

Veronafiere event held 23-26 August

CACHOEIRO STONE FAIR:

THE MARBLE TRADE FAIR IN BRAZIL CLOSURES WITH 20,000 VISITORS FROM 12 COUNTRIES

Verona, 31 August 2016 – Not only the Olympic Games: this summer, **Brazil** was also the world centre for the **marble, granite and processing machinery sectors**. The 42nd [Cachoeiro Stone Fair](#) was held 25-26 August. It is one of the most important events in Brazil for natural stone and related technologies.

More than 20,000 specialized operators visited the stands of 200 companies over the four days of the event. The exhibition in Cachoeiro de Itapemirim has been organised since from 2012 by **Veronafiere do Brasil**, a subsidiary of Veronafiere guided since July by its new Director, **Alberto Piz**.

VeronaFiere monitors the State of Espírito Santo in Brazil with the [Vitória Stone Fair/Marmomacc Latin America](#), a landmark event for the natural stone sector, and [Mec Show](#), the trade show with a focus on engineering, automation and energy.

The 2016 edition of the Cachoeiro Stone Fair welcomed visitors from leading natural stone quarrying and processing districts in more than 700 cities around Brazil, the world's largest exporter of granite. There was also impressive attendance by international buyers from 12 countries: Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Bolivia, Canada, China, South Korea, United Arab Emirates, Italy, Lebanon, Mexico, Paraguay, Spain, Switzerland, Uruguay and the United States.

Following the Cachoeiro event, the baton for international events for sector professionals now passes on to the 51st [Marmomacc](#), scheduled at VeronaFiere 28 September-1 October.

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