



Press release

**ETRMA Tyre Corporate membership expands:  
Mitas in 2008, Hankook Tire Europe in 2009**

**Brussels, 23rd December 2008-** ETRMA, the European Tyre & Rubber Manufacturers' Association welcomes Hankook Tire Europe in the Tyre Corporate membership of the Association from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2009.

Hankook Tire Europe has been manufacturing since June 2007 in Rácalmás, Hungary, radial summer, winter and all-season tyres for passenger cars, SUV and light trucks. Their Corporate headquarters is located in Neu-Isenburg, Germany.

This follows the membership of Mitas in 2008, a major Czech tyre manufacturer who has plants in Prague, Zlín and Otrokovice mainly producing a wide range of off-the-road tyres and motorcycle tyres. Their headquarters is located in Praha.

ETRMA current Tyre Corporate members are: **Bridgestone Europe, Continental, Cooper Tires, Goodyear Dunlop Tires Europe, Marangoni, Michelin, Mitas, Nokian Tyres, Pirelli Tyre, Trelleborg Wheel Systems and Vredestein**

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