

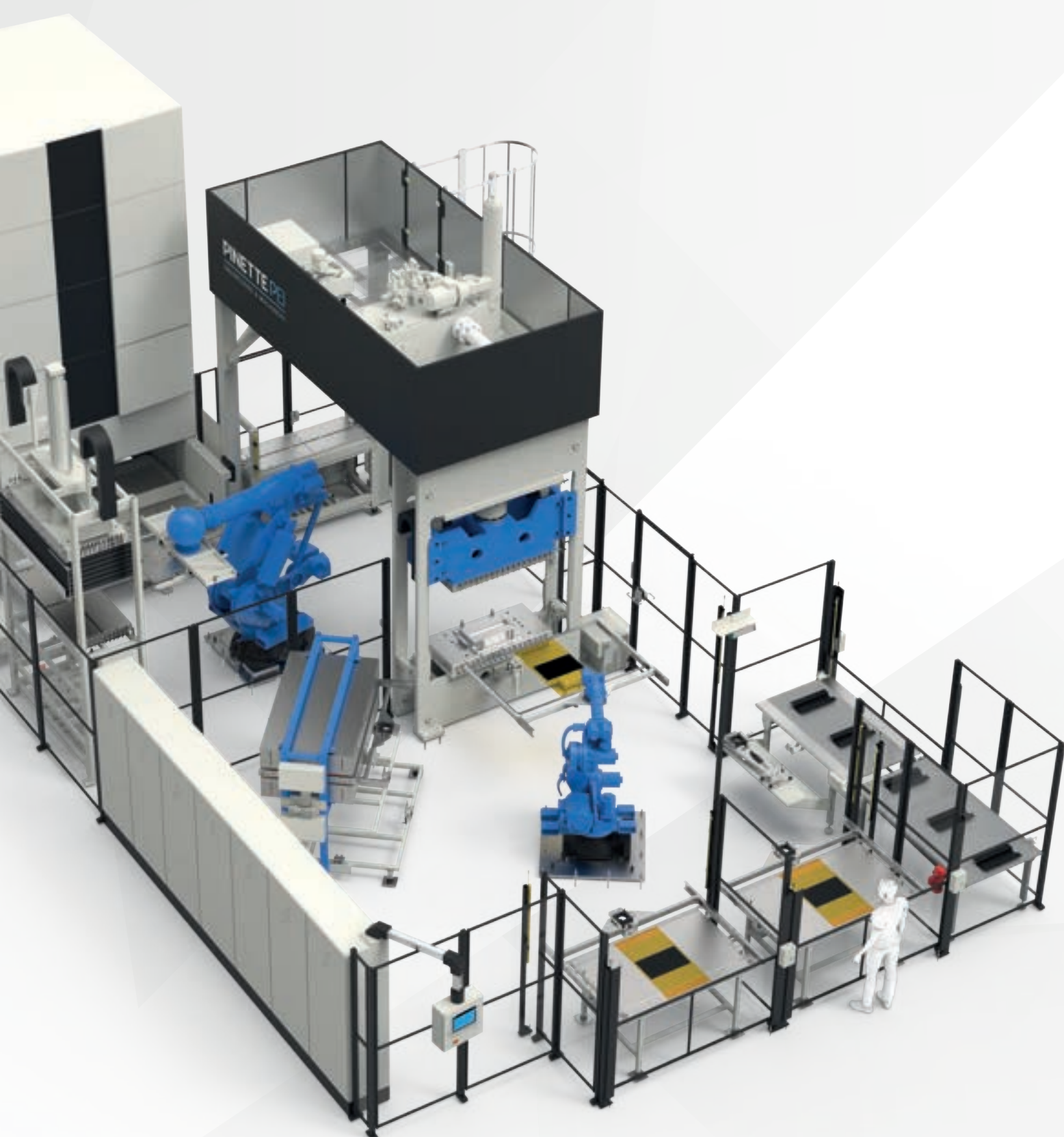


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Composite & Metal Forming Solutions

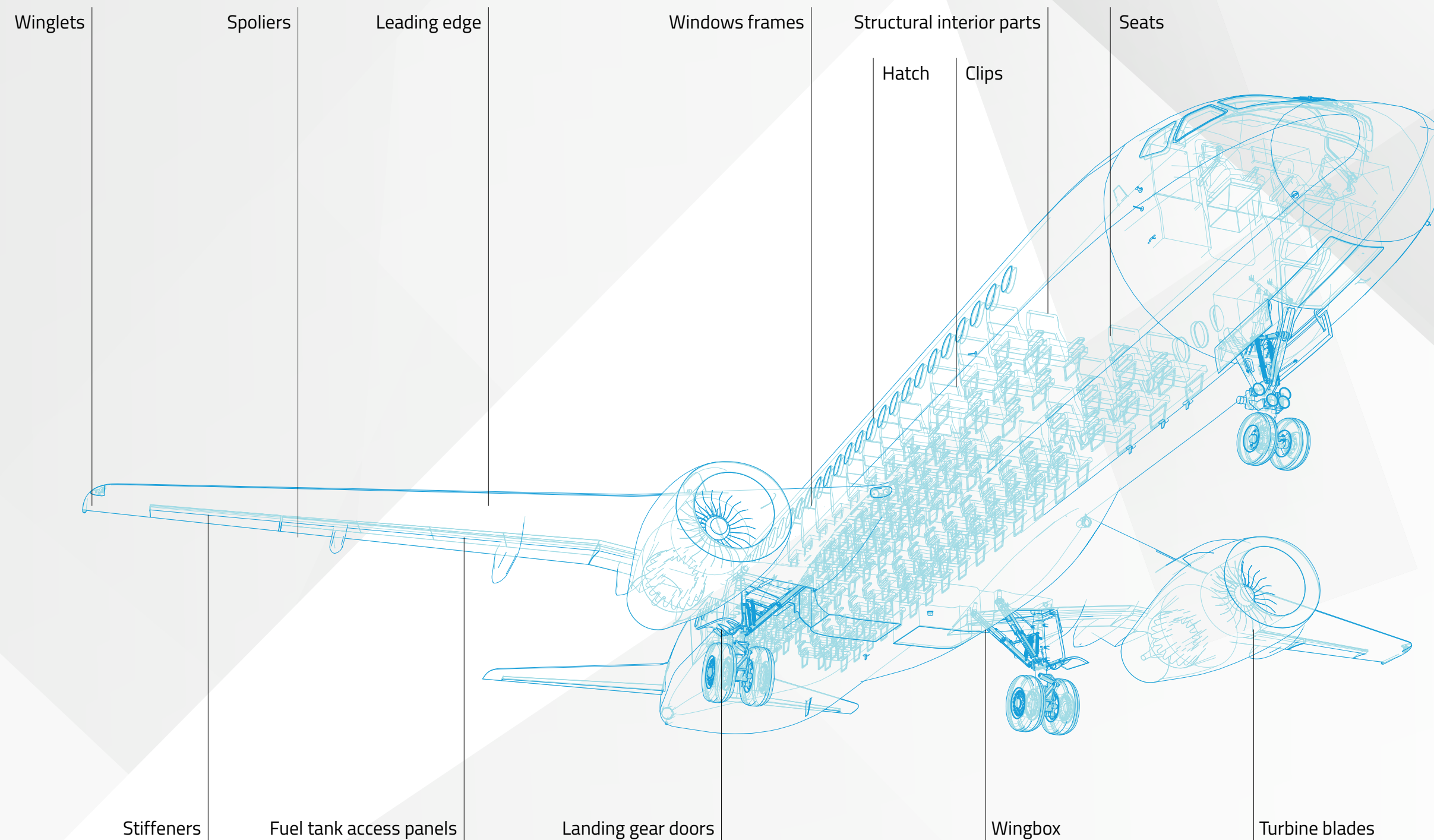
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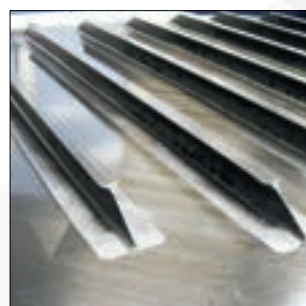
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Hatch



Stiffeners



Fuel tank access panels



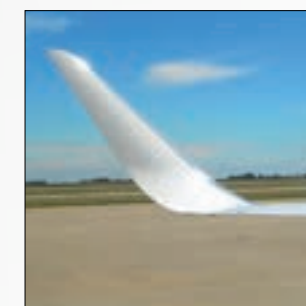
Windows frame



Clips



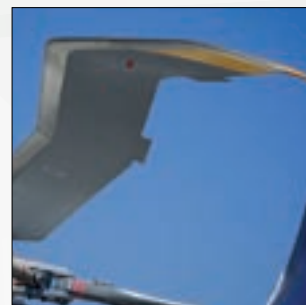
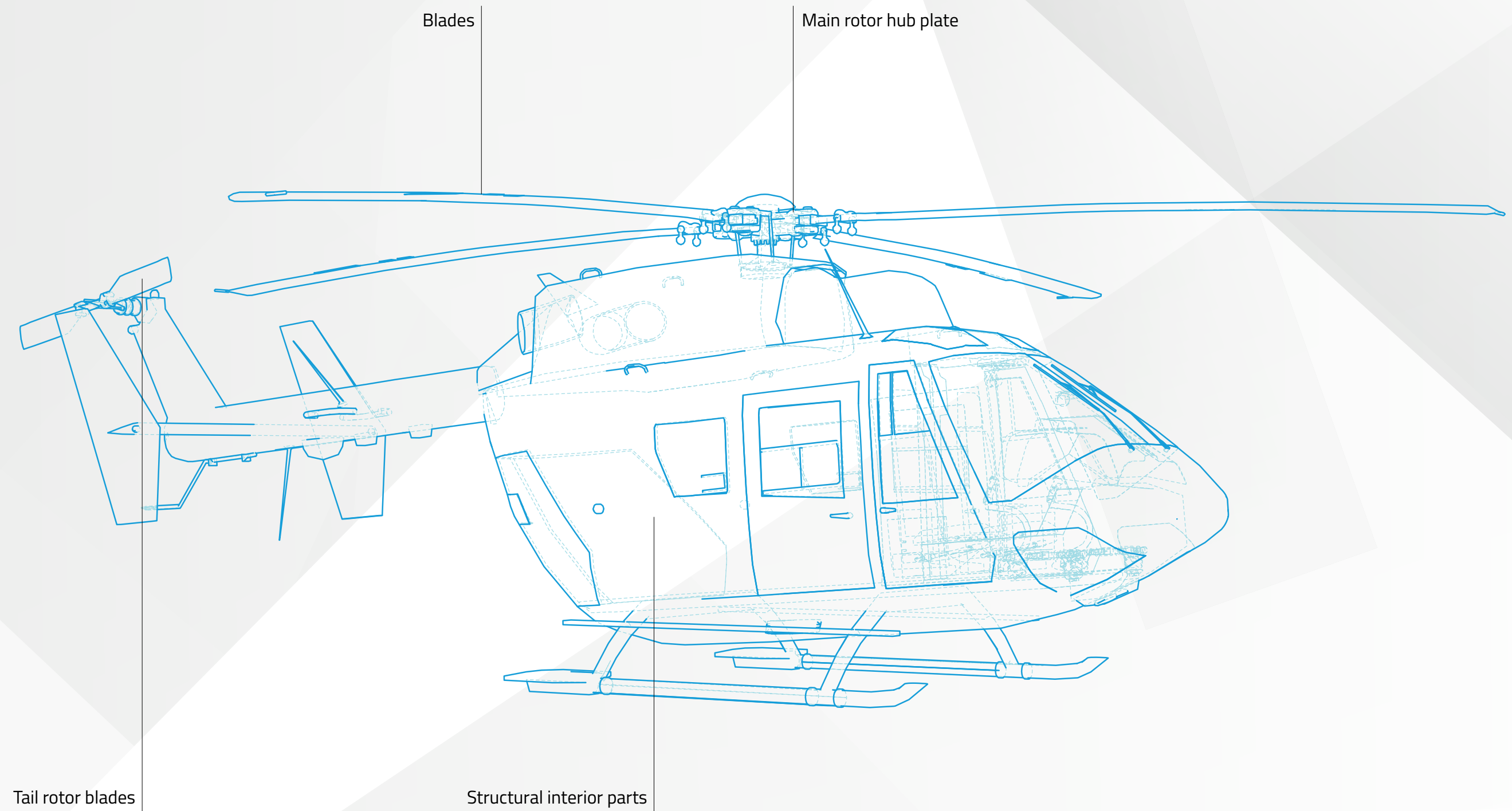
Leading edge



Winglets



Turbofan blade



Blades



Main rotor hub plate



Tail rotor blades



Structural interior parts



# Consolidation 450°C

## Electric Heating

### Benefits

- High temperature
- Accurate temperature control
- Homogeneous temperature distribution
- Higher performance material: PEEK

### Materials

- PEEK
- PEKK
- PPS
- PEI
- etc.

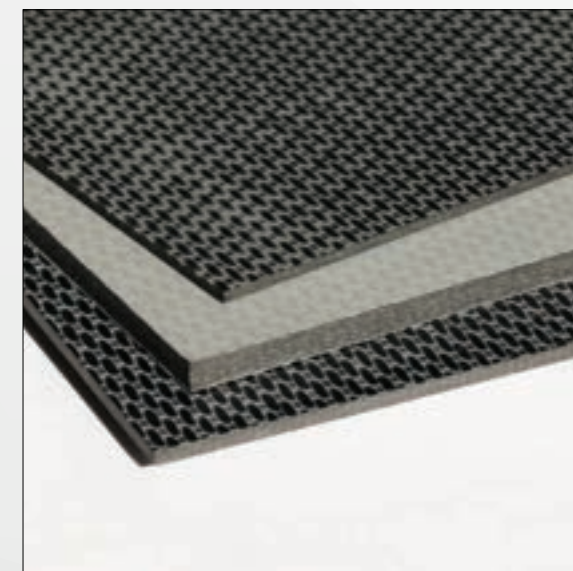
### Technical features

- Platen temperature: up to 450°C
- Temperature uniformity: up to  $\pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$  at 400°C
- Electric heated platens
- Heating rate: from 1 to 20°C/min (on average)
- Cooling rate: from 1 to 15°C/min (on average)
- Cooling system: air and water
- Coordinated pressure & temperature control

### Parts

- Fiber reinforced thermoplastic laminate

### Process



Fiber reinforced thermoplastic laminate



Laboratory press

# 395° RTL process

## Hot Transfert Fluid Heated Platens

### Benefits

- High temperature
- Accurate temperature control
- Great homogeneous temperature distribution
- Faster: heating/cooling rate up to 20°C/min
- Higher performance material: PEEK
- Better production quality: homogeneous crystallisation
- Bigger: capable of being scaled up to very large platen sizes
- Flexible: available as an upgrade for existing presses

### Materials

- PEEK
- PEKK
- PPS
- PEI
- etc.

### Technical features

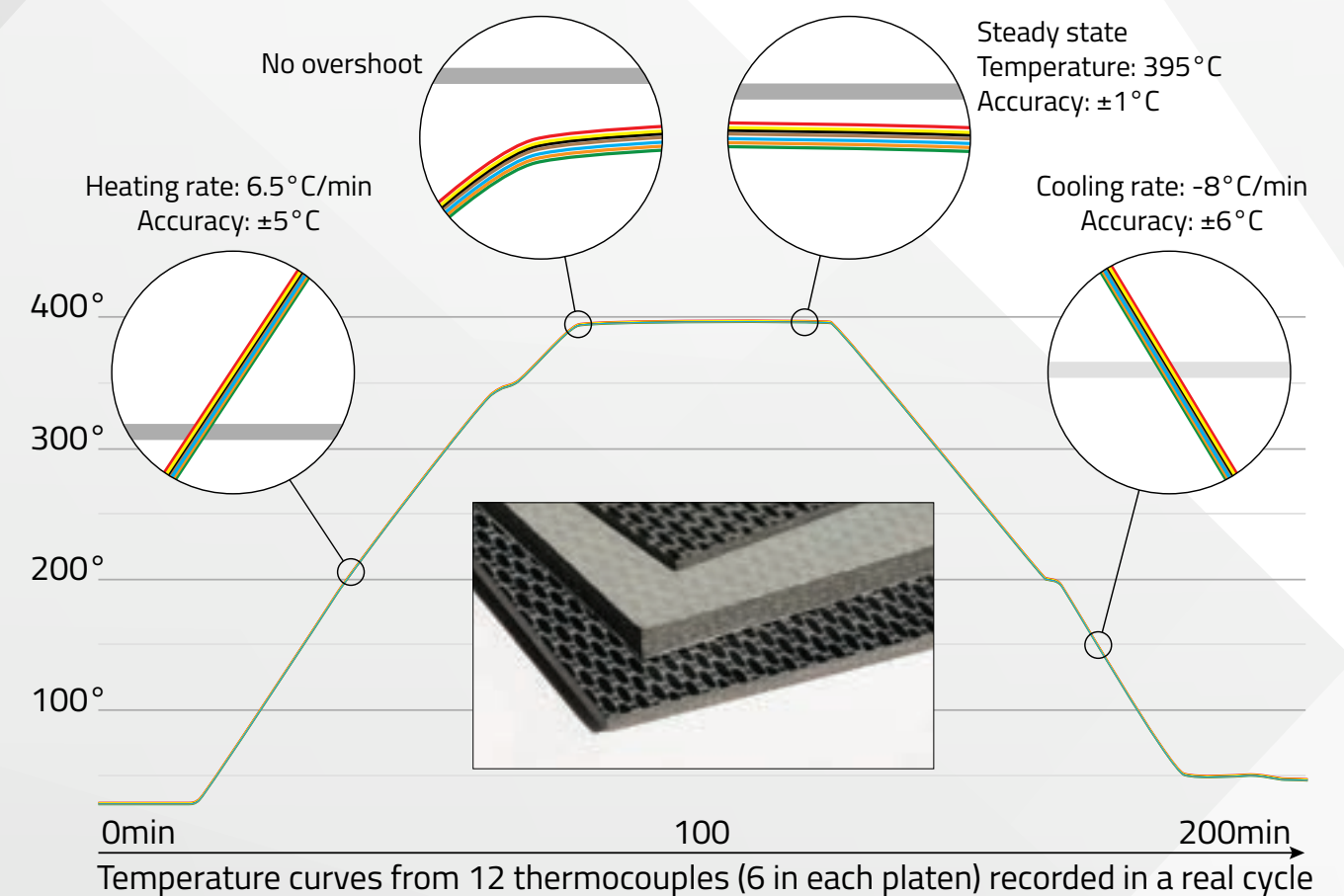
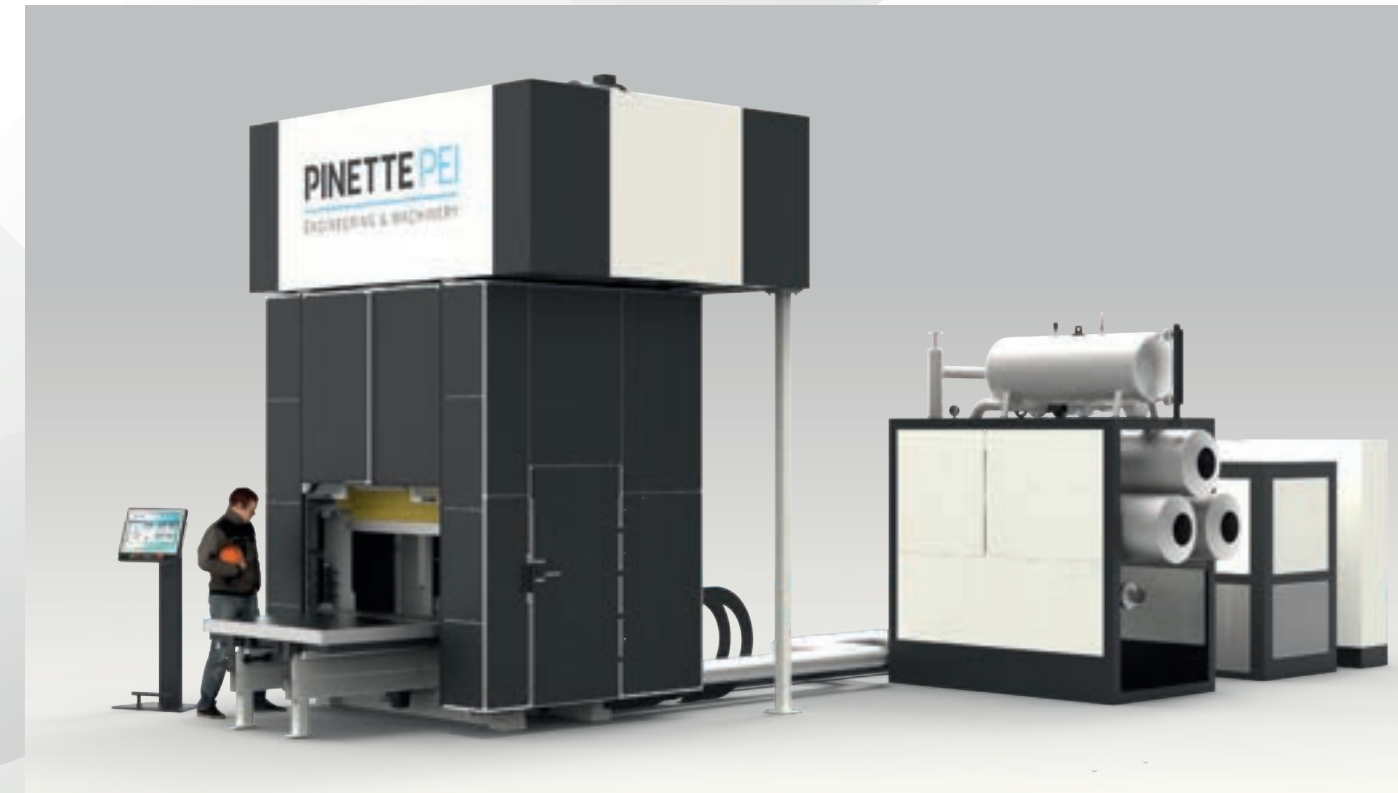
- Heat transfer fluid temperature: 395°C
- Platen temperature: up to 395°C
- Temperature uniformity: up to  $\pm 1^\circ\text{C}$
- Heat transfer fluid heated platens
- Heating/cooling rate: from 1 to 20°C/min (scalable)

### Parts

- Fiber reinforced thermoplastic laminate



## Process





# Preforming

## 3D net-shape preforms

### Benefits

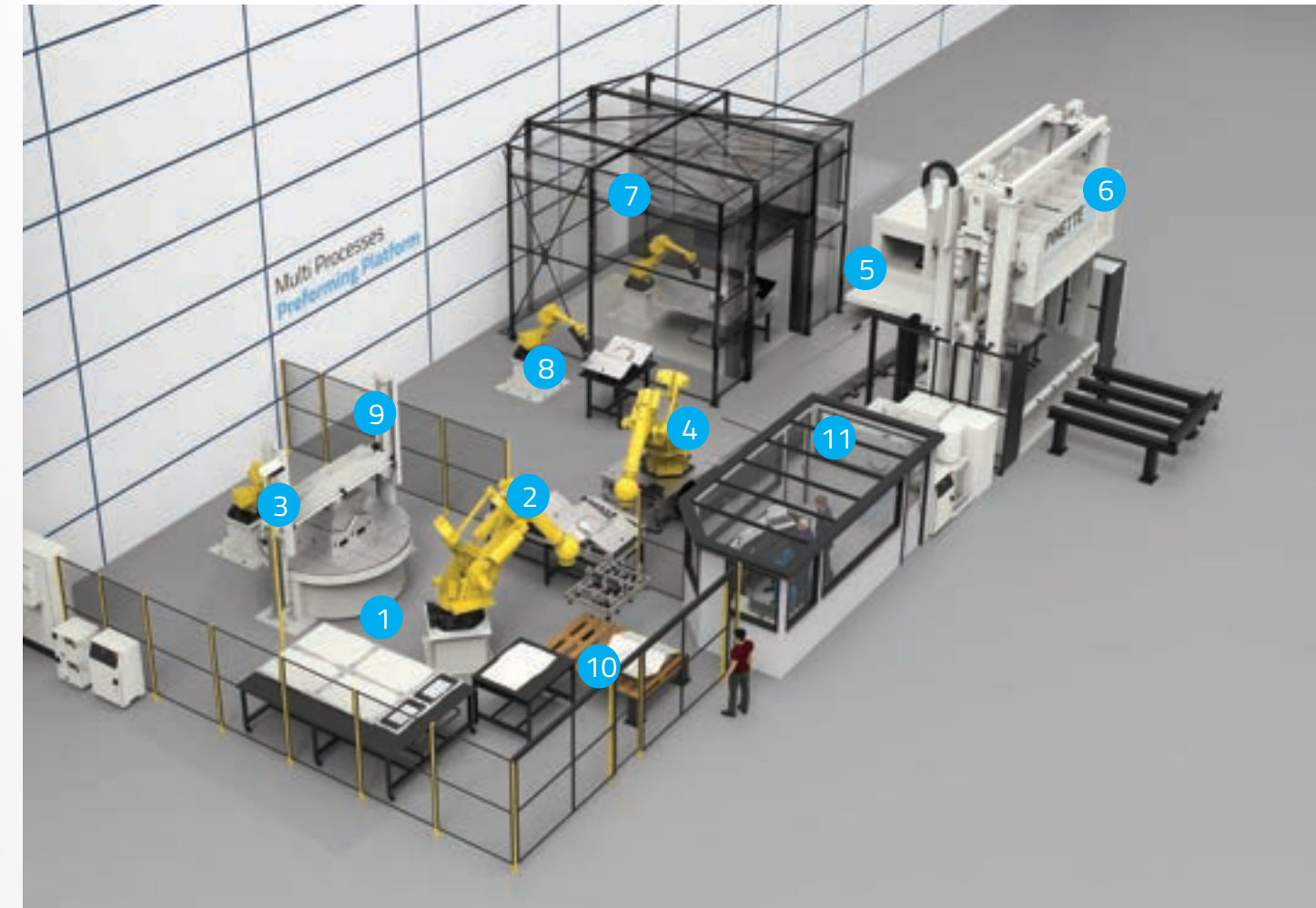
- Repeatability
- Accuracy
- Speed/production rate
- Net-shape 3D preform
- Flexibility
- Traceability
- Compact footprint
- Custom solution
- Turnkey line

### Materials

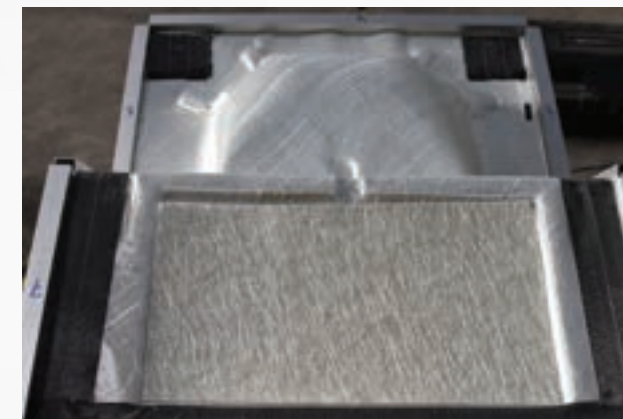
- Thermoset & thermoplastic prepreg, dry fiber
- Weaving: UD, non-crimp fabric, woven, preconsolidated blank, mat
- Fibre: carbon, glass, aramid, natural
- Form: fabric rolls, blank, tape, kits



### Process



1. Material in the loading station
2. Pick and place with custom gripper
3. Accuracy control (Material position adjustment)
4. Handling robot on 7th axis
5. IR oven
6. Hot or cold forming press with SMED
7. AFP (automated fibre placement) cell
8. Fibre projection
9. Automated trimming
10. Net-shape preform unloading
11. Quality data recording



Multi-material, multi-structure net-shape 3D preforme



# QSP®

TP preforming, stamping and overmolding  
From tape to final part in one minute

## Benefits

- Multi-material, multi-thickness
- CFRP
- One minute cycle time
- Net shape design
- Ready for direct assembly
- Robustness and repeatability
- High volume capacity
- Competitive cost

## Parts

- Structural parts
- Suspension element
- Seat structure



Multi-thickness demonstrator  
(optimised for 0% scrap)



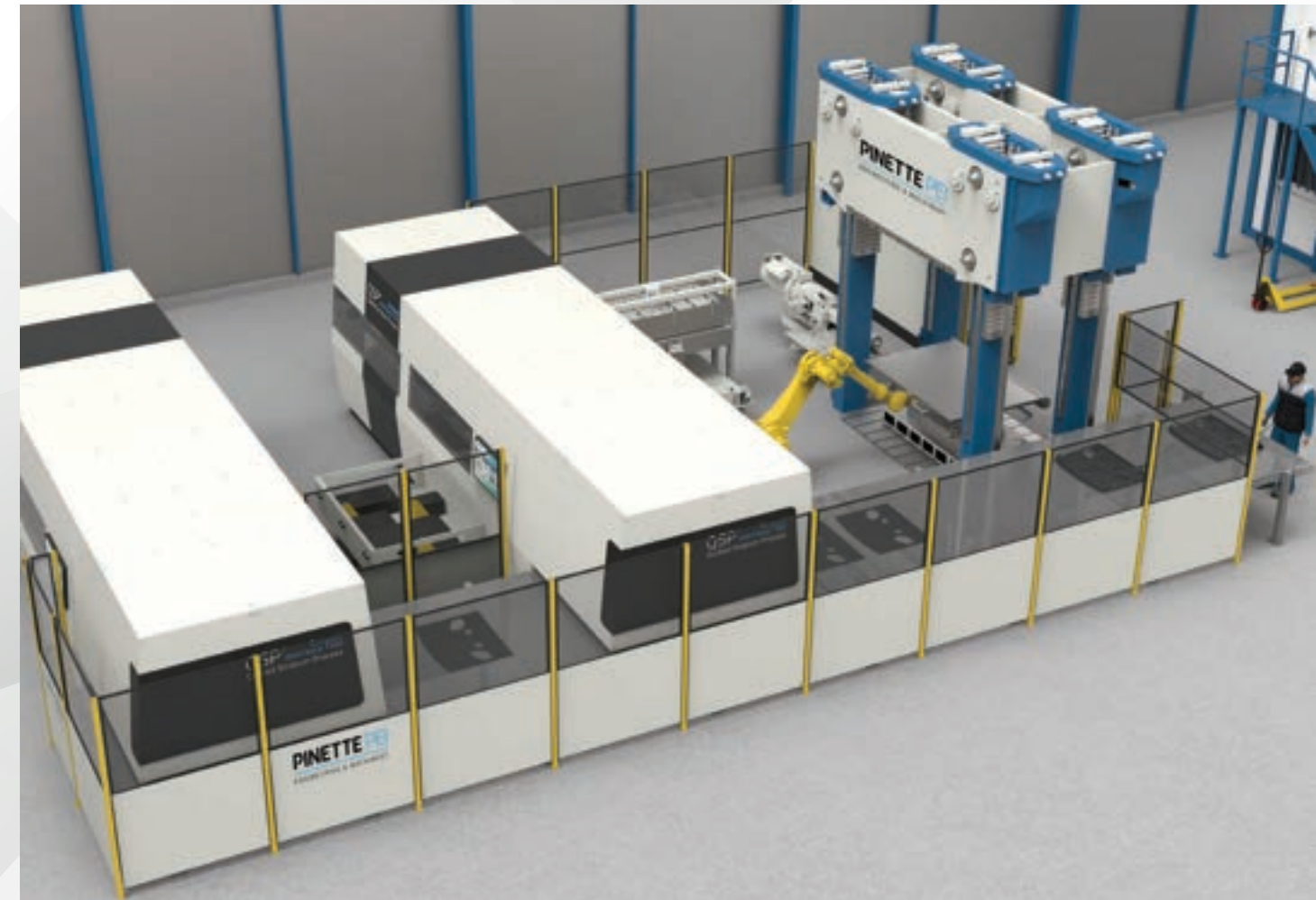
Multilayer back seat



Assembly in mold  
"one-shot"



Windows frames



## Process



# HDF

## Hot Drape Forming

### Benefits

- Single or double diaphragm
- Temperature 30°C to 180°C
- Length: up to 20m
- Wrinkle free forming - thickness up to 30 mm
- Up and down stroke controlled by servomotors for perfect control
- Multizone Temperature control and heating regulation for simultaneous multiple densities preforming
- Preform tool identification and position control
- Adapted for class 8 cleanrooms
- Increased production speed
- Reduced labor costs
- Light curtain for safety protection
- Quick Locking System for accurate diaphragm and material positioning
- Fully customizable equipment

### Materials

- Fibers : Glass, carbon
- Resins : Thermoset
- Binder : Thermoplastic, Thermoset



### Process

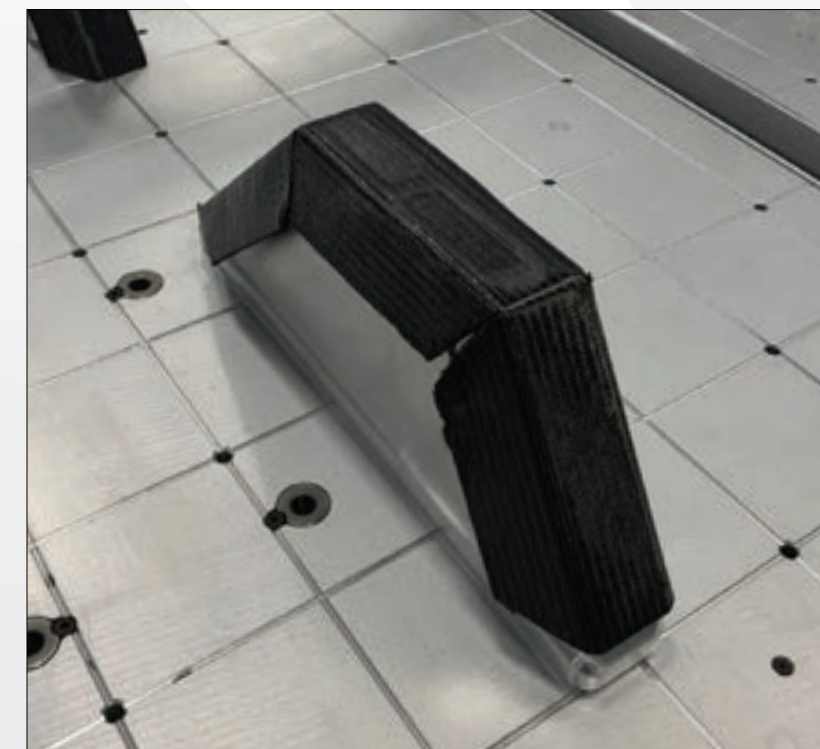


### Applications

- Stiffeners
- Spars
- Ribs
- Struts
- Braces

### Options

- HMI
- Data acquisition
- Fully moveable multiple vacuum tables
- Vacuum table
- Separate tools heating bank for increased quality and shorter production times
- Controlled heating and cooling rates



Spar preform



# C-RTM



## C-RTM Process performance

- Thermoplastic & Thermoset resin compatible
- Net-shape
- Two-minute cycle time for large parts
- Repeatability
- Fully automated process
- Inline monitoring
- 100% raw material usage
- High Pressure (HP) injection compatible



## Process



## Product performance

- Fibre volume: up to 60%
- Porosity <2%
- No fibre distortion from process
- Yields stable part geometry

## Materials

- Fibers: glass, carbon
- Resins: thermoset and thermoplastics



Complex geometry prototype part



# RTM Press

## Benefits

- Repeatability
- Accuracy
- Reliability
- Traceability
- Custom solution
- Turnkey line

## Options

- Thermoset or thermoplastics
- Automated shuttle transfer system
- 6 axis robots
- Fully automated production line

## Product features

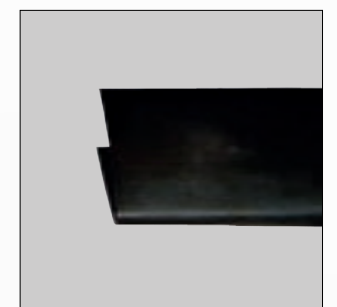
### Presses and lines

- Up to 10,000kN
- Platen size up to 10000x2000mm
- Fully programmable
- Injection unit connected to the press
- Shuttle or swing tables
- Ergonomic positioning

## Materials

- Fibers : Carbon, glass, etc.
- Resins : Thermoset, Thermoplastic

## Process



Leading Edge



Turbine Blades

# Stamp forming TP Production line

## Benefits

- High production rate
- Repeatability
- Accuracy
- Traceability
- Custom solution
- Turnkey line
- Fully programmable

## Materials

- PPS
- PEI
- PEKK
- PEEK
- PEAK
- LMPEAK

## Product features

### Stamping press

- Heated platens up to 450°C (for optionnal consolidation)
- Temperature accuracy  $\pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Infrared oven up to 450°C
- Up to 30,000kN
- Pressure & temperature control
- Process parameter monitoring and recording

### Infrared Oven

- Continuously controlled temperature of blank surface
- Accurate temperature regulation

## Options

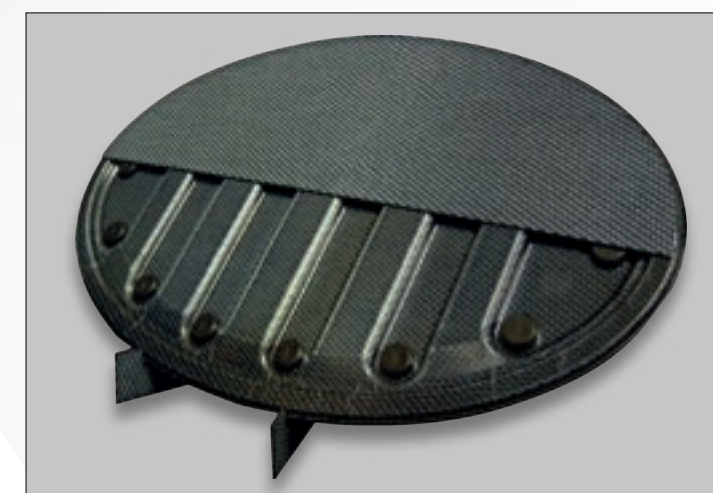
### Automatic Loading / Unloading

- Assistance to blank positioning system
- Blank or film tension system
- Fast transfer by gantry or multi-axis robot

### Automatic Tool Change

- Fast transfer by multi axis robot
- Tool preheating
- Tool storage rack

## Process



Fuel Tank Access Panel



Clip



# Composite Curing

## Benefits

- Repeatability
- Accuracy
- Reliability
- Traceability
- Custom solution
- Turnkey line

## Materials

- Fibers: carbon, glass
- Thermoset resins
- Sandwich core metallic insert

Helicopter Blade



## Process



## Product features

- Platen size: up to 15 m long
- High level of automation
- Heated and cooled platens
- Heat transfer fluid heating and cooling system
- Temperature: up to 180°C
- Capacity: from 1.5T to 100T
- High pressure: from 0.5 to 8 bars
- Optimised ergonomics
- Press with tilting shuttle table for easy loading/unloading and cleaning outside of the press
- Data acquisition system for production traceability
- Turnkey system: press, heating and cooling system, tools



# Honeycomb Forming

## Benefits

- Repeatability
- Accuracy
- Reliability
- Traceability
- Custom solution
- Turnkey line

## Options

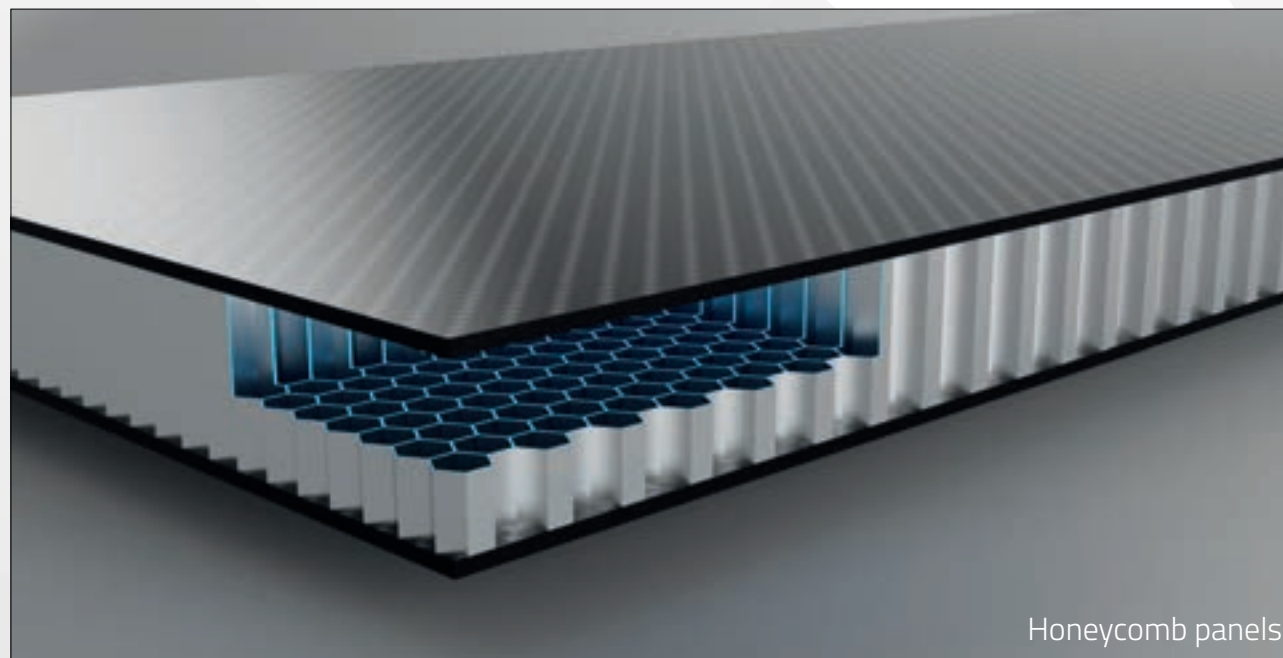
- Loading/unloading table

## Materials

- Fibers: carbon, glass
- Thermoset resins
- Core: Nomex, aluminium

## Parts

- Interior structural parts



Honeycomb panels

## Process



## Product features

- Heated platens up to 300°C
- Thermal oil heated platens
- Temperature homogeneity:  $\pm 2^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Multi daylights



# Laboratory R&D Press

## Standard Laboratory Presses

### Product Features

- From 100 to 1000kN
- Platen size: from 300x300mm to 600x600mm
- Max temperature: 250 or 450°C
- Heated and cooled platens

### Options

- Low force capable
- Force sensor
- Thermoplastic stamping press
- Infra red preheating oven
- Vacuum system
- RTM
- Process parameter monitoring and recording

- Range available in various platen sizes, forces and temperatures
- Bespoke design also available



## Examples of custom designed R&D presses

### Stamping & Consolidation



### Product features

- Electrically heated platens
- Up to 450°C
- Cooling to 60°C
- Temperature accuracy  $\pm 5^\circ\text{C}$
- Platen size: 600 X 600 mm
- Infrared oven
- 2 axis manipulator

### Options

- Separate tool temperature control

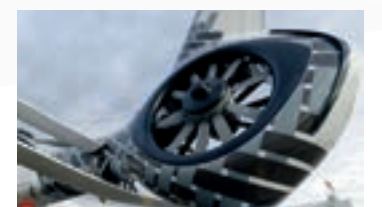


### RTM



### Product features

- Thermal fluid heating and cooling platens
- Force from 100 to 1000 kN
- Up to 250°C
- Heated and cooled platens
- Temperature accuracy  $\pm 3^\circ\text{C}$
- Platen size: 700 X 700 mm
- Integrated injection unit
- Optimised ergonomics
- Process parameter monitoring and recording



# Test centers with PINETTE PEI's presses





# High Pressure Hard Armor Press Systems

Our Hard Armor press system enables you to manufacture ballistic protection for every applications.

## For defence personnel

Helmets | Vests | Inserts | Shield

## For defence vehicle

Marine | Aircraft | Ground based vehicle

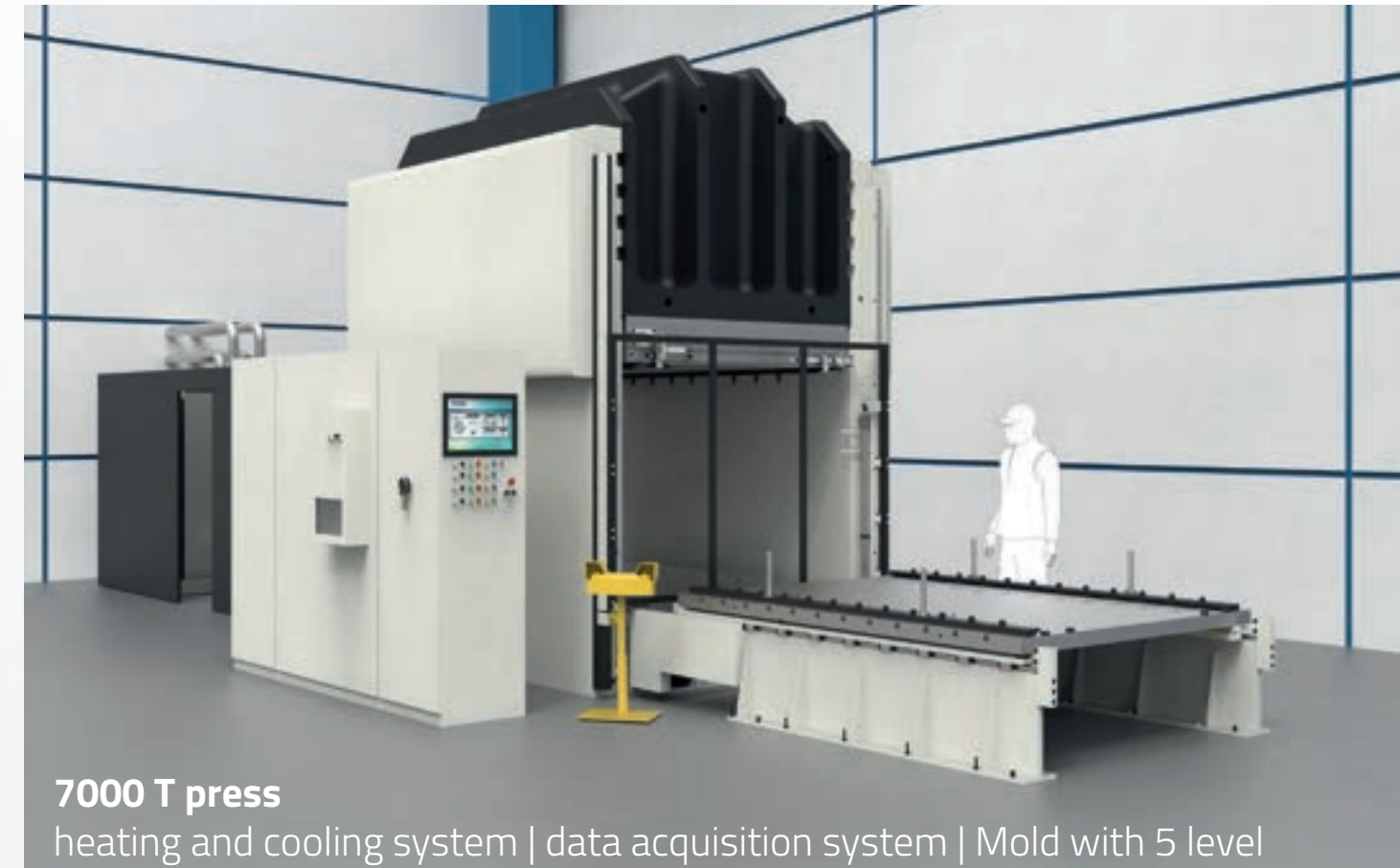
## Technical Features

- Single opening press with multidaylight mold
- Press with shuttle bed for easy loading/unloading outside of the press
- Thermal oil heating and cooling system
- Data acquisition system for production traceability
- Turnkey system: press, heating and cooling system, molds

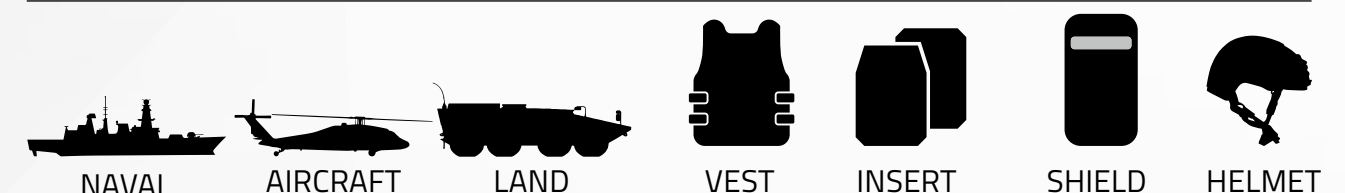
Metric sizes	U.S. sizes
<b>High capacity</b> from 400T to 10 000T	<b>High capacity</b> from 440T to 11 023 US ton
<b>high pressure</b> more than 500 bars	<b>high pressure</b> more than 7251 psi
<b>Temperature</b> up to 180°C	<b>Temperature</b> up to 356°F
<b>Platen size</b> up to 2500 x 1600mm	<b>Platen size</b> up to 98.42" x 62.99"



## Process



## Applications



## Materials

- Aramid
- Kevlar
- Ultrahigh molecular weight polyethylene (UHMWPE)
- Ceramic

## Parts

- Ballistic protection
- Spall liner
- Vehicle armor



# Stamping Stretch Forming

## Metal forming

### Benefits

- Tool storage on machine frame
- Synched or independant stretching unit
- Stretching force selection
- Fast stretching tool change over on rotary system
- Repeatability and reliability
- Decreased scrap rates
- Finishing work on parts reduction
- Suitable ergonomics
- Time cycles saving
- Manual operation reduction

### Materials

- Aluminium

### Options

- Long aluminium strip storage
- Hydraulic circuits for tool functions with quick couplings

### Peripheral Equipment

- Long aluminium strip storage
- Hydraulic circuits for tool functions with quick couplings

### Parts

- Aerofoil sections

### Process





# Presse brake for sheet metal forming

## Metal forming

### Benefits

- High accuracy bending
- Cylinders sensors correct instantly the pressure
- Front console adjustable in height
- High quality and wasteless bending thanks to Laser Control System (LCS)
- Suitable ergonomics
- High productivity

### Materials

- Sheet metal

### Technical data

- Tandem machines :  $2 \times 7 = 14$  m
- Folding force : 8000 daN
- Stroke : 500 mm
- Folding speed : 5,6 mm/s
- Tandem folding force : 16000 daN

### Parts

- Interior structural parts



## Process



12 axis back gauge



XXL ToolBox



# Curvature fitting

## Technical data

- Closing force : 100 tons
- Size of platens (Slide) 600x900 mm
- Daylight : 1000 mm
- Stroke of pressing platen : 800 mm
- Platen : 1200x2000 mm

## Materials

- Aluminium alloys

## Parts

- Structural parts



# Services

## Technical Support and Maintenance

- Hotline and maintenance contracts
- Spare parts
- Retrofit and updates
- Performance optimisation audits and services

## Training

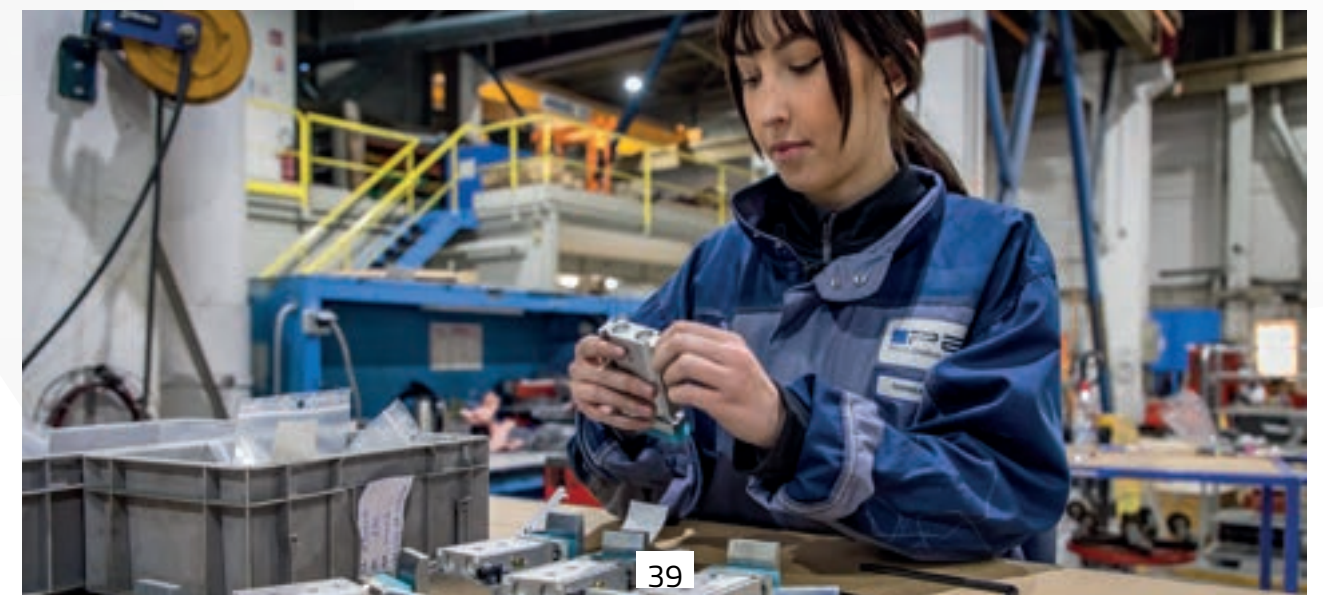
- General training
- Operator and maintenance technician training
- Machine maintenance
- Digital controls

## R&D Services

- Confidentiality
- Wide range of equipment and processes
- Process parameters (temperature, pressure, time) recording
- Engineer team to assist you
- Processes available:
  - Thermoplastic laminate consolidation
  - Thermoplastic stamping
  - Sheet Molding Compound compression
  - Resin Transfer Molding injection (RTM, C-RTM, HP-RTM)
  - Ballistic plate thermocompression
  - Carbon fabric preforming

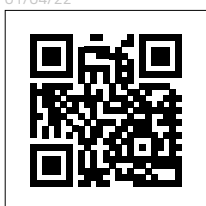
## Industry 4.0

- Virtual reality for project engineering
- MyPINETTE for remote monitoring
- Vision pack for maintenance
- Virtual reality digital product sharing
- Augmented reality interactive brochure
- VR Staging for immersive training





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