

MedTech Europe unveils *Facts & Figures 2025*, a snapshot of innovation and impact in Europe

Brussels, 4 September 2025 – Europe's medical technology sector continues to grow as a powerhouse of innovation and economic strength, according to *Facts & Figures 2025*, published today by MedTech Europe.

The report reveals a sector that is both highly innovative and deeply rooted in Europe's economy and health systems:

- 930,000+ people employed: more than the population of Amsterdam, with each role generating €183,000 in value.
- Europe is home to 38,000+ companies, 90% of them SMEs, many with fewer than 50 employees, yet driving innovation across borders.
- **15,700+ patents filed in 2024**, equal to one every 30 minutes, confirming medtech's place among the leading fields at the European Patent Office.

"Drawing on robust data, this publication paints a clear picture of medical technology's contribution to both healthcare and the wider economy in Europe.", said Oliver Bisazza, CEO of MedTech Europe. "Whether you are shaping policy, advancing innovation, delivering care, or simply curious about the impact of our sector, I invite you to explore these insights and better understand the indispensable role medical technology plays in strengthening health systems, supporting innovation, and improving life for people across Europe, and beyond."

MedTech Europe's Facts & Figures 2025 is the most comprehensive resource on Europe's medical technology sector. Designed as a practical tool, the report draws on trusted sources, including Eurostat, the European Patent Office, and market analyses, to provide an authoritative overview for policymakers, healthcare professionals, and industry stakeholders.

The Facts & Figures 2025 is available here. An interactive edition can also be explored via MedTech Europe's Data Hub.

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