Promotional Release

Linde's Liquid CO_2 and Liquid N_2 Freezing Technologies Featured at Seafood Expo 2026

Houston, Texas (February 4, 2026) – Linde (NYSE:LIN) will showcase its leadership in cryogenic freezing and chilling technologies at this year's Seafood Processing North America (SPNA), held at the Mayor Thomas M Menino Convention and Exhibition Center **March 15–17, 2026**. Linde will exhibit in **Booth 1465**.

Linde collaborates closely with top seafood processors to optimize the use of liquid nitrogen (LN_2) and liquid carbon dioxide (LCO_2) for fast, precise, and efficient cryogenic freezing and chilling. These advanced gas applications enable producers to achieve target temperatures rapidly while maximizing product quality, throughput, and operational efficiency.

Visitors to the Linde booth will see a live demonstration of the **CRYOLINE® PB plate belt freezer**, engineered to handle wet, marinated, and sauced seafood with exceptional consistency and minimal sticking. Linde will also feature its **CRYOLINE® UPF ultra-performance flighted tunnel**, a high efficiency freezing system designed to deliver rapid, uniform freezing for IQF products such as shrimp, scallops, clams, and other high value seafood items

"Proper freezing and chilling are essential to preserving the premium quality today's customers expect," said **Wladimir Sarmiento-Darkin**, Linde business development director. "Our cryogenic technologies give seafood processors a distinct competitive advantage—enhancing product integrity while optimizing speed, capacity, and overall manufacturing performance."

About Linde

Linde is a leading global industrial gases and engineering company with 2025 sales of $34 billion. We live our mission of *making our world more productive* every day by providing high-quality gas applications, technologies and services which are making our customers more successful and helping to sustain, decarbonize and protect our planet. Linde serves a variety of end markets such as chemicals & energy, food & beverage, electronics, healthcare, manufacturing, metals and mining. Linde's industrial gases and technologies are used in countless applications, enabling space exploration and launch technologies, delivering ultra-high-purity and specialty gases for semiconductor manufacturing, providing life-saving medical oxygen and enabling clean hydrogen production and carbon capture to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Linde also delivers state-of-the-art gas processing solutions to support customer growth, efficiency improvements and emissions reductions.

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