

Loesche Roundtable India

At the end of February 2012, the first-ever Loesche Round Table in India was held by local subsidiary Loesche India Pvt in cooperation with Loesche GmbH.

The meeting succeeded in attracting almost 100 participants who gathered in New Delhi for the two-day programme which covered different aspects of cement production. After a welcome address from Dr Thomas Loesche, Holtec Consulting set the scene by providing an interesting outlook on the cement industry in India as well as neighbouring countries such as Nepal, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Bhutan and Sri Lanka for the next 10 years.

Following on, companies such as Vicat (Bharathi Cement),

Holcim (Ambuja Cements), and Madras Cement, among others, all contributed practical experiences of well-known Loesche technology. Loesche representatives also discussed latest developments including an insight into the company's workshop in China as well as details of the newly-launched Loesche LM-Master (see also p100) with the first operational experiences of a cement plant in Turkey discussed.

The meeting also gave the international audience ample scope to engage in extensive discussions and exchange ideas. With positive feedback on the informative conference programme and the networking opportunities offered, it was widely agreed that the Loesche Round Table India should be repeated soon and as such, the next event of this kind is scheduled for the fourth quarter of 2013.