

## ***Beumer celebrates 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary***

Beumer, headquartered in Beckum, Germany, and with subsidiaries around the globe, this year commemorates three-quarters of a century since the family-run business, operating initially in the cement and mining industries, was established by Bernard Beumer in 1935. An early success was the invention of the conveyor idler with labyrinth seal which was patented, the technology subsequently being integrated into other products. The company logo, still used today, was derived from this idler design. Current manufacturing capability embraces innovative conveying and loading technology, palletising and packaging equipment and automatic sortation and distribution systems. Managed by third-generation Dr Christoph Beumer, the group today employs some 2000 staff worldwide and achieves a 375 million euro turnover. In 2006 it opened a factory in Shanghai to serve the Chinese market, set up a Mexican subsidiary earlier this year and is at present expanding its locations in Australia and France. Further development projects are planned. [www.beumer.com](http://www.beumer.com)



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