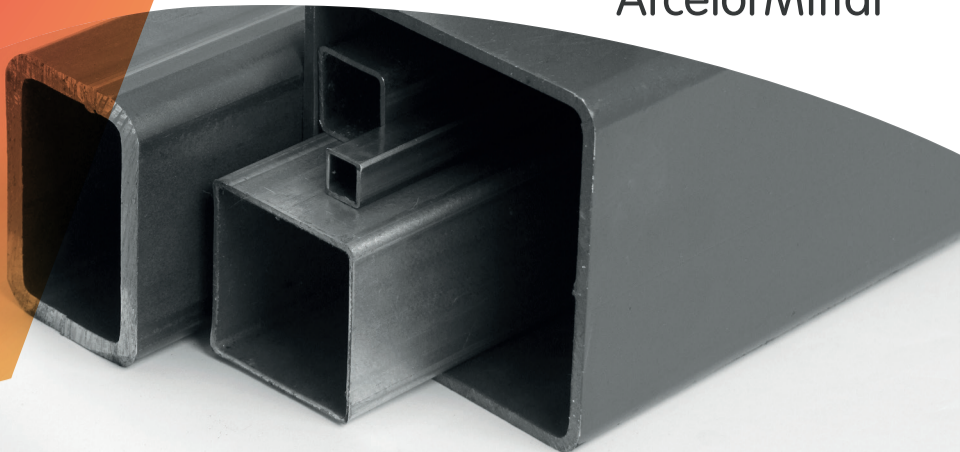


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10 highlights of the 105th anniversary



ArcelorMittal Tubular Products Karviná

1. 62,712,497 pieces of thin-walled closed profiles under the Jäkl® brand have been produced in Karviná over the last 10 years, bringing the total volume to 382,143 tonnes.

2. If we place all these produced steels on the Earth's equator between 2013 and 2022, we will circle the Earth more than 3.5 times. Their total length was 145,451 kilometres.

3. Thanks to their premium quality, including precise dimensions and long-term stability, Jäkl® steel sections are supplied to a wide range of industries including construction, engineering and agriculture. The profiles are also used, for example, in hospital furniture and door systems.

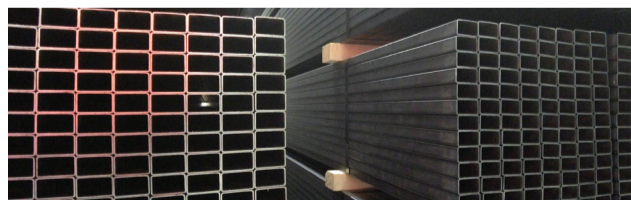
4. Traditional profiles from Karviná are exported to 15 countries in Europe alone. The most important markets are the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Poland, Hungary and Germany.



5. From 2013 to 2022, 57% of the production of steel profiles went to the domestic market. So far this year, the Czech market accounts for 38% of the steel produced.

6. The international trademark for the Jäkl® product brand is also valid in Norway, Switzerland, Turkey and North Macedonia, in addition to the EU member states.

7. The production of profiles in Karviná began in 1931. The patent of the master locksmith Kozicz from Vienna assisted Karviná metallurgists in improving production. The Jäkl® trademark was subsequently registered with the international authority in Geneva.



"Our Jäkl® profiles maintain their quality and continue to be in demand on the demanding and highly competitive European market, even though the situation in the metallurgical and steel industry is not easy at the moment. On the contrary, thanks to investment and innovation projects, we aim to gradually increase the production of these profiles by tens of percent in the medium term."

says René Fabik, CEO
of ArcelorMittal Tubular Products Karviná.



8. The origin of the ArcelorMittal Tubular Products Karviná production plant itself dates back to 1918, when the first wagon production facilities were built on the premises of the present company.



9. The use of the name Jäkl® is, however, even slightly older and is connected with the name of the Rymarov blacksmith Jäkl, from whom the patent for the production of combined axles and horseshoes was purchased in 1910.

10. Karviná plant is developing a new type of open profile and is also testing the production of profiles from other grades.

