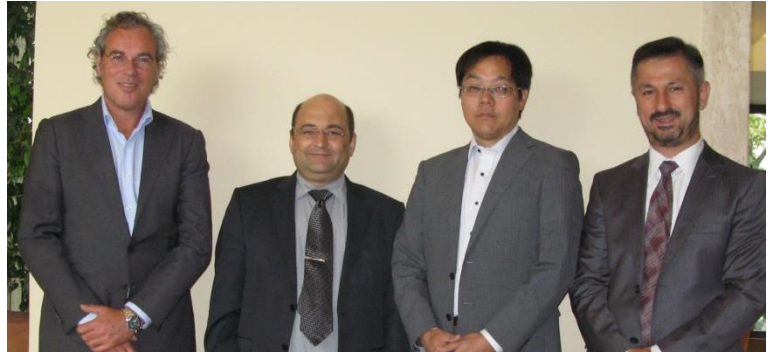


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### Yamaha Motor IM Japan Management showing commitment to Turkish electronics market

Yamaha Motor IM, Group Manager Europe & America, Mr. Ichiro Arimoto, visited a number of Turkish electronics companies in the Ankara, Izmir and Istanbul regions. The Turkish market is an important market for Yamaha. Many Yamaha-produced systems are installed in Turkey; Therefore we want to pay our respect and show our appreciation to the loyal customers that have entrusted us with their business, says Mr. Arimoto.



From the left: P. de Wit, H. Erdogan, I. Arimoto, M. Yaman

Yamaha Motor IM, together with its Turkish total solution partner YMH Teknoloji, is committed to provide the Turkish market with state of the art total line solutions. Yamaha delivers a vital performance edge for customers, combined with outstanding quality, best in class local support and reliability.

Arimoto san explains that the Turkish market is of strategic importance for Yamaha. Turkey is one of the few economies in the world that is year after year showing consistent and healthy growth. After spending valuable time in your beautiful country, I have now a better understanding of the Turkish market's potential. All companies and people that I have met are passionate, professionals who take grade pride in their country and in their jobs. It feels like your electronics industry has a mission to become the place to be in Europe.

My visit to Turkey has inspired me for further joint developments. I am very pleased to announce that Yamaha and its certified sales and service partner YMH Teknoloji will now take the next step in our support to the Turkish market. The Yamaha Sigma series will be introduced in Turkey via YMH Teknoloji. Furthermore, we will provide best in class support and consultancy to existing and future customers via a dedicated application center to be opened in Istanbul.

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Yamaha Motor IM has created a strong business in the surface mounter industry that enables design and engineering, manufacture, sales and service to be conducted in one comprehensive system. Furthermore, the Company has used its core technologies in the areas of servo-motor control and image recognition technology for vision (camera) systems to develop solder paste printers, printed circuit board inspection machines, flip chip hybrid placers and dispensers. This allows Yamaha Motor IM to offer a full line of machines for electric/electronic parts mounting and propose optimum production-line makeup to answer the diversifying needs of today's manufacturers.

Yamaha Motor IM has sales and service offices in Japan, China, Southeast Asia, Europe and North America provide a truly global sales and service network that will safeguard best in class on-site sales & service support for clients.

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