



**RAKU® TOOL** 

For the Foundry Industry

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#### **Engineering and Chemical Solutions**



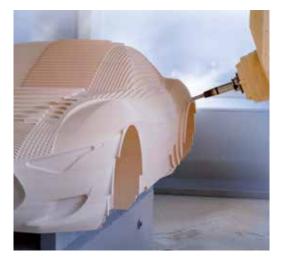
**RAMPF** Tooling Solutions is a company of the international **RAMPF** Group. Find out more on page 16.

# **RAMPF** Tooling Solutions Innovative solutions for model, mold, and tool engineering

The company based in Grafenberg (near Stuttgart), Germany, is the world's largest producer of high-performance, high-quality styling, modeling, and working board materials.

Services and products such as Close Contour pastes, Close Contour casting, including large-volume casting, 1:1 casting, and Close Contour blocks ensure the manufacture of outstanding Close Contour models and molds.

The company develops pioneering systems for the composites industry that cover a wide variety of production processes and a broad range of temperatures. The very latest production processes and facilities, combined with comprehensive R & D activities, ensure that our products are manufactured cost effectively and environmentally friendly, and conform to the highest quality standard – worldwide.













# **Products and services**

Since 2006 we have been offering materials for pattern and mold making. Our products are used for the production of initial samples and small to large-scale series production.



#### **MATERIALS**

RAKU® TOOL
Board materials
RAKU® TOOL
Close Contour products
RAKU® TOOL
Liquid systems

#### Creative, high-performance, sustainable:

RAMPF Tooling Solutions develops and produces styling, modeling, and working board materials, Close Contour pastes, Close Contour castings/blocks, and liquid systems.

#### **PRODUCTION SYSTEMS**

Mold design and construction Prototyping Tool design and construction

#### Customized, high-tech, professional:

RAMPF Tooling Solutions develops systems for use throughout the entire production chain – from prototyping, model, mold, and tool construction to production – for existing and future customers and market requirements.

#### **SERVICES**



#### Customer-oriented, skilled, committed:

The experts from RAMPF Tooling Solutions support their customers in technology and product applications, and in the implementation of their ideas – also on-site. They also offer training courses in which the products and solutions are presented using practical demonstrations.



# **RAKU® TOOL** | Reliable products

# Epoxy and polyurethane systems for the foundry industry

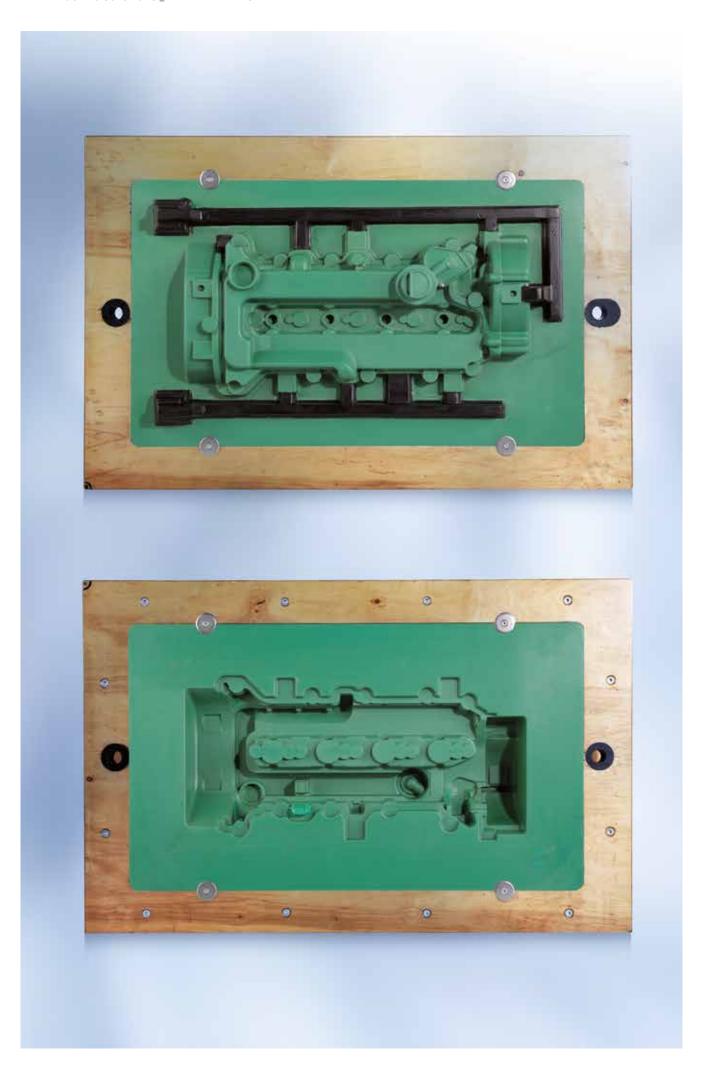
For almost 40 years, RAMPF Tooling Solutions has been developing and producing high-quality products that shape modeling and mold engineering – from design to the start of production. Our comprehensive RAKU® TOOL product portfolio also features a wide range of options and solutions for the foundry industry. Take advantage of our experience!

#### Your applications:

MODELS	CORES, CORE BOXES
SINGLE- AND DOUBLE-FACED PATTERN PLATES	CORE INSERTS
REVERSIBLE PATTERN PLATES	NEGATIVES

#### Product choice for your application:

RAKU® TOOL PRODUCTS	PROTOTYPING	SMALL SERIES PRODUCTION	MEDIUM SERIES PRODUCTION	LARGE SERIES PRODUCTION
Boards	•	•	•	•
Mass Casting Polyurethane Casting Resins Fast Cast Resins	•	•		
Epoxy Gelcoats Epoxy Casting Resins Multipurpose Resins Laminating Pastes	•	•	•	
Polyurea Gelcoats Polyurea Casting Resins			•	•



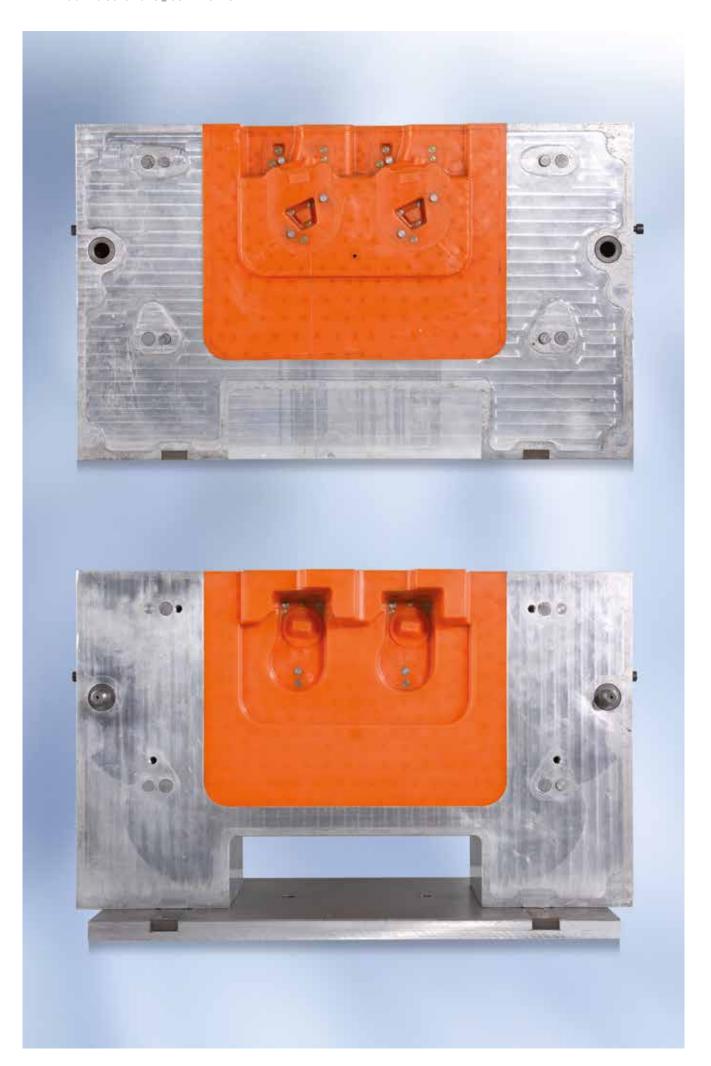
# STEPS UP TO PRODUCTION

# **RAKU® TOOL** | Production methods

# The ideal solution for all plastic modeling options

When producing foundry patterns and pattern plates various build-up methods can be chosen based on operating conditions, customer requirements, and the number of parts to be produced. With its comprehensive product range, RAMPF Tooling Solutions offers the ideal solution for all build-up methods of plastic pattern equipment.





# STEPS UP TO PRODUCTION

# **RAKU® TOOL** | Production methods

# Different production methods – consistent high quality

The numerous build-up methods for cores in the foundry industry, whether for small or large series, set high requirements for core boxes. Amongst these are good dimensional stability at temperatures of up to 60 °C as well as high abrasion and good chemical resistance. With its comprehensive product portfolio, RAMPF Tooling Solutions offers a wide range of solutions for various core box production methods.



# RAKU® TOOL in use

### PRODUCTION OF A CORE BOX FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF AN EXHAUST MANIFOLD WITH INTEGRATED TURBOCHARGER



#### approx. > 100,000 replications

- > Dimensional stability and accuracy
- > High number of replications due to excellent abrasion resistance
- Excellent resistance to chemicals, no swelling
- > Easy to process, by hand or machine
- > Minimal sand adhesion

### CORE BOX FOR THE PRODUCTION OF AN OIL PAN

#### RAKU® TOOL WB-1258 Board material

approx. 60,000 – 80,000 replications (pattern plate ca. > 100,000 replications)

#### + ADDED VALUE

- For large series production, very high abrasion resistance with high dimensional stability and accuracy
- > Fast and high-precision production of models through direct milling from CAD data
- > Quick and easy modifications
- > Color matched adhesive
- > Cost savings in comparison to metal or face casting
- > Excellent impact resistance and edge strength
- Excellent resistance to chemicals, no swelling



### PRODUCTION OF PATTERN PLATE WITH MODEL FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A FLANGE PLUG VALVE

#### RAKU® TOOL WB-1250 Board material

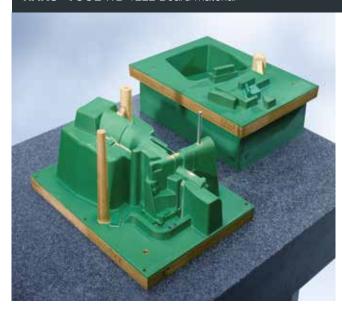
approx. > 20,000 replications (on FDC molding facility)

- > Quick model production through direct CNC milling
- > Dimensionally stable due to low coefficient of thermal expansion
- > High-performance good heat and impact resistance as well as good edge strength
- > Compatible with all paints and release agents in line with industry standards
- > Excellent amine resistance
- > Resistant to dry ice cleaning



#### PRODUCTION OF PATTERN PLATE FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A HOUSING

#### RAKU® TOOL WB-1222 Board material



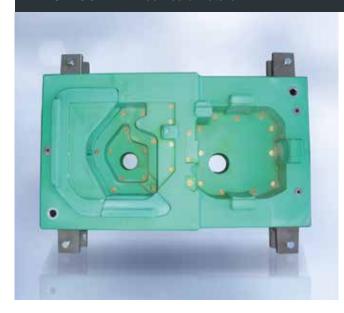
#### approx. > 20,000 replications

#### + ADDED VALUE

- > Quick model production through direct CNC milling
- > Through multilayer milling, models and molds with deep cavities and complicated contours, can be produced using short milling cutters and 3 axis milling machines
- > Low wear of milling tools
- > Resistant to amine
- > Resistant to dry ice cleaning
- Most proven working board in the foundry industry

## PRODUCTION OF A TWO-PART CORE BOX FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF AN ELECTRIC CHAIN HOIST HOUSING

#### RAKU® TOOL WB-1250 Board material



#### approx. > 20,000 replications Coldbox process, Laempe L10

- > Easy and fast to machine, low wear of milling tools
- > Fast production of core box through CNC milling
- > No swelling
- > Dimensionally stable due to low coefficient of thermal expansion
- > Excellent abrasion and chemical resistance
- "Sustainable" board, manufactured from recycled polyols based on PET

## PRODUCTION OF A PATTERN PLATE FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A CUSTOMIZED EVO BUS ARMREST



approx. > 10,000 replications

- > Bonding of blank with specially matched adhesive RAKU® TOOL PP-3314/PH-3905
- > Fast production of pattern plate through direct CNC machining
- > Easy and quick changes
- > Good styrene and amine resistance
- Minimal finishing required due to dense, homogeneous, and smooth surface; can be polished
- > Dimensionally stable due to low coefficient of thermal expansion
- > Compatible with all paints and release agents in line with industry standards

# We are inventors. Team players. And a strong partner.

## RAMPF – a global market-leading specialist in custom chemical and engineering solutions

We are experts for reactive resins, machine systems, and lightweight composite construction solutions.

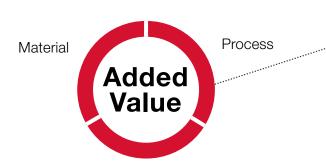
Our mission - discover the future.

In partnership with our customers, we develop tomorrow's products and tailored solutions today – for the decisive competitive edge.

Over the last 40 years, we have grown from an inventive one-man business into an international medium-sized group of companies, with operations at twelve locations on three continents.

Now run by the next generation of our family, the business still maintains the same fundamental values – being a trustworthy and reliable partner for our customers and our employees. This is the only way to build lasting, successful partnerships.

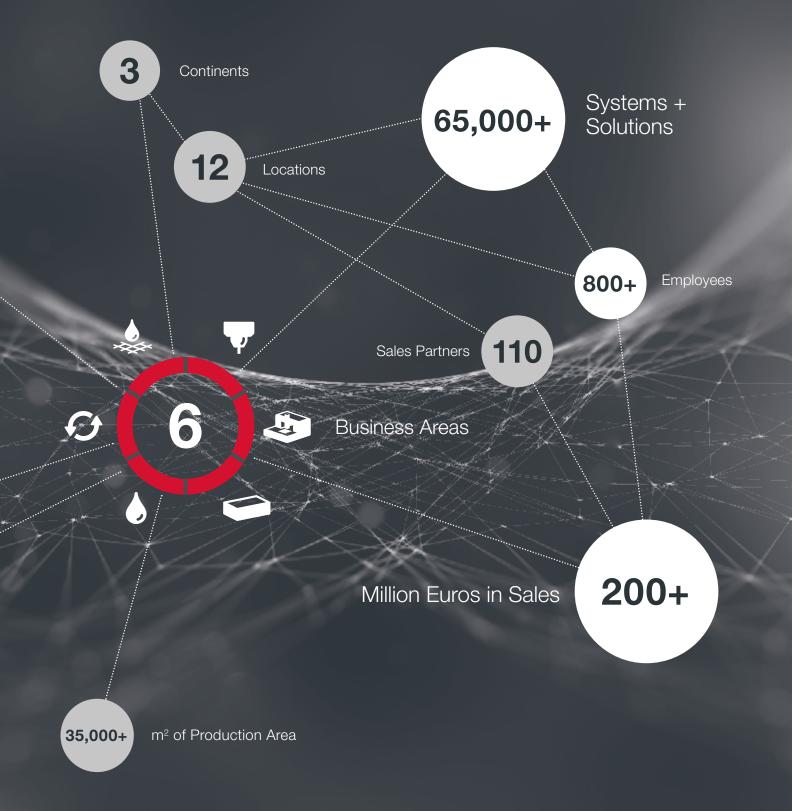
At RAMPF, innovation and tradition go hand in hand. We are one big family, focusing on the future with a sustainable, value-adding approach, and are very much aware of the social and environmental responsibilities associated with our business activities. That is why we are committed to promoting a respectful and appreciative way of dealing with one another.



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RAMPF – Engineering and Chemical Solutions. Utilize our wide-ranging innovative potential for Added.Value.







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# Mass production? Not at RAMPF.

We engineer made-to-order solutions.