



analytica 2018

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analytica is a trade fair for laboratory technology, analysis and biotechnology that has been held at Messe München in Germany every two years since 1968. Its main exhibition sectors are the fields of analysis and quality control, biotechnology/life sciences/diagnostics and laboratory technology. Visitors who attend the fair are decision-makers and users from the chemicals, pharma, food and automobile industries, medicine, industry and government research.

As the largest and most important European trade fair and congress of its kind, analytica regularly brings together scientists, industry and users. Billed as the most powerful annual show for the global laboratory and analytical industry, the 26th edition was held from April 9 – 13, 2018 at Messe München in Germany.

During the four days, some 35,800 visitors from all over the world came to the industrial exhibition on the Munich fairgrounds. At this leading international trade fair for laboratory technology, analysis and biotechnology, 1,164 exhibitors from 49 countries presented their solutions to attendees' technological needs.

This year, Rigaku Europe SE, Applied Rigaku Technologies and Rigaku Raman Technologies shared a booth in Hall A1, where they presented handheld Raman devices, as well as XRF and XRD systems. A mockup of the new and unique tabletop SAXS system, NANOPIX mini, was presented at the booth after its launch on the market.



Applied Rigaku Technology focused on benchtop and online energy dispersive XRF solutions for industrial customers for quality and production control. Together with our new distributors in Germany (DePraTechnik), test measurements were performed at the booth on the state-of-the-art tabletop system NEX DE.

Rigaku Europe presented the Supermini200 and the sixth generation MiniFlex tabletop XRD, as well as the NANOPIX mini. There was great interest in the MiniFlex and Supermini200 from visitors from both academia and industry. A lot of interest and requests were recorded for our high-end floor-standing systems like the ZSX Primus IV WDXRF system and the multipurpose XRD system SmartLab. It was the first time we had the opportunity to tell our visitors about the new generation of the SmartLab with its outstanding features and improvements.

Lot of visitors also joined the live demonstrations of the handheld Raman system Progeny from Rigaku Raman Technologies group.

All in all, the three groups met a lot of interested visitors, distributors and customers at the booth during these four days at analytica in Munich, and it was definitely a great opportunity for Rigaku to present its products at this most important trade fair.

We thank all the customers who visited our booth and the people who worked on this project.