

Photonics in Manufacturing and "3-D-Printing"

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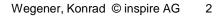


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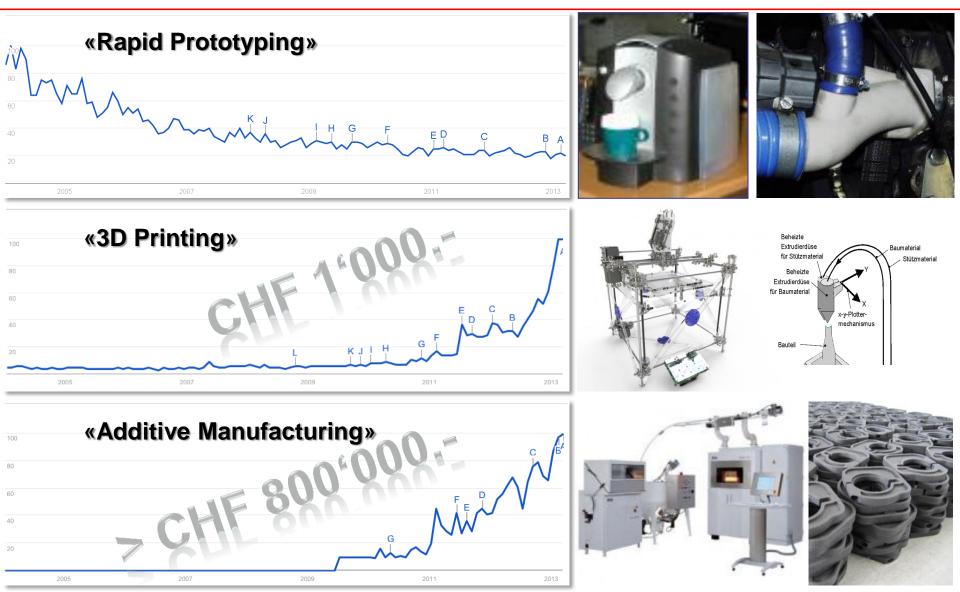
- Additive Manufacturing
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Trend (google – Abfrage)

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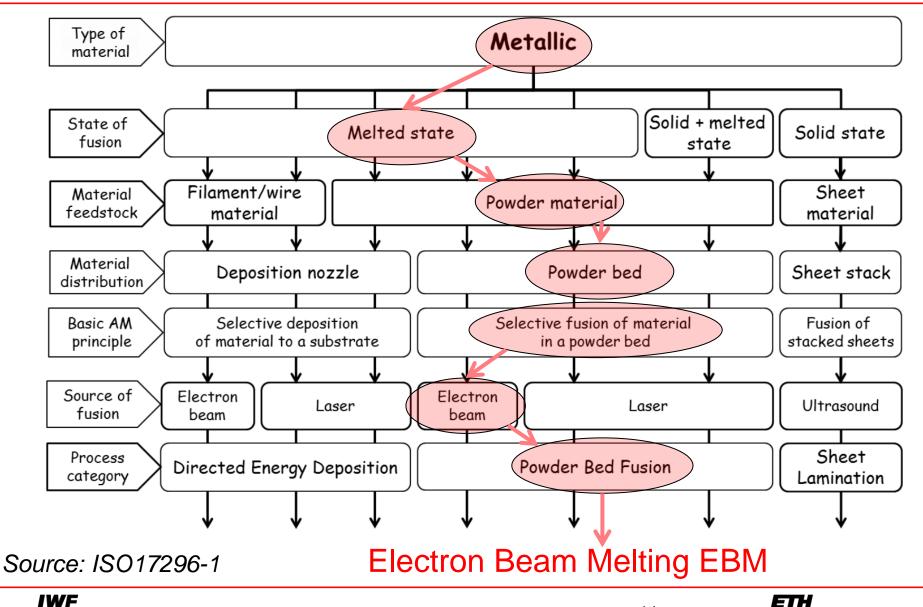


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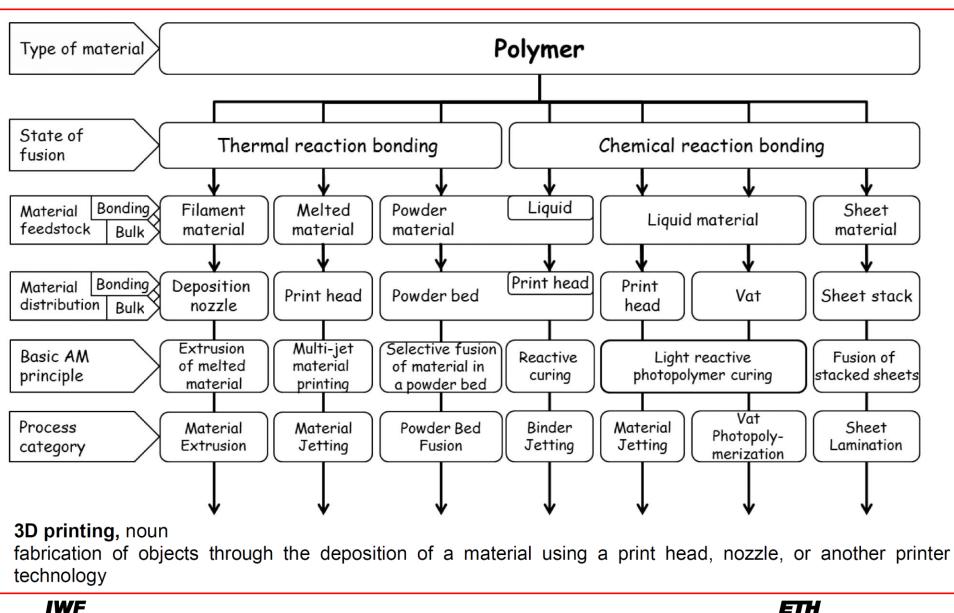
Classification of AM-processes: metals





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Classification of AM-processes: polymers



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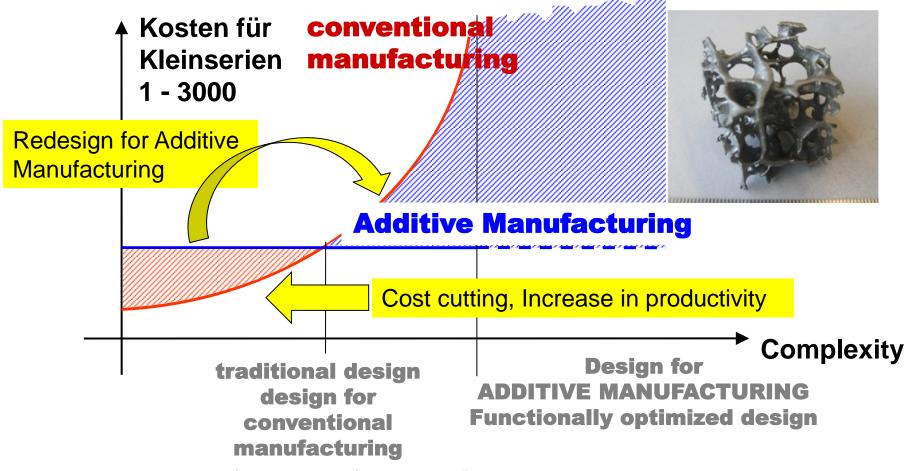


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Complexity for free

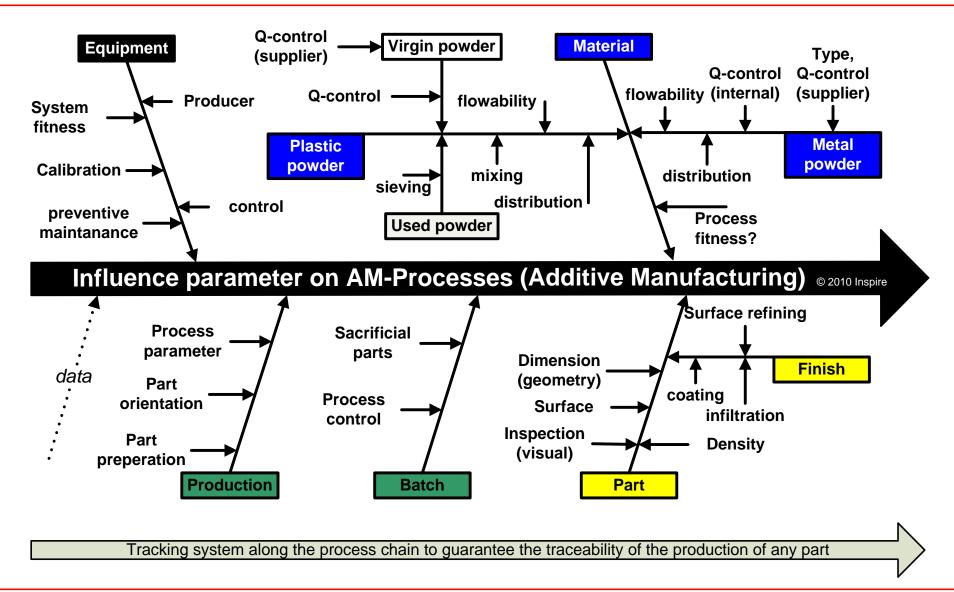
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- Nearly unlimited freedom of design \rightarrow exploitation
- → Permitted design opportunities (and not restrictions of freedom)
- Process optimization, Increase in reliability, Standardization

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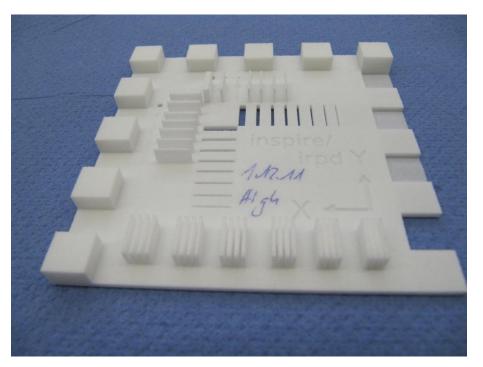
Ishikawa – diagram SLS

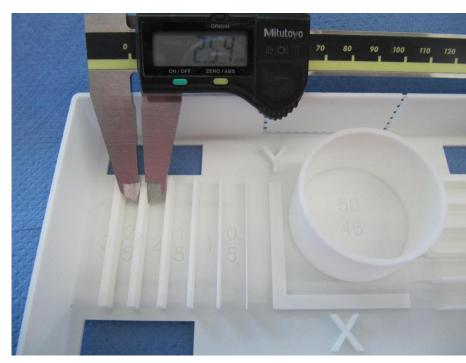




Benchmark piece, test piece, VDI 3404

Dependency on build place within working envelope
Similar to casting: delivery of test piece with the part

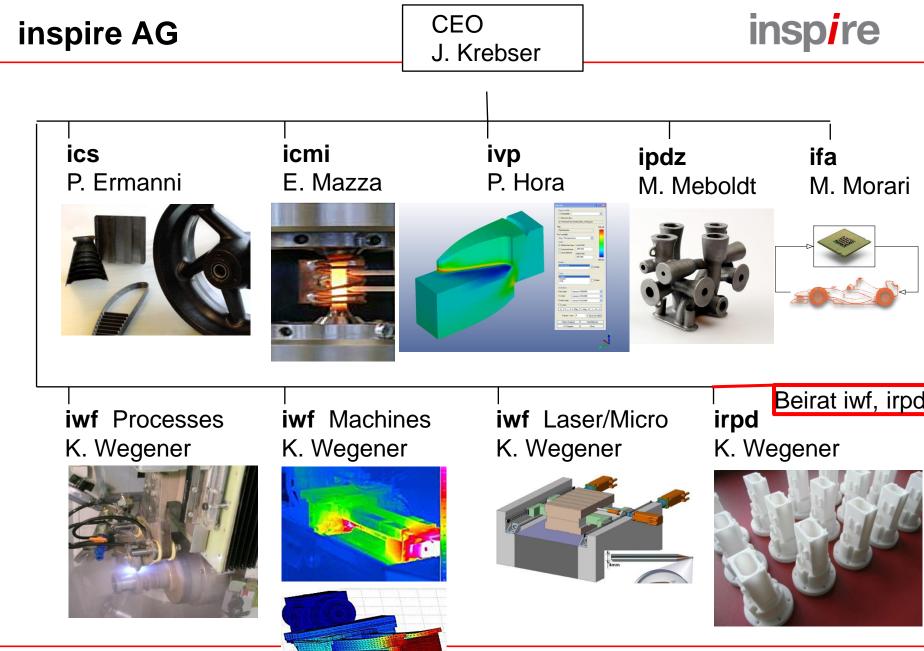




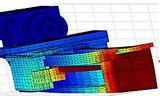
Testpiece irpd1 Focus visual

Testpiece irpd2 Focus: quantitativ

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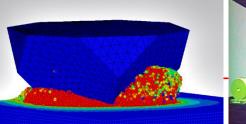
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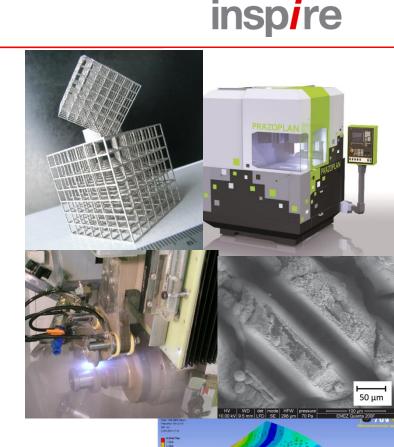
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Key areas of research and transfer

- Grinding, honing, lapping
- Optimization of machine tools
- Additive manufacturing
- High-energy beam manufact.: laserEDM
- Factory planning and virtual reality
- Emerging fields
- Micro manufacturing
- Chip removal with geom. defined cutting edges
- Electro mobility

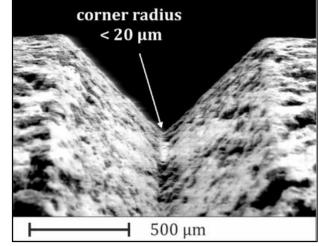






Research – Laser Ablation

- Laser processing of diamond and CBN cutting tools
- Laser touch dressing of dressing wheels
- Conditioning of cubic boron nitride (CBN) grinding wheels
- Laser shaping of bulk metallic glass





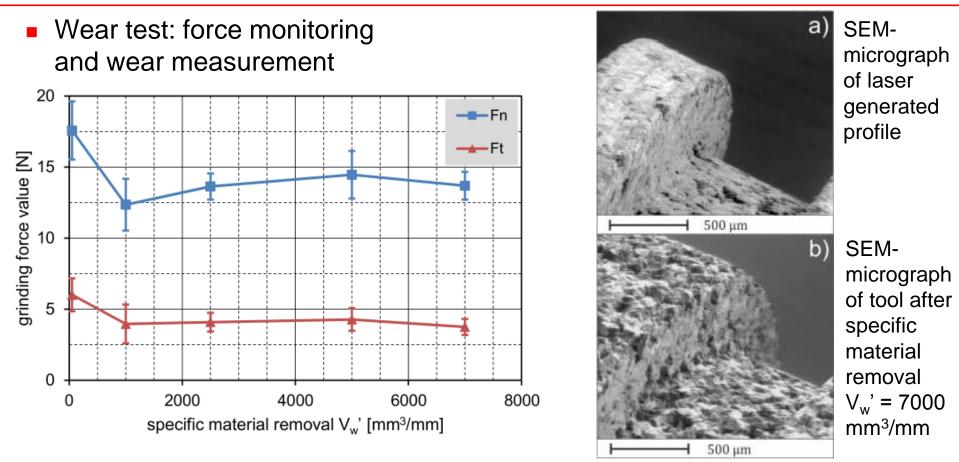


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Laser profiling & grinding tests



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- Stable grinding conditions after run in with higher forces
- Dense surfaces from tangential tangential laser truing
- Run in characterized by self sharpening, partly pull out
- Damage to grains from laser treatment negligible (not analyzed)

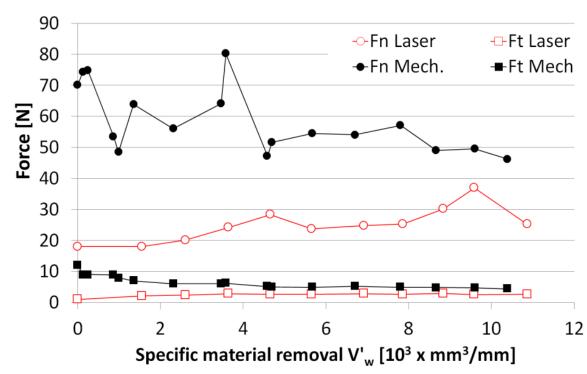
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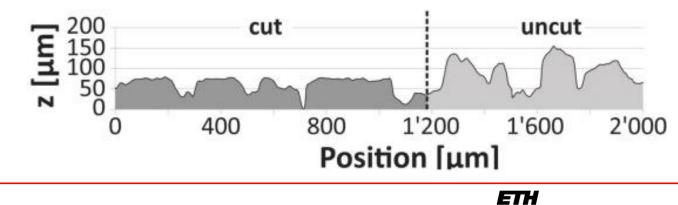
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Laser Touch Dressing



- dressing times reduced by factor 2
- no graphitization
- removal of bad (negative) flancs
- Iower forces
- lower energy
 load on workpiece



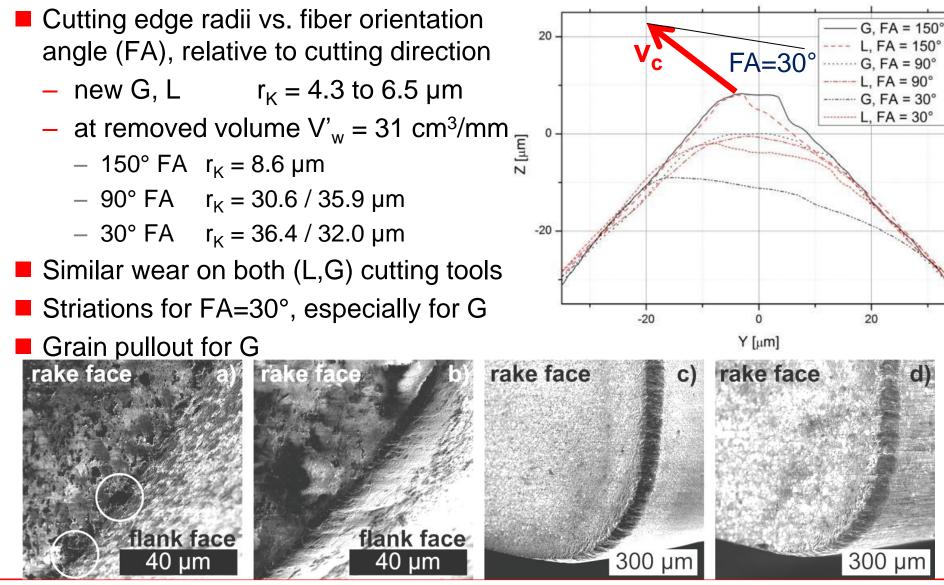


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Cutting edge wear at processing of CFRP





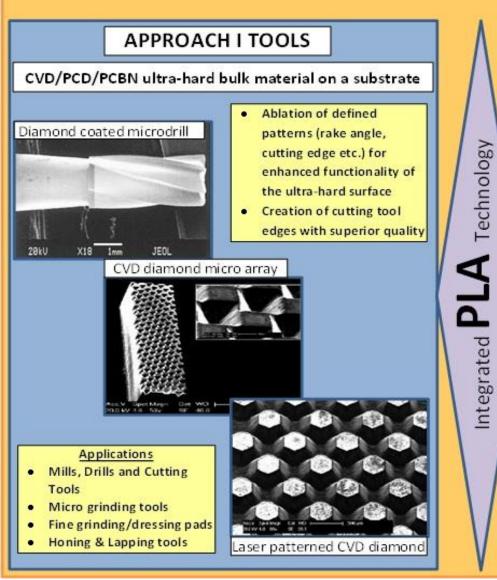
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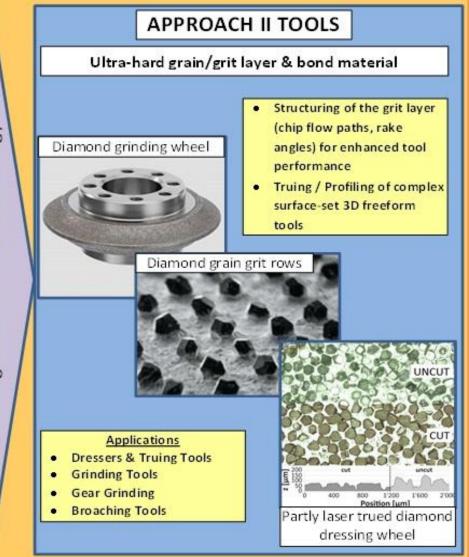
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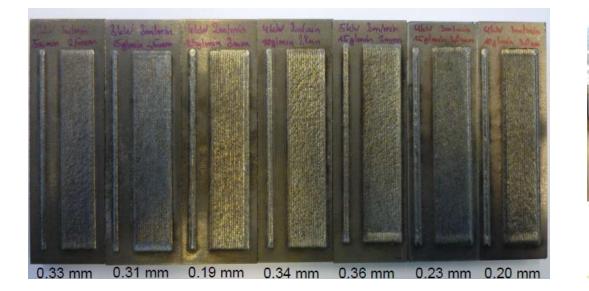
DIPLAT – Applications & Tool Characteristics





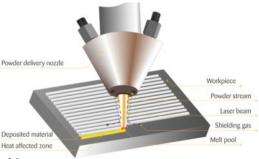
Research – Laser Cladding

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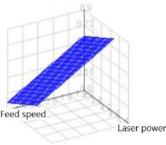


- CTI-project Advanced Laser Cladding
 - Thin layers < 200 μ m with minimum dilution
 - Dense and crack-free structures without delamination
 - Exotic layer-substrate material combinations
 - Laser cladding combination with thermal spraying





Layer thickness



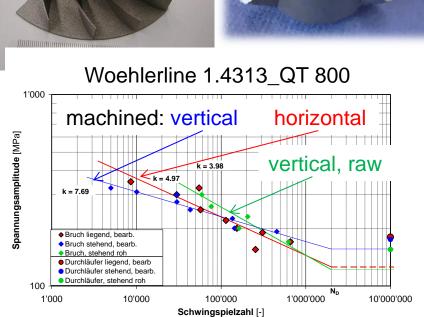


Additive Manufacturing (AM)

Scientific goals:

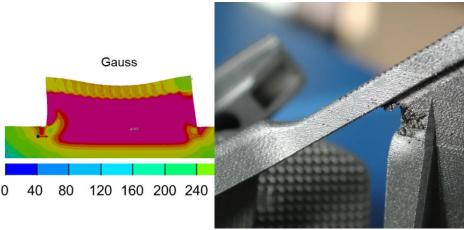
- additive processes for manufacturing SLM, SLS, DMD
- Prozess simulation, predictability of results
- Optimization of surfaces and material properties
- development of materials, process windows
- machines, test bench for AM
- medical manufacturing
- Process design and QM for AM





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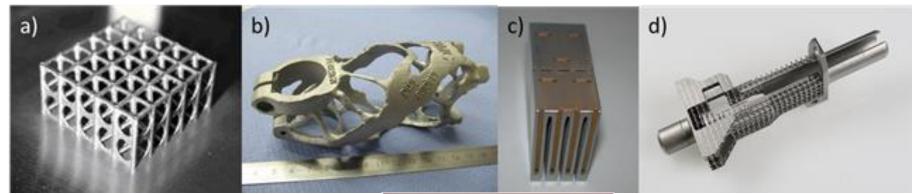
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Selective Laser Melting

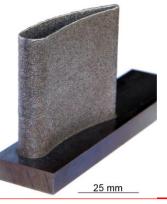


Selective Laser Sintering



Direct Metal Deposition

Trainingsmodell «The Egg»









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