

Special stand-construction regulations for Techtex / Texprocess

(Additions and specifications relating to Section 4 of the Technical Guidelines of 26 November 2018)

- The exhibition stand must be open or transparent to at least 70 % on all aisle sides.
- Long, closed stand constructions are not permitted on the aisles.
- Stand walls must be 2.50 m high to the neighbouring stand at the back and finished in neutral white and opaque or be made using an appropriate, neutral system stand. Messe Frankfurt reserves the right to take appropriate steps at the exhibitor's cost if this requirement is not adhered to.
- A visual connection between two exhibition stands that face each other is only permissible in the case of stands covering at least 300 m² and after obtaining individual consent from the event management.
- Constructions of any kind across the aisle must be agreed with the event management in advance (see overleaf).
- Stand-construction plans requiring consent must be submitted no later than Friday, 22 March 2018, to the Event Technology Department of Messe Frankfurt Venue GmbH: technics@messefrankfurt.com.

Among the aspects requiring consent are:

- Stand constructions with a surface area of 100 m² or more
- Stand constructions and exhibits over 4 m high
- Closed ceilings
- Glass constructions
- Platforms and stages over 0.20 m high
- Special constructions

To confirm whether or not your stand construction requires consent, please see Section 4.2 of the Technical Guidelines.

- All hall aisles and emergency exits must be kept clear during the entire setting-up and dismantling phase and the instructions of the Hall Manager obeyed.
- Please note the exact times of the setting-up phase and the following supplementary regulations:
 - From 14.00 hrs on the last setting-up day (13 May 2019), work is only permitted on the exhibition stand itself. The aisles must be cleared and kept free for carpet laying and cleaning work.
 - If they are obstructing the organiser's work after 14.00 hrs, all packing materials that can be identified as clearly belonging to the exhibitor will be removed and stored by the Messe Frankfurt Logistics Service with all costs incurred being billed to the exhibitor concerned.

Constructions over the aisle

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Constructions of any kind across the aisle must be agreed with the event management in advance.

The following regulations must be observed in the case of a connection between two exhibition stands separated by a hall aisle:

Floor covering:

- The hall aisle must be marked, e.g., with different coloured floor covering or marker points (10 cm diameter at intervals of 1 m).
- If two exhibition stands are to be linked by a platform, both sides must have a ramp with a max. incline of 6 % on both sides.
- Steps are **not** permitted in the hall aisles.
- Wooden flooring is permitted in the aisles. However, the edge must be marked in the area of the aisle and chamfered.

Overhead construction:

- The clear height of the overhead construction must be at least **2.50 m**.
- Light fittings are only permitted in the aisle area if they comply with currently valid and generally recognised codes of practice, as well as all relevant regulations, such as DIN, VDE and UVV (especially BGV C1).
- Advertising / corporate logos are **not** permitted in the aisle area.
- If the overhead construction obscures pictographs, signs or other safety-relevant features, substitute measures must be implemented in agreement with the Technical Event Management Department of Messe Frankfurt.

General:

- The aisles must always be kept clear over their full width. Neither stand constructions (including doors or curtains) nor exhibits may be placed there.
- All stand-construction and decoration materials must be flame resistant, at least B1 in accordance with DIN 4102 or at least Class C in accordance with EN 13501-1. No highly inflammable materials which drip or form toxic gases and thick smoke when they burn, such as rigid polystyrene foam, PVC, etc., may be used. In the case of fire, the materials used may not contribute to the formation of thick smoke.
- The exhibitor must bear all costs for changes, additions and replacements that may become necessary in the course of building the construction over the aisle.