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ZEISS measuring technology is primarily used in the automotive, aeronautical, mechanical engineering and plastics industries. One of the users is injection molding specialist starlim//sterner from the Austrian town of Marchtrenk. For the development of molded technical parts made of silicone, the company puts its trust in a measuring system from Carl Zeiss IMT - the METROTOM computer tomograph.

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#### Tata Consumer Products Opens Tea Packaging Plant In Odisha

Consumer products company Tata Consumer Products (TCP) has opened a tea packaging plant at Gopalpur Industrial Park near Bhubaneswar, Odisha. The plant, built with a Rs1bn (\$13.43m) investment, has successfully completed a production trial. It features advanced packing machinery fitted with Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities to improve operational efficiency. With an expected production capacity of around 60 million kilogrammes a year, the Gopalpur plant will become.

TCP's largest tea packing plant once fully operational. Tata Steel Special Economic Zone (TSSEZL), a subsidiary of Tata Steel, invested in infrastructure at the plant, while TCP spent capital on the machinery. In its first year of operations, the project will create 250 direct and indirect jobs. A further 700 jobs will be created when the plant is fully operational by 2024-25. In keeping with TCP's commitment to sustainability, the Gopalpur plant is powered by a solar power unit with 350kW of capacity. Tata Consumer Products managing director and CEO Sunil D'Souza said: "The plant is an integral part of Tata Consumer Products' plans to scale supply chain capabilities to meet growing consumer demand. "It is a state-of-the art unit, the largest tea packing plant for Tata Consumer, and will be a key hub in our supply chain network. "It has also been built with a focus on green manufacturing in line with our sustainability agenda." Tata Steel CEO and managing director T V Narendran said: "It is a moment of great pride for us as another member of the Tata Group, TCP, is starting its maiden manufacturing operations in Odisha. "Our investments across multiple locations in Odisha is a demonstration of our commitment to the development of the state and our firm belief in its growth story." Amalgamated Plantations Private Limited (APPL), an associate company of TCP, has been chosen to operate the Gopalpur plant. AAPPL is a plantation company and the second largest tea producer in India with an annual production of around 40 million kg. It is also one of the leading 3P contract packers for Tata Consumer Products Limited (TCPL) for their FMCG tea business and currently operates 3 tea packing factories, with two in Assam and one in West Bengal. With plug and play infrastructure, multi-modal logistics connectivity, ready environmental clearance and clear land title, Gopalpur Industrial park is emerging as the preferred investment destination of India. Currently, it has a 55,000 TPA ferro chrome plant by Tata Steel, a defence



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