High Tech Systems
The Netherlands

1,700 FIRMS INVOLVED IN MATERIALS-RELATED Research & Development

1 OF 3 COUNTRIES THAT COVERS THE ENTIRE Semiconductor Value Chain

Home to One of the World’s Largest Nanotechnology Research Institutes—MESA+
Home to more than 1,700 firms involved in materials-related research and development, the Netherlands boasts a thriving high tech systems industry.

The Dutch focus on products and services with high added value in areas like microelectronics, embedded systems, smart materials, advanced manufacturing, photonics and nanotechnology.

High Tech Leaders Choose Holland
Philips, Bosch, Boeing, ASML, Fujifilm and many other multinationals make the Netherlands’ high tech industry among the most innovative in the world, while pioneering companies like Tesla and TomTom fuel the growth.

Excellent Resources for High Tech Growth
Holland’s approach to research and innovation—fueled by world-class, open innovation R&D—combined with its excellent business infrastructure and dynamic workforce makes the Netherlands an ideal location for high tech businesses.

DID YOU KNOW...
Dutch companies invented WiFi, the CD, the DVD and Bluetooth.

In Tilburg, Bosch Transmission Technology found a network of leading high tech companies, a strong automotive industry and well-trained, internationally oriented engineers. The company employs about 1,300 in Tilburg.

“Brabant has excellent infrastructure and we are close to international ports and airports. There is a good reason why Bosch Transmission Technology and Brabant have grown together.”

Coen Rooijmans
Senior Vice President
Bosch Transmission Technology
At the heart of Dutch high tech innovation are clusters of robust public-private partnerships and cutting-edge R&D ecosystems such as the High Tech Campus Eindhoven.

Considered the smartest square kilometer in the Netherlands, and possibly the world, the campus promotes open innovation and collaboration among more than 100 companies and institutions—including Philips, NXP, IBM and Intel.

**World’s Most Intelligent Region**

**High Tech Campus Eindhoven**

*High Tech Center and R&D Ecosystem*

- 100+ Companies & Institutions
- 10,000+ R&D Staff & Entrepreneurs

**Delft University of Technology**

*8 Facilities & Numerous Research Institutes*

- 19,000+ Students
- 3,300+ Scientists on Staff

**DID YOU KNOW...**

The fastest-growing research consortium in Holland, the Holst Centre has 170+ employees from 28 different countries and works with more than 45 industrial partners.

**FUJIFILM**

Japanese giant Fujifilm chose the Netherlands for major manufacturing, headquarters, R&D and logistics operations. Today, the company employs around 865 people in Tilburg, making it the largest industrial employer in the central Brabant region.

“We cooperate very well with the universities in the Netherlands; here in Brabant, the High Tech Campus is almost around the corner.”

Peter Struik
President
Fujifilm Manufacturing Europe
The Netherlands Foreign Investment Agency (NFIA) stands ready to help companies big and small at every stage of establishing or expanding operations here.

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