



### **centrotherm photovoltaics at the Photovoltaic Technology Show 2008**

- **Technologists inform about recent news in CIGS technology and silicon production**
- **Factory tour on 4 April in Blaubeuren**

***Blaubeuren, March 28, 2008*** – centrotherm photovoltaics AG will be at the third Photovoltaic Technology Show 2008 in Munich from 2 to 4 April 2008. The provider of technology and services for manufacturing solar cells and solar-grade silicon will be using this opportunity to inform people about its wide range of services. This includes supplying key equipment and turn-key production lines. Several thousand visitors from all over the world are expected at the international solar trade fair.

centrotherm photovoltaics will also be offering a look into the future while in Munich – with resource-saving thin-film technology the company is focusing on a copper indium gallium diselenide compound (CIGS). This has greater efficiency than other thin-film technologies – currently 19.9 percent according to research. At Stand J26 in Hall C1 experts from centrotherm photovoltaics will inform about latest technologies with regard to CIGS and solar-grade silicon as well as recent developments in the turnkey-business.

The provider of technology and services for manufacturing solar cells and solar-grade silicon will be giving information to anyone who is interested on Friday 4 April 2008 at the company's headquarters in Blaubeuren. As well as a tour of the premises, visitors will also get an insight into the manufacture of assembly lines and equipment for the production of solar cells, polysilicon and thin-film modules. The event is free of charge, visitors will only have to pay travel expenses, and the trade magazine PHOTON is providing a shuttle service (which you will have to pay for) from Munich and back again. The shuttle bus will be ready waiting in front of the trade fair for transfers at 8 am on 4 April.

**About centrotherm photovoltaics AG**

centrotherm photovoltaics AG is a leading international provider of technology and services for the production of solar cells and solar silicon. The broad range of products ranges from key equipment through turnkey production lines. Business operations currently focus on the growth market of Asia. The international customer base includes well-known companies from the solar sector. The company, which is based in Blaubeuren near Ulm, currently has more than 230 employees.

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