

Netherlands economic mission to the Czech Republic

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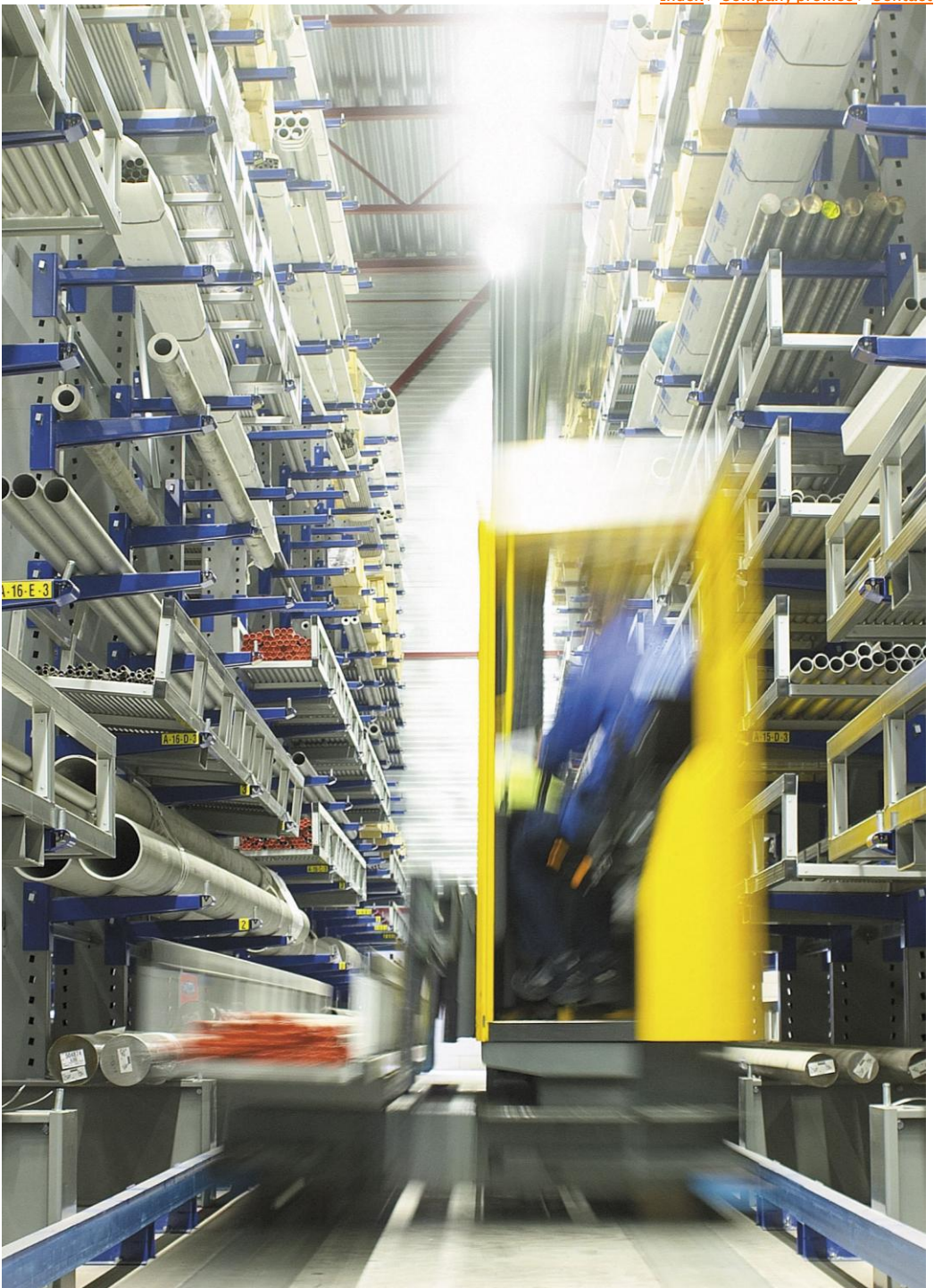
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Foreword



It is my great pleasure to lead this economic mission to Czechia, dedicated to Smart Industry and Defence. Building on the momentum of the state visit in June 2025, we continue working on bilateral economic and innovative cooperation and transform these into concrete partnerships and business.

This mission will enable you to engage with key Czech and Dutch partners to engage, gain insight into dynamic industrial and high-tech ecosystems, and explore concrete business and innovation opportunities. Our programme, including matchmaking, company visits and participation in the International Engineering Fair (MSV) in Brno, is designed to support sustainable growth, strengthen bilateral ties and increase the visibility of Dutch capabilities in a promising market.

Czechia is one of Central Europe's most technologically advanced industrial economies. With strong clusters in high-tech manufacturing, automotive, aerospace, robotics, precision engineering and a rapidly modernising defence industry, it offers Dutch companies a compelling mix of engineering excellence, a robust supply chain, a strategic location in Europe and an innovation-friendly business climate.

Dutch and Czech strengths are highly complementary. Czechia offers a broad and skilled industrial base with expanding capabilities in semiconductors, robotics and dual-use technology. The Netherlands contributes world-class expertise in high-tech engineering, semiconductor and photonics equipment, and advanced materials. Together, we can build joint value chains, co-develop technologies and access European programmes, as already reflected in existing cooperation between e.g. our semiconductor and defence industry associations.

In an ever more turbulent world, deepening trade relations, research cooperation and business-to-business partnerships within the EU—particularly in key domains such as Smart Industry and Defence—not only strengthens Dutch–Czech business collaboration, but also boosts our economies and contributes to the EU's strategic autonomy that we are collectively striving for.

I wish you all an inspiring and successful mission, rich in meaningful encounters and long-term partnerships.

Michiel Sweers
Vice Minister for Foreign Trade

The Netherlands

The Netherlands



Locations

1. Amsterdam (and Airport Schiphol) |
2. Arnhem | 3. Assen | 4. Breda |
5. 's Hertogenbosch | 6. Eindhoven |
7. Enschede | 8. Groningen | 9. Haarlem |
10. The Hague | 11. Leeuwarden |
12. Lelystad | 13. Maastricht |
14. Middelburg | 15. Rotterdam |
16. Utrecht | 17. Zwolle |

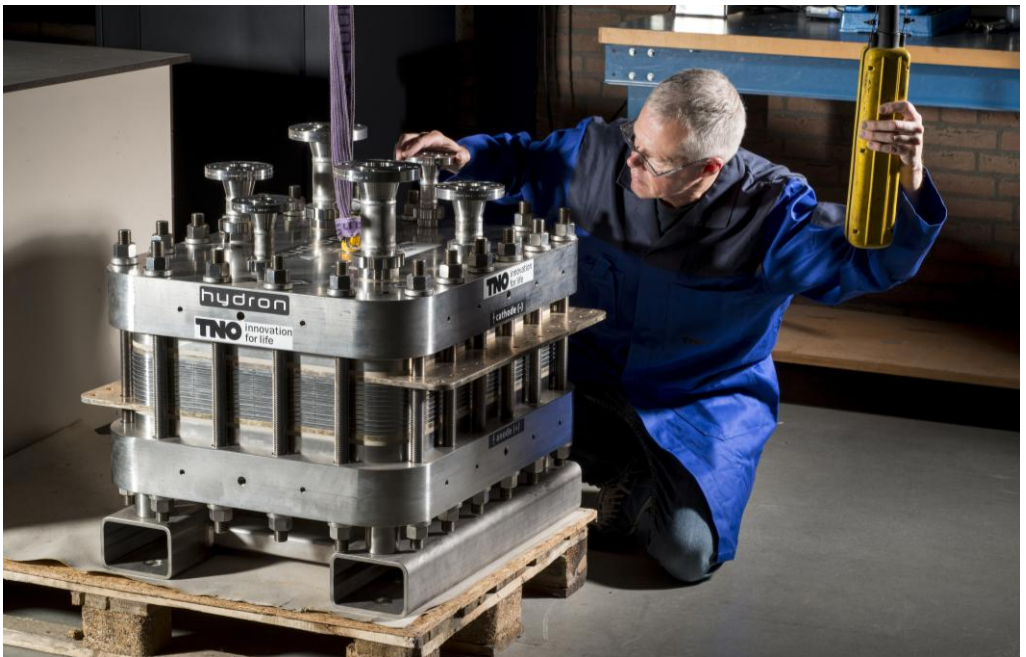
Introducing the Netherlands

How do the Dutch make a difference?

Through their interactive approach to finding innovative solutions to the big challenges facing the world today. The Dutch way of thinking and working has been shaped by centuries of living in the low-lying delta of the Netherlands. Through the ages, the Dutch have joined forces to find ingenious ways to tackle challenges like water, urbanization, energy, food, health and security. By being inventive, pragmatic and

open to new challenges, the Dutch have created a flourishing and resilient land.

The Netherlands is a constantly evolving ecosystem of cities, industry, agriculture and nature, all integrated through smart infrastructure. It is a source of knowledge and experience that the Dutch are keen to share with others. Learning from the past to create a better future. Together, seeking sustainable solutions for the most liveable world.



The Netherlands your partner in sustainable solutions

Worldwide rankings

1st

Largest flower exporter
(Source: OEC, 2024)

1st

Quality of Life Index by Country
(Source: Numbeo, 2026)

2nd

Euro Health Consumer Index Score
(Source: World Population Review, 2026)

4th

Technology Readiness
(Source: Economist Intelligence Unit, 2018–2022)

4th

Largest importer of goods in the world, 842.05 billion US dollars
(Source: Statista, 2023)

4th

Largest exporter of goods in the world, 934,57 billion US dollars
(Source: Statista, 2023)

4th

Leading economy worldwide by Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) inward stock, 2,86 trillion US dollars
(source: Statista, 2023)

7th

Greatest place to live
(Source: World Happiness Report, 2026)

8th

on the Global Innovation Index
(Source: WIPO, 2025)

Facts & figures

Official name:

Kingdom of the Netherlands

Capital:

Amsterdam

Seat of government:

The Hague

Form of government

Parliamentary democracy (cabinet of Prime Minister and Ministers) within a constitutional monarchy

Head of State:

His Majesty King Willem-Alexander, King of the Netherlands, Prince of Orange-Nassau

Location:

Western Europe bordering Germany, Belgium and the North Sea

Administrative structure:

The kingdom consists of four countries: the Netherlands on the European continent and three countries in the Caribbean: Aruba, Curaçao, and St. Maarten.

Special municipalities

The overseas islands of Bonaire, Saba and St. Eustatius, all three of which are located in the Caribbean.

Surface area

41,543 km²

Number of inhabitants (2025):

18,4 million

Monetary Unit:

Euro

Languages:

Dutch, Frisian and on the overseas islands also English and Papiamentu

GDP per capita

(World Bank, 2024):

68,219 US dollars

Number of provinces:

12

Number of inhabitants per km² (2025):

536

Unemployment rate (CBS, 2025):

4%

English speaking Dutch people:

90%

The Czech Republic and the Netherlands:

Advancing innovation in smart industry together

The Czech Republic and the Netherlands share a strong ambition to strengthen their economies through technology and innovation. Both countries have internationally connected industrial and high-tech ecosystems, with complementary strengths. The Czech Republic combines a strong industrial base and engineering tradition with expertise in manufacturing, robotics, semiconductors and dual-use technologies. The Netherlands brings expertise in semiconductors, photonics, high-tech systems and industrial automation. Connecting these strengths can support smarter factories, more efficient production and resilient industrial value chains.

The Czech Republic also offers a strong environment for developing and validating new technologies, with sector clusters, testbeds, digital innovation hubs and public research facilities. Building on the contacts and cooperation generated by the June 2025 state visit, these strengths, combined with Dutch public-private research and innovation networks, create opportunities to connect applied research, technology development and industrial expertise.

Turning knowledge and technology into industrial impact

Industry in both countries is changing rapidly. Automation, artificial intelligence, machine vision, the Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) and advanced manufacturing are transforming how products are developed and produced, while semiconductor and photonics technologies are becoming increasingly important.

Meeting these developments requires knowledge exchange between researchers, technology developers and industrial users, as well as opportunities to test technologies in real production environments. Cooperation between the Netherlands and the Czech Republic can connect research initiatives, facilities and industrial expertise, supporting joint work in

areas such as automation and robotics, semiconductor technologies, photonics, machine vision, digitalisation and advanced manufacturing. Many of these technologies also have applications in mobility, aerospace, energy, security and defence.

Collaboration from research to application

Successful smart industry development depends on cooperation between businesses, knowledge institutions, technology clusters and public organisations. Existing connections, including in the semiconductor sector, provide a basis for deeper knowledge exchange, joint research and participation in European innovation programmes. This mission brings the two ecosystems closer together through exchanges, industrial and research visits and the Netherlands-Czech Innovation Day, helping participants identify complementary expertise and opportunities for long-term cooperation.

Towards a future-focused partnership

Building on each other's strengths, this mission aims to deepen relationships between Dutch and Czech innovation ecosystems. Through continued knowledge exchange and joint innovation, both countries can contribute to smarter, more competitive and more resilient industries in the Netherlands, the Czech Republic and across Europe.

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AGS supplies critical components from allied sources for strategic sectors in Europe. We source, im- and export, stockpile, finance and assure steady supply of products like battery cells, electric motors, semi-con chips, and cameras. Our partnerships with allied sources and within the logistic chain guarantee certified (bonded) warehousing –specifically battery cells – and the right customs expertise. This frees cashflow for our customers and supports them in their growth ambitions.

Products and Services Offered:

- Sourcing of critical components
- Certified warehousing for stockpiling
- Customs and compliance (bonded warehousing, deferred tax and duties)
- Aggregating supply – attractive pricing

Unique Selling Points:

- Experienced team (critical raw materials, charging infrastructure, battery technology, M&A, (trade) finance)
- Unique certified warehousing – strongest regulatory compliance for battery storage
- Strong partnerships with allied-OEMs

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for companies interested in allied supplies, sourcing support and ambition to expand their activities and optimise inventory management.

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Nijdra Group

Nijdra Group is a Dutch family-owned system supplier of high-precision mechanical components and mechatronic assemblies. The company has more than 100 employees at three locations in the Netherlands and serves customers across Europe and beyond.

Our activities comprise co-engineering, precision machining, assembly and testing of complex parts and modules for high-tech and defence applications. The client portfolio includes leading international OEMs as well as specialised high-tech companies in the medical, optical, analytical, semiconductor and defence industries.

Together with Nedinsco in the Netherlands, Nijdra not only manufactures precision components, but also assembles complete optical systems. These systems are integrated on armoured vehicles and used in operational environments.

Products and Services Offered:

- Custom precision mechanical components (turning, milling, grinding) with micron-level accuracy
- Complete mechatronic assemblies, including drive units for armoured vehicles and tanks
- Optomechatronic modules and cleanroom assembly (ISO class 7)
- Co-engineering, prototyping, series production, assembly and testing

Unique Selling Points:

- Proven supplier to leading European defence OEMs such as RENK, KNDS and Hensoldt
- Full in-house chain from co-engineering to production and cleanroom assembly
- Highly automated and robotised production for high-complexity, low-to-medium volume series
- Strong dual-use capability: the same precision expertise serves both high-tech industry and defence

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for Czech OEMs, system integrators and high-tech manufacturers interested in precision assemblies for defence platforms, optical/sensor systems and other demanding applications.

Also open to partnerships with companies in semiconductors, analytical instruments, optics and medical technology, as well as clusters and industry associations that can facilitate long-term collaboration.

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Sioux Technologies

Sioux Technologies is a strategic high-tech R&D partner that accelerates innovation for global OEMs. We specialize in developing, manufacturing, and optimizing complex intelligent modules and systems. By combining cutting-edge expertise in software, mathware, electronics, mechatronics, and assembly, we bring advanced technological solutions to life from concept to serial production.

As a dedicated dual-use partner, Sioux translates high-tech commercial breakthroughs into ruggedized, mission-critical solutions. We enable our partners to pioneer next-generation technologies, optimize system performance, and maintain a competitive edge in rapidly evolving global markets through collaborative, multi-disciplinary engineering excellence.

Products and Services Offered:

- **Software & Edge AI:** Intelligent application development, secure architectures, and autonomous GPS-independent intelligence.
- **Electronics & Systems:** High-speed electronics and processing, advanced RF engineering, and FPGA design for signal acquisition.
- **Mathware:** Advanced mathematical modelling, deep learning algorithms, and real-time sensor fusion analytics.
- **Mechatronics & Optics:** Precision engineering and thermal management for complex high-tech modules, extreme positioning
- **Assembly & Production:** Scalable high-mix, low-volume manufacturing from prototyping to full system integration.

Unique Selling Points:

- **Full-System R&D:** Integrated expertise across software, mathware, electronics, mechatronics, and manufacturing.
- **Tactical Edge AI:** Advanced real-time sensor fusion and autonomous intelligence operating independent of GPS.
- **High-Speed Electronics:** World-class RF engineering and FPGA design optimized for harsh military environments.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for companies that might be interested in expanding their business to the Netherlands and vice versa. Sioux seeks R&D partnerships, industrial matchmaking, and co-development opportunities

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We are the #1 hands-on, high-end consultancy for Defence and Aerospace. Based in The Hague, with a presence in the Netherlands and Germany, we work in defence and dual-use technologies across the NATO and EU market. Clients range from Dutch and international enterprises and mid-market suppliers to investors, knowledge institutes and government bodies.

We work between government and industry, and with both. Three questions decide what we advise:

1. What it takes to build, integrate and certify it.
2. What the military user in the field needs it to do.
3. Where to play, and where not to.

We stay involved from feasibility study and capability development through to tender preparation and programme delivery. On the corporate side that runs from security accreditation under ABDO and ABRO to funding pathways across government schemes, venture capital and private equity.

Products and Services Offered:

- Corporate Development
- Strategy Development & Roll-out
- Procurement Support
- Programme & Project Management
- Government Advisory

Unique Selling Points:

- Direct lines into the Ministry of Defence, the Ministry of Economic Affairs and the procurement agencies, alongside working relationships with industry, OEMs, research institutes and investors.
- A senior multidisciplinary team of Dutch and international professionals in technology, economics, military operations and legal affairs, many from former military, OEM and programme leadership roles.
- In-depth market knowledge of defence and dual-use technologies.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

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Van Doorn Container Parts

Van Doorn Container Parts is a leading supplier of high-quality container parts and lashing equipment for container repair companies, container manufacturers and specialized container builders worldwide.

Located in the heart of Europe, our warehouse and production facilities enable us to serve customers across Europe and beyond with fast delivery, reliable service and flexible solutions.

Products and Services Offered:

We offer a comprehensive range of components for:

- Dry box containers
- Reefer containers
- Tank containers
- Waste containers
- Special and modified containers

Our lashing product range includes:

- Loose lashing equipment, including twistlocks
- Fixed lashing equipment and foundations
- Special lashing solutions, including D-rings and ratchet tie-downs
- Customized solutions for specific container applications

In addition to supplying components, we provide engineering support for customized container projects, including:

- 3D drawings
- 2D construction drawings
- Strength calculations and FEM analysis
- Realistic graphical interpretations and renderings

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

We are continuously looking to expand our network of international customers and business partners who require reliable suppliers of container parts, lashing equipment and customized solutions.

We are particularly interested in working with:

- Container repair companies
- Container manufacturers and newbuild facilities
- Specialized container builders
- Engineering and construction companies
- Companies developing modified or custom-built containers

As the demand for specialized and modified containers continues to grow, so do the opportunities for innovative components and customized solutions.

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Your Technology, our mission!

VDL Defentec brings together technology, manufacturing, and supply chain excellence to help defence organisations and OEMs develop, scale, and sustain critical capabilities. By combining our strengths with those of our partners, we create resilient, innovative, and future-ready solutions for today's and tomorrow's defence challenges.

Products and Services Offered:

- Design & Engineering
- Prototyping & Validation
- Industrialization & Production/
- Scale-up
- Precision Machining
- Sheet Metal Fabrication & Welding
- Electronics Manufacturing
- Composite & Plastic Components
- Electro-Mechanical Assemblies
- System Integration & Full System Assembly
- Supply Chain Management & Lifecycle Support

Unique Selling Points:

- Build-to-Print Manufacturing
- Build-to-Spec Solutions
- High-Mix, Low-Volume Production
- Scalable Series Production
- Advanced Manufacturing Technologies
- Mechatronics & Electronics Integration
- Precision Metal Processing
- Defence Sustainment & Support
- Rapid Industrialization of New Programs.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for strategic partnerships with defence primes, OEMs, technology innovators, and government organizations seeking reliable industrial capabilities for development, production, system integration, and lifecycle support. Together, we strengthen supply chain resilience, accelerate innovation, and enhance defence readiness.

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Witte van Moort

Witte van Moort is a family owned and operated company located in the Netherlands, founded in 1948, and specialized in the production of deep drawn, stamped and mesh parts including the production of welded sub-assemblies including surface treatment & assembly. A family business that has built up a substantial reputation by producing a wide range of high-quality sheet metal products for various industrial OEM customers in the world.

Focus on long lasting partnerships with well-known European and US OEM companies within the Agricultural, Material Handling, Construction, Truck & Trailer and Defence Industry. Certified according NEN-ISO/14001, 9001 and 3834 with a high focus on sustainability including ECOVADIS. Scheduled for 2026 are the ISO 9001-AQAP & ISO 27001.

Products and Services Offered:

- Production of deep drawn, stamped and mesh parts.
- Production of welded subassemblies including surface treatment and the assembly of these parts including subparts.
- In house engineering including feasibility study and in house tooling manufacturing.

Unique Selling Points:

- Highly automated production facility with for example 20 hydraulic presses with build in quality systems and long extensive experience in the production of deep drawn and stamped parts.
- A company specialized in processing materials such as cold- and hot-rolled steel plate, galvanized steel plate, stainless steel, aluminum and mesh.
- Family-owned company with one production facility centrally located in Europe, enabling a good logistical connection throughout Europe and the USA.

With engineering, feasibility studies, toolmaking and the complete production process under one roof, Witte van Moort offers an integrated and efficient route from concept to series production. Our strategic location in the Netherlands and extensive experience serving international OEMs make us a strong European manufacturing partner for the Czech defence industry.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted:

During this mission looking for companies to establish the first contacts in order to develop and start strategic partnerships/ Specifically looking to get in touch with Engineering Managers, DMU's, Purchasing Managers/Commodity Managers from OEM companies within the Defence branch.

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Wolters Europe

Wolters Europe is the European specialist in custom EPS, EPP and Neopor moulded foam components for technical, industrial and packaging applications. With 70 years of experience, three modern production sites in NL and in Czech and more than 300 specialists, we support customers from engineering and prototyping to series production.

Products and Services Offered:

We develop:

- Technical moulded parts for insulation, protection, functionality and precise fit.
- EPS, EPP and Neopor packaging for safe, efficient transport and storage.
- Customized solutions for HVAC, automotive, industrial equipment and other demanding applications.
- From feasibility studies to series production and assembly, we contribute throughout the entire process.

Unique Selling Points:

We combine engineering expertise, production capabilities and practical experience to create solutions that are technically reliable, economically viable and easy to integrate. Our standard approach includes feasibility studies and improvement proposals. Wherever possible, we use recycled materials and design solutions for efficient production, assembly, logistics and end use.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

We want to develop our network in the Defence Industry and are looking for leads and potential customers.

From concept to series production, we make moulded foam solutions work.

Smart Industry



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Avek Haarlem

Avek Haarlem operates internationally and employs a skilled team of specialists dedicated to the design and production of high-quality products from strip and wire. Mainly springs. Our activities in the Netherlands focus on the development and manufacturing of technical products (springs, clips, bracket, wireforms), serving a wide range of industries.

Our client portfolio is diverse, including large international enterprises, OEMs, middle-market companies, and specialized industrial partners. We support customers across sectors such as mechanical engineering, automotive, medical, and industrial applications.

With a strong focus on quality, reliability, and technical expertise, Avek delivers custom-engineered solutions that meet the highest industry standards. Our approach is practical, solution-driven, and built on long-term partnerships.

Products and Services Offered:

Avek Haarlem offers a comprehensive range of products and services in the field of spring technology:

- Compression springs
- Extension springs
- Torsion springs and custom wire forms
- Engineering and design support for spring calculations and applications
- Prototype development and small to large series
- Material expertise
- Quality control and testing according to strict industrial standards

We provide fully customized solutions tailored to the specific requirements of each customer.

Unique Selling Points:

- Automotive level quality
- Engineering and rapid prototyping
- Wide range of products
- Partnership from day one
- We say what we do, do what we say

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

We are looking for companies that are interested in:

- Expanding their activities into the Netherlands or Europe
- Outsourcing or improving their spring and wire component production
- Developing new products that require technical spring

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Hoeftlon International

Hoeftlon is a Dutch manufacturer of compact, fully electric cranes and tracked carriers, celebrating 20 years in 2026. With more than 200 employees, we develop and build all machines in Barneveld and sell them through a network of 33 dealers in 18 countries. Our machines are used in construction, landscaping and forestry, offshore, defence, robotics and many other sectors.

We move and lift heavy loads where forklifts and mobile cranes cannot reach: through standard doorways, on soft or uneven ground and indoors. Battery-electric drive, low ground pressure tracks and precise remote control let one operator work safely in confined spaces, emission-free and quiet.

Products and Services Offered:

- Mini and spider cranes from 550 to 9,000 kg lifting capacity.
- The TC-line of fully electric tracked carriers, with platform, turntable, lifting scissor and rail attachments.
- Dealer training, service, spare parts and application support.

Unique Selling Points:

- Fully electric and remote controlled: emission-free, quiet and safe to operate indoors and in confined spaces.
- Compact by design: passes through standard doorways and works on soft or uneven ground thanks to low ground pressure tracks.
- Developed, built and supported in Barneveld, with a dealer network covering 18 countries.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Distribution and service partners, OEM and system integration partners in rail, industry and defence, and end users who move heavy loads in confined spaces.



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Kusters Goumans

Kusters Goumans, a family-owned company in the Netherlands since 1974, has been a trusted partner for reliable mechanical precision components and assemblies for challenging markets:

- Optical / analytical industry
- Semiconductor
- Aerospace
- Medical
- Automation industry

We specialize in manufacturing complex, high precision components from a wide variety of materials ensuring they meet the highest requirements in terms in Quality, Logistics, Technology and Cost efficiency

Our materials expertise includes:

- Non-ferrous: Copper (Cu-OF), CuSn8, Bronze, Brass
- Special Metals: Titanium, Tantalum, Lead
- Stainless Steel & Alloys: Aluminium, Alloy Steel, Supper Alloys (Invar, Kovar, Hastelloy)

Products and Services Offered:

- Production and assembly of High Precision Components
- Radiation shielding: Lead casting and machining
- Cleaning & Assembly in our certified ISO 5-7 cleanroom
- Production of UHV (Ultra High Vac) Components

Unique Selling Points:

- In-house casting, machining, cleaning and surface treatments (painting) of Lead parts
- Experienced with a variety of (exotic) materials in combination with cleaning and assembly
- High mix, high complexity, low volume

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for companies (OEMs / Tier-1suppliers) in advanced manufacturing, semiconductors, analytical/optical systems, aerospace, medical technology and defence, seeking a long-term partner for complex, recurring precision parts and cleanroom-ready (sub)assemblies.

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MAG45

MAG45 is a global supply integrator with over 75 years of experience. We are headquartered in the Netherlands and have local hubs across Europe (incl. Czech Republic), Asia and the USA.

We serve and support our international partners in High-Tech, Medtech and Industrial Manufacturing for decades and we share the manufacturing DNA. We know what manufacturers need.

Managing over 7,000 suppliers and a 9/10 client satisfaction score, we have an average partnership tenure of 25+ years.

For our partners, we operate as a strategic integrated partner, taking ownership of non-strategic supply ensuring resilience and savings in the Total Cost of Ownership.

Within this partnership we support strategic opportunities to grow, relocate, innovate, and becoming more compliant and sustainable. We solve challenges such as a fragmented supply base, a high administrative workload, limited visibility and control, production and procurement teams not able to focus on core activities or high risk of supply chain disruptions.

Products and Services Offered

A truly integrated supply chain model

- Item & supplier consolidation and management
- Vendor Management Inventory solutions (Stock at Hand, Vending machines)
- Kitting solutions

Unique Selling Points

- Brand-independent integrator
- Global setup with local execution
- Proven 75+ years' track record
- Long-term strategic supply partner
- Continuous improvement programs

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for machine builders or contract manufacturers that want to get in control and get more value from their (global) non-strategic supply.

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Royal NLR

Royal Netherlands Aerospace Centre (NLR) has been an ambitious applied research organisation for over 100 years, driven to make aerospace more sustainable, safer, efficient and effective through innovation. To that end, we offer specific, innovative solutions and technical expertise. We do this for instance at NLR's state-of-the-art research infrastructure and field labs, simulators and wind tunnels. NLR works in an objective and independent manner, for and with (inter)national industry and government.

NLR contributes to a safer and more sustainable society while strengthening the competitive position of the Dutch industry. Using this approach, NLR plays a pivotal role between science, industry and government at home and abroad, bridging the gap between fundamental research and practical applications. In the field of aerospace, we are the strategic partner of the Dutch government and Defence, and whether we work for SMEs or large international companies, our commitment is the same for every project. Together with our partners, we contribute to shaping the fascinating world of tomorrow.

Products and Services Offered:

Royal NLR conducts research and develops knowledge and technological solutions for applications in aerospace & defence.

Areas of expertise are:

- Aircraft Operation and Certification
- Air traffic management and Airport operations
- Construction and Manufacturing
- Data Science and Engineering
- Defence and Security
- Maintenance and Repair
- Platform technology and system design
- Safety and Human performance
- Space technology
- Sustainability and Environment
- Training and Simulation

Unique Selling Points:

- Royal NLR is strategic partner for NL Government & Defence
- Global player with Dutch roots
- Covering the entire development chain
- Multi-disciplinary knowledge
- State-of-the-art facilities
- EASA Qualified Entity
- Innovative, Engaged and Practical

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Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for companies and governments that might be interested in expanding their business from Czech Republic to the Netherlands and vice versa.



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TNO

TNO is the leading Dutch non-profit research organization founded by law to create impactful innovations for the sustainable wellbeing and prosperity of society. With over 4000 key experts from multiple disciplines TNO delivers trusted independent results and pioneers applied science and technology in the fields of Defence, IT, Industry, Health, Energy and Built environment.

NXTGEN Hightech

NXTGEN is one of the biggest (1bln euros) public-private R&D programs currently running in the high-tech sector in the Netherlands. Its goal is to develop new products and technologies that can enter the market and create the next generation of equipment. NXTGEN focuses on the application domains (biomedical, semicon, lasersatcom, energy, composites, agrifood) with two cross-cutting enablers (Systems Engineering & Smart Industry). More than 350 partners ranging from startups, SMEs, MidCaps to multinationals and research institutes participate.

Unique Selling Points:

On this mission, Jeroen combines his expertise from IT, high-tech industry and defence to bridge the gap from technology to business value and brings his knowledge of the Dutch manufacturing ecosystem.

Products and Services Offered:

- Digital Product Passport for remanufacturing, trading of return goods, Green Steel and material passports
- Autonomous Factory for flexible single-piece-flow manufacturing
- Cognitive Robotics for dynamic handling of products without reprogramming
- AI tools for: automated work instruction generation, capture of expert knowledge, direct CAD to assembly instructions
- Dutch manufacturing standard for shopfloor data based on UNS/OPC-UA: machine interaction, MES, AI and process flow.
- Data space for Supply chain exchange of purchase to order information, CAD data, stock / planning and more, based on the successful Smart Connected Supply Chain initiative.
- Composites: production technology (3D printing, automated ply and tape placemen), parts for civil and military applications, lightweighting as a service, recycling

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for companies that want to:

- Adopt Dutch standards / best practices from smart industry
- Buy Dutch high-tech manufacturing equipment or parts
- Discover opportunities for future collaborations



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Value Creation Capital

Value Creation Capital is a Venture Capital firm based in The Netherlands. The focus is investing in Precision Technology: high tech and specifically in optics and advanced sensors and domain specific AI. Target markets are the industry, semicon, defence and medical research. The ambition to create European Champions in Precision Technology by funding and an active buy & build strategy. Selecting companies from late Seed and Series A and fund them in Series B and C.

Products and Services Offered:

- Funding companies from 1 – 15 million euro..
- Access to an active network of peer companies in Precision Technology, Domain Experts and co-investors.
- VCC offers a growth methodology that supports companies in their journey.

Unique Selling Points:

- Real focus on Precision technology with relevant network and track record.
- VCC has invested in more than 50 companies and 18 companies are already exited.
- VCC is an active investor that has a multi-disciplinary team of experts.

Profile of Commercial Contacts Wanted

Looking for companies that operate within Precision Technology that look for funding, collaboration and/or growth opportunities.

Partners



Koninklijke Metaalunie

Koninklijke Metaalunie is the largest Dutch employers' organization for small and medium-sized enterprises active in the metal industry. The more than 15,000 affiliated members offer work to approximately 180,000 employees and jointly represent a turnover of more than 35 billion euros.



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Our members are known for their innovative manufacturing processes and high-quality products ranging from the smallest parts to the most high-tech machinery. Dutch industrial SME's supply machinery, parts and equipment, electronics, engineering, welding and construction work, tools and maintenance, trade and service for mainly the manufacturing, automotive, transport, building, medical, defence and agricultural industry.

Metaalunie supports its member by enforcing a strong industry lobby in the Netherlands and within Europe. Metaalunie also support their members individually with a large range of activities such as helping them to expand into new markets.



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For this trade mission, TRANSFER has been appointed by the Dutch government to organise the matchmaking. This is done in close collaboration with the mission organisation team, which includes the Netherlands Enterprise Agency (RVO) and the Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Prague.

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- Export Sales Increase
- Cross border Business Development
- Partner Selection
- Trade Missions & Matchmaking
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