

Hybrid manufacturing

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What is "Hybrid manufacturing"?

- In additive manufacturing (AM) of metal parts, hybrid manufacturing is typically used for the combination of both metal 3D
 printing and subtractive techniques, such as machining, turning or milling.
- Example of tooling industry application.
- This offers a lower price per part with the added value that AM can offer, i.e. adjusted cutting fluid flow towards the cutting edge.

3D Printed Portion



Machined Portion

Step by step









Manufacture the preform

Design for AM



Clamp the part inside the **DMP 350**



Perform the alignment





Apply any needed postprocessing



Remove your finished part from the plate



Start printing

Semicon applications

- Initial idea: machining of 3 parts and then apply welding for assembling it
- Hybrid concept: pre machine a cylindrical block (in grey), 3D print the red top with cooling channels and the post machine the entire part.
- Lead time and cost can be reduced
- Less risks for leakages
- Potentially flow improvement with organic channel shape could be applied



One step further



Multimaterial and alignment

GRCop-41 and Ni718

- **GRCop-42** is designed for liquid cooled, high temperature applications.
- Ni718 is historically used for combustion applications due to high strength, corrosion resistance, and high operating temperatures
- Cu and Ni are extremely soluble in each other and have complementary properties



Thank you

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