

Special stand-construction regulations

(Supplement and specification to item 4 of the Technical Guidelines, as of 14.02.2025)

Important notes for exhibitor

- **Stand-construction plans requiring official approval** must be submitted to the Technical Event Management of Messe Frankfurt Venue GmbH no later than January 12th, 2026:
www.messefrankfurt.com/standapproval
- **Scaled stand plans** at an appropriate scale (e.g. 1:100) including floor plans and elevations must be submitted for approval no later than six weeks before the start of setup to Messe Frankfurt Venue GmbH, Technical Event Management department, exclusively via this link (as a PDF file, max. 10 MB):
www.messefrankfurt.com/standapproval. Labels and annotations must be in either German or English.
- Please refer to Section 4.2 of the Technical Guidelines to learn whether your stand construction is subject to official approval. **Subject for approval are e.g.:** Stand-constructions with a ground space larger than 100 sqm, Stand-constructions and exhibition goods over 4m height, Closed ceilings, two-storey stand construction, Special constructions
- Please note that in the event of a structural inspection of your stand construction, the invoice will be issued directly to you by the structural engineering company. This is due to insurance and liability reasons.
- On completion and implementation of the stand-construction plans for the event, the Technical Event Management will measure the **actual area of the two-storey stand construction (stairs included)** and inform Accounts accordingly. The invoice will be sent in accordance with the price list after the end of the event.
- For stand constructions subject for approval, additional costs for **statics and fire protection** may arise.
- A **visual link** between two exhibition stands that face each other is only possible in exceptional cases and after individual agreement with the Light + Building team
- At least **50 % of all sides** of the **stand-construction** adjoining an aisle **must be open** or transparent. Elongated closed stand constructions on the aisles are not permitted.
- **Stand walls adjoining a neighbour stand** with a height of more than 2.50m have to be smooth on the back, neutral white and non-transparent or made up of a suitable stand construction system. If this regulation is not complied with, Messe Frankfurt reserves the right to take appropriate steps at the exhibitor's cost.
- **Hall aisles and emergency exits** must be kept clear during complete set-up and dismantling period. The instructions of the Hall Manager must be obeyed.
- **Protective measures** must be taken when working in the exhibition halls. Tools with a vacuum device must be used for any work that produces dust.
- From **15.00 hrs on the final setting-up day**, work may only be carried on inside the exhibition stands and the aisles must be completely cleared. Items in the aisle after 15.00 hrs will be collected and stored by the logistics service of Messe Frankfurt. The cost for clearing and storing the materials will be charged to the exhibitor causing the obstruction.
- No **construction work** of any kind is permitted **on the first day of the fair** (08.03.2026) and will be stopped immediately. In the case of non-compliance, Messe Frankfurt Exhibition GmbH reserves the right to impose a contractual penalty of EUR 1,000.
- Monitors for **demonstrations and presentations** must be kept at least 2m from the aisle. Sufficient space has to be provided for audience on the stand. Please discuss any **demonstrations planned**, e.g., sound, light effects, with neighbouring exhibitors in advance.
- The **maximum noise level of 70 dB** at the stand boundary must be adhered to and will be checked during the fair. In case of an infringement, Messe Frankfurt Exhibition GmbH reserves the right to impose a contractual penalty of EUR 1,000.

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- In the interest of maintaining a fair marketplace, we kindly ask that stand design and marketing activities—specifically banner prints featuring logos and branding - be planned and executed in such a way that they do not interfere with immediate neighboring stands.

As a general rule, large-scale logo designs are only permitted on the open sides of the stand (facing the hallways). We kindly request that you communicate your plans to us in advance, so that we can coordinate if necessary.

Messe Frankfurt reserves the right to prohibit non-compliant implementations or to enforce compensatory measures at the expense of the party responsible.