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## **Innovative and sustainable solutions from Kiefel at Interpack 2023**

KIEFEL GmbH, a market leader in the design and manufacture of polymer and natural fiber processing machines, automation and tools, will be presenting its extensive portfolio of innovative and sustainable solutions for various industries in Hall 8a / C57 at Interpack 2023, held on 4 -10 May in Düsseldorf, Germany. One particular highlight: Kiefel is being awarded the WorldStar Award.

Kiefel will mainly be digitally exhibiting its extensive portfolio of **cutting-edge solutions** for the manufacture of packaging products. Processing capabilities range from **natural fibers** to recycled and **recyclable polymers** or bio-based materials. Product samples such as cups, trays, bowls or coffee capsules will be on display.

### **Award winning natural fiber innovation**

“At Interpack 2023, one focus will be on the machine series for the production of biodegradable natural fiber packaging. We are delighted to receive the **WorldStar Award 2023** for our **NATUREFORMER KFT 90** machine at this trade fair as recognition of Kiefel’s **commitment to sustainable packaging solutions.**”- says Cornelia Frank, Global Director of Fiber Packaging at Kiefel. Kiefel Fiber Thermoforming allows the manufacture of sustainable packaging such as **bowls**, cups, **lids**, **coffee capsules**, packaging for frozen food, secondary packaging for electronics and luxury goods, and flower pots. Moreover, together with Pagès Group and MCC Verstraete, Kiefel will also showcase recyclable or compostable label solutions suitable for fiber packaging.

### **Material-saving plastic solutions - efficiently produced**

“Additionally, we are displaying machine technology for the efficient production of sustainable polymer containers, which are lightweight and material saving and can be made of mono materials, like our **SPEEDFORMER KMD 78.2 SPEED** for **tray** production and our **SPEEDFORMER KTR 5.2** for **cup** production,” highlights Armin Dietrich, Director Sales of Polymer Packaging at Kiefel.

### **Flexible form-fill-seal technology for medical bags**

Beside these packaging applications, Kiefel is also involved in the improvement of patients’ quality of life and **healthcare** with its new flexible **SOLUTIONPERFORMER**: Visitors can explore the modular

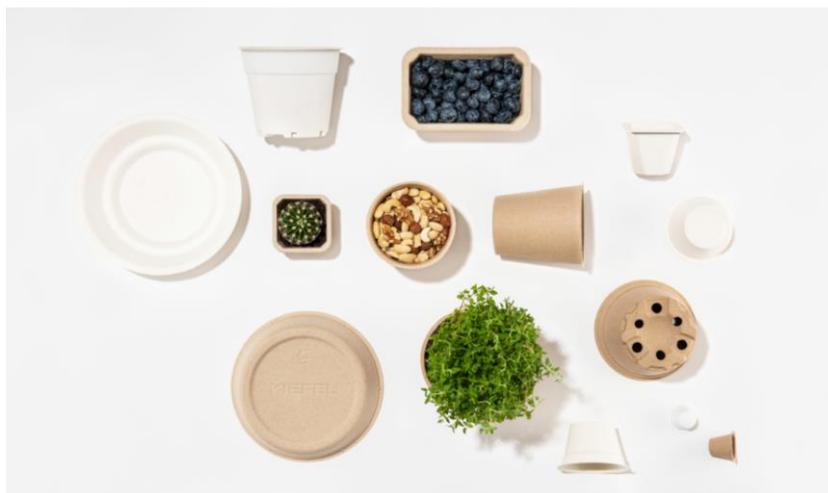
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system which combines bag making, filling and sealing in a single system at the best price-performance ratio for top-quality infusion, multi-chamber or CAPD bag production.

Visit Kiefel at the Brückner Group booth Hall 8a / C57.



High-quality plastic packaging can be efficiently produced on Kiefel machines.  
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Variety of natural fiber packaging - from trays, cups to coffee capsules, containers for frozen food and more.. © KIEFEL GmbH

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NATUREFORMER KFT 90 Speed machine - WorldStar Award Winner 2023. © KIEFEL GmbH



The SOLUTIONPERFORMER KFS can be used to produce a variety of bags. © KIEFEL GmbH



KMD 78.2 Speed – a highly efficient machine for polymer packaging products. © KIEFEL GmbH

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### **About Kiefel**

*Kiefel develops and produces high quality machines for processing plastics, recycled and bio-based materials as well as natural fibers. Kiefel's customers include well-known manufacturers from the medical engineering & pharma, refrigerator, and packaging industries. With its own technology and material centers, the company offers turnkey solutions and provides support in partnership from product development through machines and tools to service.*

*Kiefel has a global presence thanks to our own sales and service teams in the USA, France, the Netherlands, China, and India, as well as our sales and service partners in more than 60 countries.*

*KIEFEL GmbH owns the Dutch thermoform toolmaker Kiefel Packaging BV, as well as the Austrian company KIEFEL Packaging GmbH, a supplier of tools and automation solutions.*

*Kiefel and its subsidiaries employ around 900 staff. KIEFEL GmbH is a member of the Brückner group, based in Siegsdorf, which is a family owned group of medium-sized enterprises active in machinery and plant engineering with around 2,900 employees at 21 different locations worldwide.*

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