**iTAC named a visionary in the Gartner Magic Quadrant for Manufacturing Execution Systems**

**Montabaur, January 10, 2019 – MES specialist iTAC Software (**[**www.itacsoftware.com**](http://www.itacsoftware.com)**) has been included in the Gartner Magic Quadrant report for manufacturing execution systems for the first time. The Gartner report puts iTAC in the “Visionaries” quadrant.**

Gartner analyzed the MES market and assigned the evaluated players to its Magic Quadrant categories of Challengers, Leaders, Visionaries and Niche Players. iTAC was positioned in the “Visionaries” quadrant.

“We’re one of 21 manufacturers positioned in the Magic Quadrant. We believe this is a reflection of the Gartner analysts’ opinion that we are one of the most innovative MES manufacturers, and that our product is geared to Industry 4.0,” explained Peter Bollinger, CEO of iTAC Software AG.

Gartner, Magic Quadrant for Manufacturing Execution Systems, 5 November 2018

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iTAC Software AG, an independent company of the Dürr mechanical and plant engineering group, provides internet-enabled information and communication technologies for the manufacturing industry. Founded in 1998, the company is one of the leading MES providers in Germany. The iTAC.MES.Suite is a cloud-based Manufacturing Execution System that is used worldwide by companies in different industry sectors such as automotive manufacturers and suppliers, electronics/EMS/TC, medical technology, metal processing and energy. Additional services and solutions enable the implementation of Industry 4.0 and IoT requirements. ITAC’s philosophy is connecting people, data and systems. iTAC Software AG has its headquarters in Montabaur (Germany) as well as a branch in the USA and a global partner network for sales and services. The Dürr Group is one of the world's leading mechanical and plant engineering firms. Products, systems and services offered by Dürr enable highly efficient manufacturing processes in different industries. Business with automobile manufacturers and their suppliers accounts for approximately 60% of Dürr's sales. Other market segments include, for example, the mechanical engineering, chemical and pharmaceutical industries and the woodworking industry.

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