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POST-EVENT STATISTICS AT A GLANCE

TUTORIALS JUNE 22
CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION JUNE 23- 25
WORKSHOPS JUNE 26

CONGRESS CENTER HAMBURG, GERMANY

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EVENT FORMAT

In-person with online elements including videos of selected sessions on demand. Online elements will remain available on the platform for registered attendees until the end of 2026.

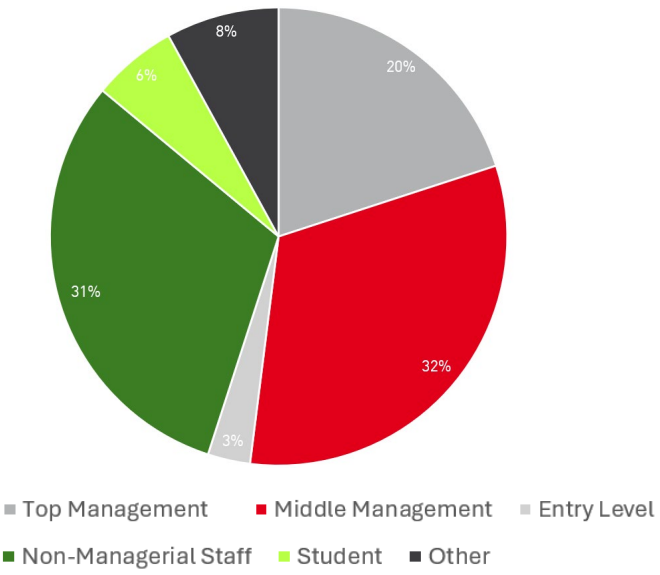
KEY ATTENDANCE NUMBERS

- **4.035** attendees onsite
- **64%** industry pass + **30%** academia pass + **6%** student pass*
- **60%** with purchasing authority = 29% direct influence + 31% indirect influence*
- **41%** attend ISC only (no other HPC related exhibitions)**

PRIMARY HPC SECTORS OF ATTENDEES' ORGANIZATIONS*

Academic and research institutions	39.5%
Vendors of hardware and software services	34%
Electronic engineering	3.5%
Manufacturing	4.5%
Automotive	2%
Government	3%
Media and market research	1%
Energy and commercial geosciences	1%
Weather and climate	1%
Aeronautics	1%
Commercial life sciences, biotech & pharma	0.5 %
Defense and security	0.5%
Chemical engineering	0.5%
Financial services and economic analytics	1%
Other	7%

ATTENDEES' CAREER LEVEL AND AREAS OF WORK*



Research and development	23 %
Sales and marketing	22 %
Architect of IT solutions	16 %
Other	8 %
Application programming	8 %
Consulting and professional services	7 %
User of HPC and AI Applications	4 %
System administration	6 %
Education and training	4 %
Procurement	2 %

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GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION (count)*

Germany	1133	Singapore	30	Mexico	3
USA	505	Ireland	22	Cyprus	3
UK	483	India	22	Argentina	2
France	231	Czech Republic	22	Egypt	2
China	223	Greece	18	Chile	2
Japan	197	UAE	17	Cambodia	2
Netherlands	162	Australia	17	Turkey	2
Italy	128	South Korea	16	Andorra	2
Spain	97	Estonia	16	New Zealand	2
Switzerland	88	South Africa	13	Qatar	2
Poland	74	Hungary	11	Nepal	1
Sweden	59	Slovakia	9	Pakistan	1
Taiwan	50	Bulgaria	9	Thailand	1
Finland	39	Saudi Arabia	9	Malaysia	1
Denmark	39	Romania	8	Indonesia	1
Canada	39	Portugal	8	Lithuania	1
Belgium	36	Brazil	6	Morocco	1
Norway	34	Croatia	6	Colombia	1
Luxembourg	34	Slovenia	6	Antarctica	1
Austria	33	Serbia	4	Georgia	1
Israel	31	Iceland	4	Armenia	1
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REASONS FOR ATTENDING (multiple choice)*

EXHIBITION TRAFFIC**

95,5 % of all surveyed ISC attendees visited the exhibition.
39% visited six booths or more, **35%** even more than 15 booths.

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PRODUCTS AND SERVICES OF INTEREST (multiple choice)*

GPUs	30%
Data center infrastructure solutions	24%
Machine learnings & AI	22%
Application development and support	19%
CPUs	18%
Cloud services	17%
Data storage	17%
Cluster resource management tools	15%
Cooling solutions	12%
Quantum computing hardware and technologies	12%
Systems and servers	11%
Networks interconnects	11%
Provider of hpc resources and services	10%
Quantum computing software and services	10%
Application specific accelerators	9%
Container software and tools	8%
File systems	8%
Education and training	7,5%
Data management and analytics	7%
Software development tools and libraries	7%
Research support and services	6%
Memory technologies	5%
Cybersecurity solutions	5%
System software development and support	4,5%
Consulting services	4%
FPGAs	3,5%
System integration services	3%
Virtualization	3%
Energy management solutions	3%
Sustainability solutions	3%
Visualization	2,5%
Media market research	2%
Energy efficiency consulting services	2%

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KEY EXHIBITION NUMBERS

188 exhibitors in total

- **182** at the show floor (+ 6 online) from **36** countries
- **44** first time exhibitors
- **2415** m² of aisle carpet were saved - reducing waste and emissions
- **46** exhibitors shared their sustainable initiatives for ISC 2026 presence

139 Industry	44 Research	5 Media

EXHIBITOR CATEGORIES COUNT (multiple products/services per organization)*

Data Center Infra Solutions	71	Education and Training	18
Machine Learning /AI	62	Cluster / Research Mana Tools	16
System Software Dev./ Support	12	Consulting Services	14
Systems and Servers	34	CPU	16
Provider of HPC Res. & Services	46	System Integration Services	16
Data Storage	45	Software Dev. Tools and Libraries	17
Cloud Services	36	Networks / Interconnects	16
Cooling Solutions	25	File Systems	12
Data Management and Analytics	23	Visualization	7
Applications Dev./Support	17	FPGAs	4
GPUs	29	Application-specific Accelerators	8
QC – Hardware and Tech.	28	Virtualization	9
QC – Software & Services	30	Memory Technologies	8
Research Support & Services	27	Media / Market Research	5
		Container –Software and Tools	4

MEDIA PRESENCE

43 journalists and analysts
13 media sponsors: ADMIN Network & Security, HPCwire, AIwire, QCwire, insideHPC, Linux Magazine, Scientific Computing World, The Next Platform, The Register, illuminaire, Medie für Sie, CIOApplications Europe, manage it

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SUMMARY VIDEO

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* *Information is based on voluntary feedback during registration. Source: ISC 2026 registration data*
** *Source: ISC 2026 attendee survey*