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Tecnikabel Acquires EIS Wire & Cable, Expanding USA Presence in the Industrial Automation & Defense Sectors

Tecnikabel, an international leader in the design and manufacture of specialty cables, connection systems and cable assemblies, acquired South Hadley, MA, USA-based **EIS Wire & Cable**, a company specializing in the design, manufacture and sale of specialty cables. The transaction represents a key strategic step for Teknikabel, which strengthens its presence in the USA market and further consolidates its position in the specialty cables segment for both defense electronics and industrial automation. Leveraging the 2024 partnership between **Andera Partners**, **Equiter** and the **Garaffi** family, the acquisition is consistent with the group's growth strategy of broadening its technological and industrial reach.



Founded in 1910, EIS is deeply rooted in the industrial fabric of Massachusetts and generates revenue exceeding US\$40 million. EIS operates across two main segments: defense electronics, in which EIS manufactures critical components utilized by leading prime contractors of underwater detection devices used by the **United States Navy** and the international community of USA allies such as Europe, Canada and Australia and factory automation, serving a client base predominantly composed of global players. EIS and the Teknikabel group are highly complementary from both a technological and commercial perspective. www.tecnikabel.com • www.eiswire.com

Nexans to Acquire Republic Wire, Establishing a Strategic Platform in the United States

Nexans signed an agreement for the acquisition of 100% of the share capital of **Republic Wire, Inc.**, an established American manufacturer of

Nexans low-voltage copper and aluminum wire products headquartered in Cincinnati, OH, USA.

Founded in 1982 and family-owned, Republic Wire is a recognized manufacturer of low-voltage wiring products serving electrical wholesale distributors, utilities and municipalities across the USA and Canada. The firm runs a fully invested industrial platform comprising a 32.5 million m² manufacturing facility equipped with automation as well as a new 30 million m² warehouse and distribution center. ...continued on pg. 2, col. 2



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OVERVIEW Steel	1,149	+11.5	+25.3

• All numbers are from opening market prices listed on May 8, 2026.

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Benvic Trinity Joins WCISA® Wire and Cable Industry Suppliers Association® (WCISA®) announced **Benvic Trinity LLC**, West Unity, OH, USA, as a new member company. Benvic Trinity provides customer toll mixing and wire and cable compounds.

It is a subsidiary of the **Benvic Group**, an international producer of customized and innovative thermoplastic solutions.

WCISA is a nonprofit corporate membership organization of North American suppliers of machinery, materials and accessories used for making all types of wire and cable.

www.benvic.com/about-us.html
www.wcisaonline.org

LAPP Develops Cables for Robotics & Drag Chains

ÖLFLEX® ROBOT 909 cables from **LAPP** were developed for demanding high-flex applications and durability. The expanded ÖLFLEX product portfolio sets new standards for high-performance connection and drive solutions in industrial automation. The focus is on applications with high mechanical demands such as those found in robotics, moving axis systems and drag chains. www.lapp.com



AmerCable Expanding Manufacturing Operations in El Dorado, AR, USA

Cable manufacturer **AmerCable** announced plans to expand its existing operations in El Dorado, AR, USA, with an investment of more than US\$10 million. The expansion will create 13 new jobs over three years.



"Since 1978, AmerCable has been a cornerstone of the El Dorado community, employing more than 250 people to manufacture jacketed electrical power, control and instrumentation cables recognized for their quality around the world," said **Stan Calloway**, VP of Operations. "This expansion will upgrade the facility to relieve certain manufacturing line constraints and enable the launch of additional medium

voltage products. These investments will support new and existing customer demand across data center, global mining and industrial markets."

"El Dorado has long been a hub for Arkansas manufacturing, and AmerCable's expansion builds on that legacy," said **Governor Sanders**. "I'm excited to see this investment bring new jobs, strengthen key industries, and keep South Arkansas moving forward."

Work on the new expansion is expected to begin in the third quarter of 2026. The expansion will add an additional 26,000 ft² to the existing facility's footprint.

www.arkansasedc.com

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Republic Wire employs more than 200 highly skilled associates and has recently completed a significant expansion program that is meant to be fully online by the end of 2026, thereby increasing the facility's production capacity by approximately 30%.

The acquisition of Republic Wire is an important step in Nexans' strategy to expand the company's geographic footprint to the United States, one of the world's largest markets and among the fastest-growing for low-voltage and medium-voltage cables. The U.S. low-voltage segment, estimated at €12 billion (**Roland Berger** February 2026 Market Study), is mainly driven by sustained demand across residential, commercial and data center expansion. Learn more at:

www.nexans.com

Genarro DeLaTorre to VP at American Wire Group

In the newly created role of Vice President, Data Center Business Development at American Wire Group (AWG), Genarro DeLaTorre is responsible for leading strategic expansion into the rapidly growing data center market. He focuses on driving business development efforts, cultivating relationships with owners, developers, EPCs and contractors, and positioning AWG as a key partner in mission-critical power infrastructure projects. DeLaTorre plays a central role in identifying and securing new opportunities, supporting project specifications and aligning AWG's wire, cable and equipment solutions with the evolving needs of



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Radix Introduces Silicone HD (UL 3132/3133) Wire

Radix Wire & Cable launched new Radix Silicone HD (UL 3132 / 3133), a high-performance power cable designed to meet the evolving demands of high-current open compute rack architectures (ORv3) and high-density power distribution environments. Built with advanced silicone technology, Radix Silicone HD delivers exceptional power density, reliability and ultra flexibility, making it an ideal solution for modern data infrastructure and power-intensive applications. At the core of Radix Silicone HD's performance is Radix's proprietary silicone insulating system, engineered to support high-current capacity while maintaining superior flexibility. This ultra-flexible design allows for tighter routing and easier installation in space-constrained rack environments, helping reduce strain on

connections and improve long-term system reliability. Designed with reliability in mind, the Radix Silicone HD features a VW-1 flammability rating (14 AWG to 4/0 AWG) and a low-smoke, zero halogen (LSZH) construction to enhance safety in critical installations. The cable is rated for temperatures up to 150°C and is suitable for operation in demanding environments including those exposed to UV, ozone, moisture and extreme cold down to -60°C. www.radix-wire.com



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Report: WCISA® @ wire 2026 in Düsseldorf

The **Wire and Cable Industry Suppliers Association® (WCISA®)** of Akron, OH, USA, and many of its member companies exhibited at *wire 2026*, in Düsseldorf, Germany, from April 13 to 17, 2026. Some exhibited in the North American Pavilion, and others exhibited on their own in one of the nine exhibition halls. The show's final press release stated that despite massive geopolitical challenges, disrupted supply chains, high tariffs and scarce raw materials, the Düsseldorf Fairgrounds were buzzing with activity. People at the show were discussing, developing and rethinking. The North American Pavilion was co-sponsored by **Messe Düsseldorf North America** and WCISA. See images below and on page 4.



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data center customers.
www.buyawg.com

DWC opens new hub in Texas

Distributor Wire & Cable (DWC), a leading master distributor of specialty wire and cable, opened a new 169,000 ft² Cable Distribution Center (CDC) in the Houston, TX, USA, metro area, expanding capacity to support the area's growing energy and infrastructure markets.



CDC says that specialty cable has become one of the hardest materials to source on schedule. The Houston hub brings inventory closer to electrical distributors across a 250-mile radius, with same-day and next-day delivery available. Deep, job-ready stock including VNTC and XLP/PVC tray cable, instrumentation cable and copper building wire, means distributors can pull exactly what a job requires without tying up capital in reel stock. www.distributorwire.com

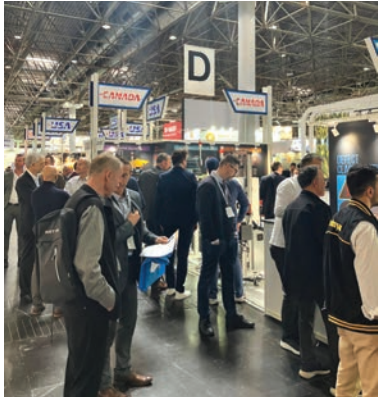
GCG Telecom Solutions rebrands as Electro Wire Telecom Solutions

GCG, a leading value-added distributor of connectivity, power, automation and supply chain solutions, announced the next evolution of GCG Telecom Solutions with its

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On Sunday, April 12, 2026, WCISA hosted "WCISA's Night Out In Germany" on the eve of the opening of the *wire 2026* exhibition. The event was staged at **Brauhaus Joh. Albrecht** in the Niederkassel section of Düsseldorf (west side of the Rhein River). About 200 WCISA member employees and guests attended the event. See images from "Night Out" event below.



www.wcisaonline.org

Prysmian | Encore Wire Unveil Copper Building Wire Plant & Service Center

Prysmian | Encore Wire, McKinney, TX, USA, a world leader in the energy transition and digital transformation, held a ribbon cutting ceremony to officially unveil its new 340,800 ft² Copper Building Wire Plant and expanded Service Center in McKinney. Now the largest in the industry at one million square feet, the Service Center enhances the company's ability to deliver high-quality products with speed, precision and efficiency. The Encore Campus and its unique business model play a critical role in Prysmian's transformation from a cable manufacturer into a comprehensive solutions provider.

By combining advanced manufacturing with industry-leading logistics, the company is well positioned to support critical energy priorities including data center growth, USA industrial expansion and grid modernization. www.prysmian.com



rebrand to Electro Wire Telecom Solutions, aligning the brand with its legendary product portfolio and its long-standing reputation for precision, execution and trusted partnership across telecom and broadband infrastructure.

With USA telecom providers continuing to invest tens of billions of dollars annually in network infrastructure, and with federal programs like the US\$42 billion Broadband Equity, Access and Deployment (BEAD) program accelerating deployment, the scale and complexity of network builds are increasing. Electro Wire Telecom Solutions meets that demand with high-performance connectivity solutions engineered for real-world conditions, going beyond traditional distribution to help customers plan, execute and deliver with confidence.

As telecom demands have evolved,

GCG has grown alongside them, expanding capabilities, scaling operations and deepening its role in complex network deployments. The Electro Wire name reflects that evolution, more precisely representing a business built to address today's more demanding infrastructure environment.

www.electrowire.com

Amphenol releases 2025 Sustainability Report

Amphenol Corporation, Wallingford, CT, USA, released its 2025

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Southwire Company Named Rockwell Automation Technology Partner of the Year

Rockwell Automation, Inc., a company dedicated to industrial automation and digital transformation, named **Southwire Company, LLC**, as its Technology Partner of the Year for 2026 during the 2026 PartnerNetwork™ Conference.



The Rockwell Automation PartnerNetwork Technology Partner Awards honor organizations that successfully plan and execute innovative, high-impact solutions through close collaboration within the Rockwell Automation ecosystem. The awards recognize partners who have technical excellence, strong channel alignment and a commitment to delivering measurable value for industrial customers through the application of Rockwell

Automation and complementary partner technologies.

“The Rockwell Automation PartnerNetwork is made up of an ecosystem of best-in-class partners that deliver superior support, market-leading technology and a streamlined approach to solving complex industrial challenges,” said **Rohit Khera**, VP, Global Market Access at Rockwell. “Our award recipients exemplify what it means to collaborate across the ecosystem to help customers increase productivity, reliability and competitiveness.” For Southwire, the Technology Partner of the Year award reflects shared focus on customer success and system-level performance. www.southwire.com

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Taihan Expands into Vietnam Energy Market; Wins Contract in Korea

Taihan Cable & Solution accelerated its expansion into Vietnam’s energy infrastructure market with the signing of an MOU with local EPC company, **NEWTECONS**.



The transaction involves mid to long-term cooperation including HVDC power grid projects with **Vietnam Electricity (EVN)**. This partnership will contribute to the strengthening of energy infrastructure cooperation as well as to the stabilization of supply chains.

Additionally, Taihan Cable & Solution secured an EHV submarine cable project to supply 154 kV submarine cables for a grid interconnection project for solar power plants in Sinan, South Korea.

Taihan will manufacture the cables, while subsidiary **Taihan Ocean Works** will handle transportation and installation, enabling integrated execution across the value chain.

The project strengthens Taihan’s competitiveness for large-scale projects including the West Coast Energy Highway initiative
www.taihan.com

Sustainability Report.

“I am pleased to share Amphenol’s 2025 Sustainability Report, which highlights our many areas of progress and success throughout the Company,” said Amphenol President and Chief Executive Officer, R. Adam Norwitt.

Amphenol

“2025 was an exceptional year for Amphenol. Our global team delivered record-breaking financial performance, with outstanding sales growth and industry-leading profitability, all while strengthening and remaining true to our entrepreneurial culture. We are also proud to have made meaningful progress on our sustainability program. During 2025, we completed three of

our goals aligned with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and established three new goals as we continue to drive further sustainability improvements across the company.

“Our progress is a direct result of the dedication and hard work of our employees around the world. Their passion for innovation and commitment to always do the right thing ensure that Amphenol remains a positive contributor to the communities in which we operate. Ultimately, this has helped us to drive long-term sustainable success for our shareholders, customers and employees.”

The company’s 2025 Sustainability Report is now available for download on Amphenol’s website at:
www.amphenol.com

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Copper Cladding Conference Report

The fourth annual *Copper Cladding Conference* took place April 29 to May 1, 2026, in Nashville, TN, USA, bringing together participants from across



the bimetallic wire and cable sector for technical education and industry discussion. The event focused on applications of copper-clad materials in power grid, housing, telecommunications and automotive markets as well as opportunities tied to energy transition initiatives.

www.coppercladdingconference.com

Luxshare Increases Shareholding in LEONI

Luxshare boosted its shares in **Leoni AG** by acquiring another 24.8% stake from co-owner **Stefan Pierer**. Previously holding 50.1%, Luxshare now owns 74.9% of Leoni AG's shares.

LEONI

The increased shareholding further strengthens the strategic collaboration between the two companies and reflects Luxshare's confidence in Leoni's operational performance and future development. Pierer retains a 25.1% stake in Leoni and will continue to support the company as co-owner and advisor.

www.leoni.com

JDR Cable Wins Contract from Amplitude Energy in Australia to Supply Subsea Control Umbilicals

JDR Cable Systems, part of the **TFK-able Group**, won a contract by Australian independent operator, **Amplitude Energy Ltd.**, to supply subsea control umbilicals for its East Coast Supply Project, offshore Victoria. JDR will supply 18 km of hydraulic control umbilicals, with options for a further 13 km, subject to drilling success. The project will deliver gas to the **Athena Gas Plant**, which has a processing capac-



ity of up to 150 TJ/day, delivering gas to homes and businesses across Victoria and South Australia.

The scope of supply includes thermoplastic electro-hydraulic production control umbilicals, together with associated distribution equipment such as umbilical termination assemblies, umbilical termination heads, electrical flying leads and hydraulic flying leads. www.jdr cables.com

Nexans Q1 financials: Solid start to 2026

Nexans reported first quarter robust organic growth in electrification at +4.9% supported by disciplined execution of the acquisition of Republic Wire, a strategic platform in the United States generating some €520 million current sales annually. Also, Nexans says the company has experienced no material financial impact from the Middle East political situation with its Q1 2026 guidance confirmed.



The company's full-year 2026 guidance is confirmed as follows: Nexans sees adjusted EBITDA of between €730 million and €810 million and free cash flow of between €210 million and €310 million.

www.nexans.com

Amphenol reports record Q1 2026 results

Amphenol, Wallingford, CT, USA, re-

ported the highlight of its first quarter 2026 financial results. Sales of some US\$7.6 billion, were up 58% and 33% organically compared to the first quarter of 2025. Orders of US\$9.4 billion, resulted in a book-to-bill of 1.24:1. GAAP diluted EPS of US\$0.72, were up 24% compared to prior year. Adjusted diluted EPS of US\$1.06, were up 68% compared to prior year. And GAAP and adjusted operating margin were 24.0% and 27.3%, respectively. The company's operating and free cash flow were US\$1.1 billion and US\$831 million, respectively.

Additionally, Amphenol completed the acquisition of CommScope's CCS business as was previously announced.

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Prysmian Announces Strategic Leadership Transitions in North American Positions

Prysmian, a world leader in energy and data wire and cabling solutions, recently announced changes to its leadership structure in North America to further strengthen the company's market position in the region.

With over 20 years experience at Prysmian, **Matt Bedell**, will move from his role as Vice President of



Specialties to his new position as Senior Vice President, Power Distribution. With 31 years at Prysmian, **Brian DiLascia**, most recently responsible for Power Distribution within North America, will assume re-



sponsibility for Digital Solutions and the integration of Channell.

With 21 years experience at Prysmian, **Patrick Jacobi**, VP of Specialties, transitions from his role in Digital Solutions to lead North America's Specialties business unit as Vice President.



And with five years progressive experience within Prysmian, **Matthew Wagner**, has been promoted into the role of North America's Vice President, Corporate Affairs, as **Robert Hust** retires in May.



Learn more at: www.prysmian.com

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Registration Open for WCMA Golf Outing

Ed Fenton and **Amber Schilberg** report that registration is open for the **WCMA** Annual Golf Outing and Fundraiser, scheduled for June 1, 2026, at the **Wethersfield Country Club**:

"As has been our policy, we will take member reservations first on a first-come, first-served basis, up to 144 spots. Non-members can contact WCMA to be added to the waiting list.



"Member pricing is US\$225 per player or US\$900 per foursome. There is a limit of two foursomes per company. Non-member pricing is US\$300 per player or US\$1200 per foursome."

www.wcmainc.org

Belden to Acquire RUCKUS

Network solutions provider, **Belden Inc.**, entered into a definitive agreement to acquire **RUCKUS Networks**, a provider of intelligent network solutions,



from **Vistance Networks** for US\$1.85 billion. The acquisition establishes Belden as a leading provider of complete, end-to-end IT/OT networking solutions. RUCKUS provides purpose-built connectivity systems.

investor.belden.com

STL delivers resilient FY'26 performance; AI Data Center is key growth engine

STL, Mumbai, India, a leading connectivity solutions provider for AI-ready digital infrastructure, announced its financial results for the fiscal year ended March, 31 2026. The company reported revenues of INR 1441 Cr for the quarter and INR 4745 Cr for FY'26, a growth of ~14.7% QoQ and 18.8% YoY.



In FY'26, STL delivered EBITDA margins at ~13.2% and EBITDA of INR 628 Cr. The year was characterized by a transformative ~110% surge in order intake over FY'25. This indicates strong revenue visibility and sets the stage for sustained growth in the coming quarters.

STL delivered a consistent sequential improvement in EBITDA margins for the sixth consecutive quarter,

driven by higher utilization and improved product mix.

STL continues to strengthen its global operations while being a trusted partner for its customers, building AI-ready digital infrastructure.

www.stl.tech

Southwire Canada earns 2026-2027 Great Place to Work Certification

Southwire Canada, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada, was named a Certified™ by Great Place To Work® for the fifth time. This prestigious award is based entirely on what current Southwire Canada team members say about their experience working at Southwire.



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NEMA Urges Action to Action to Strengthen Copper Supply Chain

Testifying before the U.S. House Natural Resources Committee's Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources hearing Powering the 21st Century with American Copper, **National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA)** President/CEO **Debra Phillips** explained



that copper is ubiquitous in the electrical equipment and systems that must be scaled rapidly to address the more than 55% increase in USA electric power demand that NEMA anticipates will materialize by 2050,

www.makeitelectric.org

Leadership Appointments at Service Wire

Service Wire made several strategic leadership appointments. **Trish Weisberg Erwin** was named Chief Operating Officer (COO). **Jayme McComas** now serves as Director of HR and Safety, and **Charles F. (Chuck) Oldaker, Jr.** will continue to serve as Executive Vice President while taking on a new role as Strategic Advisor to the President.



www.servicewire.com

Times Microwave Introduces Ultra-Lightweight Cable Assemblies for Next-Gen UAV & Avionics Applications

Times Microwave Systems, Wallingford, CT, USA, a pioneering brand of high-performance RF and microwave interconnect solutions for more than 70 years, launched its Levitate™ cable assembly line. Designed for both military and commercial RF systems, the Levitate line offers an ultra-lightweight construction with minimal signal loss, making it an ideal solution for avionics applications across UAV Groups 1 through 5.



Levitate assemblies provide the lightest weight per unit of loss available on the market today, allowing engineers to reduce overall system mass without compromising RF performance. Budget-friendly and readily available


through authorized distribution, the Levitate line offers an efficient, scalable way to support critical RF runs both inside and outside the box.

"The Levitate product line fills a gap in the airframe and avionics community, specifically in the UAV market," says **Matthew Radicchi**, Director, Market Intelligence. "This new line combines cost, performance and availability, providing lightweight solution that supports the today's aggressive demands."

The Levitate family serves a wide range of airborne applications, including but not limited to, flight control, communications and surveillance. www.timesmicrowave.com

ership behaviors proven to deliver market-leading revenue, employee retention and increased innovation. www.southwire.com

Prysmian receives funding for updating of automated cable splicing machine

Prysmian received US\$4.5 million in funding from the U.S. Department of Energy Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy (ARPA-E) as a  part of the Grid Overhaul with Proactive, High-speed Undergrounding for Reliability, Resilience and Security (GOPHURRS) program, which aims to strengthen and modernize America's aging power grid through the development of cost-effective, high-speed and safe undergrounding technologies. With the funding, Prysmian began

developing automated splicing units for underground power cables in collaboration with Con Edison and Exelon, two of the largest investor-owned utilities in the USA. www.prysmian.com

Wesco Q1 2026 record results

Wesco International reported record first quarter reported net sales of US\$6.1 billion, up 14% YOY, with organic sales up 12% and data center sales of US\$1.4 billion, up ~70% YOY. The Q1 operating margin was 4.8%, up 30 basis points and adjusted EBITDA margin was 6.4%, up 60 basis points YOY. The Q1 diluted EPS was US\$3.11 and adjusted diluted EPS was US\$3.37, up 52.5% YOY.



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- Improve production efficiency with capacity-based planning.
- Manage drums and spools more effectively across operations.
- Optimize scheduling with better material visibility.
- Reduce dependency on manual processes and disconnected tools.
- Make faster, better decisions with real-time connected data.

The webinar speakers are:

- **Aakash Nithish L. R.:** Functional ERP Expert, InnoVites.
- **Nitin Damodar Nayak:** Solution Architect, sa.global.

www.innovites.com/webinar-wire-and-cable-industry

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Bekaert Completes Tire Cord Acquisition

Bekaert completed the acquisition of **Bridgestone's** tire reinforcement business in China and Thailand, following the successful completion of all customary closing conditions and the receipt of regulatory approvals.



The deal includes tire cord facilities in China (**Bridgestone (Shenyang) Steel Cord Co., Ltd.**) and Thailand (**Bridgestone Metalpha (Thailand) Co. Ltd.**), that make high-quality tire cord products for Bridgestone tires.

www.bekaert.com

Windy City Wire Expands Sales Class of 2026

Windy City Wire expanded recruitment for its Sales Class of 2026 with applications now open. The firm is actively reviewing candidates and extending offers on a rolling basis. The Sales Class of 2026 is a career development initiative to prepare college graduates and early-career professionals for long-term success in technical sales. The program: two weeks of structured product/process training, six weeks of shadowing and active sales roles. www.windycitywire.com



HUBER+SUHNER strengthens collaboration with Microsoft

HUBER+SUHNER strengthened its collaboration with Microsoft Azure Fiber with further planned investments in production capabilities to accelerate rollout of Hollow Core Fiber (HCF) cable and connectivity solutions supporting cloud and artificial intelligence (AI) infrastructure.



As part of the strengthened cooperation, HUBER+SUHNER expects progressive growth in manufacturing volumes as Microsoft deploys

HCF across more Azure regions. www.hubersuhner.com

Nortech launches power over fiber technology platform

Nortech Systems launched its Power over Fiber technology platform addressing a critical engineering challenge by delivering reliable power and data through optical **Nortech** fiber cable, eliminating the need for a separate local power source. Using optical fiber instead of copper, the platform removes electrical noise and ground loops while providing EMI immunity, electrical isolation and a lighter, more sustainable solution for long-distance power delivery across mission-critical applications, such as power transmission in medical, aerospace, low-orbit, subsea, defense and industrial applications. www.nortechsys.com

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wire & Tube 2026: Compelling Solutions for New Global Applications

Despite major geopolitical challenges, disrupted supply chains, high tariffs and scarce raw materials, the fairgrounds in Düsseldorf, Germany, were buzzing with activity during the recent *wire & Tube 2026*.

With 2600 exhibitors from 65 countries, the shows demonstrated their international appeal/leadership position.

The trade fairs showed the entire value chain on some 119,000 m² of exhibit space in 16 exhibition halls. The focus was on the future: AI, robotics, renewable energies and the energy transition were not just buzzwords but lived reality.



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Trade visitors from 130 countries traveled to Düsseldorf for the trade fairs, with both long-established and entirely new target groups represented in equal numbers. The next *wire & Tube* will be April 3 to 7, 2028 in Düsseldorf, Germany.
www.wire-tradefair.com
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Jicable'27 International Conference in September 2027

Jicable'27 International Conference will once again take place at the **Lyon Convention Centre**, which successfully hosted *Jicable'23*. An important change is that unlike previous Conference editions traditionally held in June, *Jicable'27* will take place from September 5 to 9, 2027, in Lyon, France.



From innovative and sustainable cable designs supporting the energy transition to AI powered digital modeling and asset management, *Jicable'27* will explore the key technologies shaping the future of the cable industry.
www.jicable.org

May 11, 2026

EVENTS

May 16 – 18, 2026

26th China (Guangzhou) International Fastener, Spring & Wire Exhibition
Guangzhou, China
www.julang.com.cn/english/jingujian/

June 1, 2026

WCMA Annual Golf Outing & Fundraiser,
Wethersfield, CT, USA, www.wcmainc.org

June 9 – 10, 2026

Polymers in Cables, Cleveland, OH, USA
www.ami.ltd/Cables-USA

June 23 – 25, 2026

CRU Wire & Cable Connections Summit
2026, Hanover, Germany
events.crugroup.com

September 21 – 24, 2026

wire China 2026, Shanghai, China
www.wirechina.net

October 20 – 21, 2026

Automotive Wire Harness
Detroit, MI, USA
www.edc-conference.com

November 1 – 4, 2026

IWCS Cable & Connectivity Industry
Forum Orlando, FL, USA, www.iwcs.org

November 30 – December 2, 2026

wire India, Mumbai, India
www.wire-india.com

February 23 – 25, 2027

wire Mexico, Monterrey, NL, Mexico
www.wire-tube-mexico.com

May 4 – 7, 2027

Interwire 2027, Atlanta, GA, USA
www.wirenet.org

September 5 – 9, 2027

Jicable'27, Lyon, France
www.jicable.org

September 15 – 17, 2027

wire Southeast Asia 2027
Bangkok, Thailand
www.wire-southeastasia.com
www.mdna.com

April 3 – 7, 2028

wire & Tube 2028, Dusseldorf, Germany
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