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Silent Yachts acquires new-build facility in Fano, Italy

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Silent Yachts has acquired a new-build facility in Fano, Italy, which comprises a number of modern and well-equipped hangers for the building and outfitting of the brand's Silent 60 and 80 series.



The privately-owned Austrian shipbuilder has gone from strength-to-strength in recent years, resulting in the need for additional resources and space. As a result of this, it has acquired and is now the sole shareholder of its Italian production site, which includes five construction sites.





"Our acquisition of the facility in Fano is a great opportunity for the city and for the nautical sector in the area," Michael Köhler, CEO of Silent Yachts, commented. "In 2022 we will employ approximately 250 people, both directly and indirectly, and we have expansion plans already under discussion to increase the production capacity of our sites and acquire new ones."



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Silent Yachts will use its Fano facilities to produce a new line of electric Silent Tenders.

Research and development will also be conducted in Italy, at the site's Innovation Centre.



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"We are open to discuss with the municipal and state authorities about future operations and to offer our contribution to the city and the many small businesses in the area that make this area a point of reference for Italian boatbuilding," Köhler concluded.