

Lantal Textiles Ltd

Short-form portrait and key figures

Lantal Textiles is a leader in the design, production, and distribution of textiles and services for the international community of aircraft, bus, and railway operators as well as for executive jets and superyachts. We offer our customers forward-looking counsel in the domains of style, design, and execution. The objective is always to achieve the ultimate in well-being for travelers.



Aircraft

Products manufactured to customer specifications or available off the shelf include seat cover fabrics, carpets, leathers, curtains, antimacassars, and wall coverings. We serve over 300 airlines as well as all major airframe makers and seat manufacturers worldwide.



Ground

High-grade, particularly hardwearing velvets and flat weaves as well as carpets are the core business in the bus and train markets. Coachbuilders, tour operators, and public mass transit organizations are the principal buyers.



Executive

Exquisite seat cover fabrics, finest leathers, curtain fabrics and hand-tufted carpets bring luxury aboard superyachts and into the cabins of executive jets.



Parts

Seat covers, carpets, curtains and literature pockets are delivered in a ready-to-install state by Lantal.

The Pneumatic Comfort System (PCS) is one of Lantal's major innovations. The air-filled PCS cushions replace conventional foam cushions in Business and First Class seats, offering unmatched seating and sleeping comfort alongside significant weight reductions.



Services

Lantal's spectrum of services embraces design, engineering, logistics, laboratory testing, project management, warehousing and customer support, the procurement, development, production, and repair of components for aircraft cabins, as well as cabin maintenance and upkeep.

Lantal's laboratories test flammability, smoke density, toxicity, pilling, wear, abrasion, colorfastness and many other parameters for aircraft and train textiles in compliance with the latest standards.

KEY FIGURES

Year of incorporation	1886																		
Share capital	CHF 3 million																		
Consolidated sales 2017	CHF 91.2 million																		
Export share (ex Switzerland)	94%																		
Employees (by the end of February 2018)	Total 721 persons (excluding 17 apprentices), of whom 328 in Switzerland, 53 in the USA, 5 in Singapore, 3 in France, 63 in Czechia, 129 in Portugal, 116 in the United Kingdom and 24 in Germany.																		
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OEM Support Offices	Bellevue, USA / Toulouse, France
Sales Hubs	Singapore / Rural Hall, USA
Production of textiles	Langenthal, Melchnau and Huttwil, Switzerland / Rural Hall, USA / Santo Tirso, Portugal
Production of parts	Langenthal, Switzerland / Kraslice, Czechia / Manchester, United Kingdom
Production services	Langenthal, Switzerland / Babenhausen, Germany / Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates / Manchester, United Kingdom
Equipment	115 looms for flat weaves, velvets, and carpets
Dyehouses	Melchnau and Huttwil, Switzerland / Rural Hall, USA / Santo Tirso, Portugal

**Quality management in
Switzerland**

Certified to EN 9100 / ISO 9001

Listed in the international OASIS database for aircraft industry suppliers

Lantal Textiles AG pledges to act according to the Swiss Textiles Code of Conduct as of 2017.

**Quality management in
the USA**

Certified to ISO 9001 BSI

Laboratory services

The independent in-house laboratory operated by Lantal is accredited to perform fire tests pursuant to ISO/IEC.

Since 2016, the laboratory in Abu Dhabi (Lantal Textiles AG – Branch) has also been rendering services such as flammability tests pursuant to FAR/CS25.853 Appendix F Part I and the Sonic Burner Test (FAR/CS 25.853 Appendix F Part II) for upholstery and aircraft seat combinations.

The services of these fire test laboratories are available to third parties as well.

Approvals

Federal Office for Civil Aviation (FOCA):

Since 2006 Production Organization (POA, Lantal Textiles AG)

European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA):

Since 2011 Design Organization (DOA, Lantal Textiles AG)

Since 2007 Design Organization (DOA, Airline Services Interiors)

Since 2016 Design Organization (DOA, ACC, Aircraft Cabin Components GmbH)

Since 2017 Production Organization (POA, Airline Services Interiors)

Since 2017 Maintenance provider (MRO, Airline Services Interiors)

Federal Aviation Office from Germany (LBA):

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