



BMW ORACLE Racing have selected CMS machining centres

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CMS Industries is very proud to announce its sponsorship collaboration as Official Supplier of BMW ORACLE Racing, a relationship which began in 2008 with the supply of a CNC machining centre for the manufacture of composite-material boat parts, an important tool in the high-tech carbon fibre construction of racing yachts.

The association with BMW ORACLE Racing has enhanced CMS's leading role in the racing field. The number of racing vehicles with composite parts being machined on CMS machining centres is steadily increasing with the company's growing presence in sports applications from racing bicycles to F1 car components.

Giulio Gasparini, CMS Area Manager, said in announcing the Official Supplier program: "Our machine's technical features, the price / performance ratio but also CMS company's soundness and reputation in the machining of composite materials, especially in racing applications, have been the key factors enabling CMS to win their competition with other suppliers. CMS stands by BMW ORACLE Racing ready to provide their products and support in order to win together."

Tim Smyth, the co-construction manager of BMW ORACLE Racing, explains why the team has chosen the CMS machine: "Americas Cup Yachts employ the latest technology in materials and construction processes. CNC produced Tools and finished parts are one of the most significant advances in Yacht construction over the past decade and they now play a crucial role in our build program."

"To produce these components quickly and to preserve our design innovations it is important to possess your own CNC machines. We have used CMS machines extensively throughout the past two editions of the Americas Cup through the services of subcontractors, and based on their performance we choose CMS to supply our first machine in 2009."



About BMW Oracle Racing

Founded in 2000 by team owner American Larry Ellison, the professional sailing team's main focus is to win the America's Cup. BMW ORACLE Racing represents the Golden Gate Yacht Club of San Francisco and is based in Valencia, Spain.

The team's composite boat construction expertise is also available for non-team projects through Oracle Racing Ltd in Warkworth, NZ.

About CMS Industries

Founded in 1969, CMS SpA is the head of CMS Industries, a brand name that brings together 3 companies, has reached a turnover of 100 millions Euros, with 4 subsidiaries and a worldwide sales network.

CMS Industries products, CNC machining centres, thermoforming machines, CNC cutting robots, waterjet systems, compete to produce space shuttles, military and civil aircrafts, competition and road vehicles, yachts, wind power generators, joining together processing quality and precision, studied technology based on the customer's needs, able to cover several production phases, but also optimized for every single process.



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