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Interroll and KUNSTSTOFF.swiss bring Swiss plastics industry together for Additive Manufacturing Day in Ticino

Sant'Antonino, Switzerland – 27 April 2026 – Interroll and KUNSTSTOFF.swiss, the association of the Swiss plastics industry, hosted today the Additive Manufacturing Day at Interroll's production site in Sant'Antonino, bringing together members and invited guests from across the Swiss plastics industry for an in-depth look at industrial polymer additive manufacturing and its role in modern production.

The event offered exclusive access to Interroll's additive manufacturing area, from printing to post-processing, with a focus on polymer-based DLP (Digital Light Processing) technology. Participants also viewed real applications and printed samples, discussed selection criteria and use cases, and compared additive manufacturing approaches alongside Interroll's injection molding production. By combining Interroll's industrial expertise with KUNSTSTOFF.swiss' network and knowledge exchange platform, the visit was designed to foster dialogue between technology providers, users and decision-makers—supporting innovation, competitiveness and practical implementation in the Swiss plastics value chain.

Highlights of the day included:

- Guided tour of Interroll's additive manufacturing processes, including post-processing
- Demonstrations of polymer DLP production capabilities and sample parts
- Discussion on industrial use cases, quality requirements and technology comparison
- Visit to injection molding production and exchange on end-to-end manufacturing considerations
- Networking among specialists and leaders from the Swiss plastics industry

Interroll emphasized the practical, industry-focused value of the exchange:

“Additive manufacturing is becoming an increasingly important industrial tool—especially when it enables short lead times, rapid iteration and robust polymer parts for real-world applications. Opening our Sant’Antonino site together with KUNSTSTOFF.swiss allowed us to share practical insights into DLP-based production, from printing to post-processing, and to exchange directly with experts from across the Swiss plastics industry,” said **Elisabetta Brunetti, Managing Director, Interroll SA.**

“For our members, the key value of events like this lies in the combination of technology depth and practical relevance. The visit to Interroll provided first-hand insights into polymer additive manufacturing and created a strong forum for discussion—helping companies better assess opportunities, requirements and next steps for implementation. We thank Interroll for the openness and look forward to continuing this collaboration.” said **Riccardo Casanova, Managing Director, KUNSTSTOFF.swiss.**

Interroll and KUNSTSTOFF.swiss would like to thank all participants for the strong engagement and valuable discussions. The partners will continue to promote opportunities for knowledge transfer and collaboration around advanced manufacturing technologies.

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About Interroll

The Interroll Group is the leading global provider of material-handling solutions. The company was founded in 1959 and has been listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange since 1997. Interroll provides system integrators and OEMs with a wide range of platform-based products and services in these categories: Rollers (conveyor rollers), Drives (motors and drives for conveyor systems), Conveyors & Sorters, as well as Pallet Handling (flow storage systems). Interroll products and solutions are used in express and postal services, e-commerce, airports, the food & beverage industry, fashion, automotive sectors, and many other industries. Among the end users are leading brands such as Amazon, Bosch, Coca-Cola, DHL, Nestlé, Procter & Gamble, Siemens, Walmart, and Zalando. Headquartered in Switzerland, Interroll has a global network of 36 operating companies with sales of CHF 514.2 million and around 2,400 employees (average number of employees (FTE) in 2025).

About KUNSTSTOFF.swiss – The Swiss Plastics Industry Association

The KUNSTSTOFF.swiss association represents the Swiss plastics industry, whose approximately 800 companies, with their 34,000 employees, generate an annual turnover of around CHF 15 billion. Its aim is to promote the responsible use of plastics throughout their entire life cycle, to develop economically and ecologically sound solutions for the recycling of plastic waste, and to offer attractive, targeted opportunities for vocational training and further education. KUNSTSTOFF.swiss is also committed to securing favourable framework conditions and fostering cooperation at the federal level in Bern and internationally. Currently, just under half of all companies active in the Swiss plastics industry are members of KUNSTSTOFF.swiss. Christian Morf has been president of the association since June 2025.

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