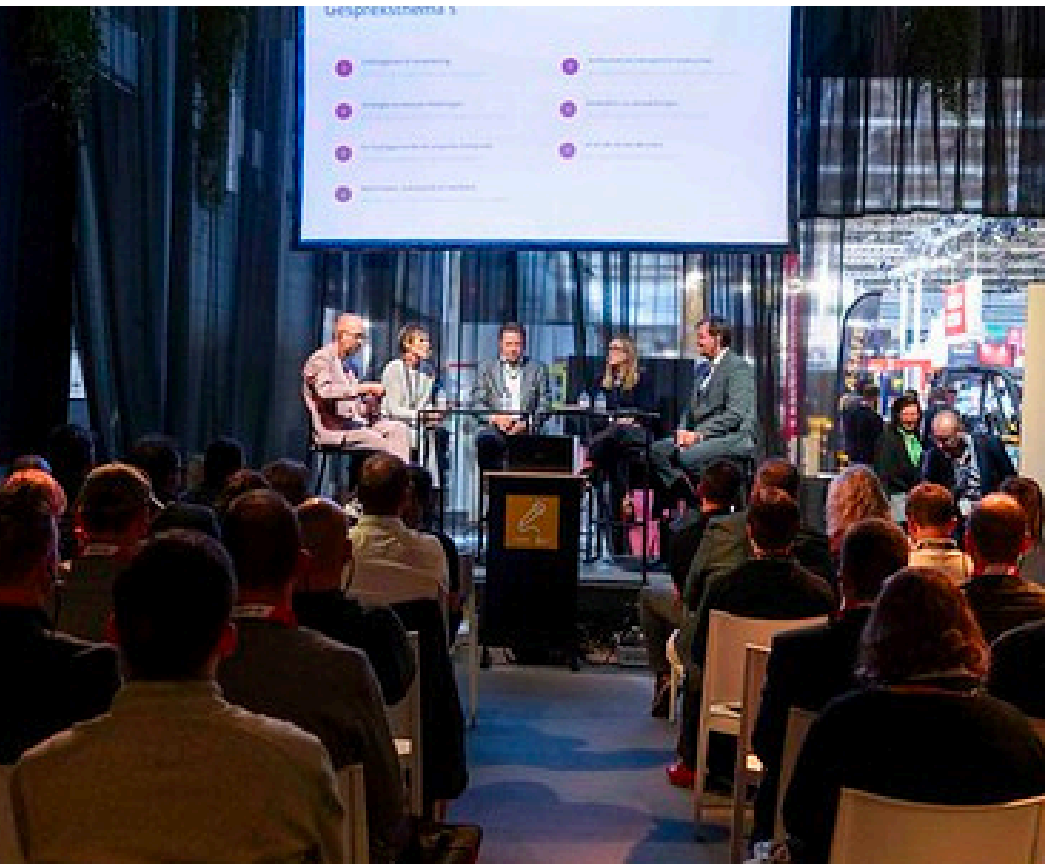


> Great trade fair, very helpful for exhibitors. Lots of interest and generated good leads. Many networking opportunities.

EXHIBITOR

06 Knowledge Conferences

Tuesday
22/09







CONFERENCE / SESSION	SPEAKER / ORGANISATION
Business@breakfast	Stijn Staes (Auteur en keynotespeaker – Stijn CommV), Willem ter Heerdt (Head of Food & Agri – ING), Liesbeth Ceelen (CEO – BioLizard), Elke Haemelynck (Founder – Happy Humans), Stijn Van der Meulen (Owner – Netwerkers.be) en Yann Van den Branden (Managing Director – SQAN) – KMO insider (NL)
Address your business app and IT fragmentation with one digital platform.	Benny Moonen (Chief Revenue Officer – Xylos) – The Beacon (NL)
Behind the design: Cases that Move	Glenn Verhaege (Co-founder – Borro), Alexander Blockhuys (Business Developer – Comate), Pieter Lesage (Founding Partner – Superellipse) en Ines De Peuter (Project Manager Co-innovation and Sustainability – FDC) – Flanders District of Creativity (NL)
Energie als kritische schakel in de koude keten	Tom Ave (Sales Director – Enwyse) – Enwyse (NL)
Kan stadsdistributie efficiënter georganiseerd worden door het scheiden van goederencategorieën? De case van de voedselstromen.	Alex Van Breedam (CEO – TRI-VIZOR NV) en Bart Vannieuwenhuyse (Co-founder – TRI-VIZOR NV) – Alex Van Breedam (NL)
AI in Logistics and Supply Chain	Steven Dhooghe (Board Member of PSCM & Founder – Artifex Collective), Jan De Kimpe (Founder & CEO of Logisol Pro, Professor at KU Leuven & CEO of BCCL), Lennart Heip (Vice-chair of PSCM & Director Trade Compliance – Dow Inc), Charlotte Van Bouwel (Supply Chain Practice Leader Europe – Marsh), Tom Devos (Founder & CEO – Hyperfox), Bart Gadeyne (Founder & CEO – Optioryx), Steven Pauly (SME Forecasting & Inventory Optimization – Slimstock), Jason Ashton (Director Supply Chain – Consulting & Academy – Moore) en Filip Van De Veire (Founder & CEO – efiad) – PSCM (ENG)
Doing business op het kruispunt van macro-economie, geopolitiek en de vastgoedsector	Kim Verdonck (Executive Director – Head Research – CBRE), Véronique Goossens (Macro-economie) en David Criekemans (Hoofddocent Internationale Betrekkingen – Universiteit Antwerpen) – Patrick Luysterman (NL)
Logistic Check for The Future	Xavier Van Reeth (Country Director – Montea), Jorg Snoeck (Founder – RetailDetail), Erik van Wunnik (Managing Director – NewAmbient, NewCold), Yves Depuydt (Co-owner – Huppa), Roel Gevaers (Prof. Transporteconomie en e-commerce – Universiteit Antwerpen) en Liesbeth Geysels (VIL) – Montea (NL)
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06 Knowledge Conferences

Wednesday 23/09





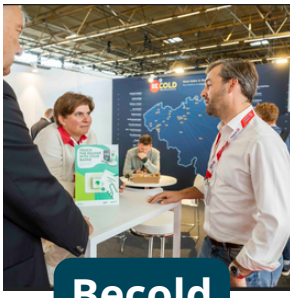


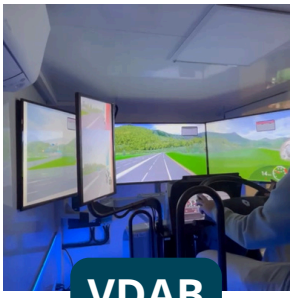
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The importance of logistics for NATO, Europe and the Belgian Defence	Theo Francken (Minister of Defence – Defensie) – (NL)
De opkomst van netcongestie in België en tijd voor nieuwe energie-oplossingen in logistiek	Svetlana Nikolayonok (Head of Sales – Joulz) – (NL)
Automatisering van magzijnen	Marc Juwet (Hoogleraar – KU Leuven) – (NL)
Magazijn (r)evoluties by Procurement & Supply Chain Masters	Jan Baert (Actief lid PSCM-werkgroep Logistiek – PSCM), Dave Van Casteren (Magazijnexpert – Specialist in Automatisatie – DCwise), Sven Laureys (Head of Solution Engineering – E'log), Bryan Breutels (Managing Director Benelux – Element Logic), Jeroen Van Den Berg (Warehousing Expert – JeroenvandenBerg Consulting) en Gerben Peeters (CEO – Mappalink) – PSCM (NL)
De toekomst van de markt van de logistiek en het logistiek vastgoed (met extra aandacht voor de Gentse regio)	Sofie Bracke (Schepen van Economie en de Haven van Gent – Stad Gent), Jan De Clerck jr (Bestuurder – Alinso Group), Kris De Leeneer (CEO – Kris De Leeneer), Mathieu Opsomer (Head of Industrial & Logistics Agency BeLux – JLL) en Patrick Luysterman – Patrick Luysterman (NL)

07 Knowledge & Experience

Partners


VOKA


Becold


VDAB



Fabriek Logistiek


Logiville

Mediapartner Transportmedia





T&L Awards





Theo Francken





Key-notes





Experiences



Komen Rijden Atrium


Noordzee Drones



Innovation Gallery



ING VIP Area

08 Networking



Business@breakfast + netwerkers.be matchmaking event



TL Hub Job Day



ING VIP bar & Happy hour



Logilounge by Logiville



Netwerkdrink @ ING VIP Lounge

09 Celebration





KMOinsider 25 jaar



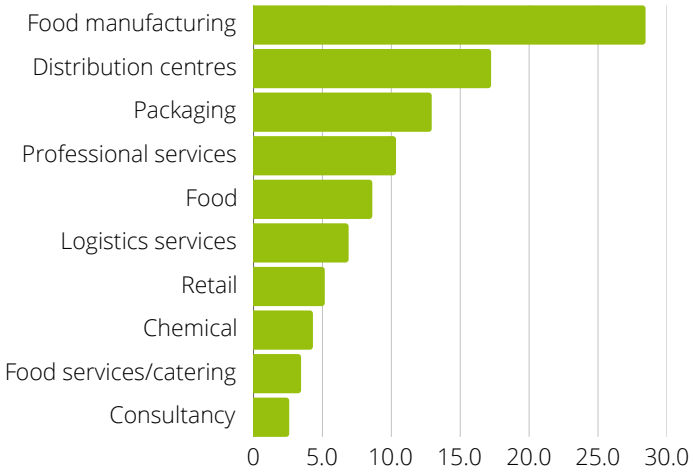


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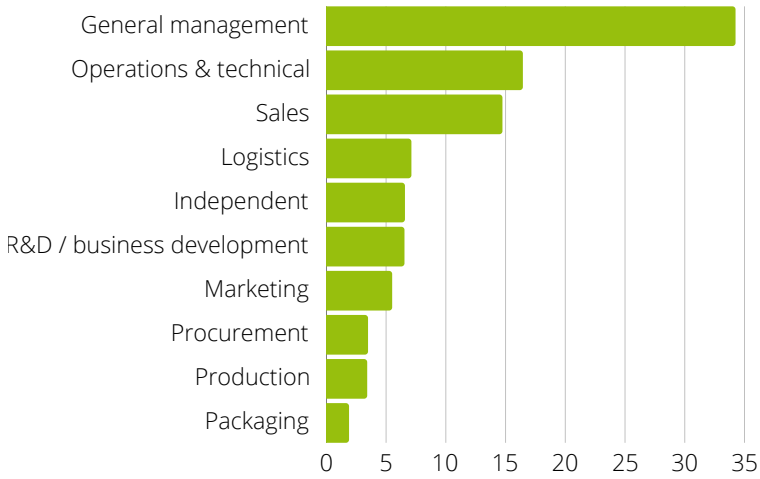
10 Co-location

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Top 10 Functions



+220 Exhibitors & partners

Focus on food and beverage

Entire supply chain from packaging to logistics







11 Sustainability







Focus on ESG

in partnerships, content program and exhibitors





> Great quality of the exhibitors and the diversity of the products on display
>
> VISITOR

12 Marketing
Print & promotion



















13 Marketing
Socials

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A fair is only as valuable as the conversations you have at your booth.

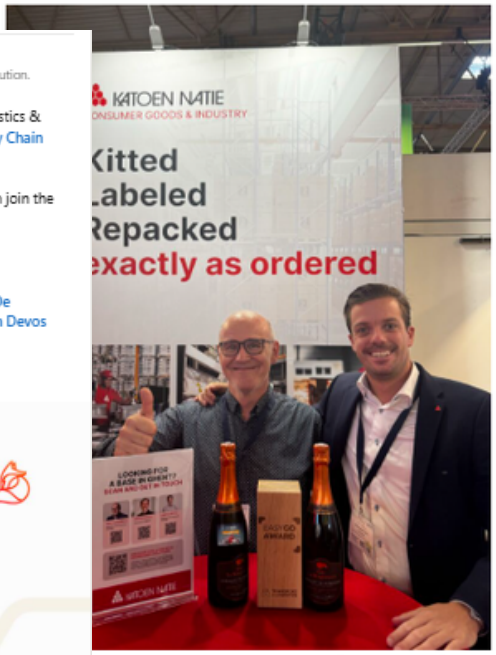
This week at Transport & Logistics, those conversations resulted in the highest number of visitors who scanned their badge at our booth, earning our team a nice recognition from the organizers Easyfairs.

Thank you to everyone who visited and shared ideas about supply chain resilience, growth ambitions, or flexible logistics solutions.
And congrats to Bart and Lorenz for making those conversations happen

Already excited to build on the connections made this week!

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Transport & Logistics
23 sep.

"De logistiek is fantastisch hier in Vlaanderen."

Tijdens Transport & Logistics sprak Theo Francken, minister van Defensie, over het belang van logistiek en de rol ervan binnen defensie en collectieve verdediging.

Hoor wat hij te zeggen heeft.
#TLG26 #TransportandLogistics



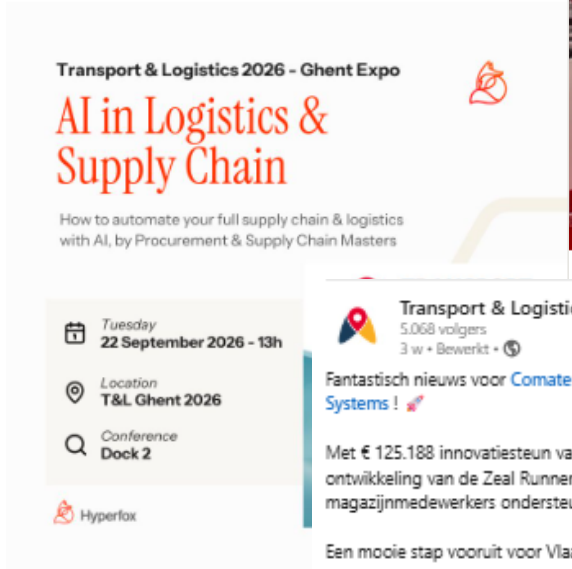
Tom Devos • 3e+
Founder @ Hyperfox | Getting Customer Operations ready for the AI revolution.
1 mnd •

I'll be speaking about Hyperfox at Transport & Logistics about AI in Logistics & Supply Chain, together with industry experts from Procurement & Supply Chain Masters.

Want to discover how to automate your entire supply chain with AI? Then join the interactive keynote!

Where? Transport & Logistics Ghent Expo
When? 22 september 2026 - 13h - Dock 2
Who? Bart Gadeyne, Charlotte van Bouwel, Filip Van De Veire, Jan De Kimpe, Jason Ashton, Lennart Heip, Steven Dhooghe, Steven Pauly, Tom Devos
How? Subscribe at https://lnkd.in/eDpDJekc

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Fantastisch nieuws voor Comate Engineering & Design , Zeal Robotics en A&C Systems !

Met € 125.188 innovatiesteun van de @Provincie Vlaams-Brabant kan de ontwikkeling van de Zeal Runner versnellen: een autonome mobiele robot die magazijnmedewerkers ondersteunt bij orderpicking.

Een mooie stap vooruit voor Vlaamse innovatie in logistiek!

#TransportAndLogistics #Comate #ZealRunner #LogisticsInnovation #Robotics



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TRANSPORTMEDIA BELGIUM
15.197 volgers
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Weet u wat? U bent te laat! De gala-avond van de Transport & Logistics Gazellen is uitverkocht! En het wordt ook een record-editie in Gent! Moge dit de opmaat zijn naar een geslaagde beurs Transport & Logistics ! Easyfairs Belgium Nadine Francus



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14 Marketing
Strategic Partners

Thank you for the great collaboration

Strategic Partners

TRANSPORTMEDIA

VIL Empowering Logistics

LOGIVILLE

BECOLD BELGIAN COLDCHAIN FEDERATION

voka Vlaams netwerk van ondernemingen

Collaboration Partners

KMO insider like share connect

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Trends top

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- Maritime sector
- Breakbulk
- Logistic & Industrial Build

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