

Press Release

FaiveleyTech expands its Healthcare BU with a brand-new site in Stabio (Switzerland)

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FaiveleyTech is delighted to announce the opening of its brand-new plant in Stabio (Switzerland). This new industrial plant is more modern, more flexible and more eco-responsible.

The Healthcare Business Unit at FaiveleyTech is, consequently, equipping itself with a unique range of means to meet the ever-exacting standards of the Healthcare industries. This investment falls within the framework of FaiveleyTech Group's growth strategy.

Pooling together of business activities and increased capacity

Thanks to its brand-new industrial site in Stabio, FaiveleyTech is expanding the production capacity of its Healthcare BU. Along with the Annecy site, the firm now has two sites which are entirely dedicated to the pharmaceutical and medical sectors.

FaiveleyTech Ticino now pools together the business activities on the Swiss sites at **Castione** and **Canobbio**.

This new plant will allow for a significant upscaling of production capacity, thanks to greater surface area and ultra-modern infrastructure.

A total of 4,000 m² are now fully dedicated to the requirements of the healthcare industries. Around thirty presses able to produce a clean environment will be progressively installed.

This initial phase of the project represents a total investment by the Group of around 3 million euros.



FaiveleyTech Ticino



Specialisation: clean room production

FaiveleyTech Ticino is positioned in the **production in ISO 8 certified clean rooms** for **injected plastic solutions** for three target markets:

- The pharmaceutical laboratories,
- The manufacturers of diagnostic tools,
- The manufacturers of medical appliances.

The plant offers its clients the possibility of **prototyping**, **design support and assistance and product design**. Expertise in **micro-injection**, **assembly**, **welding** and **finishing** is a major asset which is offered to the healthcare industries.



A key asset: "Swiss Made" production

The Swiss pharmaceutical industry was awaiting **local production capabilities.** The Stabio site has now met this **need for local production**.

"With the FaiveleyTech Ticino site, we are further expanding our capabilities to support clients of our Healthcare BU. We are also seeking to conquer new market share with the Swiss healthcare industries, which are incredibly keen on local production. We are now in a position to offer fully "Swiss Made" production", explained Mario Cattaneo, FaiveleyTech Ticino site Director.

A site with a clear commitment towards CSR

FaiveleyTech Ticino has been designed and developed in the framework of the FaiveleyTech Group's overall CSR strategy. Its site, infrastructure and equipment have been fully optimised with a view to achieving energy savings and optimal use of resources. The primary fleet of presses will all be electric.

Some 1,200 solar panels will cover the plant's roof, which will eventually allow for renewable energy sources for around twenty or so presses. As with other Group sites, FaiveleyTech Ticino is soon expecting to gain ISO 50001 certification (Energy Management).



Synergies with FaiveleyTech Annecy for large production volumes

The FaiveleyTech Ticino site is intended to work **hand-in-glove** with the FaiveleyTech Annecy site. The assets of the Annecy site lie in industrial production, automation of highly-complex processes, a high level of equipment and production capability in a controlled atmosphere. Its installations allow for the high-speed production of large volumes, with effective automation suited to cutting-edge healthcare requirements.

The Stabio site will primarily focus on small and medium series productions.

With its brand new FaiveleyTech Ticino site, FaiveleyTech is offering the Swiss healthcare industries a range of new local production opportunities. The Group offers a concrete response to the expectations of industrial manufacturers concerned with quality local manufacturing and supply chain.

The FaiveleyTech Healthcare BU is, consequently, further expanding its offer to European groups and laboratories wishing to produce in Europe, on a cutting-edge technical site which is eco-responsible.

About FaiveleyTech

FaiveleyTech is an international group founded in France and specialising in high added-value plastic injection for the exacting, selective and/or regulatory Industry, Beauty and Healthcare sectors. It is chaired by its Executive Chair Nicolas Alloin and the Faiveley family who is the shareholder of Faiveley Transport-Wabtec, global leader in rail equipment and also the owner of Domaine Faiveley since 1825 (Nuit-Saint-Georges), a wine producer in Burgundy.

FaiveleyTech Group has 450 employees, 7 production sites in France and abroad. It recorded sales turnover of €83.4 M in 2022.

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