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Record Numbers for Refrigera, the International Refrigeration Trade Show

The event will be held at BolognaFiere November 5th to 7th, 2025

Cormano, September 15, 2025 – The 2025 edition of **Refrigera**, the international refrigeration trade show organized by **A151 srl**, scheduled **at BolognaFiere from November 5 to 7**, is already shaping up to set record numbers.

Two months before opening, the event - unique in Italy and a leader in Southern Europe - has already reached an exhibition area of over 5,000 net square meters, surpassing the closing figure of the previous edition (+12%). More than 260 exhibitors from 25 countries have confirmed their participation, including Belgium, China, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Poland, the Czech Republic, the United Kingdom, Spain, Switzerland, Thailand, and Turkey.

Refrigera once again proves to be a major opportunity to connect with the entire refrigeration supply chain: industrial, commercial, and logistics. A large number of national and international visitors are expected, including refrigeration professionals and operators involved in food industry production and distribution, transportation, logistics, technicians and designers from various sectors (including food retail and large-scale distribution), as well as managers from leading companies in the industry.

One of this year's highlights will be **Surgela-Freezing Tech**, a dedicated area focusing on technologies and systems for the production, processing, and preservation of frozen foods: pretreatment technologies, processing, packaging and storage equipment, materials, and services.

The conference sessions, featuring the most qualified experts in the field, will number around 50. Of particular interest is the opening event named "Sustainability: Refrigeration at the Core." Organized by the magazine ZeroSottoZero (Tecniche Nuove), in collaboration with Refrigera and Assofrigoristi (the Italian Refrigeration Association), speakers include:

- Marco Nocivelli, Vice President of Confindustria for industrial policies and Made in Italy, and CEO of Epta;
- Mario Tozzi, CNR senior researcher and science communicator on environmental issues;



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• **Maurizio Martina**, Deputy Director of FAO Italy and former Minister of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies.

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The conference will be moderated by Marco Oldrati, Chief Operating Officer of Assofrigoristi.

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Running concurrently with Refrigera will be **Applitech**, the trade fair for appliance components and equipment (organized in collaboration with Senaf), and **Fortronic**, an event dedicated to power electronics organized by Tecno.

"After the great success of the 2023 edition, which featured over 200 national and international exhibitors, 250 brands, and more than 9,000 visitors, the strong participation already confirmed for 2025 reinforces Refrigera's growth as the benchmark trade show for all industry operators," states **Marco Pinetti**, Director of A151 srl.

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