



## Press Release

### **Expansion of internationalization strategy Conclusion of distribution partnership in Japan**

- ◆ **Exentis gains experienced technology distributor in Japan with Sintokogio Ltd.**
- ◆ **Opening of Japanese showroom in preparation**
- ◆ **First Exentis 3D system placed in Japan**

**Stetten, Switzerland, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022** - EXENTIS Group AG, provider of a proprietary 3D technology platform that - contrary to traditional additive manufacturing technologies - allows industrial large-scale production, has gained an experienced distributor in Japan with Sintokogio Ltd, Nagoya, and has thus further executed its internationalisation strategy.

Since its foundation in 1934, Sintokogio has developed extensive technologies in the field of metal processing and environmental engineering. The company is successfully active in 17 international markets with 4'000 employees. The objective of the exclusive, license-based distribution partnership is to complement traditional mass production technologies in Japan with Exentis' innovative Industrialized Additive Manufacturing, initially for the development and manufacture of industrial applications.

In addition to attracting new Exentis 3D Community members, the distribution partnership also includes Sintokogio setting up a showroom for the Exentis technology platform. To this end, Sintokogio has already acquired a first Exentis 3D development and production system.

It is also planned that, after the partnership has been expanded accordingly, contract manufacturing orders can also be provided by Sintokogio.

As a next step, engineers from Sintokogio will be familiarized with the Exentis technology platform during an extended stay in Switzerland.

With the distribution partnership in Japan, Exentis is continuing its internationalization strategy in Asia, following the delivery of Exentis 3D systems to Australia and the United States of America in the past financial year as part of the establishment of the technology platform.

### **About Exentis**

As a solution provider, EXENTIS has a proprietary 3D technology platform that - contrary to conventional additive manufacturing technologies - allows industrial large-scale production. Industrialized Additive Manufacturing is universally applicable. For industrial or clean room applications. With free choice of materials, such as metals, ceramics, polymers, pharmaceutical or bioprinting products. 3D cold printing technology is sustainable and conserves materials as well as resources. The highly flexible 3D production technology combines rework-free component geometries with market-leading cost-benefit ratios. This allows customers to choose between producing millions of parts at Exentis or, as a member of the Exentis 3D Community, manufacturing in-house under license agreements when purchasing Exentis 3D development and production systems.

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