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PRESS RELEASE

TMK ships a batch of VIT to Gazprom Dobycha Yamburg

TMK, one of the world's leading producers of tubular products for the oil and gas industry, has shipped a batch of vacuum insulated tubing (VIT) to Gazprom Dobycha Yamburg, which develops the Yamburgskoye and Zapolyarnoye oil and gas condensate fields in the Yamal-Nenets Autonomous Area.

The shipment included 2,849 linear meters of low-temperature N80-grade 89 mm VIT with 6.45 mm walls and 60 mm VIT with 4.83 mm walls complete with TMK UP™ FMT premium threaded connections. The tubes were produced at TMK's Sinarsky Pipe Plant. This type and size of VIT has never been supplied to Gazprom Dobycha Yamburg before.

TMK was the first Russian company to launch VIT production in 2011. VIT is a complex assembly: a smaller diameter tube is enclosed within a larger diameter tube. The space in between them is filled with multilayer insulation to reduce heat loss and the air is evacuated. The tubing is designed for use at oil and gas fields in the permafrost zone as the upper section of a tubing string; it prevents thawing of frozen soil around the well.

TMK UP™ FMT tubing connections ensure high tightness in adverse conditions (extreme bending, compressive and tensile loads, torque, aggressive environments). In 2015, TMK's share in the premium threaded connections segment of the Russian market reached 73%.

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TMK (LSE: TMKS) is a leading global manufacturer and supplier of steel pipe for oil and gas industry, operating more than 30 production sites in the United States, Russia, Canada, Romania, Oman, UAE and Kazakhstan and two R&D centers in Russia and the USA. In 2015, TMK's pipe shipments totaled 3.9 million metric tons. The largest share of TMK's sales belongs to high margin oil country tubular goods (OCTG), shipped to customers in over 80 countries. TMK delivers its products along with an extensive package of services in heat treating, protective coating, premium connections threading, warehousing and



pipe repairing. TMK's securities are listed on the London Stock Exchange, the OTCQX International Premier trading platform in the U.S. and on the Moscow Exchange MICEX-RTS.

TMK's assets structure by division:

- Russian division:
 - Volzhsky Pipe Plant;
 - Seversky Tube Works;
 - Taganrog Metallurgical Works;
 - Sinarsky Pipe Plant;
 - TMK-CPW;
 - TMK-Kaztrubprom;
 - TMK-INOX;
 - TMK-Premium Service;
 - TMK Oilfield Services;
 - TMK CHERMET.
- American division:
 - 12 plants of TMK IPSCO;
 - OFS International LLC;
 - TMK Completions.
- European division:
 - TMK-ARTROM;
 - TMK-RESITA.
- Middle East Division:
 - TMK GIPI (Oman);
 - Threading & Mechanical Key Premium LLC (Abu-Dhabi).

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