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35 days to go: Myrtha Pools technology allows Hangzhou to host Swimming World Championships

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Leading international swimming pool company Myrtha Pools, a long-term FINA partner, is currently finalising the

installation of the temporary pools (25 x 26m, 2m deep) and facilities that will be used at the upcoming 14th FINA World

Swimming Championships (25m) [1] in Hangzhou, China, from December 11-16, 2018.

The Italian company had developed an innovative concept to build, on top of an existing tennis centre, not only the main 25m competition pool but also a warm-up pool for training purposes located in an adjacent building attached to the Championships venue. The facilities will include sufficient space for athletes' preparation and team areas and can accommodate a large number of spectators.



competition pool

The temporary swimming pools will eventually be dismantled at the end of the World Swimming Championships to be permanently reinstalled in other locations where they will remain available to the local communities, schools and sport clubs.



warm-up pool

The Hangzhou Olympic and International Expo Center, where the event will be held next month, is only a 15-20 minute-drive from most of the official hotels.



Over 900 athletes are expected to attend, representing around 150 nations and the races schedule unfolds as follow:

