

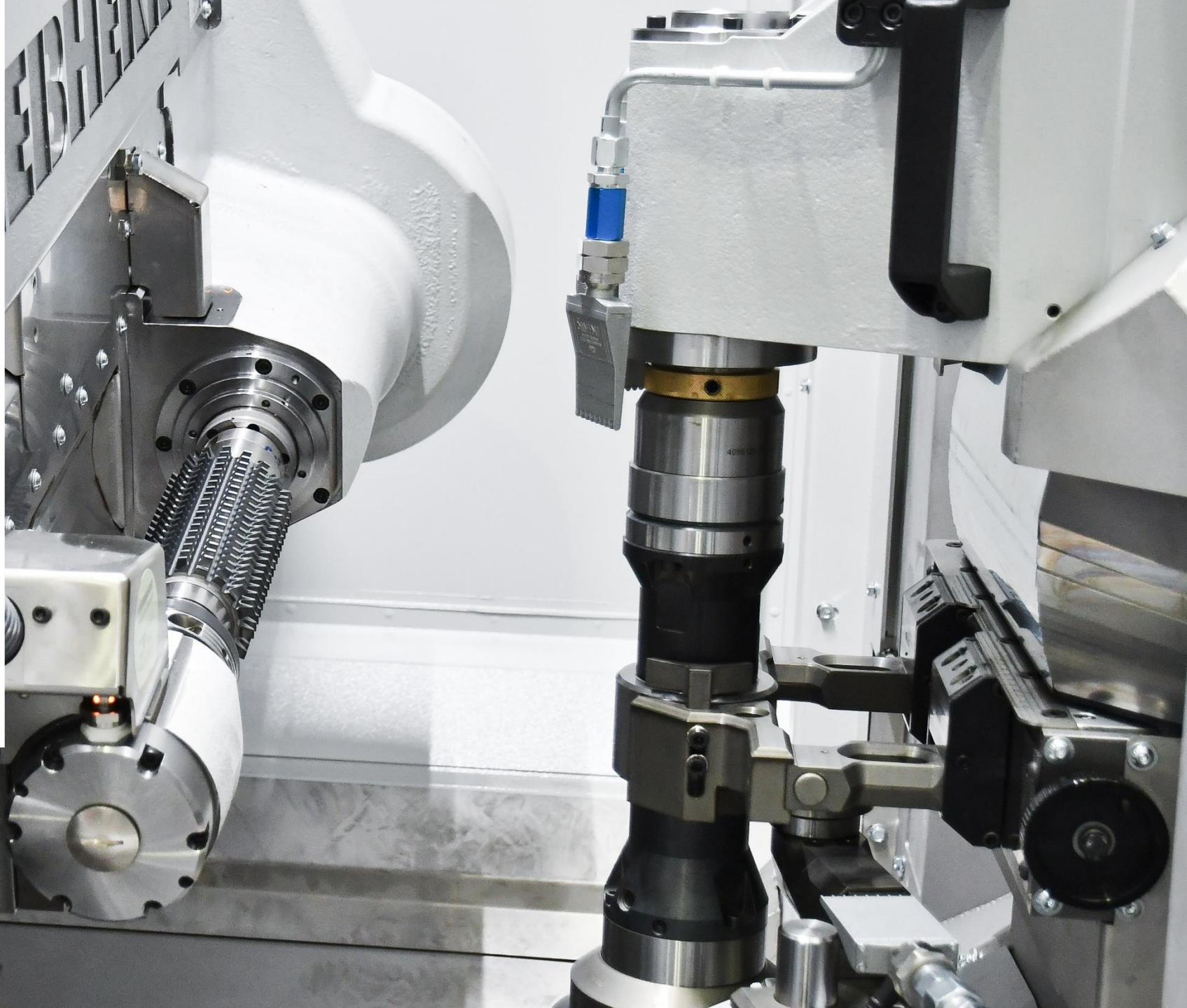
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# Universal & productive Hobbing Machine

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LC 180 / 280 (DC)

**LIEBHERR**



**20% Performance boost**



## **LC 180/ 280 (DC)**

### **Workpiece:**

- Max. Ø 280 mm
- Module: up to 6 mm

### **Main Market:**

- Automotive Industry
- Supplier
- Job Shopper



# Universal & flexible for every application



**Hobbing**



**Worm wheel hobbing**

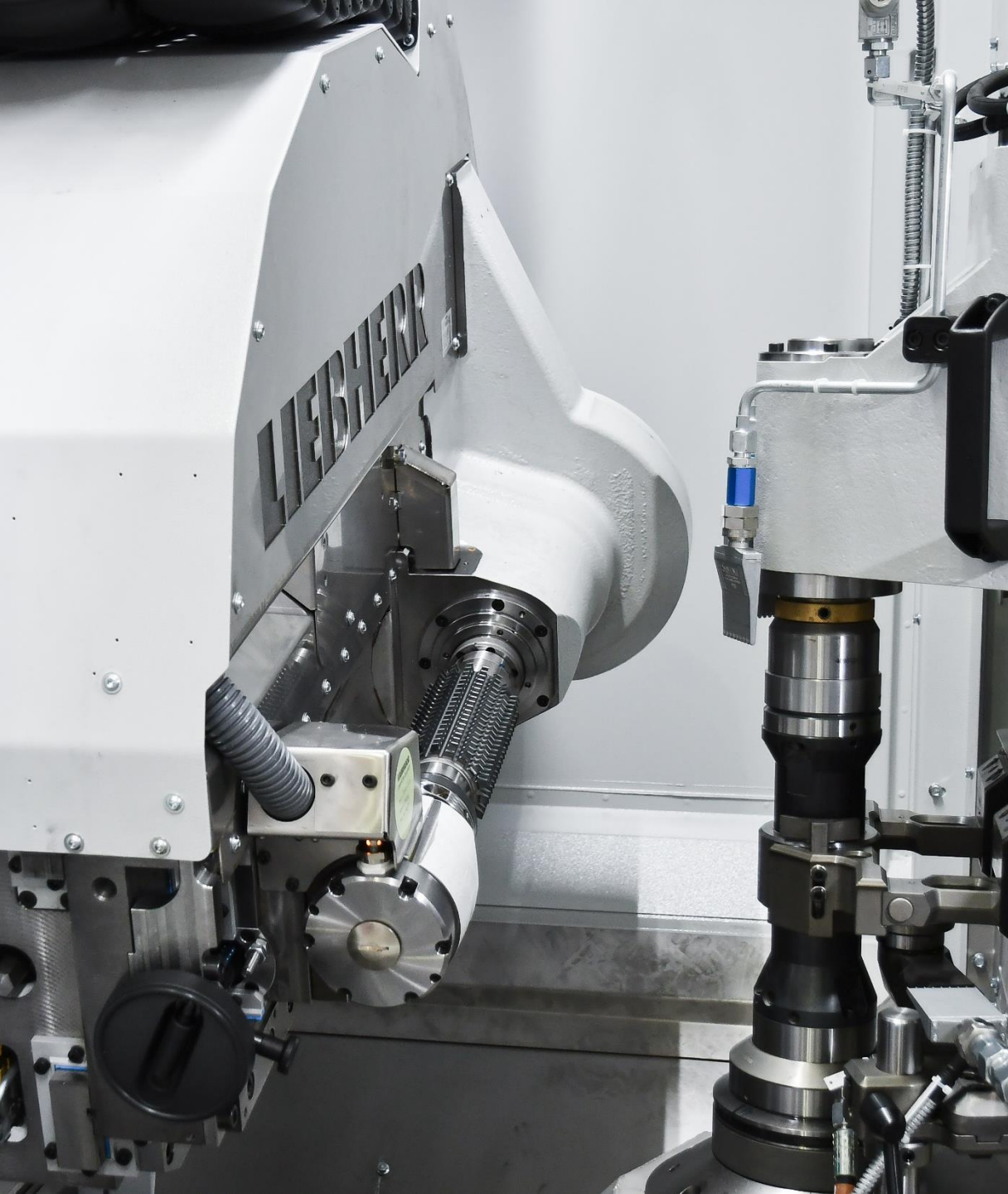


**Stack machining**



**Skive Hobbing**

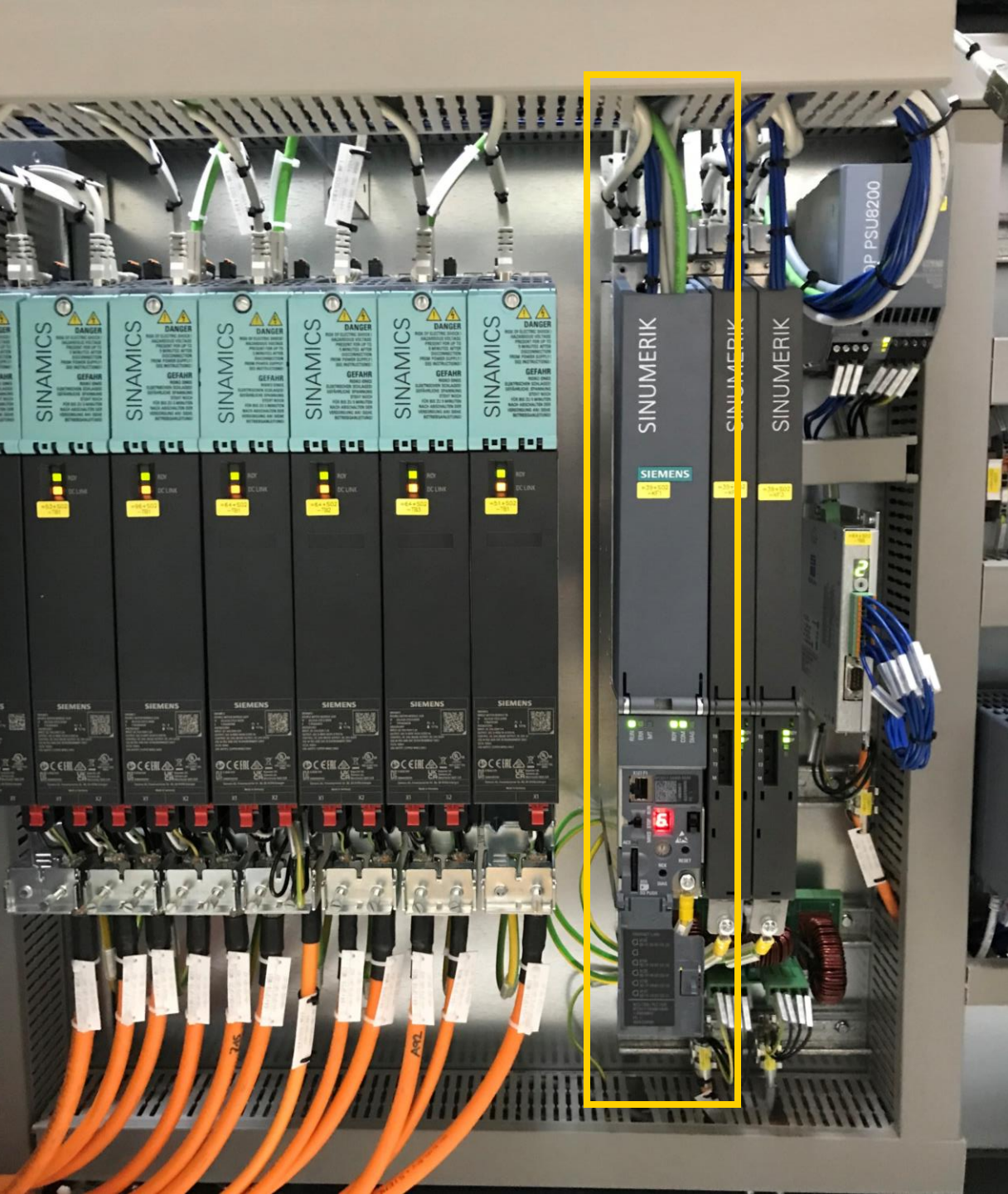




## Advantages

- Optimized stiffness of the machine bed with FE Analysis model
- Thermo-symmetrical machine design for constant high quality
- Safe and problem-free removal of chips
- Wet and dry processing
- High flexibility for different processes:
  - Gears, shafts, worm gears
  - Cluster gearing
  - Skiving
- Positioned/ Oriented gear teeth
- Hook-ready machine with compact floor space suitable for straightforward implementation
- Hand or machine, internal crane loading

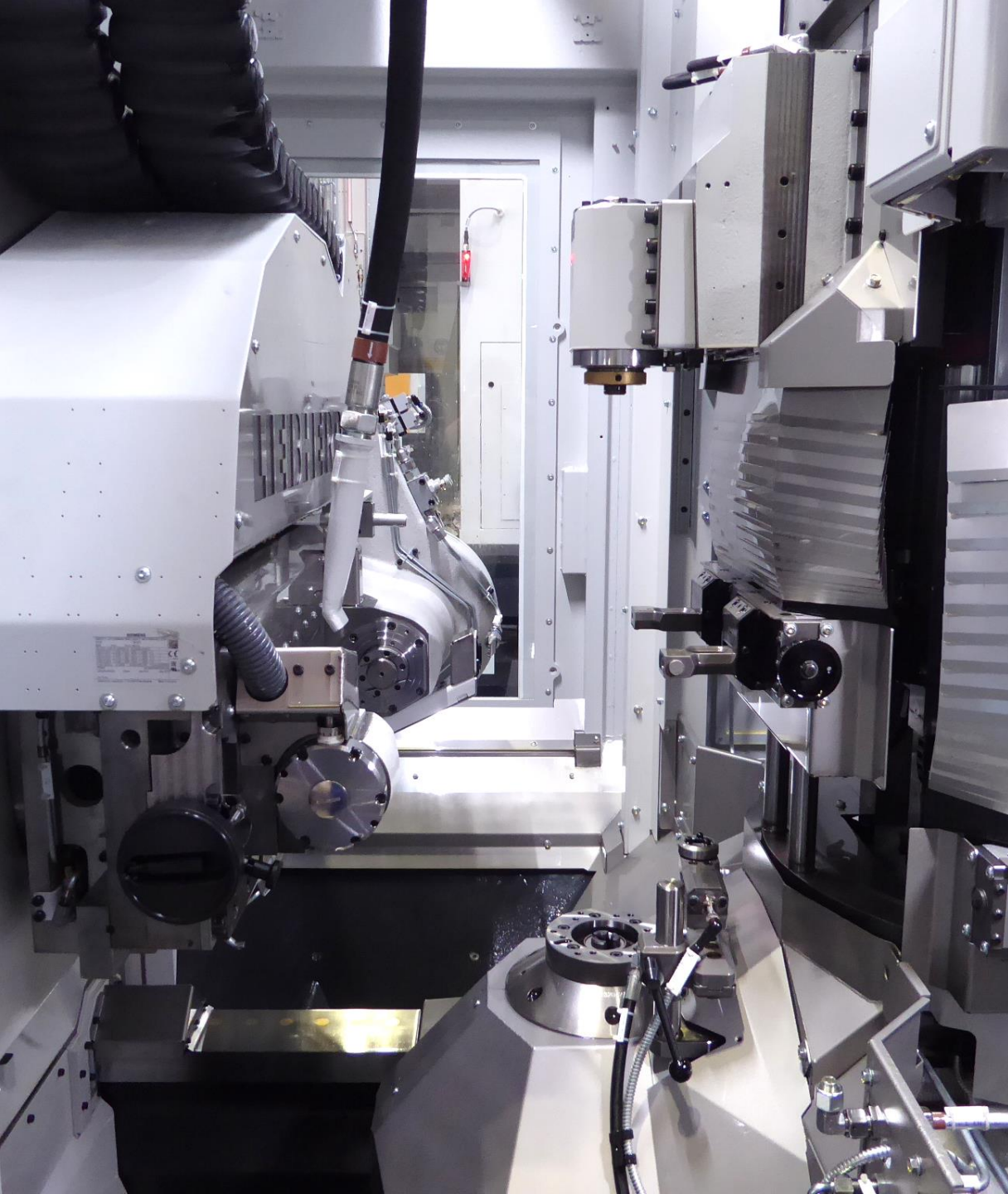




## **Siemens Sinumerik ONE**

**Control cabinet with machine controls "Siemens Sinumerik ONE"**

**SinumerikOne, Control with integrated PLC in control cabinet, in connection with SIEMENS drive technology.**

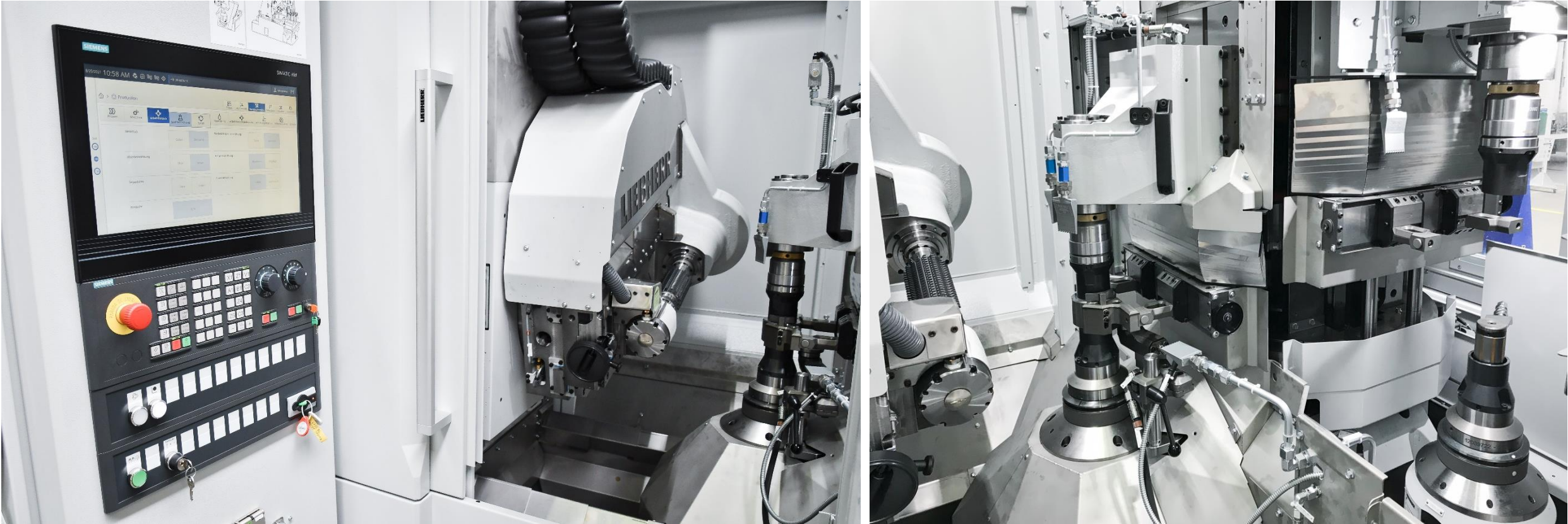


## **Work area**

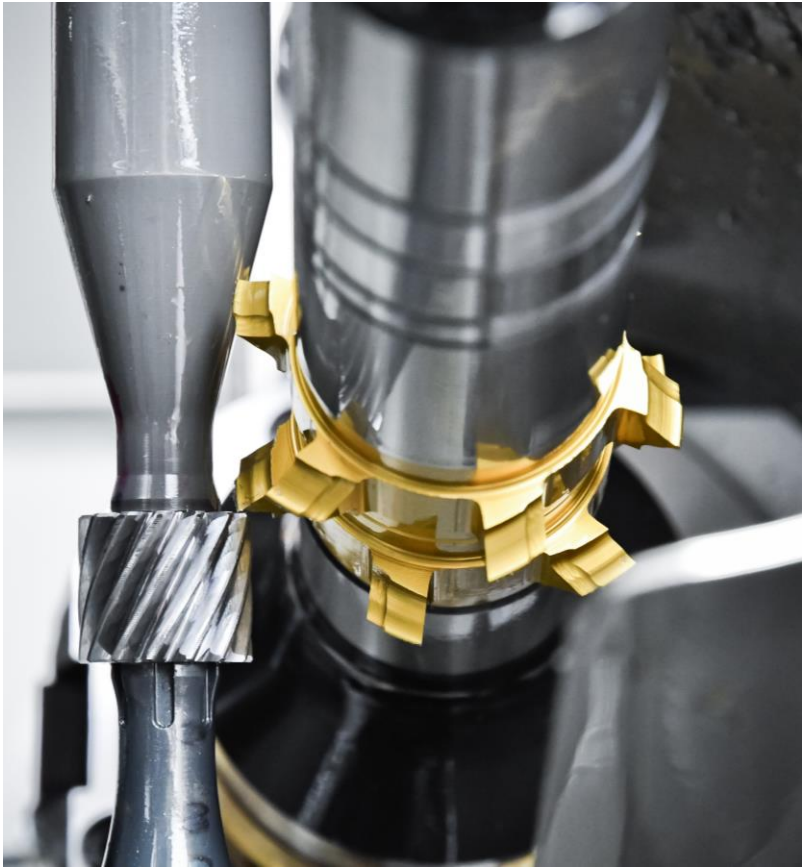
- **Large box guideway for best damping properties**
- **Perfect chip removal**
- **Highest thermal stability**
- **Capped off work area**
- **Perfect and ergonomic accessibility to the machine table.**



# Impressions work area



# Impressions work areas

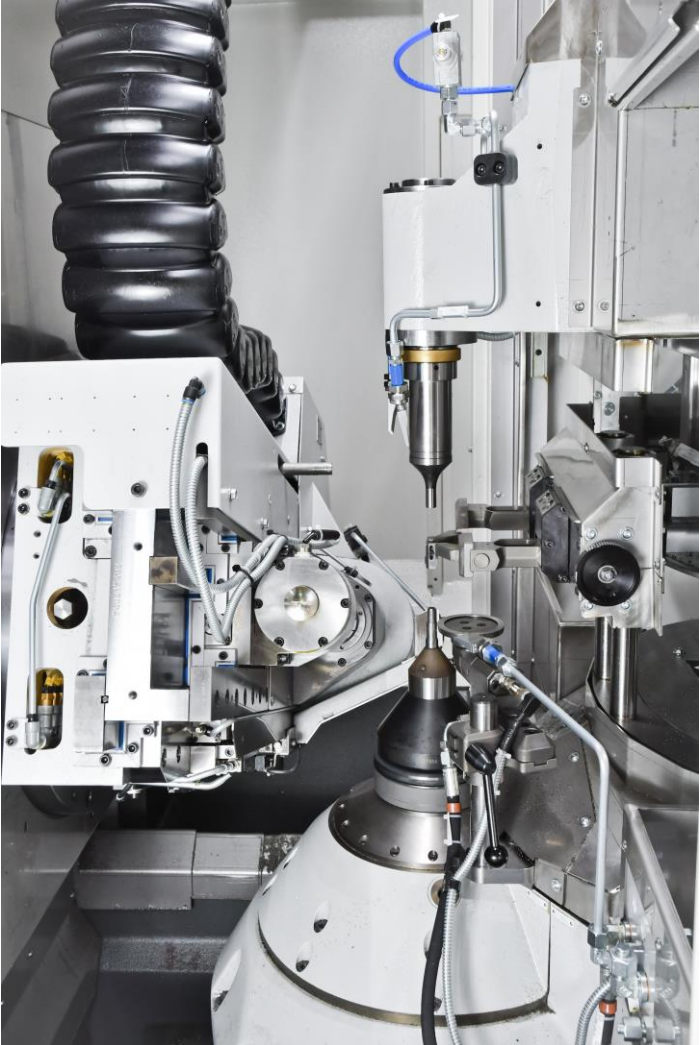




# Stack machining LC 180/280



# LC 180 DC - small gears hobbing and time parallel chamfering







## **Dry Machining**

### **Dry Hobbing Package**

Stainless steel cladding to prevent temperature effects

The LC 180/280 machines are designed for dry cutting but can easily be equipped for wet machining.

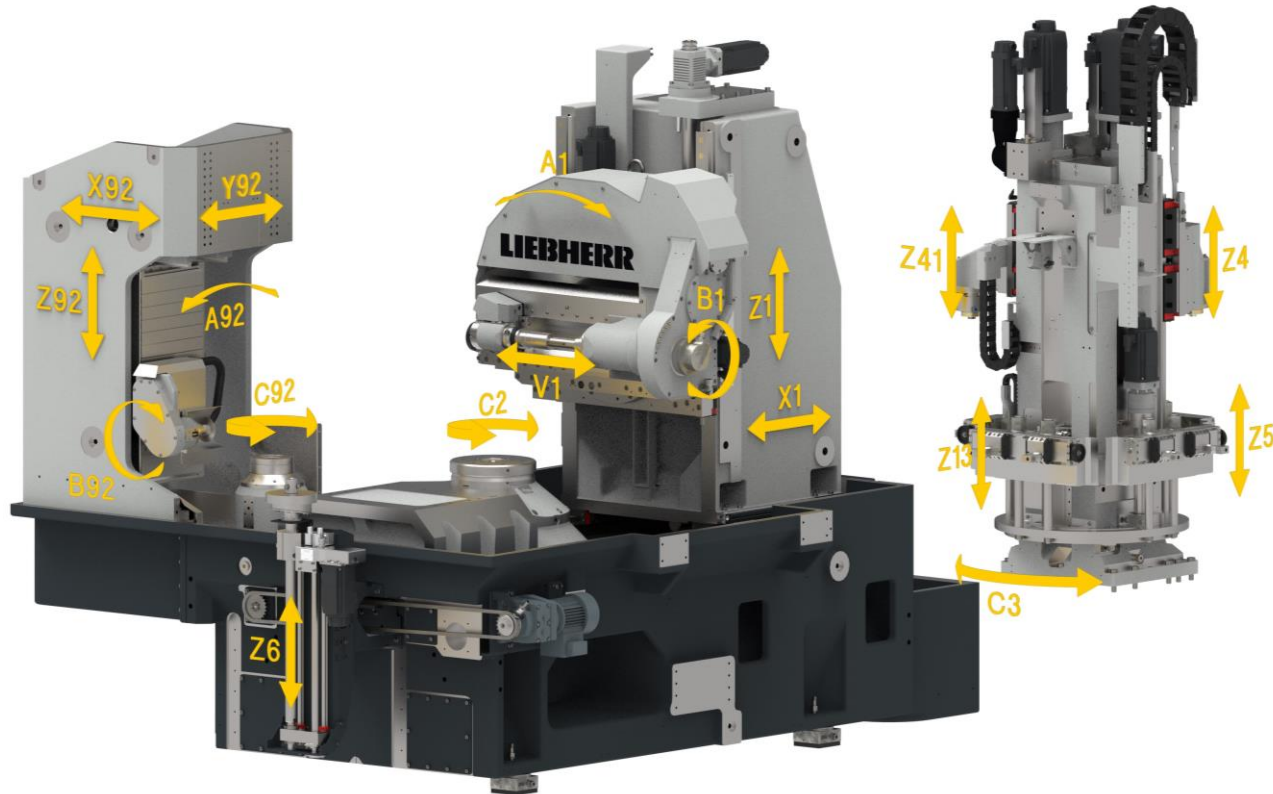
# M/C Design





# LC 180/ 280 DC Machine Design

- Liebherr Machines are
  - compact
  - fast
  - reliable
  - Competitively priced
  - Closed Oil-circulation loop in the machine bed assure an extremely uniform temperature distribution
  - thermal stability
  - high workpiece quality
- higher hob and table speeds
- reliable removal of the hot chips
- comfortable maintenance



A1 - Swivel motion of tool

B1 - Rotary movement of tool

C2 - Rotary movement of workpiece

V1 - Tangential movement of tool

X1 - Radial movement of spindle slide

Z1 - Axial Travel of grinding head

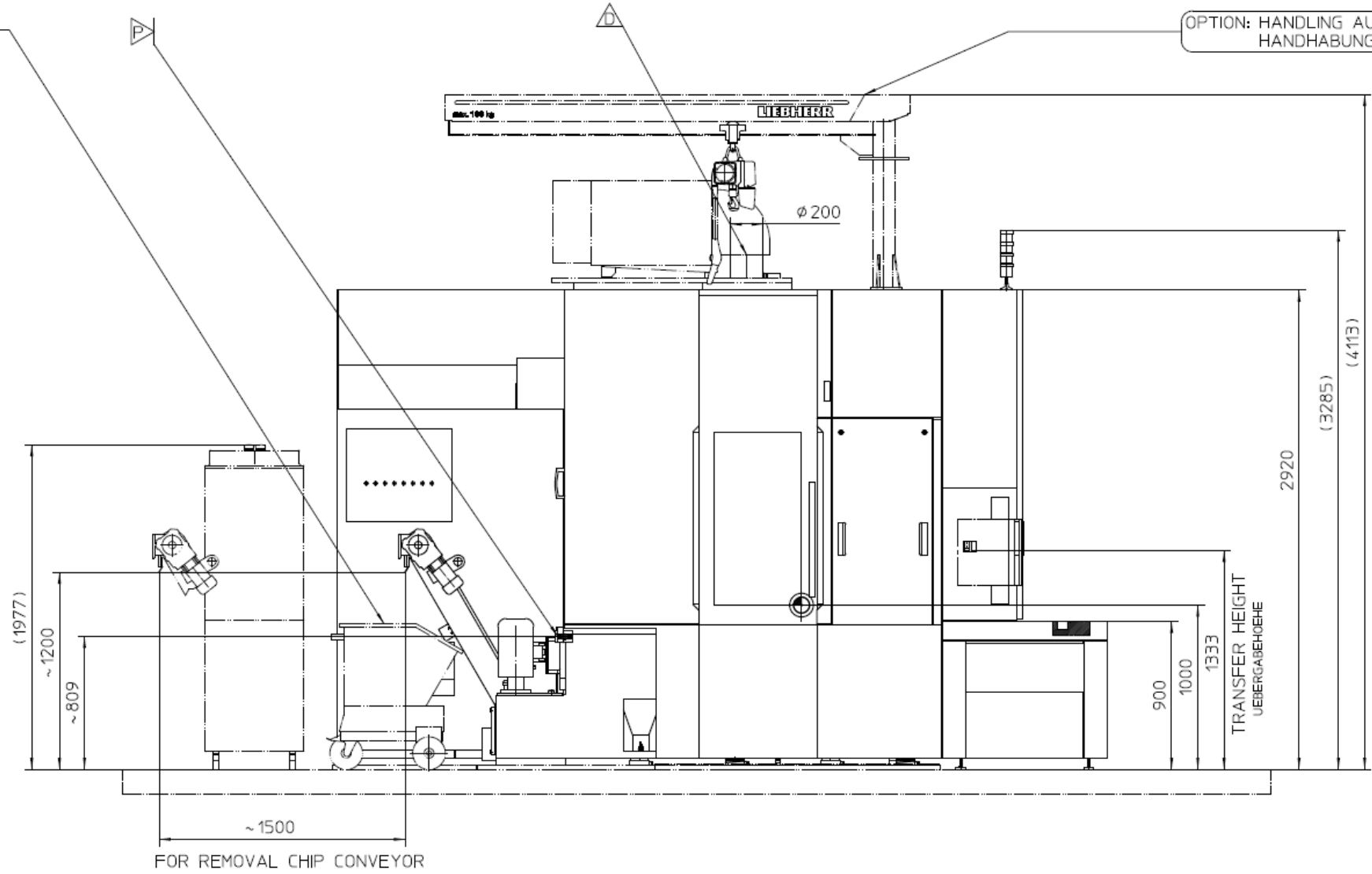
C3 - Rotary movement of ring loader

Z4 - Vertical movement of counter column

# Machine Dimensions LC 180 / 280 DC

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SPAENEWAGEN

OPTION: HANDLING AUXILIARY  
HANDHABUNGSGERAET



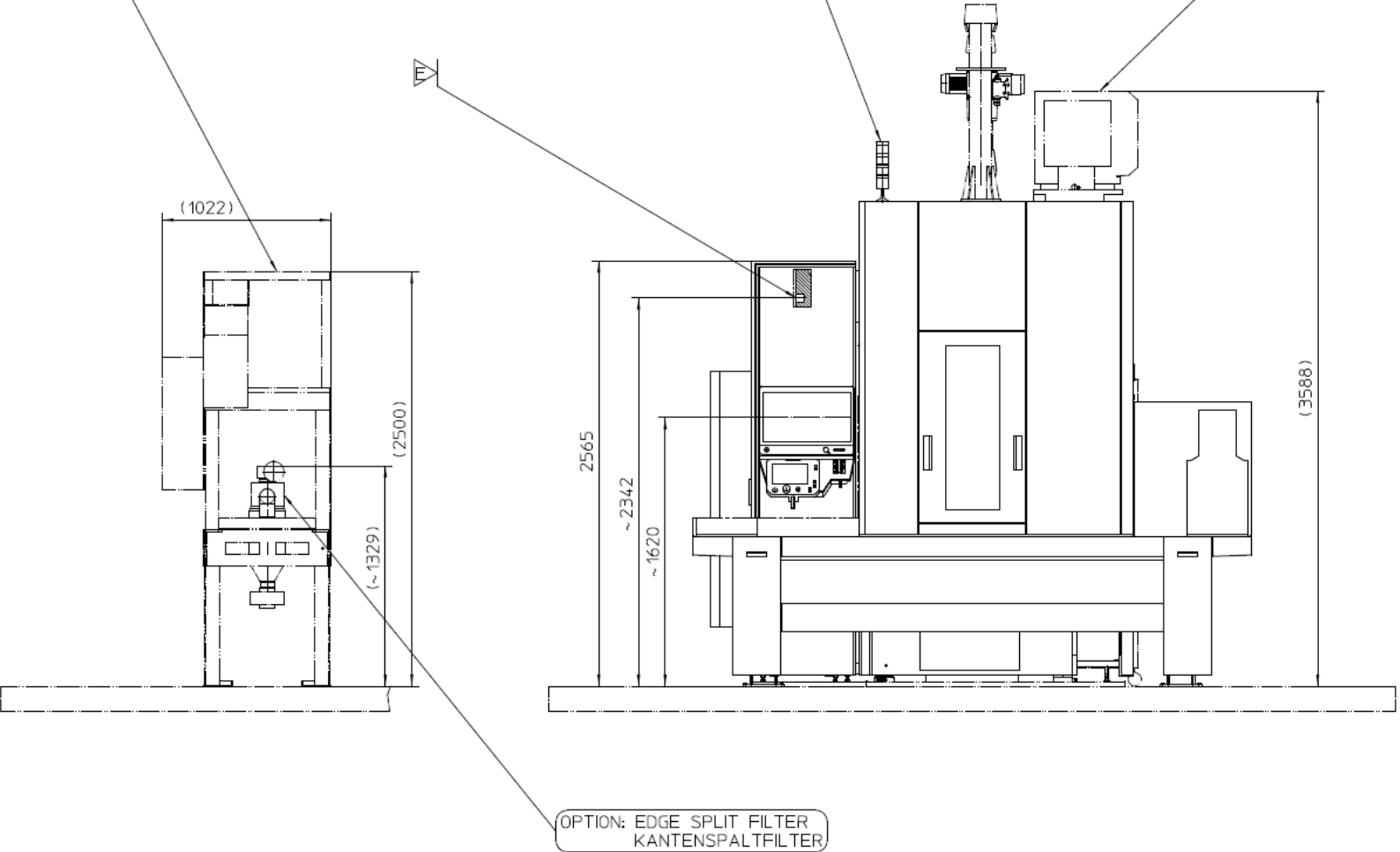


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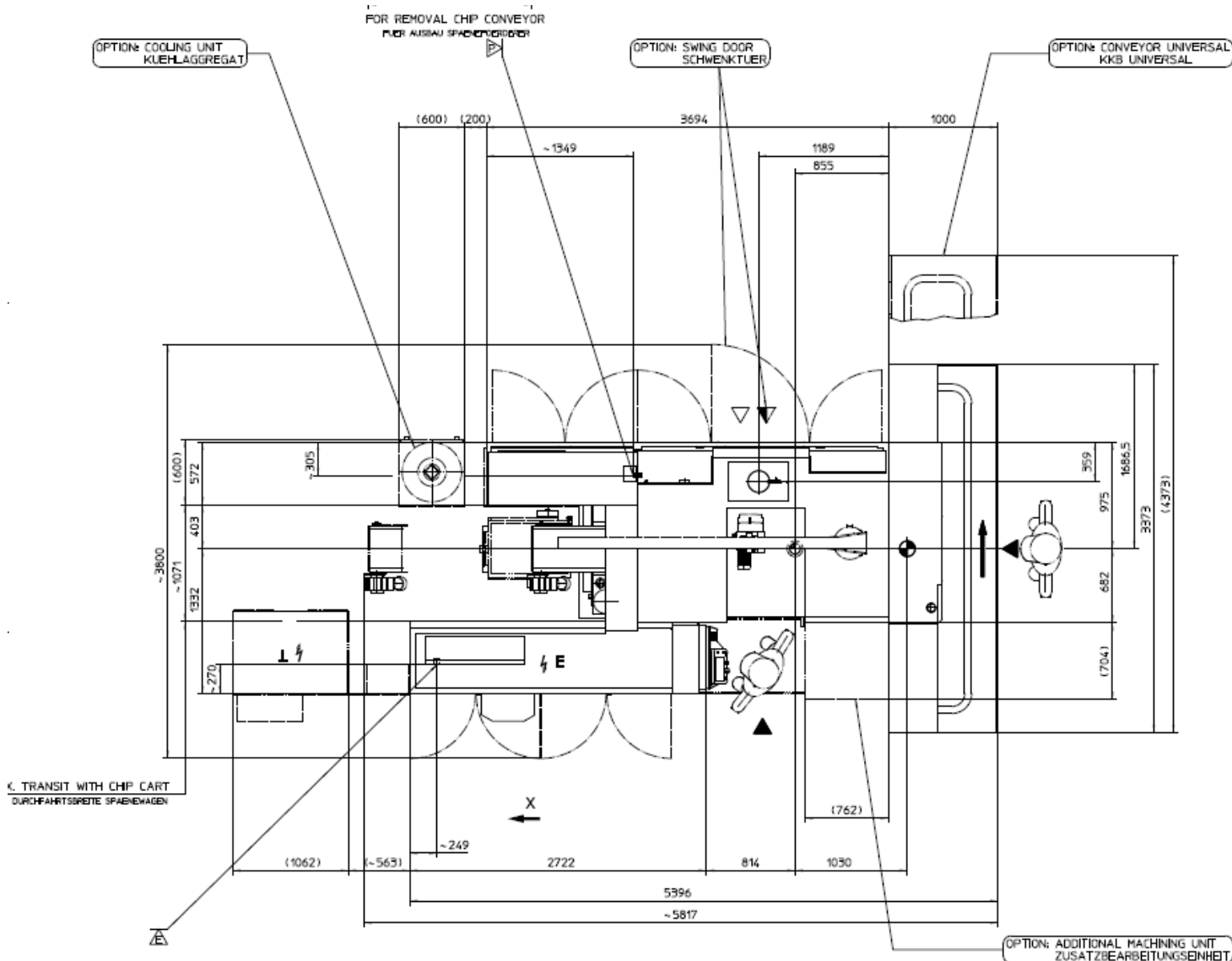
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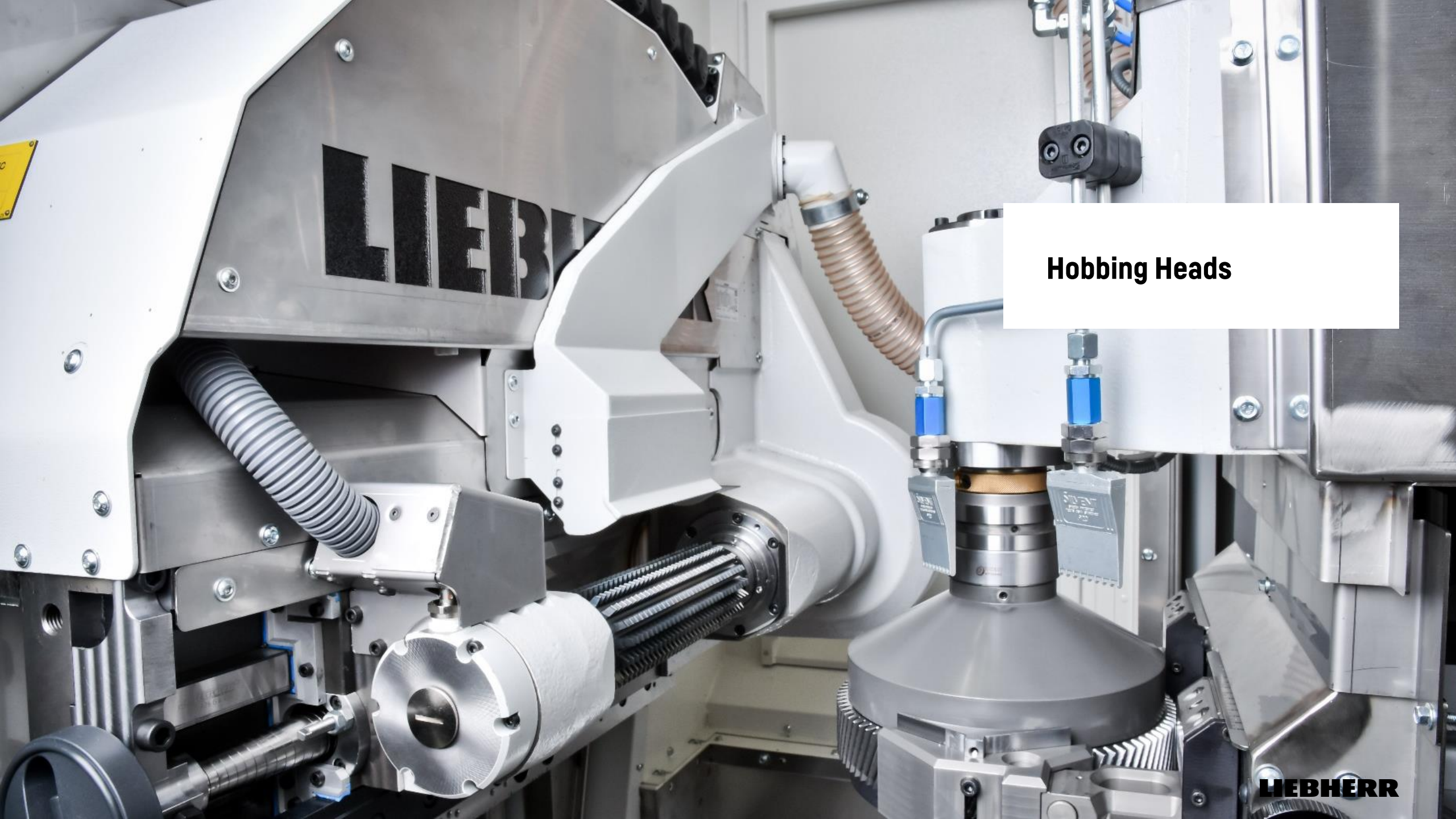
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# Machine Layout LC 180/ 280





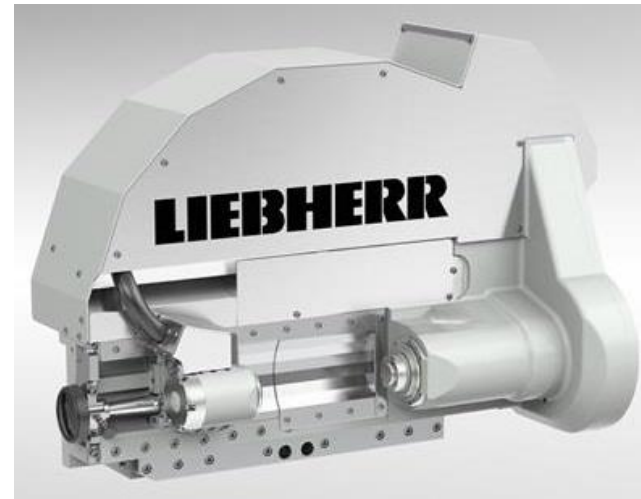


## Hobbing Heads

# Gear driven Hob Head HH150



	HH 150
tool interface	Collet
max. hob diameter	150 mm
shift travel	200 mm
power	13,2 kW
speed	2250 1/min / i=4
max. module	6mm

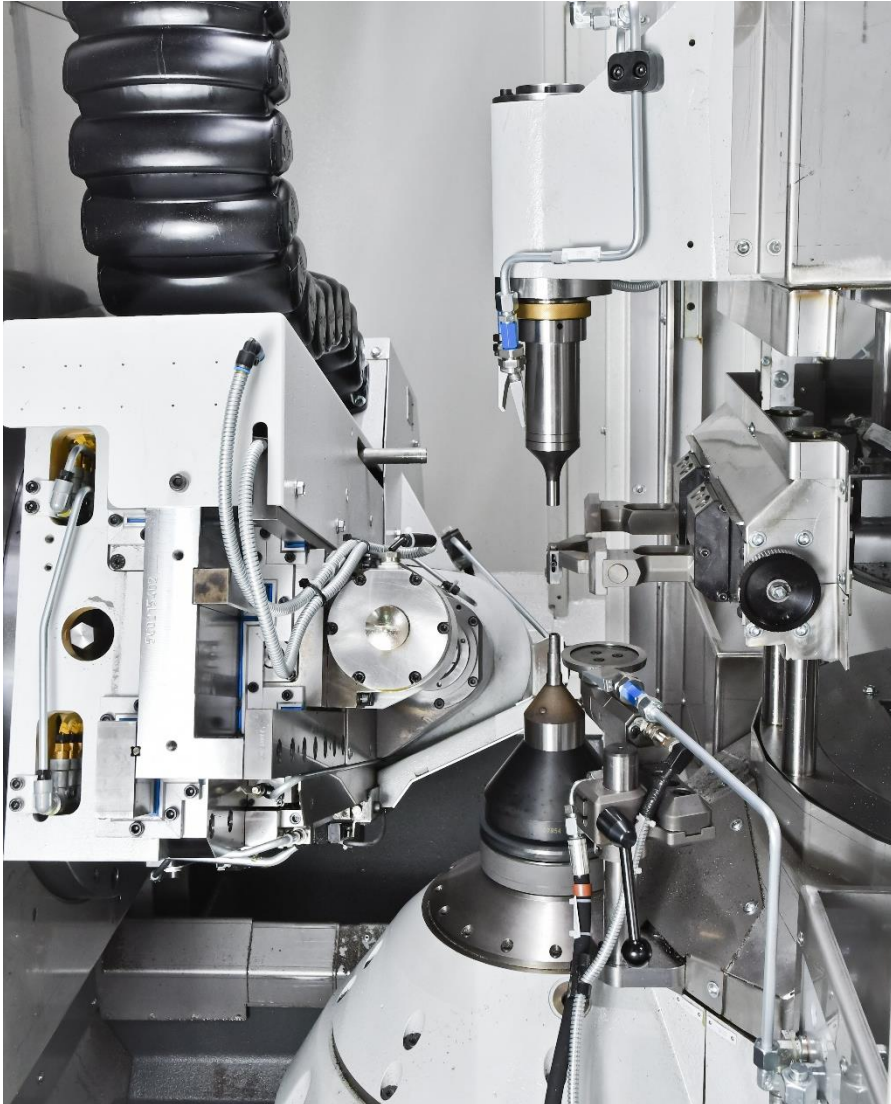




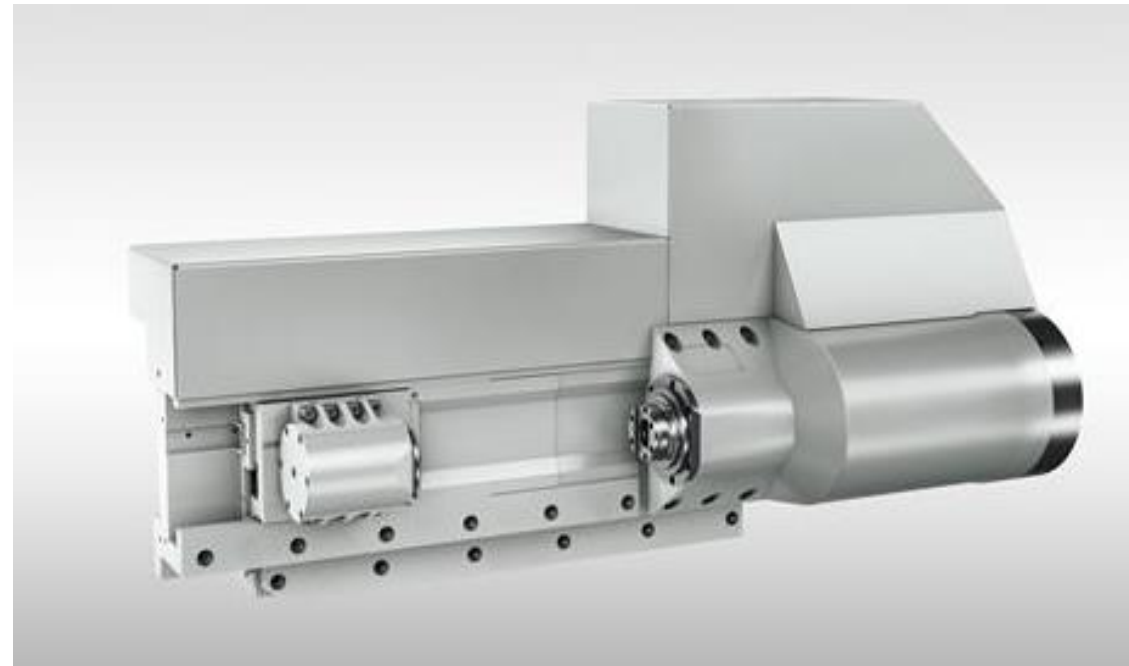
# Hobbing Head HH150



# Direct driven Hob Head HH100 D



	<b>HH 100 D (New)</b>
<b>tool interface</b>	clamping collet $\varnothing$ 32mm
<b>max. hob diameter</b>	100 mm (former 90 mm)
<b>shift travel</b>	180 mm
<b>power</b>	23 kW
<b>speed</b>	6.000 rpm
<b>max. module</b>	4 mm (former 3 mm)



# Machine Table



<b>Hob Table</b>	T-250
<b>Drive</b>	Gear Drive
<b>Drive power (kW)</b>	5,8
<b>Gear ratio</b>	12
<b>Speed (rpm)</b>	250
<b>Table plate diameter (mm)</b>	145
<b>Table interface</b>	Short taper KG 5

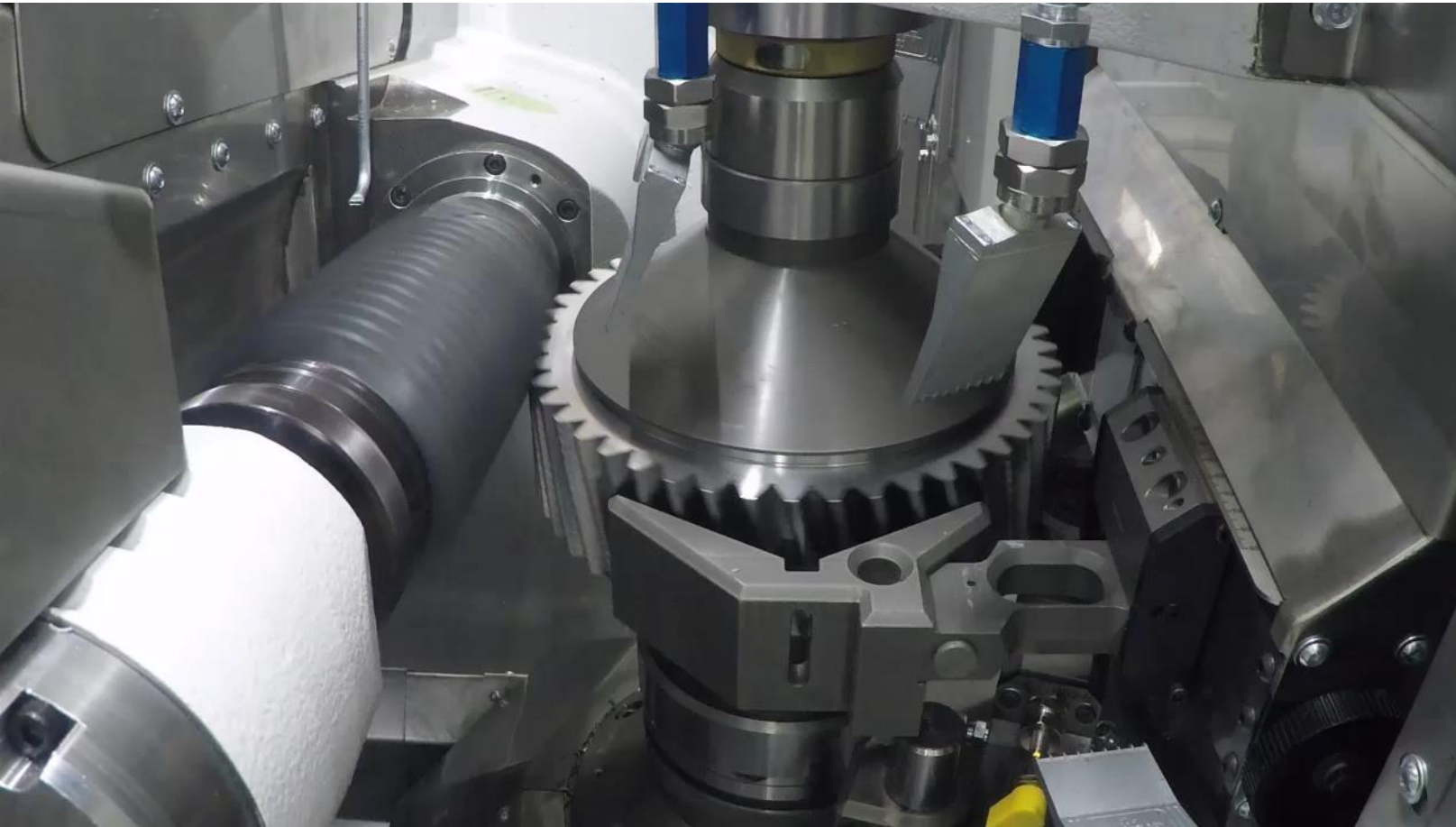


<b>Hob Table</b>	T-800 D
<b>Drive</b>	Direct Drive
<b>Speed (rpm)</b>	800
<b>Table plate diameter (mm)</b>	145
<b>Table interface</b>	Short taper KG 5



Universal Ringloader LC 180/ 280 DC

## Loading and Unloading



- Max. workpiece diameter Ø 280 mm
- Highest flexibility for large diameter range
- Clamping Force 13 kN
- Workpiece weight of up to 15 kg
- Traveling distance:
  - 450 mm (Standard)
- Chip-to-Chip-time < 6 seconds
- NC-lowering stroke
- Quick Gripper Change

Clamping fixtures

## Fixture quick changeover

### Hydraulic clamping device

Clamping cylinder inside machine table.  
Clamping pressure manually adjustable for  
clamping force up to 33 kN.

Second pressure level for unclamping of fixture  
for fixture quick change.

Clamping travel monitoring via displacement  
transducer.

Benefit:

- No tools necessary
- Quick changeover



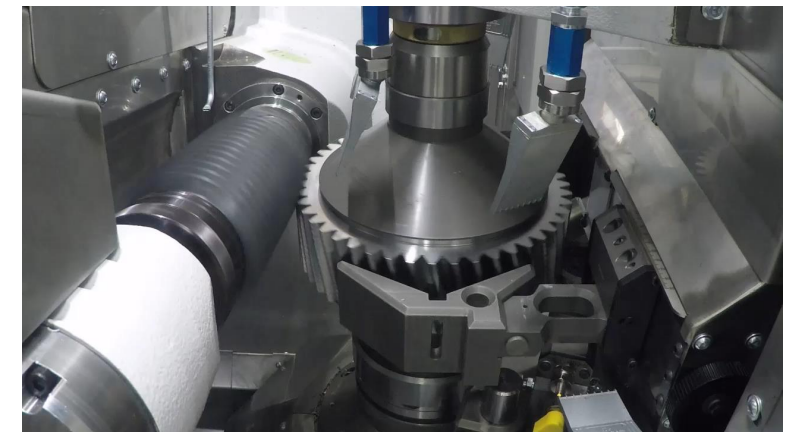




Universal Ringloader

## Internal Automation

- Max. workpiece diameter  $\varnothing$  280 mm
- Highest flexibility for large diameter range
- Clamping Force 13 kN
- Workpiece weight of up to 25 kg
- Travel distance: 450 mm (Standard)
- Chip-to-Chip-time < 6 seconds
- NC-lowering stroke 220 mm
- Quick Gripper Change



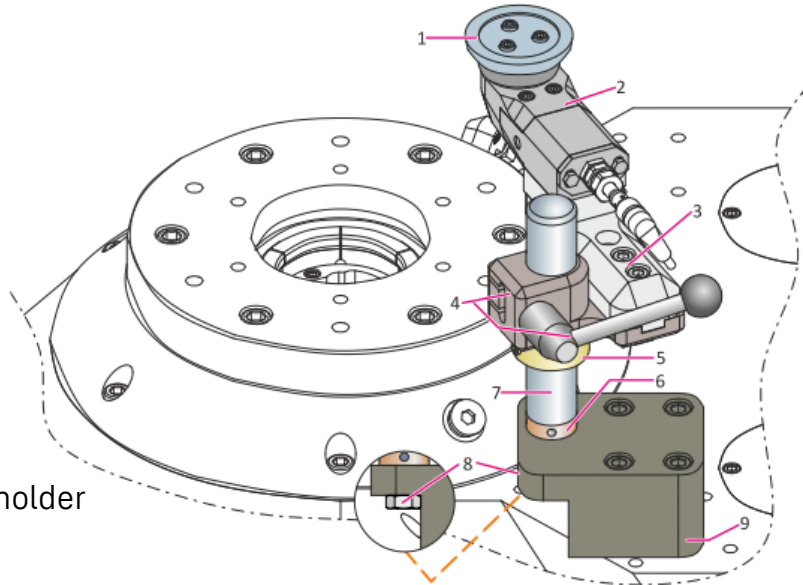
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# Deburring & time parallel chamfering

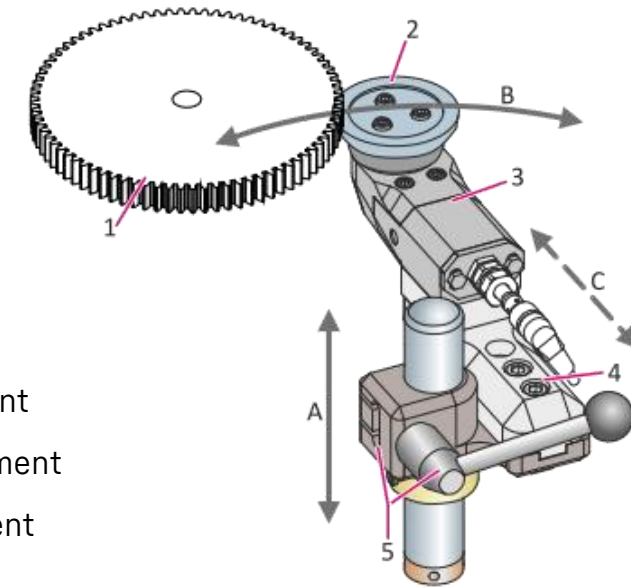
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# Rough Deburring



- Deburring disk
- Deburring disk holder
- Slide
- Holder with clamping lever
- Adjusting ring (height adjustment)
- Adjusting ring (shaft incline)
- Shaft
- Hexagon screw
- Console

Positioning the coarse deburring disk on the workpiece



- A Height adjustment
- B Swiveling movement
- C Length adjustment
- 1 Workpiece
- 2 Deburring disk
- 3 Deburring disk holder
- 4 Slide
- 5 Holder with clamping lever

Fig. 6-4: Positioning the coarse deburring disk (example image)

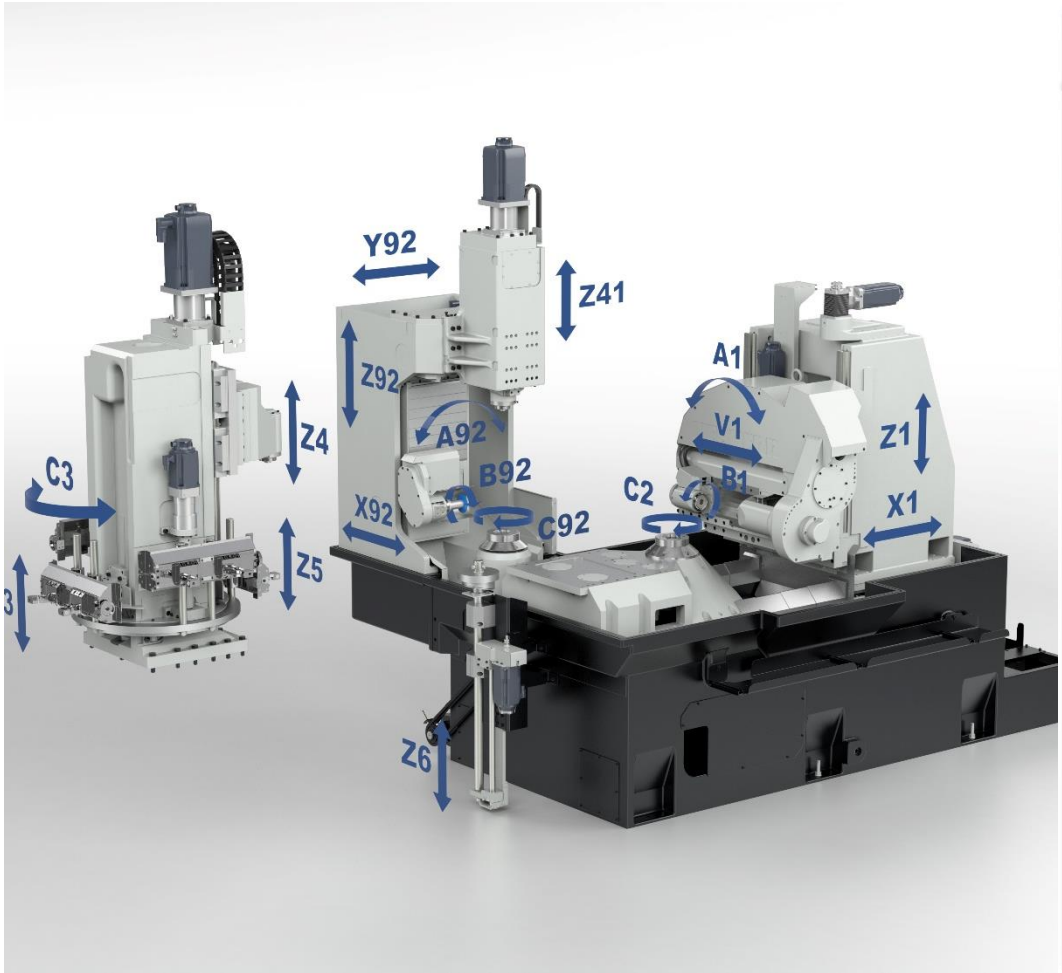
A close-up photograph of a Liebherr chamfering tool in operation. The tool, which has a distinctive yellow-colored cutting edge, is shown cutting into a cylindrical metal workpiece. The workpiece is held in a fixture, and the tool is mounted on a rotating spindle. The background shows the industrial environment of a machine tool.

**Time parallel Chamfering  
LC 180 / 280 DC**

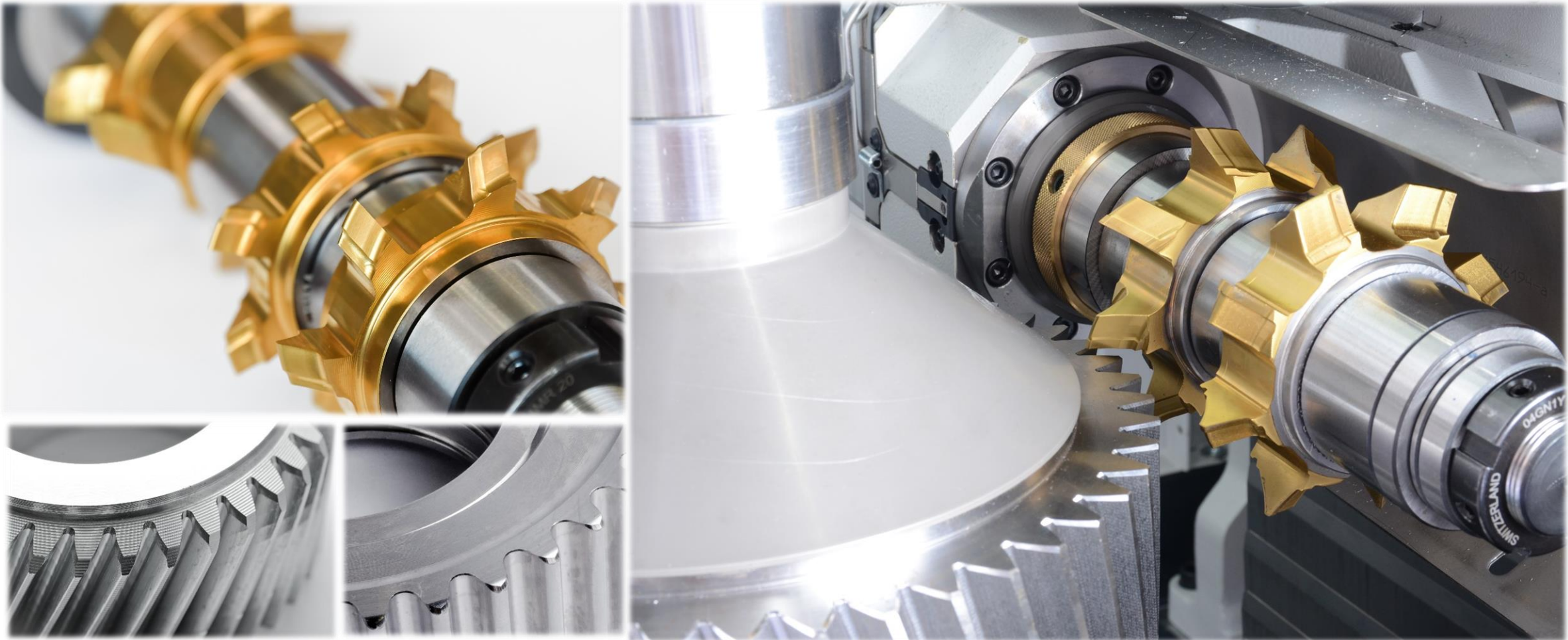
- **ChamferCut or**
- **FlexChamfer**



# LC 180 / 280 DC with integrated ChamferCut Unit

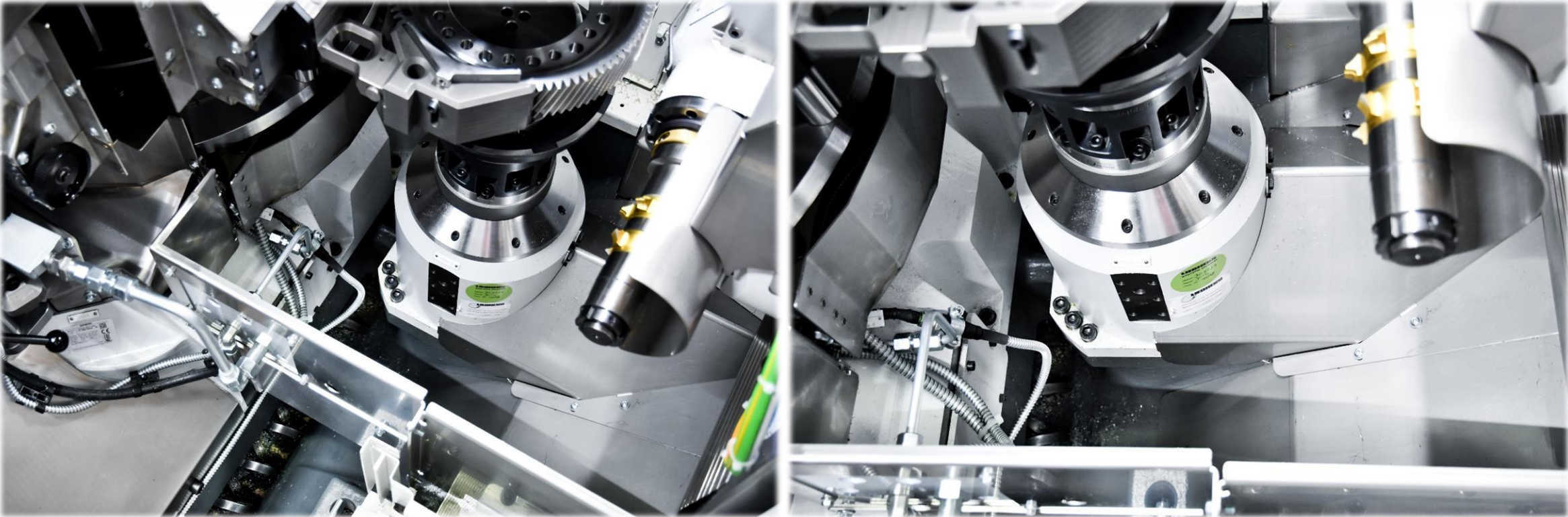


# ChamferCut - perfect for highly productive & efficient production





# Integrated ChamferCut Unit – optimized chip removal



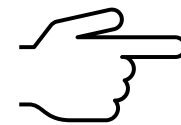
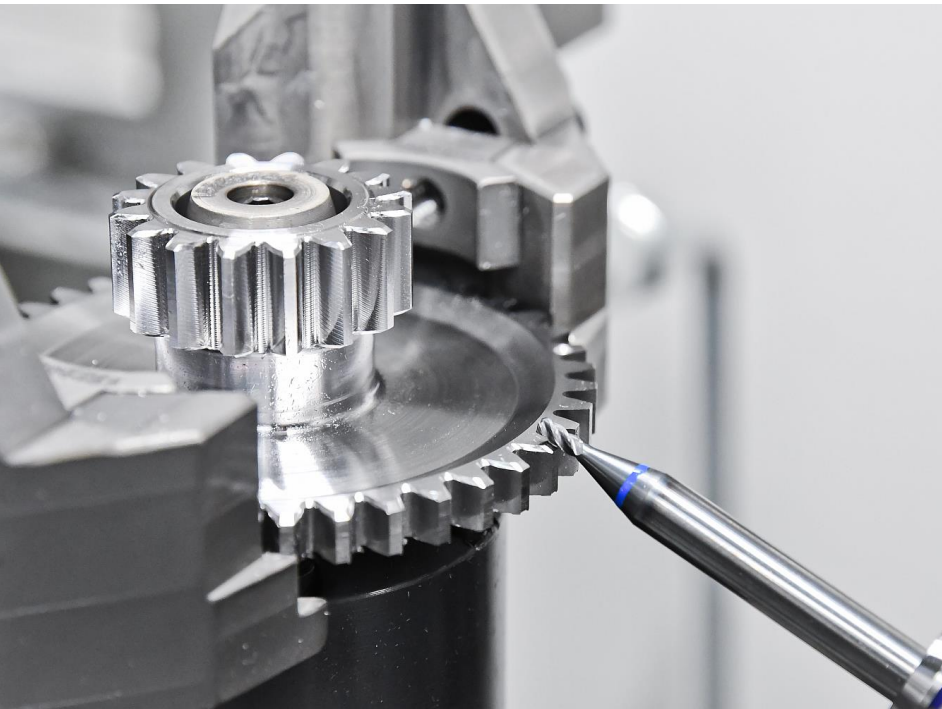




# FlexChamfer - new chamfering technology

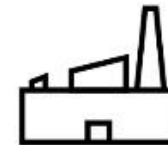
## FlexChamfer Highlights

- Time parallel process
- Flexible and universal
- Precise chamfer geometry
- Repeatability
- For external and internal gears
- Especially with regard to interference contours
- Easy NC corrections
- Use of stock end mills

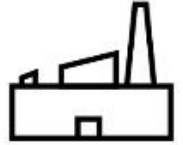


[FlexChamfer Website](#)

# Application example – Industrial gear



# Application example – Industrial gear



## Industrial gear



## Workpiece

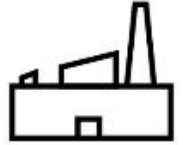
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– Number of teeth	47
– Pressure angle	24°
– Helix angle	-16°
– Tip diameter	234.0 mm
– Tooth width	65.0 mm
– Material	20MnCr5
– Tensile strength	530 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
– Pre-grind hobbing	



# Gear hobbing – MC90 hob



# Gear hobbing (technology) – Industrial gear



## Tool

– Type of tool	Hob
– Substrate	MC90
– Outside diameter	100 mm
– Number of starts	1
– Number of gashes	15
– Toothed length	220 mm

## Machine

- LC 280 DC
- Ring loader

## Workpiece

– Module	4.5 mm
– Number of teeth	47
– Pressure angle	24°
– Helix angle	-16°
– Tip diameter	234.0 mm
– Gear width	65.0 mm

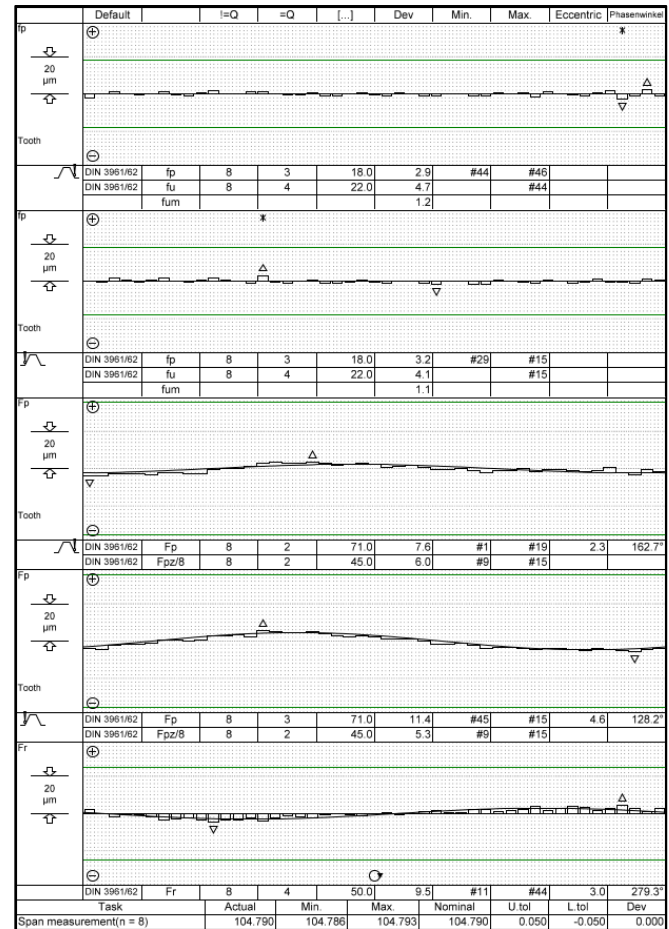
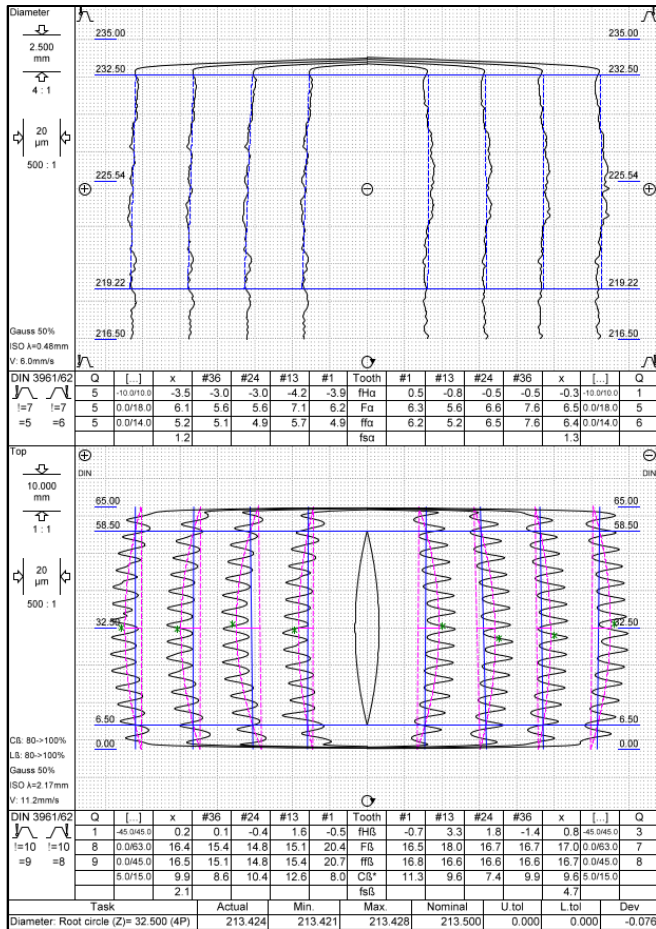
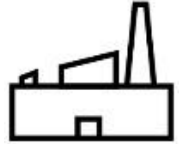
## Technology

– Number of cuts	2
– Cutting speed	▽ 220 m/min
	▽▽▽ 260 m/min
– Axial feed	▽ 4.5 mm WR
	▽▽▽ -4.5 mm WR
– Cutting medium	Dry

## Times

– Cutting time	1.70/1.03 min
– Idle time	0.15 min
– <b>Cycle time</b>	<b>2.88 min</b>
– <i>Chamfering</i>	<i>2.47 min</i>

# Gear quality – Industrial gear

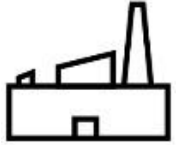


### Quality

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- Fa DIN 5
- ffa DIN 6
- fHβ DIN 3
- Fβ DIN 8
- ffβ DIN 9
- fp max DIN 3
- fu max DIN 4
- Fp DIN 3
- Fr DIN 4



# FlexChamfer – Gear hobbing and chamfering time-parallel



industrial gear (top)



industrial gear (bottom)



**CNC-controlled and flexible chamfering simultaneously to gear cutting**



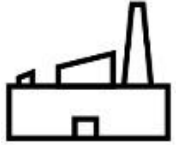
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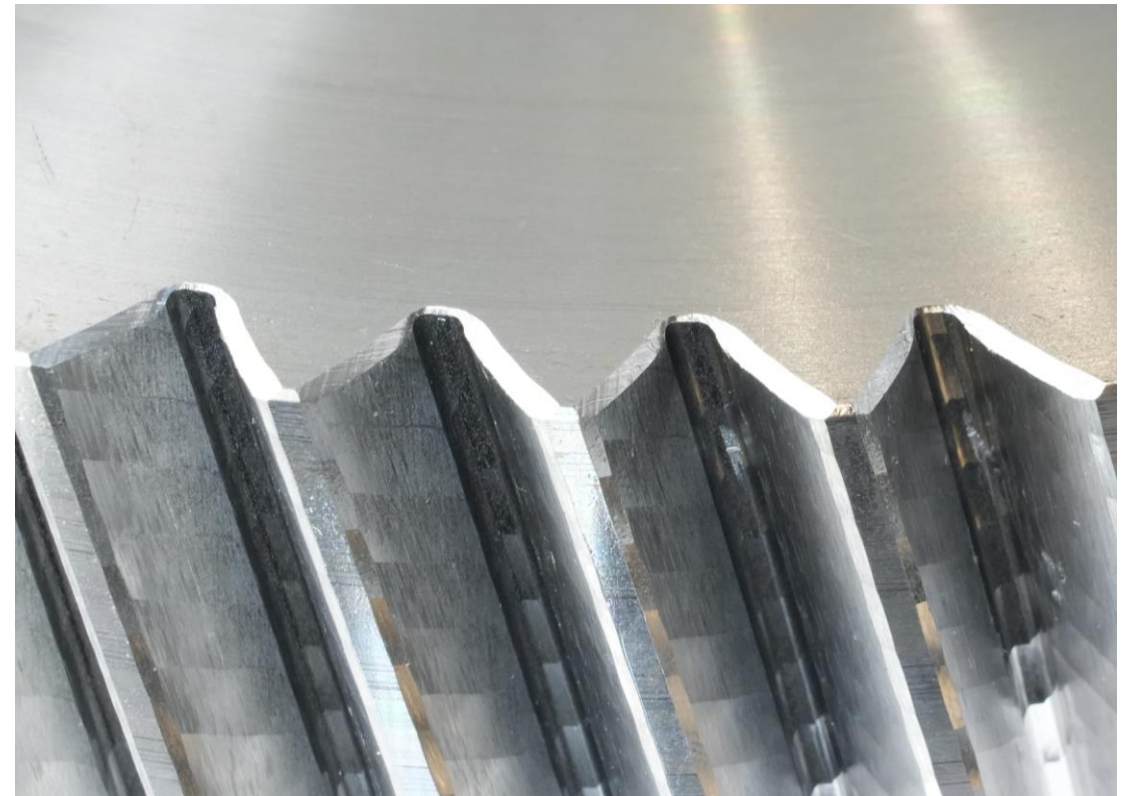
# FlexChamfer – Chamfer formation (form)



industrial gear (top)



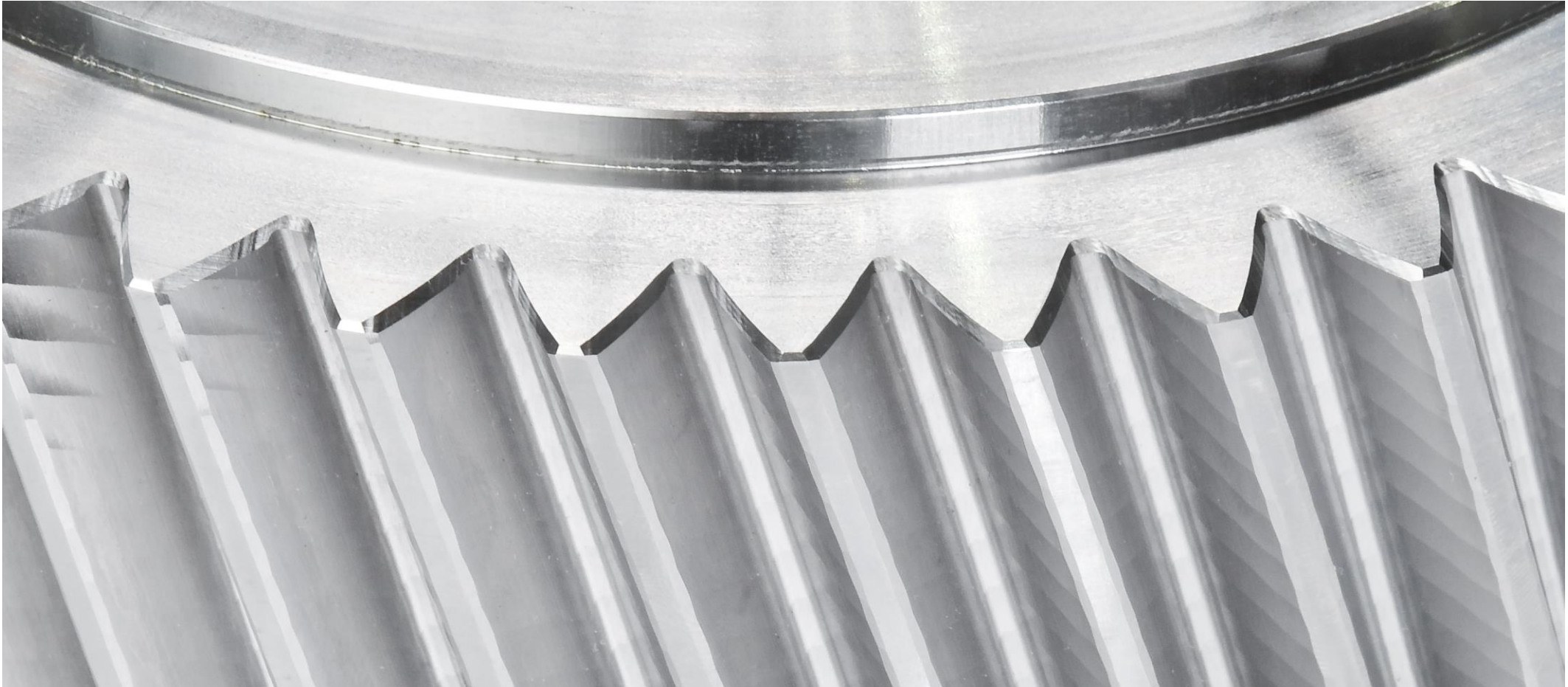
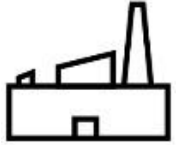
industrial gear (bottom)



**precise and flexible chamfering including face taper with standard tools**

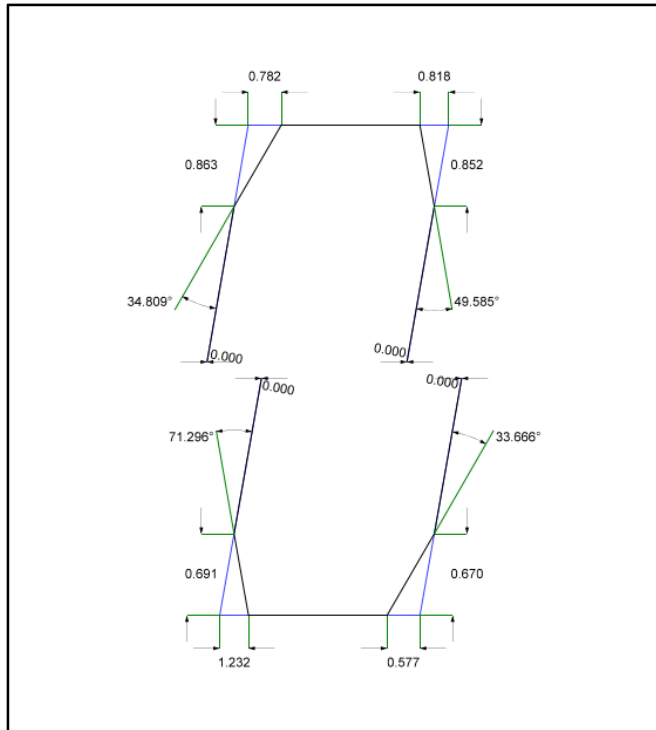
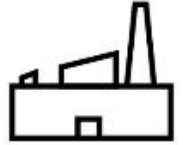


# FlexChamfer – Chamfer formation (form)



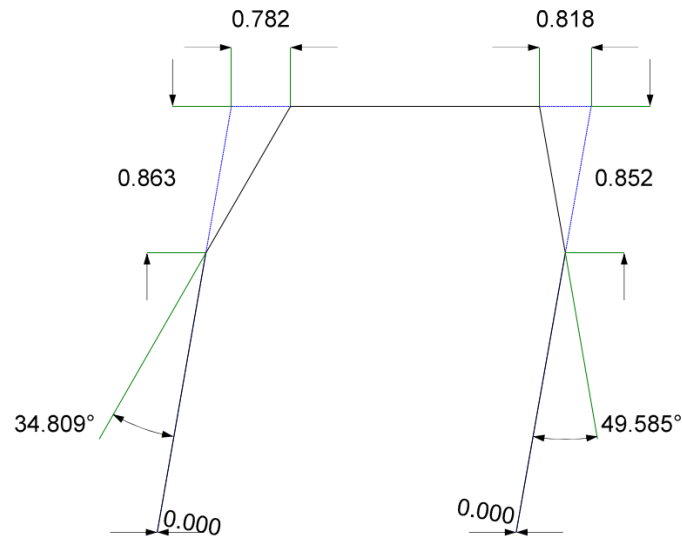
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# Chamfer formation (size) – Industrial gear



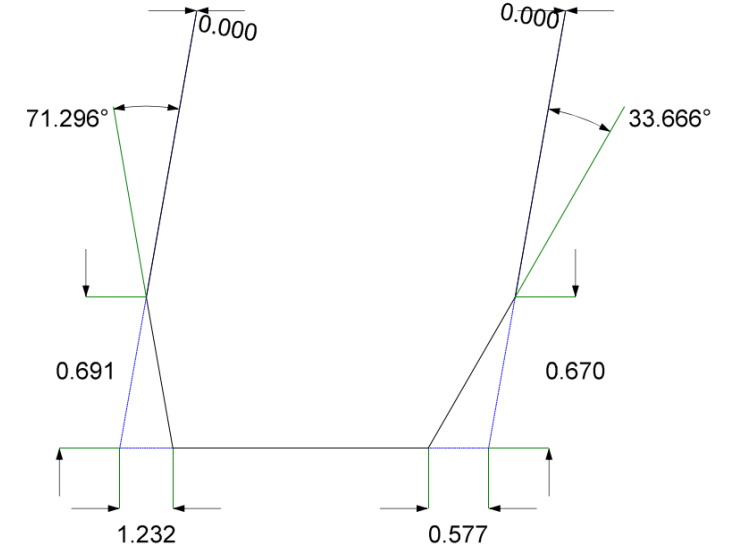
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Chamfer: Angle	34.809	37.000	5.000	-5.000	-2.191
Chamfer: Width (Right-Top)	0.852	0.850	0.300	-0.300	-0.002
Chamfer: Depth	0.818	0.850	0.300	-0.300	-0.032
Chamfer: Angle	49.585	53.000	5.000	-5.000	-3.415
Chamfer: Width (Right-Bottom)	0.670	0.700	0.300	-0.300	-0.030
Chamfer: Depth	0.577	0.600	0.300	-0.300	-0.023
Chamfer: Angle	33.666	31.000	5.000	-5.000	2.666
Chamfer: Width (Left-Bottom)	0.691	0.700	0.300	-0.300	-0.009
Chamfer: Depth	1.232	1.200	0.300	-0.300	0.032
Chamfer: Angle	71.296	73.000	5.000	-5.000	-1.704

top



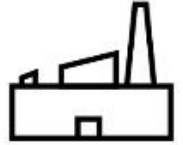
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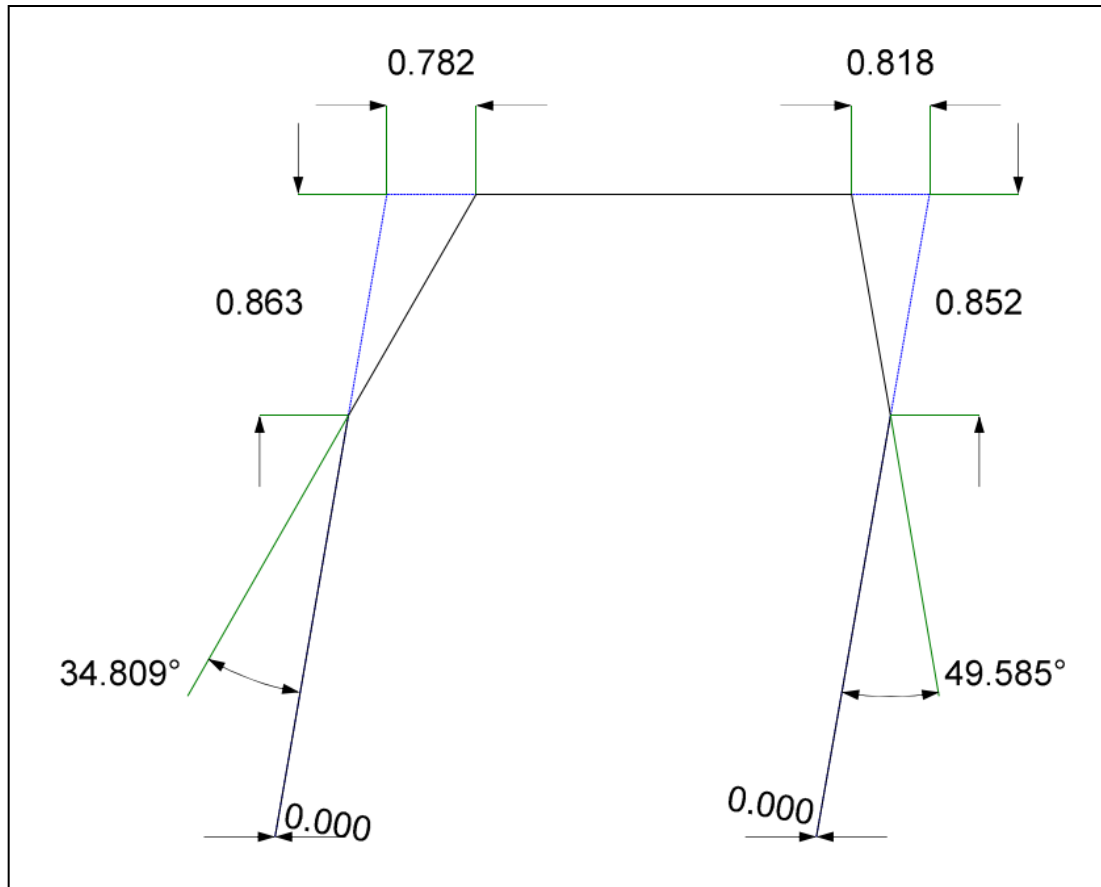


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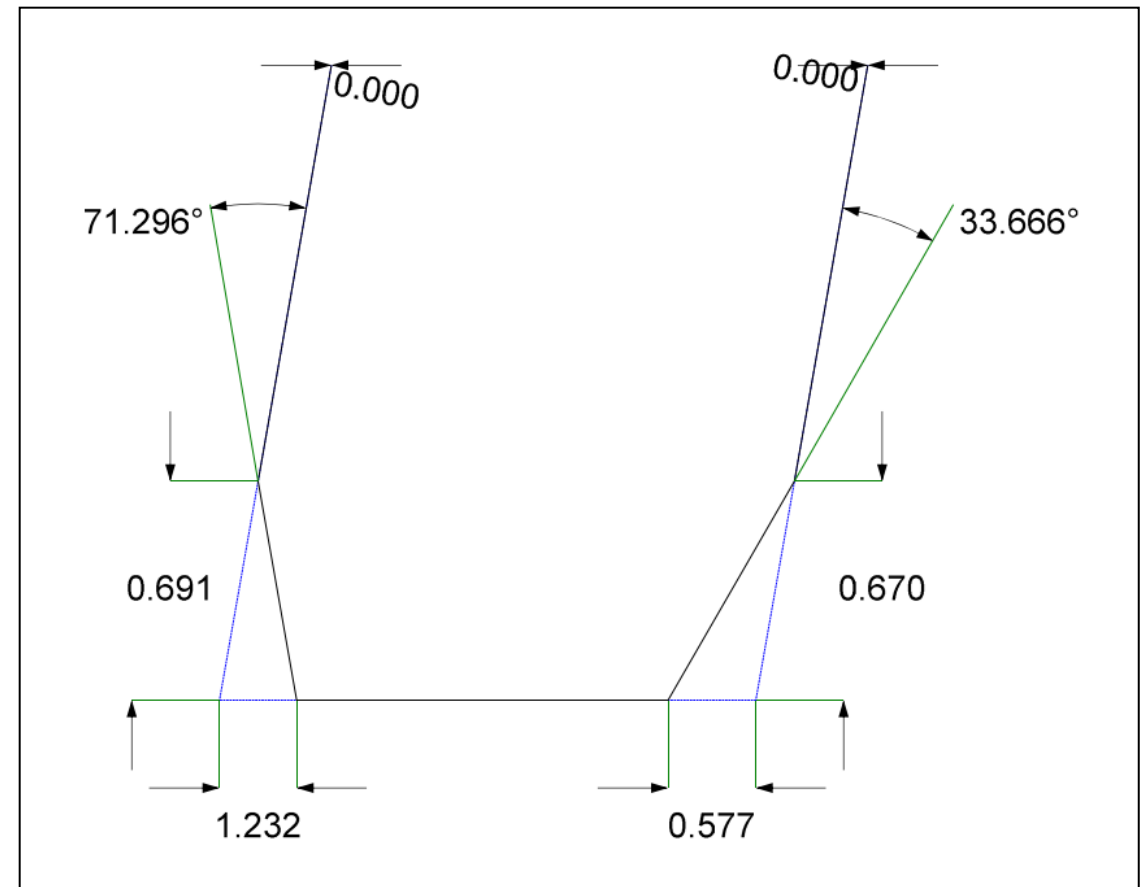
# Chamfer formation (size)



top



bottom





# FlexChamfer - the new simultaneous chamfering technology



- Flexible solution especially for external gears with interference contours or internal gears
- Consistent chamfer width from tip to the root
- Time parallel chamfering for hobbing, shaping or skiving
- Generation of variable chamfer shapes with CNC technology
- Use of standard end mills (stock tools)



**Workpieces leave the machine burr-free with a defined chamfer. This is unique!**

# Control panel and user interface

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# New Liebherr Panel

- **Flexible mount** for cabinet integration or installation on an external bracket (depending on machine type)
- **8 freely configurable buttons or key-switches** for custom-extensions
- **Context-sensitive display** of PLC/NC keys and machine/program states
- **Portable handheld terminal** as a **standard component**



- **New GUI surface**  
**LHGearTec**
- **24" Touch Monitor**
- **2 USB Ports** for flexible data Import Export
- **Reduced tactile switches** (NC-Start/Stop, hand wheel) for fast access
- **Tactile numeric block** for fast input of tool und workpiece data
- **Cable-based transmission** for maximized safety



LHStation

LHMobile

# New Liebherr Panel

# LHStation



# LHMobile

- Standardized **Operation Mode Switch** (EKS) with RFID chips for fast mode selection and user authentication

# Impressions



LC 280 DC



LGG 280

# Customer benefits



## The most important highlights for your start with new user ergonomics:

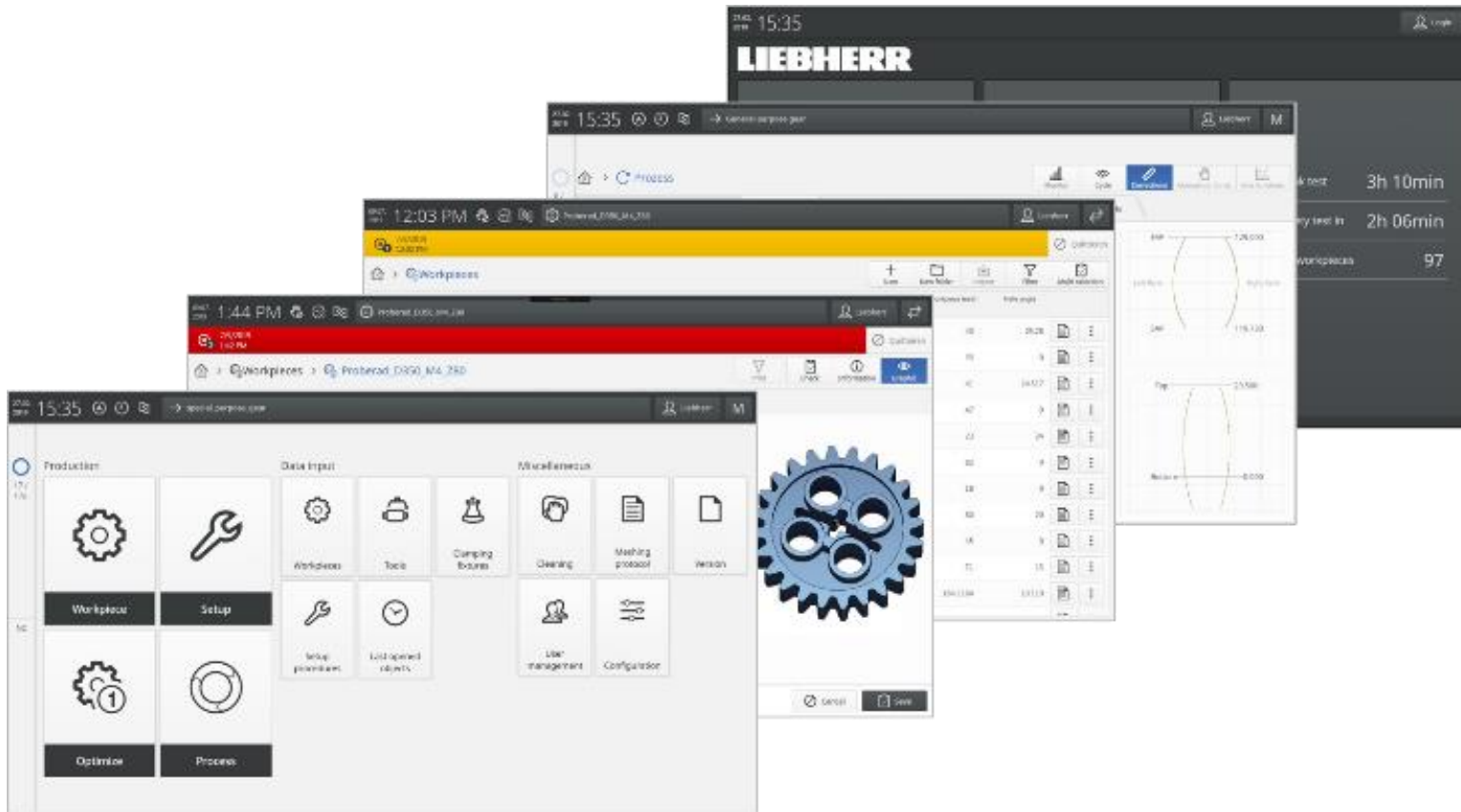
- Large main screen with 24" Multi-Touch
- Tactile numeric keypad for fast input of tool and workpiece data
- Mobile handheld terminal with 10" Multi-Touch as standard
- Context-sensitive views such as PLC/NC keys and program statuses
- Reduced hardware key field for high clarity
- Wired signal transmission for maximum safety
- Standardized mode selector with RFID-based user recognition
- Eight buttons or key switches, freely configurable to customer requirements
- Two USB ports for flexible data import/export



It is not only more innovative, but also more intuitive, ergonomic and powerful



# The new programming system from Liebherr



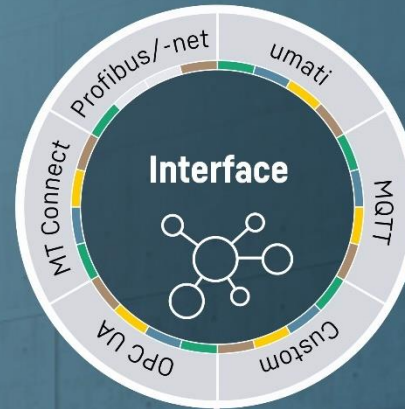
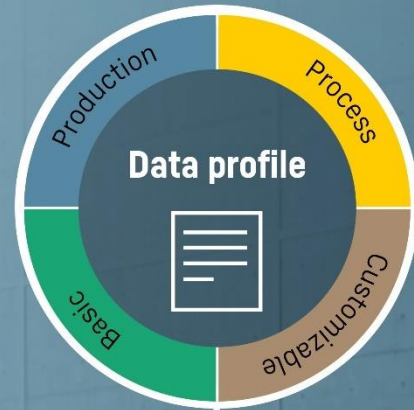
- Quick access to the last changed parameters.
- Ergonomically optimized operating areas for workpiece and tool input
- Import and Export of workpiece and tool geometries in GDE format (Gear Data Exchange)
- Measured value transfer via GDE communication between measuring machine and gear cutting machine
- Improved 3D visualization and process display
- Available for Hobbing, Grinding Shaping and Skiving
- Possibility to integrate Siemens cycles for drilling, milling and turning operations
- "Digital-Twin": Offline Programming System for work preparation
- Support of tool changers

# 08

## Industrie 4.0

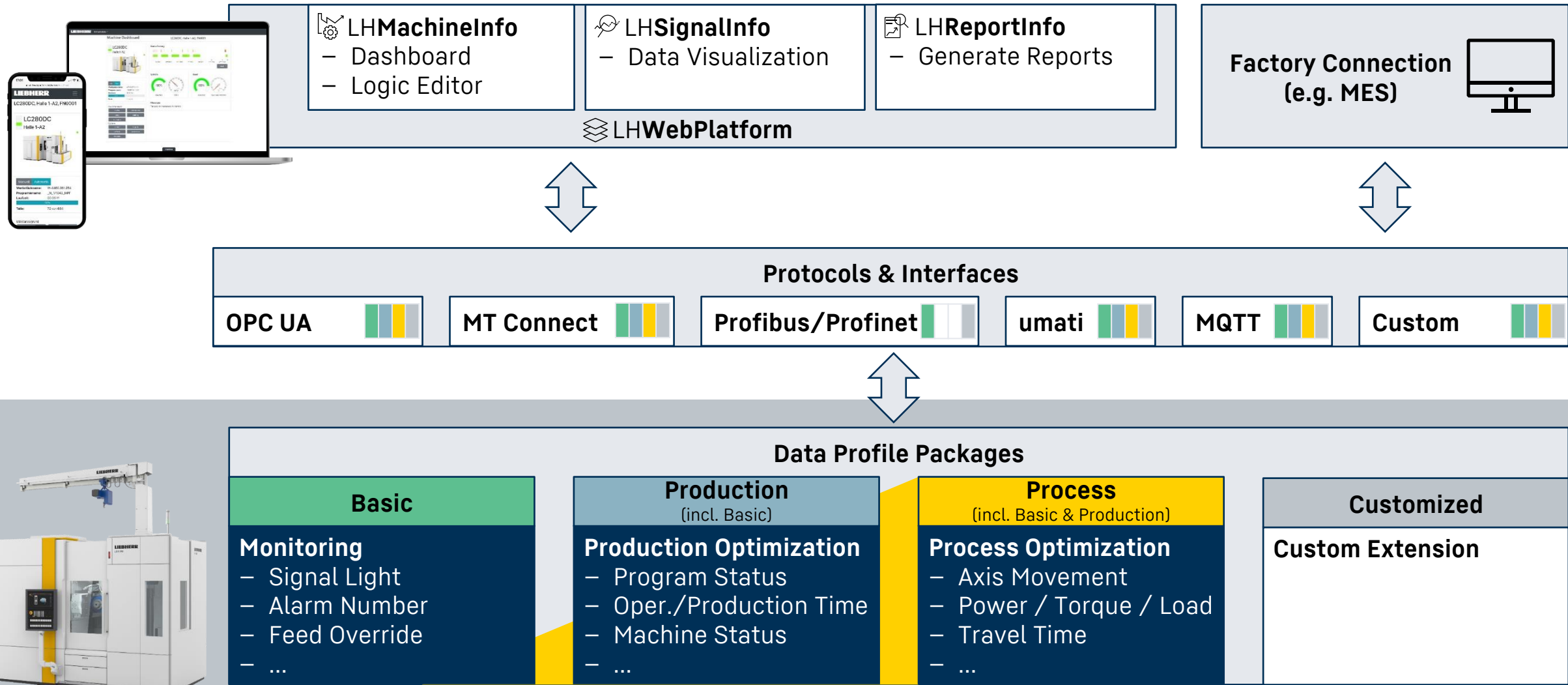
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# 01 Protocols & Interfaces Data Profiles LHWebPlatform





# Architecture



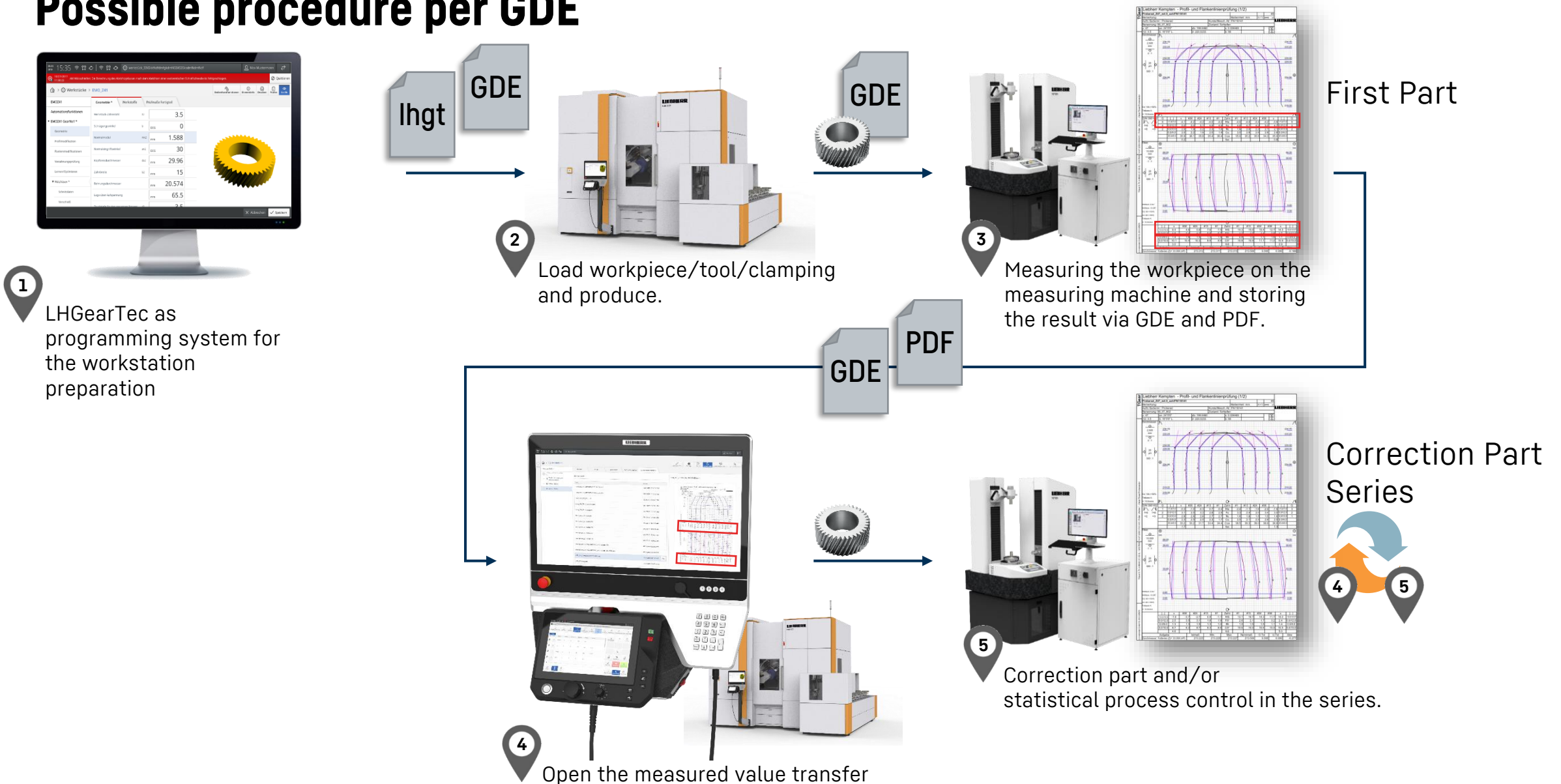
# 02 Closed Loop (GDE)

GDE2WTC  
Converter

GDE



# Possible procedure per GDE





# New Tab „Import Measurement Results“

The screenshot shows the HMI interface for a gear cutting machine. The top status bar displays the date and time (20.10.2020 12:32) and the machine ID (W-BRH). The navigation menu on the left includes 'Produktion', 'Stirnrad', and 'Wälzstoßen'. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Navigation:** 'Gesamt', 'Flankenlinie', 'Prüfmaßvorgaben', 'Zahngrund', and 'Messwertübernahme' (highlighted with a red box).
- Machine Status:** VDI 100 / 100 % nein / nein
- Flankenlinie (Flank Line):** A table showing measurement results for 'Winkelabweichung' (Angle deviation) and 'Balligkeit' (Roundness).
- Prüfmaß (Measurement):** A table showing 'Messzähnezahl' (Number of teeth), 'Zahnweite' (Pitch), and 'X-Korrektur' (X-correction).
- Graphical Representation:** A diagram of a gear profile with various dimensions and labels such as 'Kopf', 'Fuß', 'Linke Flanke', and 'Rechte Flanke'.

At the bottom of the interface, there are buttons for 'Zurücksetzen' (Reset), 'Abbrechen' (Cancel), and 'OK'.

1. There is a new tab at gear cutting machines with the new HMI LHGearTec in the menu „Corrections“.

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Datei	Datum
12093252_31_20190808_113154GDE.xml	08.08.2019 11:56:36
12093252_31_20190808_122957GDE.xml	08.08.2019 12:42:45
1358_303_229_VZ1.xml	28.06.2019 13:33:27
Gear_Z14_FN115504_78a.xml	04.06.2019 10:20:11
Gear_Z14_FN115504.xml	04.06.2019 10:20:27
R309923_JD_LaufwerkC.xml	04.05.2020 08:52:16
Workpiece-Z71-A20.xml	04.06.2019 10:43:34
Workpiece-Z71-A20a.xml	04.06.2019 11:01:23
Workpiece-Z71-A20b.xml	04.06.2019 11:10:38
Workpiece-Z71-A20c.xml	04.06.2019 11:20:41
Workpiece-Z71-A20d.xml	04.06.2019 11:36:47
Workpiece_Z71_VZ6_20190612_141113GDE.xml	12.06.2019 17:05:02
Workpiece_Z71_VZ6_20190612_141113GDE_ohneDTD.xml	13.06.2019 14:02:40
Z28_229_20190626_195323GDE.xml	24.07.2019 09:41:59
Z28_229_GDE.xml	24.07.2019 10:48:48

1. In this new tab you can see all the GDE Files on the machine or on a network drive.
2. These GDE files contain the measuring results of the measuring cell.
3. If the GDE files is existing also with the measuring result as a pdf file, the results will be visualized on the side screen.
4. The operator can now decide if he trust these values and can taken over the results in the correction mask. e.g. fHa

# Measuring Results Taken Over

20.10.2020 12:36 → W-BRH Instandhaltung M

Produktion

W-BRH

Stirnrad

Wälzstoßen

Gesamt Flankenlinie Prüfmaßvorgaben Zahngrund Messwertübernahme

VDI 100 / 100 % nein / nein

	Sollwert	Aktuell	Istwert	Sollwert	Aktuell	Istwert
Winkelabweichung	um 0	um 0	um 1.1 <sup>(0)*</sup>	um 0	um 0	um -2.3 <sup>(0)*</sup>
Balligkeit	um 0	um 0	um 8.3 <sup>(0)*</sup>	um 0	um 0	um 7.9 <sup>(0)*</sup>

Prüfmaß

	Sollwert	Istwert
Messzähnezahl	5	
Zahnweite	mm 57	mm 50.0857 <sup>(57)*</sup>
X-Korrektur	mm 0	mm 0 <sup>(0)</sup>

Kopf GDa2 = 85.000  
EAP = 80.000  
Linke Flanke Rechte Flanke  
SAP = 75.000  
Fuß GDa2 = 70.000

Oben 120.000  
Linke Flanke Rechte Flanke  
Unten 0.000  
12mm  
3µm

Zurücksetzen Abbrechen Speichern

1. In the „Correction“ mask, the transferred measured values are displayed.
2. The worker now also sees the corrections calculated by the machine and can decide which values or corrections he would like to apply.
3. The averaged measurement results are taken from the GDE file for
  - a. fHa
  - b. fHß
  - c. Cß
  - d. toothsize



# External Automation Solutions



## Plastic Chain Conveyor KKB

- Storage capacity 20 a 15kg / 30 a 10 kg
- Robot-integration as an option
- Optimal fit to the fast integrated Ringloader system (up to part weight 25 kg) for maximum production output



## Chain conveyor KSR (LC 180)

- Small intermediate buffer capacity
- Robot-integration as an option
- Optimal fit to the fast integrated Ringloader system
- For workpieces up to 180 mm diameter



## or automatic loading with robot

# Maintenance & Ergonomic





# Accessibility for quick and easy maintenance

- All maintenance access points are covered with a door and can be easily opened. Each door has additionally a window to check the valves from outside.
- The hydraulic units are also covered with a housing to reduce machining noise in the factory.



– Pneumatic Valves



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– Covered Hydraulic housing



– Opened doors to the hydraulic unit



# Highlights

## M/C features

- L-door for good access
- Thermal stable machine bed
- Wet- / dry Hobbing
- High stiffness ensures 1-pass-process for best tool life
- Hook ready for short installation



## Hob Head HH 150

- 13,2 kW Drive Power
- 2.250 rpm spindle speed
- Max. module 6 mm
- Shift travel 200 mm
- Max. hob Ø 150 mm

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## LH GearTec as Standard

- Touch Interface
- Graphic user support
- Technology support (for speeds & feeds)
- Simulation software to ensure safe and efficient production
- Collision control

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**Thank  
you**  
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