



CC-Link Partner Association (CLPA)



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Texprocess Americas, formerly SPESA EXPO, is the largest North American trade show displaying Equipment and Technology for the Development, Sourcing and Production of Sewn Products. At the 2018 show, the CC-Link Partner Association (CLPA) will be displaying a new CC-Link IE Field Basic application.

The Mitsubishi Electric Automation booth will be displaying the [Mitsubishi Electric Andon Solution](#) connected to the PLK-J6040 Sewing Machine. The application is all connected together via CC-Link IE Field Basic. The iQ Monozukuri Andon provides a solution to easily implement and operate an Andon system. Andon

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systems are used in manufacturing systems to visualize information from the production floor and share the information with factory workers, production managers, and maintenance personnel.

Texprocess Americas provides a platform for leading international manufacturers to present their latest machines, plant, processing, IT systems and services for developing textiles and other flexible materials.

The event will be held May 22 - 24, 2018 at the Georgia World Congress Center in Atlanta, Georgia. Texprocess Americas will be co-located with Techtextil North America, making this that largest and best technical textile, nonwoven, machinery, sewn products and equipment trade show in the Americas!

Finally, the booth will also feature a comprehensive display of different industry solutions, please visit the [Mitsubishi Electric booth 1142](#).

■ **CC-Link Partner Association**

Founded in 2000, the CC-Link Partner Association (CLPA) is an international open network organization dedicated to the technical development and promotion of the CC-Link family of open automation networks. The CLPA's key technology is CC-Link IE, the world's first and only open gigabit Ethernet for automation and an ideal solution for Industry 4.0 applications due to its unmatched bandwidth. Its main activities include the development of CC-Link IE and CC-Link technical specifications, conducting of conformance tests, development support, and promotion of the CC-Link technologies. The CLPA boasts more than 3,300 members. CC-Link is the leading open industrial automation network technology in Asia and is becoming increasingly popular in the Americas and Europe.

■ **Captions**

Image 1: The Mitsubishi Electric Andon Solution on the PLK-J6040 Sewing Machine.

Image 2: CC-Link IE Field Basic (IEFB) is an extension to CC-Link IE that enables vendors to easily add CC-Link IE compatibility to any product with a 100Mbit Ethernet port.

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