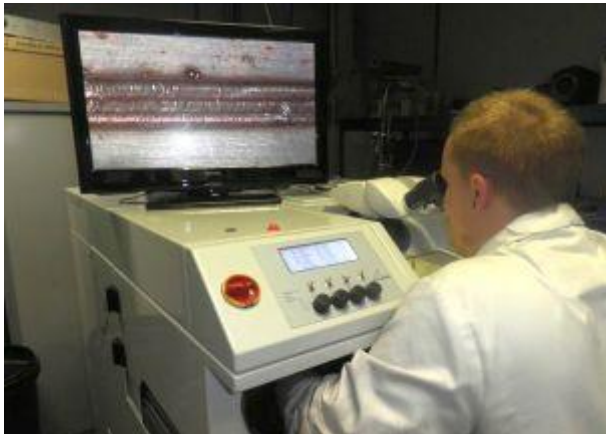


## ND adds more staff and MRP



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### **Barnstaple-based ND Precision Products is taking on new staff and investing in MRP software and more CNC machines to meet increased demand.**

Now celebrating its 40<sup>th</sup> year in business the company manufactures injection and compression mould tools, multistage progression press tooling, complex fixtures and precision machined components.

The three new staff have joined from nearby TE Connectivity (formally Tyco Electronics) to cope with the demand for its precision engineering services and has also invested in PSL Datatrack production control MRP software.

Additional CNC machining technology is being assessed to further enhance efficiencies.

Managing director, Nick Squire, says: "From a complex multi cavity mould tool to a simple punch and die set, every enquiry we receive is given a thorough review, and we will often go the extra mile to ensure we offer the customer an effective solution at the right price. We have even invested in laser marking and heat treatment equipment to address customers' requirements."

The company also operates a subcontract laser etching and welding service, with a laser welder that can accept workpieces up to 350kg.

The company believes that expanding into new markets has been a key factor in its success, and it says it was the first UK toolmaker to exhibit in Russia.

Mr Squire says: "We took the opportunity to exhibit at a Russian mould and tool show, where we presented examples of the solutions we had developed for a number of our customers. It was extremely well received and we have quoted on a number of projects of various sizes since the event."

Accredited to ISO 9001, ND Precision Products is a member of the GTMA and WEAFF (West of England Aerospace Forum).