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Five facts about Plant Engineer features

1 Our features add value by striving to equip operational engineers and managers with insights and advice on improving their plant and/or factory performance and compliance

2 We haven't listed every feature: throughout 2017 we will also cover plant and factory engineering issues and innovations as they arise, along with guidance on latest legislation.

3 In-depth and thought provoking: our features are written by managers, engineers and technicians for managers, engineers and technicians who need the insights and the implications

4 Be aware of the bulletin. Our editorial team distributes a full synopsis outlining each feature two months before publication. Sign up for this essential guide at btinham@findlay.co.uk

5 All feature articles are available at www.plantengineer.org.uk and are profiled in our monthly e-newsletter which is sent out to over 15,000 subscribers. Sign up with btinham@findlay.co.uk

2017	Plant and equipment focus	Maintenance and asset management	Industry issues	Products and practices
January/February	Compressed air PUWER & machine guarding Linear actuation	Asset care strategy Manufacturing champions - Maintenance Team Award Robots in maintenance	Industry 4.0 HFCS Rail plant	Coverage every issue of products and practices relevant to plant, operations, rail, process, instrument, maintenance and asset management engineers: including variable speed drives, motors, monitoring equipment, heating and ventilating plant, fans, blowers, mobile plant and equipment, distribution equipment, meters, conduits and enclosures, health and safety equipment, personal protective equipment, bearings, couplings, pipework, valves, actuators, labelling machines, packaging machines, pumps, filters, temperature transmitters, heaters, heat exchangers, welding equipment, gearboxes, flowmeters, steam traps, level transmitters, pressure transmitters, lifts, starters, signs, cleaning equipment, test and measurement equipment, condensers, evaporators, boilers, tank weighing, sensors, gaskets, seals, chemicals, washers, chains, belts, coolers, switchgear, thermal cameras, vibration monitors, data collectors, linear slides, switches, etc.
March/April	Forklift: Fuel choices LED factory lighting Combined heat and power Lifts, walkways and escalators	Visual management signage Maintenance	Health and safety Industrial IoT Measurement and test	
May/June	Wireless monitor and control Pipes and pipework Instrumentation and control HVAC and building energy systems Construction and demolition plant	Preventative maintenance	Energy savings Hazardous areas: ATEX and DSEAR	
July/August	Tower cranes Robots Marine plant	Facilities management	Industry 4.0 Corrosion Digitisation Hazardous substances: COSHH	
September/October	Condition monitoring Access equipment Automation Pumps and fans Power stations	Total productive maintenance	PPE Working at height	
November/December	Used plant and equipment Boilers and burners Hydraulics and pneumatics Gas detectors Conveyors Oil and gas plant	Maintenance trends	Cyber security Obsolescence	

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