

EUROPEAN TOOLING PLATFORM TOOLING Main Challenges 2014-2020

(Horizon 2020)

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Tooling: INFRASTRUCTURAL INDUSTRY



Tooling: MULTISECTORAL IMPACT

A multi-disciplinar industry assuming a key position in global value systems, instrumental to the deployment of product-service systems, providing "infrastructural" support to economy.



Tooling Industry is in the critical path of product development!







Tooling: MULTIDISCIPLINARITY

- * Product Development & Engineering
- * CAD/CAM/CAE
- * Rapid Manufacturing (PR/RT)
- * Communication
- * IT Security
- * Knowledge Management
- * Processes Reengineering
- * High Speed Milling
- * Micro-Manufacturing
- * Management & Planning
- * Quality, Environment, Health & Safety Work
- * Metrology
- * Jigs & Measurement Systems
- * Reverse Engineering
- * Plastics Injection
- * Die Casting Tools
- * PIM Powder Injection Moulding
- * Bi-Injection
- * RIM-Reactive Injection Moulding
- * In-Mould Assembling
- * Gas injection;



KNOW-HOW & CONTINUOUS TRAINING

TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION

NETWORKING

COMPETITIVENESS











Tooling: European Roadmap (2014-2020)

	Short Term	Medium Term	Long Term
Micro Manufacturing	20%	70%	10%
Micro Moulding	10%	80%	10%
Micro Assembling	10%	50%	40%
Micro Forming	20%	60%	20%
Distributed / Integrative Engineering	40%	40%	20%
In-Mould Technology	20%	70%	10%
Coatings and Surface Technologies	70%	20%	10%
Rapid Manufacturing and Prototyping	60%	20%	20%
Small Batches Production	60%	30%	10%
New Design and Engineering Techniques (Eco-Design)	40%	60%	0%
Advanced Automation, Remote Control and Production Cells	40%	50%	10%
Advanced Technologies for Micro Tools	30%	60%	10%
New Functional Materials	20%	70%	10%
Innovative Materials (Bio-Materials, Eco-Materials)	30%	30%	40%
Nano Technologies	0%	60%	40%
Production of structural composites parts	40%	40%	20%
Simulation Methods and Tools for Knowledge Services	60%	40%	0%
Environmental Friendly Fabrication Processes	56%	33%	11%







European Tooling Platform (MANUFUTURE)

Tooling: Multi-Platforms Interaction



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Tooling: Multi-Platforms Interaction (Cooperation Areas)

European Platforms	Areas of Articulation	
Advanced Engineering Materials and Technologies-EuMat	Bio polymers	
	For innovative materials and joint work with non plastic experts	
	(hybrid materials)	
	Functional materials	
Advisory Council for Aeronautics Research in Europe-ACARE	Efficient production for Small Series	
	New materials for Aeronautics	
European Road Transport Research Advisory Council-ERTRAC	For the development of light cars and the necessary tools that	
	have to be jointly developed	
Micro Nano Manufacturing-MINAM	Design for micro production	
	For the development of spart plastic products	
	Micro assembling	
	Micro forming	
	Micro handling	
	Micro injection moulding	
	Micro manufacturing	
	Production of micro Tools	
Rapid Manufacturing-RM	Better surface finish	
	Materials for RM	
	New materials for RM	
	Prototypes on the micro scale	
	Small series	
Robotics-EUROP	Helping operators in the moulding industry doing physically hard manual work by collaborative robots (cobots).	







Tooling: EUROPEAN GOALS

PRODUCTS | EMPLOYMENT | INNOVATION | COMPETITIVENESS







Tooling: Main Challenges

- **Tooling Industry is an European Infra-structure** supporting Product Development;
- INNOVATION is the key point on TOOLING to support Global Markets / Clients;
- Continuous TRAINNING is a must to maintain the leverage of knowledge within the most advanced fields (on materials and technologies applications);
- QUALIFIED JOBS are promoted continuously in the Tooling companies;
- New ENTERPRENEURSHIPS are rising from Tooling Front Edge main areas (*Micromanufacturing, Robotics, Handling, Virtual Design, Clean Tech, etc*);
- **TOOLING is a NETWORK INDUSTRY** (involving Industry & Academia)
- RESEARCH / DEVELOPMENT / PILOT LINES, are fundamental to reinforce the European Tooling Competitiveness;



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Tooling: The Next European Event



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