



Manufacturing plant of vehicles Mercedes Benz – Tiaret



The plant of the Algerian company for the manufacture of vehicles "Mercedes Benz" (SAFAV-MB) of Bouchekif Ain, in the province of Tiaret, was inaugurated on October 26, 2014.

This project is held by the SAFAV-MB, a joint venture established in July 2012 and consists of three major shareholders. Algerian party holds 51% (development company in the automotive industry - IVUS, 34% and SNVI: 17%). The foreign party is represented by the Emirati investment fund "Aabar" and its technology partner, the German group "Daimler" hold 49%.

16 engineers trained in Germany to ensure the training of technicians and the proper functioning of the pilot workshop which comprises seven platforms for the assembly of 4x4 vehicles and 5 others for commercial vehicles.

This plant will, in a first step and in the early years, making different types of commercial vehicles and 4x4, with an annual theoretical production of 6,000 vehicles type "Mercedes Sprinter" for all uses, 2,000 of 4x4 vehicles such as "G .class "category" G ". Finally, it is clear that the technology vehicle manufacturing in this plant is the same as that used in Germany and Austria, a technology that will be transferred, so that it can be adopted by the Algerian labor work.

The plant also includes a training center for automotive technology. It consists of a teaching room, a learning laboratory of the German and English languages, 06 classrooms, a media lectures room and mechanical workshops and an administrative block. Currently 120 students, graduates CFPA receive training at the center in the specialties of general mechanics, auto mechanics, maintenance and bodywork. The factory covers an area of 104 hectares, including 44 built.