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## Successful seminar „Online Glass Engineering”

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The first seminar for the new „Online Glass Engineering“ program was held in Munich and was presented by Dipl.-Eng. Hans Mahrenholtz of Linde AG, Dipl.-Eng. André Ommer and Dipl.-Eng. Andreas Gilles of OGIS GmbH to high-ranking representatives of German glass industry and suppliers in the field of furnace construction. [www.glassglobal.com](http://www.glassglobal.com), the world’s leading portal site for the international glass industry provides this program in German and English language, at present, and well reputed international manufacturers already use it at great benefit.

### ***Energy balance calculation very complex ...***

The participants, experts of well-known manufacturers, covering all areas of glass production, such as Saint-Gobain Isover G+H AG, Zwiesel Kristallglas AG or Heye Glas GmbH but also suppliers such as Horn Glass Industries or IWG Ingenieurbüro Wagenbauer participated at this seminar.

The final individual evaluation resulted in absolute top marks regarding flexibility, online-capability with parallel permanently available updates as

well as the multiple options for calculations. Specially the possibilities for combination of the energy balance calculation and the glass composition calculation were appraised positively. Comments, such as "... glass characteristics and calculation of glass composition absolutely strong ...", – "...reasoned and consequentially...", – "...energy balance calculation very complex and concise ..." prove its reliability. 70% of the participants confirmed that they are interested in using this program in their companies in the future, as in addition to above the cost/performance ratio fits.

With this concept, glassglobal.com does not address all glass manufacturers worldwide but also the suppliers in the field of batch and furnace construction. This guarantees best and expert consultancy for glass manufacturers via this channel and that supply and demand match directly. Specially the companies promoted within the Technology area benefit from their highlighted and exclusive presentation as they are specially recommended to glass factories as expert contact in their respective field of activity.

### ***Further seminars planned ...***

This excellent feedback confirms OGIS GmbH and Linde AG to further develop this "Online Glass Engineering" program and to hold further seminars, not only in Germany but also worldwide. Interested participants may order their test access directly online at [www.glassglobal.com](http://www.glassglobal.com), the international leading glass portal, or are invited to contact Mr. Dipl.-Ing. André Ommer of OGIS GmbH directly.

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