





## **OVERVIEW OF IRT JULES VERNE'S OFFER**

- > 3 KINDS OF TECHNOLOGICAL RESEARCH
  - R&T collaborative project
  - R&T European project
  - R&T Contract research



- ► 2 KINDS OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER
  - Sale of patents and licences
  - Pre-industrialisation project





## JULES VERNE INSTITUTE, MEMBER OF NANTES UNIVERSITÉ

New public higher education and research institution





















## **MISSION**

## ► Focus on Manufacturing

OUR VOCATION

To reinforce the competitiveness of the French industry

OUR MISSION

To accelerate innovation and promote technology transfer to the factories

OUR CORE BUSINESS Collaborative research



163M€ from the Programme of Investments for the Future



7 Energy Transition Institutes







## **FIT: KEY FIGURES**

- ▶ 15 institutes for sovereign, sustainable and resilient innovations
- Over 643 industrial partners, including 454 technological SMEs and 255 academic partners
- > 72 European projects

- ▶ **199** patents
- **972** publications
- ▶ **124** technological platforms



## FIT: A KEY INTERLOCUTOR

▶ OF THE STATE AND MINISTRIES
Support for R&D and innovation policies

Present in 20 out of 28 "PIA 4" acceleration strategies (12.5M€):

- Decarbonated hydrogen
- Decarbonation of industry
- Digitalization and decarbonisation of mobility
- Robotics and human/machine interface
- Advanced technologies for energy systems
- · Bio-sourced products

- Recyclability, recycling and reincorporation
- Electric vehicle battery
- National IA Strategy
- Biotherapy and bioproduction
- Cloud and making the digital world more environmentally friendly
- Sustainable city and innovative building

FOR THE INDUSTRIAL SECTORS: SECTOR STRATEGIC COMMITTEE (CSF)

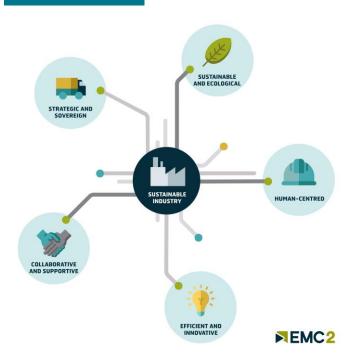
Support for R&D and innovation sectors

### Present in 10 out of 18 comittees:

- Aeronautics
- Automotive industry
- Chemistry and materials
- Sea Industries
- Electronics
- Digital infrastructure
- · Mining and metallurgy
- Health
- Security
- New energy systems



## A SUSTAINABLE MANUFACTURING



# A VISION OF MANUFACTURING AT THE SERVICE OF A SUSTAINABLE INDUSTRY

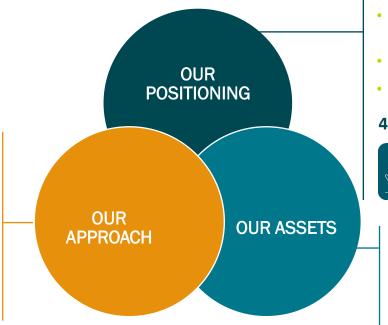
- Sober and environmentally friendly manufacturing
- Manufacturing that puts **people** at the heart of its concerns
- Efficient, flexible and intelligent manufacturing
- Collaborative manufacturing, within the company and between companies
- Manufacturing that takes into account the stakes of sovereignty

EMC2's Manifesto for a sustainable industry



## STRATEGIC POSITIONING ON MANUFACTURING

- **SOLUTIONS ORIENTED**
- SYNERGY BETWEEN **MANUFACTURERS** AND INTEGRATORS
- **CROSS-FERTILISATION BETWEEN SECTORS**



### **3 STRATEGIC DOMAINS**

- INTEGRATED PRODUCT/PROCESS **DESIGN**
- **INNOVATIVE PROCESSES**
- **SMART FLEXIBLE SYSTEMS**

### **4 KEY SECTORS**









- INDUSTRIAL COMPETENCES
- INDUSTRIAL SCALE PLATFORMS
- **AGILITY**
- FINANCIAL LEVERS



## **R&D THEMATICS**



FORMING AND PREFORMING PROCESSES



Metal forming



ASSEMBLY

- Multimaterial joining technologies
- Structure and systems assembly



ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING PROCESSES

- High deposition rate metal additive manufacturing
- High performance composites additive manufacturing



MOBILITY IN INDUSTRIAL ENVIRONMENT

• Smart and autonomous mobility of manufacturing tools and systems in industrial environments or structures



MANUFACTURING FLEXIBILITY

- Flexible and intelligent process automation
- Quick reconfigurability of manufacturing systems



## NATIONAL INTER-IRT PROGRAMS



## **Thermoplastics**

	Materials	Semi-product	Processes	Assembly
St-Exupéry	X	X		
Jules Verne		Х	X	Х
M2P	Х			

## Additive Manufacturing

	Design	Raw material	Materials	Processes	Post-treatment
St-Exupéry			Х		
Jules Verne				X	
M2P		Х			Х
SystemX	x				



## **TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER PROCESS**

**INDUSTRIAL** 

**NEEDS** 

## **INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH PROJECT**

- Involvement of integrators
- Integration of use cases in the project
- Techno economic assessment

**TECHNOLOGY MATURATION** 

TRANSFER
TO THE
FACTORY

## SERVICES PRODUCTS







Exploitt Method inspired ©

## MAJOR INDUSTRIAL MEMBERS





























































## **PARTNERSHIPS**

### **COMPANIES**

















**ARKEMA** 









NAVAL























CHANTIERS DE L'ATLANTIQUE



















#### **UNIVERSITIES & RESEARCH CENTRES**



































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## **SMEs AT THE HEART OF IRT JULES VERNE**

► A strong and historic bond with

The European manufacturing technology competitiveness cluster





R&D intensive SMEs



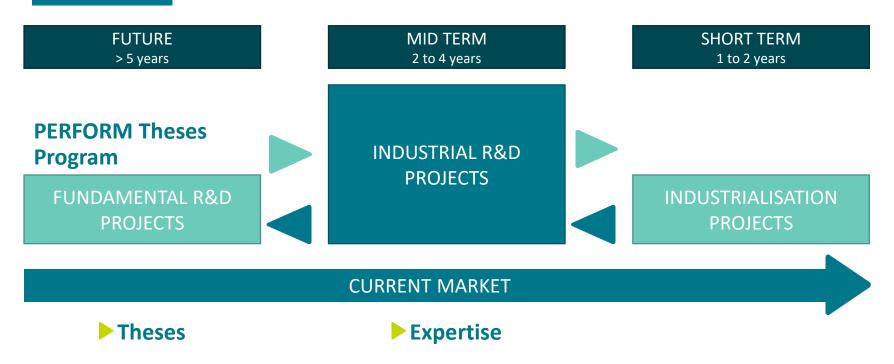


First innovative SMEs





## THE PLACE OF ACADEMIC PARTNERS AT IRT JULES VERNE



# **KEY FIGURES (SINCE 2012)**

PROJECT PORTFOLIO

**112** R&D projects

249 M€

CONTRACT RESEARCH

150 Contract

**5** м€

60 Customers

EUROPEAN ACTIVITIES

19 EU projects

**7,9** м€

STRONGER TOGETHER

131 Employees

43
Industrial members

25 SME members

16
Academic members

REVENUES AND ASSETS

25 M€ Annual revenue

19 M€ Equipment investment

77
Patents



## JULES VERNE INSTITUTE EXECUTIVE BOARD

**8 INDUSTRIAL PARTNERS** 

**AIRBUS** 















**4 ACADEMIC PARTNERS** 









1 REPRESENTATIVE **OF JV RESEARCHERS** 



**François PAYNOT** President, IRT Jules Verne CEO, Airbus Nantes





## AT THE HEART OF A MAJOR INNOVATIVE CAMPUS



In 2030 >> 15000 Employments / 1500 Researchers / 3000 Students





## WELDED ASSEMBLY SOLUTION FOR FLAT PANEL

### **ASPEN PROJECT**

### OBJECTIVES

 To develop or to adapt the two components necessary for the automation of the realization of a single weld cord on large parts of large dimension.

### INDUSTRIAL IMPACTS

- Controlling the weight of the cobot
- Reduction of production cycles
- Reduction of the arduousness of welding operations

## PARTNERS

IRT Jules Verne, Les Chantiers de l'Atlantique, CETIM, CNRS (LS2N), Europe Technologies, Naval Group





## ZERO WASTE BLADE RESEARCH PROJECT

#### **ZEBRA PROJECT**

## ▶ OBJECTIVES

 To demonstrate the technical-economic and environmental feasibility of thermoplastic wind turbine blades, in an eco-design approach to facilitate recycling

## INDUSTRIAL IMPACTS

- Reduction of energy consumption
- Reduction of production waste

## PARTNERS

IRT Jules Verne, Arkema, CANOE, Engie, LM Wind Power, Owens Corning, SUEZ.





7EBRA 100% Recyclabl



## FROM THE IMPREGNATED FIBER TO THE STRUCTURE

FIBIAS / FIBIAS ++ PROJECT

## OBJECTIVES

 To develop technologies for the implementation of thermoplastic composites for large series automotive applications. These technologies must allow the switch from dry reinforcing fiber to the shaped structure, net shape and ready to be integrated into a vehicle.



- 25% reduction in the cost of TP composite parts.
- Development of organosheets, GMT, sandwiches from recycled materials.
- Reducing the CO2 footprint.

## PARTNERS

IRT Jules Verne, Faurecia (FORVIA), Choletaise Moules Outillages (CMO), IMT Nord-Europe, PSA Automobiles.







## HANDLING & POSITIONING OF HEAVY PARTS FOR ASSEMBLY

**HAPPY / HAPPY 2 PROJECT** 



### **OBJECTIVES**

- To develop and evaluate a concept of aerostructure assembly line which is flexible regarding product variant and production rate evolution.
- The system consists in positioners mounted on Automated Guided Vehicles and controlled by a closed loop system based on local measurements provided by external sensors.

### INDUSTRIAL IMPACTS

- Flexibility to product variant and production rates
- Non-recurring cost reduction
- Enhanced reconfigurability of the workshop

### PARTNERS

IRT Jules Verne, Airbus, Airbus Atlantic, Acsystème, CNRS (LS2N), IMT Atlantique, INRIA, Naval Group.



## STUDY OF THE COMPRESSION/STAMPING PROCESS - OVERCOMING AND ITS SIMULATION

### **COSMOS PROJECT**



## OBJECTIVES

- To develop die-casting process for high performance materials (C/PEKK)
- To develop a tool concept compatible with the material, processes and type of parts
- To develop a simulation tool to support process developments

### ► INDUSTRIAL IMPACTS

- Reduce production costs by integrating features
- · Improved product performance (interface quality)
- Development of the French thermoplastic industry (GIFAS TP)

## PARTNERS

IRT Jules Verne, Arkema, Arrk Shapers, CEA, Cogit Composites, Daher, Hutchinson, Latécoère, Liebherr, Porcher, Clayens NP Group







## FLEXIBLE AND AUTOMATED CND PLATFORM FOR MANUFACTURING PROCESSES

#### **FANTOM PROJECT**

### OBJECTIVES

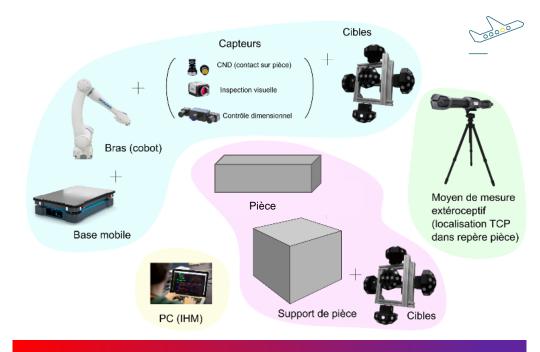
 To overcome the lack of flexibility of the usual means of control by developing a robotic control system for structures of large dimensions or complex geometry

### INDUSTRIAL IMPACTS

- Automated CND (Material Health, Visual Inspection, Geometric Inspection) controls in an agile and mobile way
- Analysis facilitated by combining data from different types of controls and reliable diagnosis

## **PARTNERS**

 IRT Jules Verne, Airbus, Axiome, CEA TECH, Daher Aerospace, Diota, Testia



#### **FANTOM PROJECT**



## STATIC WELDING OF THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITES FOR AERONAUTICS

## **SPECTRA PROJECT**



## **OBJECTIVES**

 To meet the assembly needs of high-performance thermoplastic composites, by increasing the maturity of the conduction static welding process.

## INDUSTRIAL IMPACTS

- Development of numerical modelling tools for the assembly process
- Development of powerful, compact and innovative tools
- Development of calibration solutions for welded assembly sets and functionalization of frames

## PARTNERS

Airbus, Arkema, Cero, Hutchinson, IRT Jules Verne, Pinette Emidecau Industries, Safran, Stelia Aerospace





# ISOLATION SOLUTIONS FOR ON-BOARD LIQUID HYDROGEN STORAGE

NOMADE PROJECT







## **OBJECTIVES**

 Develop insulation solutions and associated processes to optimize and guarantee the thermal and gravimetric performance of liquid hydrogen tanks while considering the industrial and economic feasibility of the solutions chosen.

### IMPACTS

- Meeting the challenge of clean mobility for tomorrow's heavy transport
- Proposal of a manufacturing range consistent with industrial production cycles

## PARTNERS

IRT JULES VERNE, AIRBUS, APERAM, ARESIA, DAHER, FAURECIA (a FORVIA Group company), FIVES, FLYING WHALES, NAVAL GROUP, CEA, ECOLE CENTRALE NANTES (LHEEA) and IRT SAINT EXUPERY





## Monitoring of Composites by infusion for naval activity

#### MONOCLE PROJECT



## OBJECTIVES

- Establish a methodology for a first-time compliant, single or quasi-single thick, large-dimension composite part infusion process.
- Detect anomalies in real time.
- Develop a decision support tool for the pilot operator of the infusion process.
- Transfer results to Naval Group workshop

### IMPACTS

- Reduction of production costs.
- Reduction of the environmental footprint.

### PARTNERS

IRT JULES VERNE, Naval Group, Bureau Veritas Marine & Offshore, PCMI, PREDICT Groupe SNEF, SICOMIN.



**MONOCLE PROJECT** 





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