



## Press Release

The Technik Museen Sinsheim Speyer – from Deep Sea into Space

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- over one million visitors per year
- a breath-taking permanent exhibition and changing special exhibitions



The Technik Museen Sinsheim Speyer are Europe's largest private museums of technology. On an area of more than 200,000 sqm, the Technik Museen Sinsheim Speyer present more than 6,000 exhibits from all fields of technological history in a worldwide unique variety. Visitors can marvel at unique vintage cars of unmeasurable value, historic motorcycles, iconic sports cars, aircrafts and locomotives as well as the large-scale exhibits in the extensive outdoor area.

The two fully accessible supersonic jets Concorde and Tupolev TU-144, enthroned next to each other on the roof of Technik Museum Sinsheim, are visible from afar. In addition, the museum presents the speed record vehicle The Blue Flame, the world's largest Maybach collection, the American Dream Cars exhibition, historic agricultural machines and a unique military exhibition. The latest highlight is the special exhibition called "Mythos Alfa Romeo" – about the myth surrounding the iconic Italian car manufacturer Alfa Romeo – that was opened in 2019 and will be on until late autumn 2020 in the newly-built Hall 3.

Extraordinary large-scale exhibits captivate the visitors at the Technik Museum Speyer. The gigantic Boeing 747, an original submarine of the German Navy and an original rescue cruiser are some of the most memorable exhibits. Among the greatest highlights are the Russian Space Shuttle Buran and the breath-taking space exhibition "Apollo & Beyond" as well as the world's largest organ from the German Welte company. Additionally, Museum Wilhelmsbau presents a remarkable collection of fully automatic large orchestra instruments as well as self-playing musical instruments and an exhibition on the iconic German TV series Lindenstraße. Besides the permanent exhibition and the changing special exhibitions, numerous vehicle and club meetings as well as other exciting events attract over one million visitors each year.

Another highlight are the two IMAX large-format cinemas. While the IMAX 3D Laser 4K cinema in Sinsheim shows the latest blockbusters and fascinating documentations in the cinema with the highest resolution in the world, films are projected onto a giant dome in the IMAX DOME cinema in Speyer so that visitors get the feeling that they are part of the film.

Supported by the non-profit club Auto-Technik-Museum e.V. and based on the motto "for fans from fans", the Technik Museen Sinsheim Speyer have about 3,500 members from all over the world. The financing is exclusively based on admission fees, donations as well as membership fees of club members. All surpluses are used for the museum's maintenance and expansion.