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Feintool wins important contract in Europe's hydrogen industry

The company is tasked with the production of high-precision metal components for fuel cells and electrolyzers. This successfully marks Feintool's entry into the European market, following the company's nomination in China by a leading market player.

The contract, which was awarded by a renowned European company specializing in fuel cells and electrolysers, involves the series supply of several components, including high-precision flow field plates. Initially, the order volume is expected to reach several million euros per year.

«Feintool is investing in Europe's energy future with hydrogen technology and making an important contribution to environmental sustainability. The new contract confirms our strategy of focusing on future markets within the green energy sector.» Torsten Greiner, CEO Feintool

Collaboration between partners

This contract comes after close collaboration with the customer, which included the development and production of prototype tools and prototype parts. It builds on the successful joint production of hydrogen components by Feintool and its partner SITEC.

While the German company SITEC contributes its expertise in industrial laser welding, Feintool produces ultra-precise components in high volumes.

The successful partnership between SITEC and Feintool is evident in our site in Taicang (China), where in 2024 series production of precision metal components for the hydrogen economy in the Asian market will start.

About Feintool

Feintool is an international technology and market leader in electrolamination stamping, fineblanking, and forming. We manufacture high-quality precision parts in large volumes from steel.

We supply the automotive industry, energy infrastructure equipment providers, and all manner of high-end industrial manufacturers. Feintool's products perfectly complement the mega-trends for green energy generation, storage, and usage.

Our core technologies deliver measurable cost-efficiency, consistent quality, and improved productivity. Feintool constantly expands the horizons of its production methods and develops intelligent solutions, innovative tools, and state-of-the-art manufacturing processes in line with customer needs.

Founded in 1959 and headquartered in Switzerland, the company has 17 production sites, 3,200 employees and over 100 vocational trainees in Europe, the USA, China, Japan and – as of 2025 – India. In 2023, turnover amounted to 848 million Swiss francs. Feintool is publicly listed and majority-owned by the Artemis Group.

About SITEC

SITEC is an internationally valued partner and system supplier for automated high-tech production systems and the series production of precision parts and assemblies.

Focusing on the use of innovative technologies, complete turnkey solutions and the highest quality, we develop production-ready solutions for laser material processing and automated assembly for the automotive and renewable energy industries. The company achieves this with around 300 employees and optimal teamwork.

SITEC is growing with the challenges of its customers and the market, such as the economical production of future-oriented products in the field of e-mobility or self-sufficient storage technologies based on fuel cells and interconnects. The company has been producing laser-welded bipolar plates on behalf for customers since 2012.

Fully automated laser processing systems for laser welding of copper in particular for components in e-drives, battery systems and power electronics, complete the portfolio.

Founded in 1991 and headquartered in Germany, the company serves Asian markets directly on site via SITEC Laser Technology (Shanghai) and operates a showroom in the USA (Pittsburgh).