FACT SHEET – BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES IN THE HAMBURG REGION

Aircraft Cabins in Hamburg

No matter where in the world you board an aircraft, there is a good chance your cabin comes from Hamburg. Our region’s aircraft interiors competency stretches along the entire value creation chain (from R&D and education to OEM and MRO). There is a particular focus on the development of cabins and cabin systems and the associated interfaces, including cabin conversions, and specializations in: sustainability and efficiency, service and comfort, digitalisation, individuality and branding for airlines, system and process integration, manufacturing and production friendliness, modularisation, and safety & security aspects of cabin/cabin system certification.

Attention is given to digitalisation in the field of inflight entertainment, cabin communications, guidance for crew and passengers, as well as MRO. Input from start-ups is also being incorporated here.

A particular strength of the region is the fields of acoustics and vibration, as well as digitally supported operational, maintenance and service processes. At the same time, our network is still strategically looking for new companies with specific expertise in these fields.

The region has a broad competency spectrum along the entire value creation chain for cabins, with a substantial focus on engineering. This means: potential for new business, equipment and system suppliers, and manufacturing companies in the upstream supply chain.

Companies and Institutions related to Aircraft Interiors already:

- Airbus (Customer Definition Center)
- Diehl Comfort Modules
- Ferchau Engineering
- HAW Hamburg
- Hutchinson Aerospace
- Innovint Aircraft Interior
- Jenoptik
- Krüger Aviation
- Lufthansa Technik
- Safran Engineering Services
- TUHH
- ZAL Center of Applied Aeronautical Research
- Zodiac Cabin Controls
HAMBURG: HOME OF AVIATION AND YOUR PLACE FOR BUSINESS

- The 8th-largest city in the Europe, with a population of 1.8 million (5 million in the metro region)
- The place with the **highest GDP per capita of all German states** (53,611 EUR) and the fourth-highest GDP per capita in Europe
- Among the world’s 10 most livable cities, according to The Economist
- The global capital of wind power, the world leader in research with free-electron lasers, a renowned center for life science, the leading seaport in Northern Europe, and a powerful startup hub – all connected in a tight network of 9 cluster initiatives
- The third-largest civil aviation site in the world with more than 40,000 highly-qualified employees and way over 100 years of tradition
- An internationally awarded network forming a powerful alliance of Hamburg based business, science, education and politics: Hamburg Aviation:

![Hamburg Aviation Network Diagram](image)

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