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ABB delivers comfort

ABB Review regularly explores different aspects of ABB's activities, illuminating them from both conventional and less conventional angles.

Rather than focusing on products or processes, the forthcoming edition of *ABB Review* will highlight how ABB's products are affecting people.

These benefits start in people's homes. The power grid may be highly complex to plan and operate, but for the end user it is extremely simple to use and highly reliable. Besides the basic provision of this electricity supply, ABB products contribute to the ease with which it can be used: The company manufactures a spectrum of home products ranging from the humble light switch to advanced ambient comfort solutions. It is not just in the electric domain, however, that ABB is

making homes more comfortable: The company has numerous products for the management of water supplies, for example.

Furthermore ABB technology helps millions of people get to work, enjoy their vacations, or deliver their food and other goods on time and in budget. On the railways, ABB's frequency converters make a world of difference by permitting economic and jolt-free operation. Besides these converters, ABB supplies many other traction components including transformers.

Ships equipped with ABB's Azipods and ABB turbochargers are permitting faster and more fuel-efficient journeys. From cruise passengers to consumers awaiting goods, ABB is making a difference.