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Total efficiency for the food & packaging industries – FlexLink shows how at Scanpack.

*FlexLink shows how manufacturers pull the consumer convenience down to the factory floor while reducing the total cost of production. Meet us at Scanpack, October 20 – 23<sup>rd</sup>.*

The aims on reducing production cost, increasing the speed of new product introductions and the management of fluctuating demands are well known to brand owners and producers in the competitive food and dairy industries. On top of this is the aims of consumer and brand protection by means of food safety and good working conditions.

At Scanpack, Scandinavia's leading packaging exhibition, FlexLink will demonstrate solutions and know-how from the bread, cheese and dairy industries. The unique combination of tools for efficient production flow, the new hygienically designed conveyor platform and refined functions are examples of where the requirements of manufacturers and consumers meet.

### **Hygienically designed conveyor platforms**

Visitors will experience the new generation of hygienically designed modular wide belt conveyors, the WLXH. It is suited for processes where there is direct contact with food and brings new levels of hygiene and efficiency to the work floor. The design complies to the EHEDG design guidelines and simplifies the risk analysis according to HACCP.

Consumer safety and product shelf life starts with the product and the production. FlexLink's solutions are designed for consistent cleaning results, easy access during cleaning and short drying time. Integrated cleaning-in-place (CIP) solutions bring cleaning processes to new levels of consistence and easiness.

Visitors will be demonstrated also the complete range of state of the art conveyor platforms for the packaging process and downstream to carton handling and end-of-line with structures in stainless steel or aluminum.

## **Complete solutions**

FlexLink offers turnkey solutions including pre-studies, solutions design, layouts, integration and after sales services. To manufacturers requiring efficient production systems will be demonstrated 3D production flow simulations – for early verification of the systems design and capacity.

“Customers from the food industries give us strong feedback, emphasizing the users’ perspectives on efficiency and production cleanliness. We look forward meeting the industry at Scanpack” comments Mattias Byström, Managing Director of FlexLink.

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FlexLink is a leading provider of automated production flow solutions – giving improved production efficiency to industry. Headquartered in Göteborg, Sweden, FlexLink has operating units in 30 countries and is represented in more than 60. In 2014, FlexLink had 840 employees and a turnover of SEK 1,649 million.

FlexLink is part of Coesia, an innovation based Group consisting of 14 companies specialized in automated machinery and industrial process solutions. For 2014, the Coesia Group had a turnover of Euro 1,450 million and 6,175 employees.