

## ZF Opens State-of-the-Art Digital Solutions Center Underlining its Commitment to Mobilize Commercial Vehicle Intelligence

- ZF Commercial Vehicle Control Systems Division inaugurates a new Digital Solutions Center in Bengaluru, India
- This latest investment by ZF in India extends the Group's global network of digital technology capabilities
- Digital Solutions Center intended as a hub for the development of advanced fleet management and connectivity solutions worldwide
- Enabling commercial fleets to become leaner, greener and safer, the center represents a further building block in making ZF a 'best partner' for fleets globally

**Bengaluru, India.** ZF today inaugurated its state-of-the-art Digital Solutions Center in Bengaluru, reinforcing the Group's commitment to India. Further advancing ZF's Next Generation Mobility vision, the investment is another validation of India's importance as a digital solutions hub within the global automotive industry.

*An important cornerstone of ZF global fleet solutions development program, the ~15,000 square foot center expands ZF's extensive digital technology development capabilities. The center is foreseen to employ around 150 people and will support development programs for the domestic market and growing fleet management business globally.*

*Leveraging the increasing digital capability and connectivity of multiple vehicle platforms, the center will innovate applications that advance vehicle autonomy as well as enabling fleets to become leaner, greener and safer. Helping to scale up and accelerate ZF's transformation and leadership in Digitalization, AI, Big Data analytics and cloud-based solutions, the hub is fully integrated into ZF's Commercial Vehicle Control Systems division and ZF's global R&D network.*

*The facility will develop, test and deploy an increasingly broad portfolio of integrated functions that are aimed at enhancing safety, efficiency and connectivity across the ecosystem of commercial fleet operators. Technologies currently being developed at the center include advanced driver behavior management and fleet operations support, including applications for fuel consumption and tire pressure monitoring, fleet track & trace, data science and cargo safety and security systems.*

*Building on the Group's market leading Fleet Management Solutions (FMS), the Digital Solutions Center will provide access to a strong talent pool, growing local market opportunities, and an increasing number of technology partners seeking to advance cloud solutions, big data and analytics.*

*"Located in the Silicon Valley of India, Bengaluru, this new Digital Solution Center which joins an extensive network of ZF WABCO development and manufacturing facilities throughout India, powerfully underlines ZF's enduring commitment to India as an important hub for pioneering solutions that Mobilize Commercial Vehicle Intelligence by leveraging the increasing connectivity of our technologies and commercial vehicles," said Mr. P Kaniappan, Managing Director, WABCO INDIA Limited. "With a wealth of talent in Data Science, Cloud Solutions and Analytics, the center is another gateway to serve significant domestic and global opportunities, while expanding our capabilities and further enhancing our support for customers world-wide."*

*"Digitalization of commercial vehicle fleets and the transport ecosystem is accelerating at an unprecedented pace," added Dr. Christian Brenneke, Senior Vice President, Product Engineering, for ZF's Commercial Vehicle Control Systems division. "Connecting this latest hub in India to the group's global network of advanced digital R&D facilities optimally positions us to stay at the forefront of innovation and technology leadership in this domain."*

*ZF's innovative Fleet Solutions are currently marketed through a number of brands, including WABCO serving Oceania, Asia, North America and South America, Transics serving customers throughout Europe, and Assettrackr in India.*

Picture Caption:

*ZF WABCO unveiled its state-of-the-art Digital Solutions Center in Bengaluru extending its global digital technology capabilities and further underlining its commitment to India.*

*Image: ZF*

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*ZF is a global technology company and supplies systems for passenger cars, commercial vehicles and industrial technology, enabling the next generation of mobility. ZF allows vehicles to see, think and act. In the four technology domains Vehicle Motion Control, Integrated Safety, Automated Driving, and Electric Mobility, ZF offers comprehensive solutions for established vehicle manufacturers and newly emerging transport and mobility service providers. ZF electrifies different kinds of vehicles. With its products, the company contributes to reducing emissions and protecting the climate.*

*ZF, which acquired WABCO Holdings Inc. on May 29, 2020, now has 160,000 employees worldwide with approximately 260 locations in 41 countries. In 2019, the two then-independent companies achieved sales of €36.5 billion (ZF) and \$3.4 billion (WABCO).*

**ZF WABCO (WABCO INDIA Limited)**

*Operating under the ZF WABCO brand and part of ZF Group Commercial Vehicle Control Systems Division, WABCO INDIA Limited is India's market leader for advanced braking systems, conventional braking products and related air assisted technologies and systems in India. Powered by its vision for accident-free driving and greener transportation solutions, ZF WABCO provides industry-leading solutions in the Autonomous, Connected and Electric (ACE) domains to commercial vehicle industry in India. Headquartered in Chennai, ZF WABCO has five manufacturing facilities, an*



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*advanced technology development center, a vehicle testing facility and a nation-wide aftermarket distribution and services network.*