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**Airbus Industrie Presents  
“Excellent” Supplier Award to Vibro-Meter****Vibro-Meter SA**  
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We are proud to announce that Vibro-Meter has been rated “Excellent” supplier by the “Airbus Supplier Support Performance Ranking, 1999”.

At a ceremony held in May, 2000, at the consortiums’ headquarters in Toulouse, Airbus Industrie presented its Supplier Support Awards to four independent supplier companies who achieved an “excellent” rating for outstanding performance in 1999.

Airbus Industrie Deputy Senior Vice-President, Operations, Customer Support, Philippe Chenevier presented the award to Vibro-Meter (a Meggitt Plc. company), the supplier of the engine vibration monitoring systems for Airbus aircraft.

Airbus Industrie has been rating suppliers’ annual performance since 1991 in order to monitor trends in the industry, validate benchmarks, identify areas for improvement and reward the best suppliers. Unlike other performance evaluation systems, Airbus Industrie relies heavily on customer input and is fully involved in the analysis of results and the implementation of improvement programs.

In 1999 Vibro-Meter was one of the 41 main suppliers that were rated on all areas of support - from product reliability, technical assistance and documentation, to services in the areas of repairs, spares, deliveries and communications, as well as direct maintenance costs and spares prices.

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