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## NEWS FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### TREK CLEANING SYSTEMS MANUFACTURED AT WISCONSIN FACILITY

Stoelting has just successfully completed the first two TREK cleaning systems, manufactured at the Kiel, Wisconsin facility. Before undertaking manufacture of these first units, several Stoelting employees were sent to the Trek facility in California for some basic training. In addition several key manufacturing, engineering and service personnel transferred from the TREK location in California to the Kiel facility. Other TREK machines are already in process at Stoelting's Wisconsin facility, where all manufacturing for this product line will now take place. Stoelting will also continue to manufacture the quality stainless steel equipment many of you may be familiar with.

The first Stoelting/Trek unit is an Optics cleaning machine used to remove fingerprints and dust from composite lenses prior to spin coating. The machine has a recirculating spray-n-air wash with a mist-elimination aqua curtain at the entry to contain atomized wash chemistry, a spray-n-air recirculating rinse follows, with a final rinse in which pure de-ionized water is used for a spot free rinse. Effective in-line air knives dry the product using HEPA filtered air to complete the process.

Stoelting acquired the product lines of Trek Industries in February 2005. Trek Industries, established in 1976, is a recognized leader in cleaning systems for electronic, medical, precision, and industrial applications. Manufacturing functions were moved to the Stoelting facility in Kiel, Wisconsin, while an office is maintained in Southern California.

Established in 1905, Stoelting is a leading supplier of stainless steel constructed cleaning equipment for general industrial operations, such as machining and stamping, electronics assembly and semiconductor packaging, and other varied industries.

Visit the Stoelting website: [www.stoelting.com](http://www.stoelting.com), or the Trek website: [www.trekindustries.com](http://www.trekindustries.com) for additional information.