



# **Innovation in Metallurgical Production**

## *Introduction*



- 1 Teaching methods & final examination
- 2 Programme of the course
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- 5 Scenario
- 6 Objectives
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## - *Active Lectures* (in English)

Monday: 8.30-10.00 - Room VM19

Thursday: 12.30-14.00 - Room VM19

## - *Active class at industrial plants*



- Zoom meeting: Summary of lectures / Forum / Questions (English/Italian)  
by appointment (<https://unipd.zoom.us/j/4137633677>)

- *Examination* (in Italian or English as preferred)

Oral sessions: Jan-Feb / Jun-July / Sept





IMP - Programme

1

Material, Design & Properties

*The optimization cycle, Material-Process-Design, The obsolescence of Materials and Technology*

**Material selection**

2

Criteria for material & process selection

*Materials, Processes and their attributes, Materials Properties Chart, Material Indices*

3

Steel production & transformation

*From Blast Furnace to ULCOS Project, from traditional EAF to Siemens Innovations, twin-roll casting & horizontal continuous casting*

**Steelmaking**





**Foundry industry**

4

**Innovative Foundry Processes**

*Ablation technology, HQcast, SSR, SLC, RSF, MCcast, Squeeze casting, Counter pressure processes*

5

**Innovative Al foundry alloys**

*Ductile alloys for safety & structural components, impurities and trace elements, Rheinfelden, Hydro, Alcan alloys, The die life*



Date	Topic
Mon 03-Oct	Introduction
Thur 06-Oct	Material, Design and Properties
Mon 10-Oct	Material, Design and Properties
Thur 13-Oct	The design process for material selection
Mon 17-Oct	The material index
Mon 24-Oct	The design process for process selection
Thur 27-Oct	Steel production and transformation
Thur 03-Nov	Direct reduction route for steel production
Mon 07-Nov	Primary steel route production
Thur 10-Nov	Primary steel route production
Mon 14-Nov	Secondary steel route production
Thur 17-Nov	Secondary steel route production



Date	Topic
Mon 21-Nov	Refining processes of steel
Thur 24-Nov	Casting operations of steel
Mon 28-Nov	Casting operations of steel
Thur 01-Dec	Innovative aluminium foundry alloys
Mon 05-Dec	Innovative aluminium foundry alloys
Mon 12-Dec	Conventional foundry processes
Thur 15-Dec	Innovative foundry processes
Mon 19-Dec	Innovative foundry processes
<b>Tues 20-Dec</b>	<b>Visit at Siderforgerossi Group SpA</b>
Thur 22-Dec	Concluding remarks



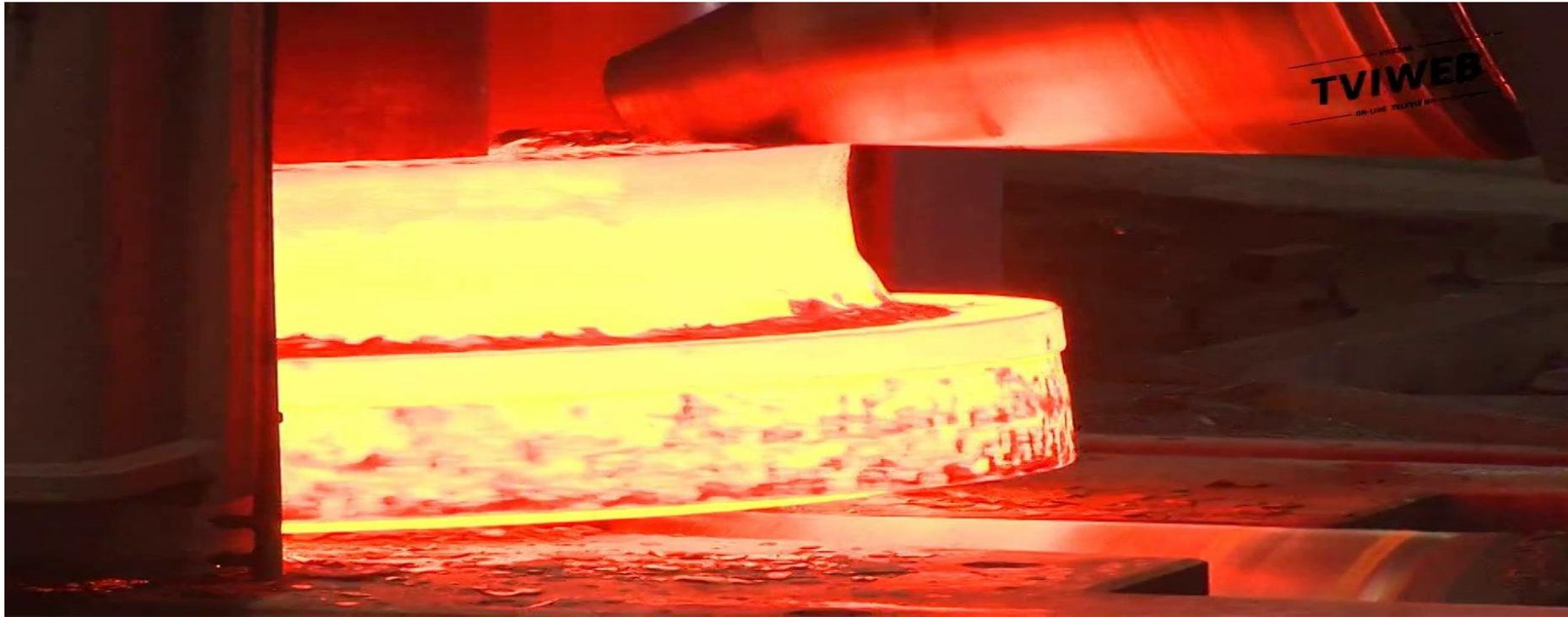
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Visita aziendale: 20/12/2022

Durata visita: 14.30 – 18.00

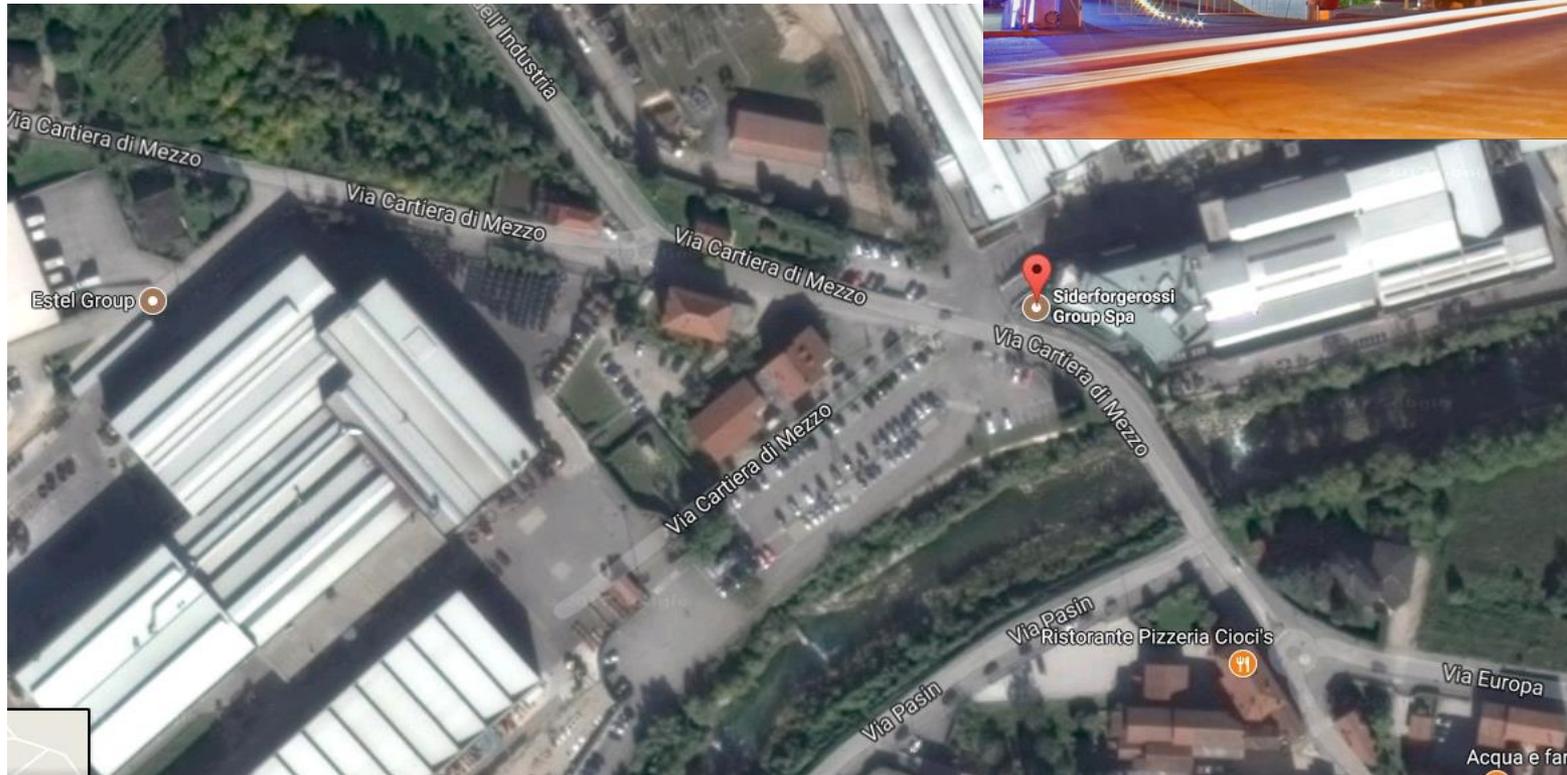
Meeting point: v.le Stadio, Vicenza  
(fermata autobus) ore 13.00





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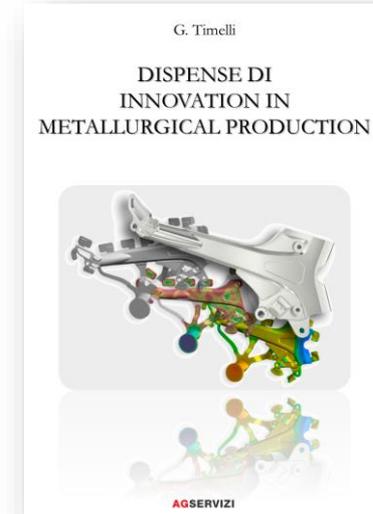
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## Reference Book

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## Other Books/websites:

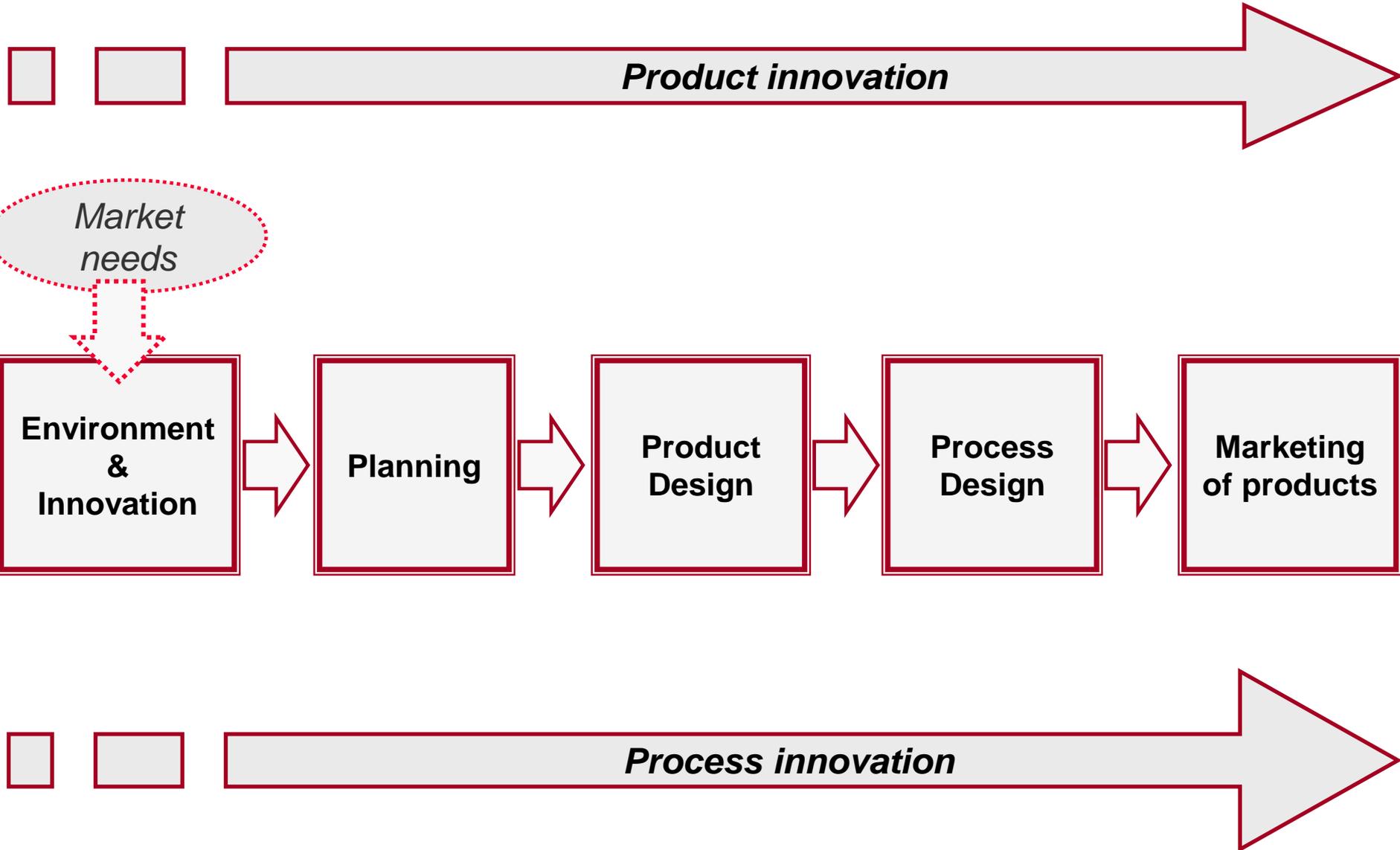
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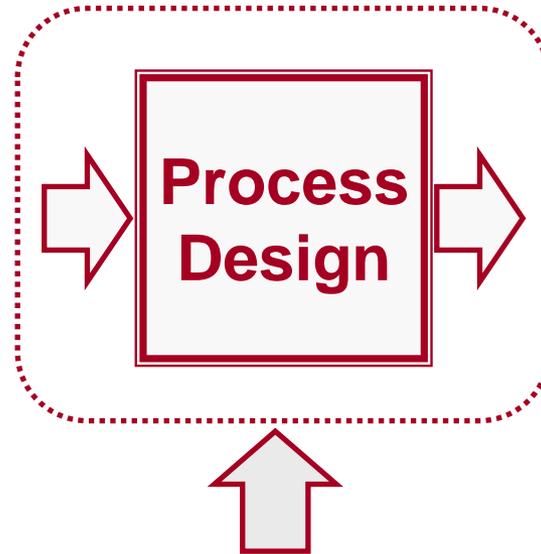


- Inside the projects with Italian or EU companies
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- Inside DTG laboratories
- Inside the projects with EU, US Universities
- Inside Erasmus projects
- Inside Erasmus +
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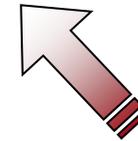
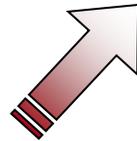


1. Ottimizzazione del processo produttivo di leghe primarie d'alluminio (*Azienda, Sunndalsøra - Norway*)
2. Assessment the recyclability of complex aluminum scraps (*Azienda/Università - Norway*)
3. Correlazione tra processo fusorio e qualità in leghe leggere (*Azienda, Essen - Germany*)
4. Leghe innovative secondarie per sistemi frenanti (*Azienda/Università, Sweden*)
5. Sviluppo di trattamenti termochimici per dischi freno per applicazioni racing (*Azienda/Università, Mapello - BG*)
6. Sviluppo e ottimizzazione di leghe innovative per ruote in lega leggera per applicazioni racing (*Azienda, Palosco - BG*)
7. Minimizzazione di difetti da riempimento nella produzione di componenti automotive colati in LPPM (*Azienda, Dello - BS*)
8. Ottimizzazione dei trattamenti di inoculazione per ruote in lega leggera (*Azienda, Dello - BS*)





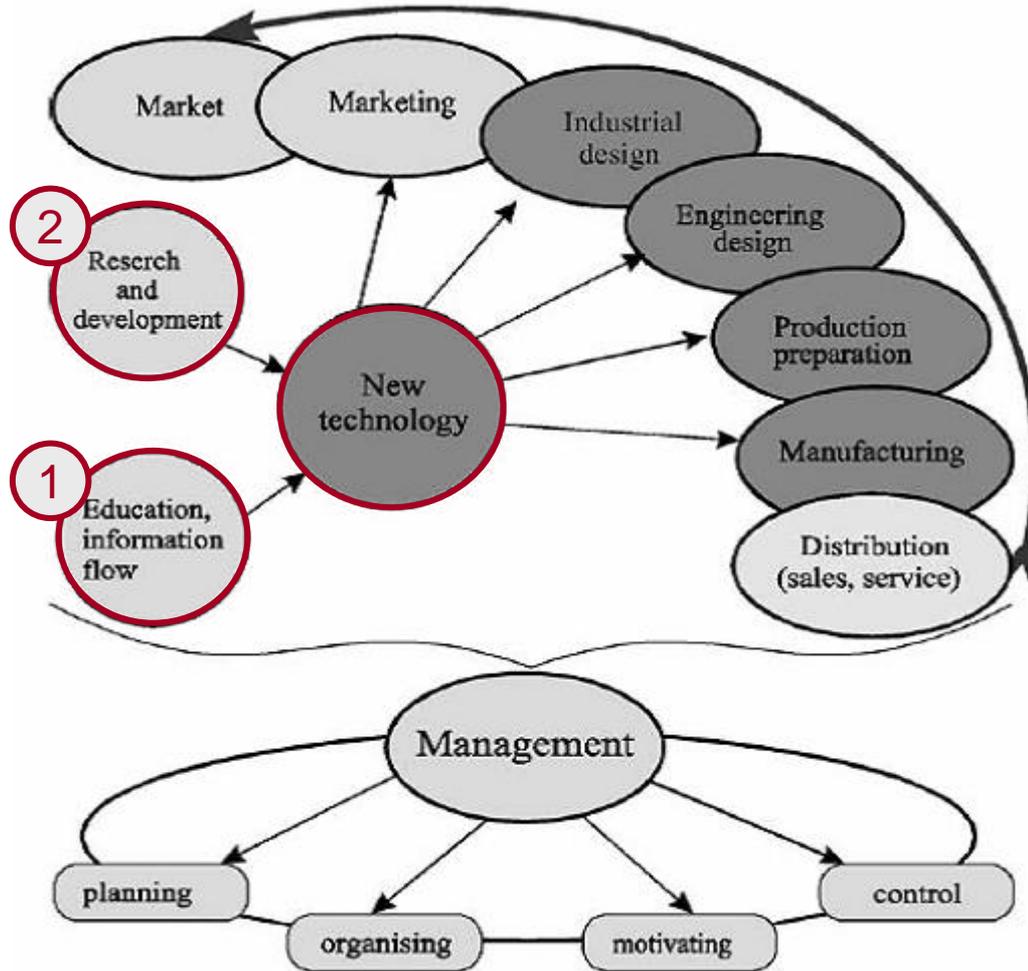
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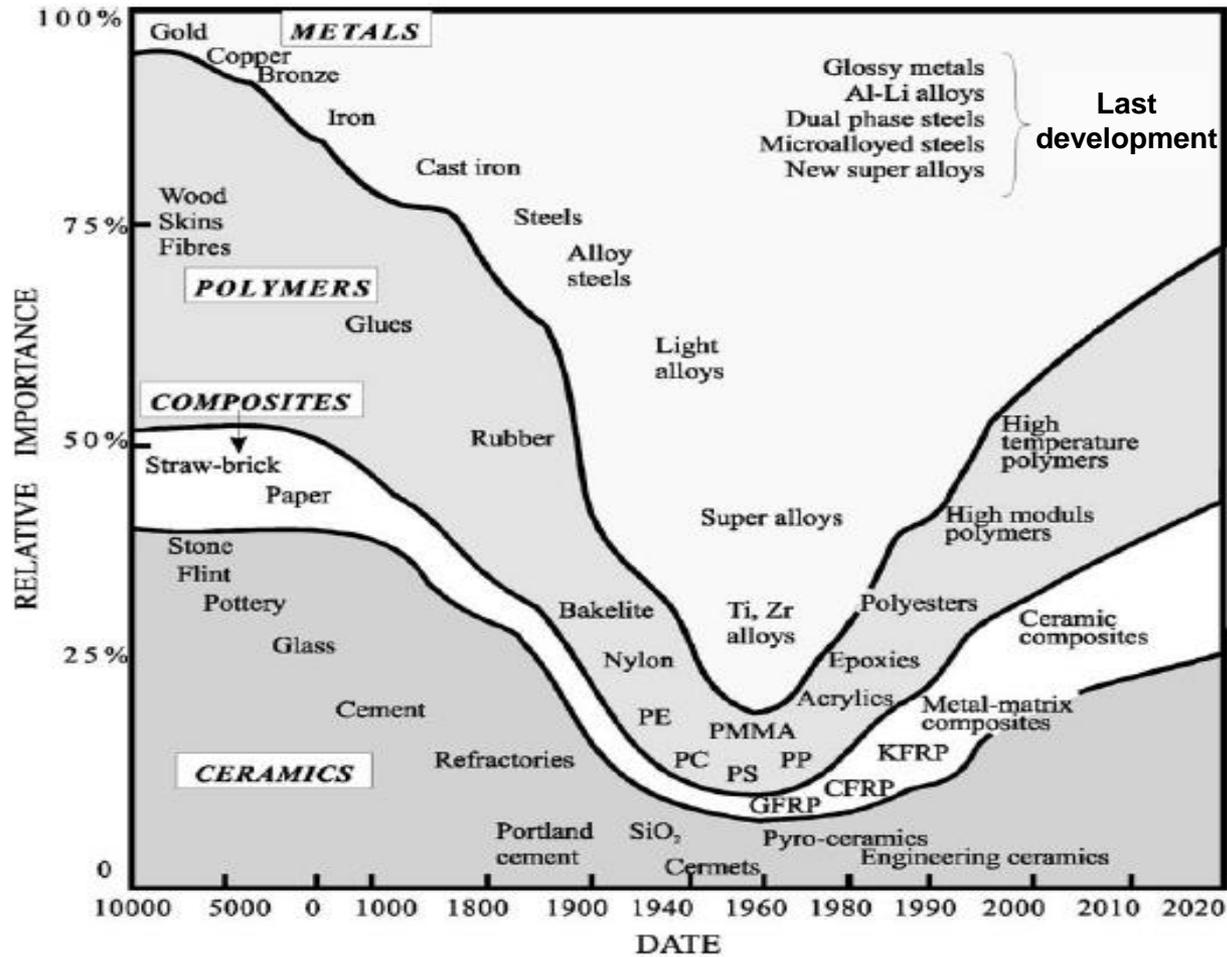


Steelmaking &  
Foundry technologies

Metallic Materials







The material development has been always brought by *innovative processes*

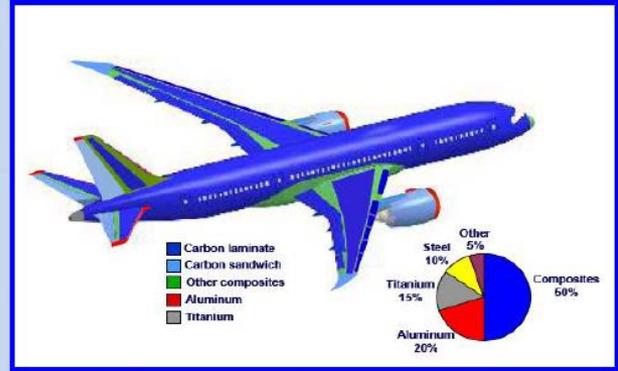
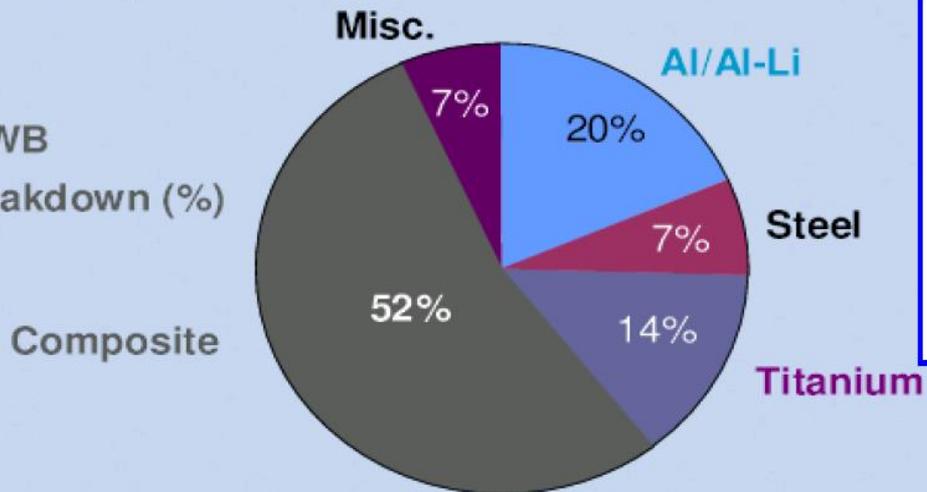




**A350 XWB puts the right material in the right place!**

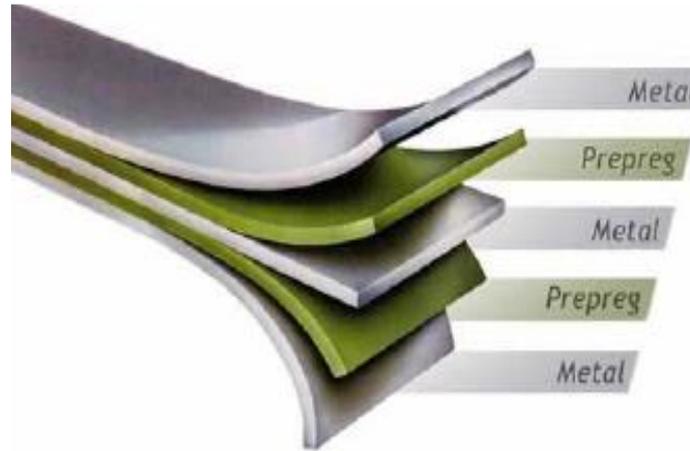


**A350-900 XWB  
Material Breakdown (%)**  
Including Landing Gear



G. Hellard, Airbus, 4/2007



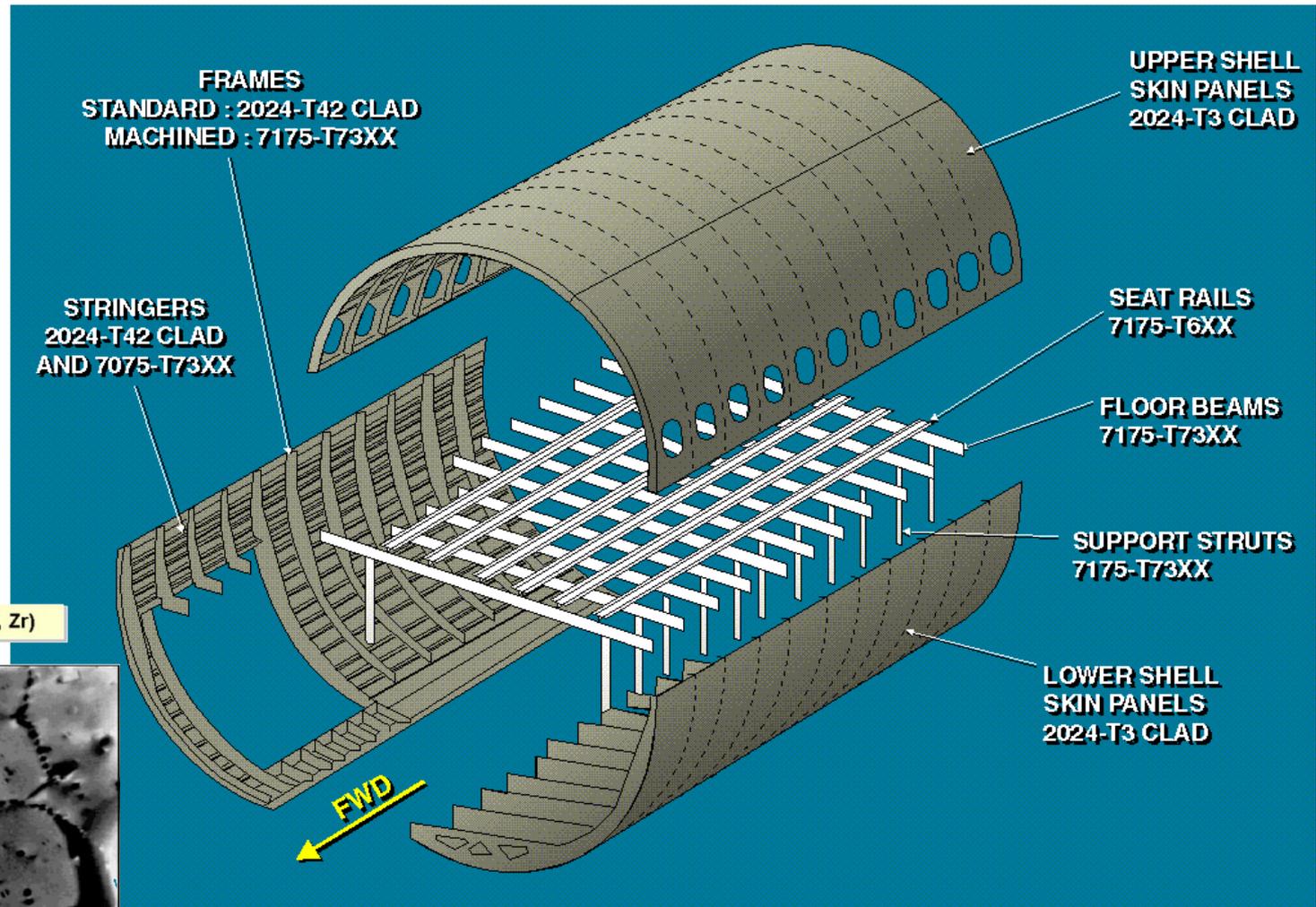


**GLARE:**  
Glass Laminate  
Aluminium Reinforced  
Epoxy  
(composite-Al alloy)

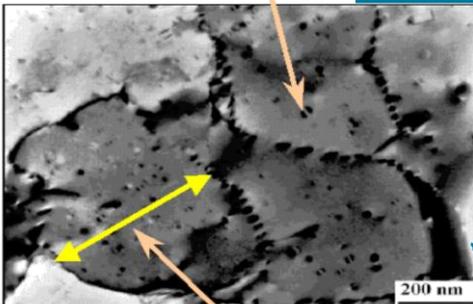
## Applications:

- Fuselage panels
- Leading edges
- Floor panels

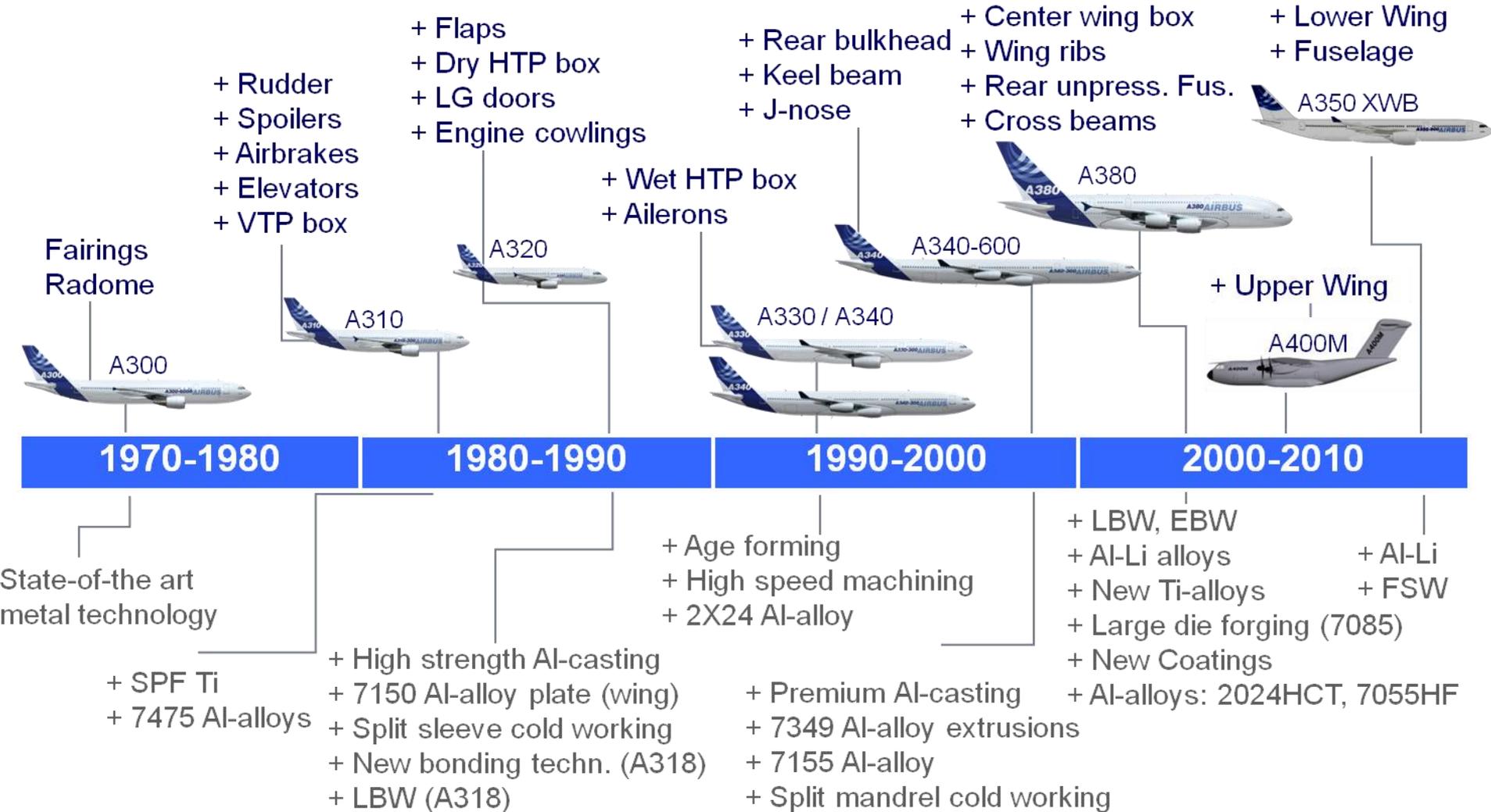


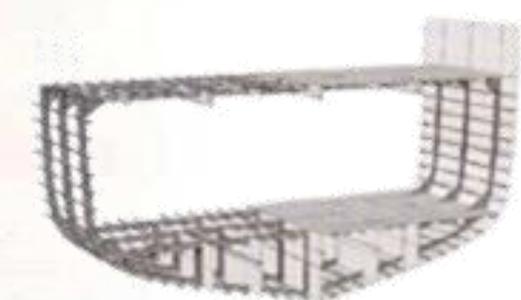


particles  $Al_3(Sc, Zr)$



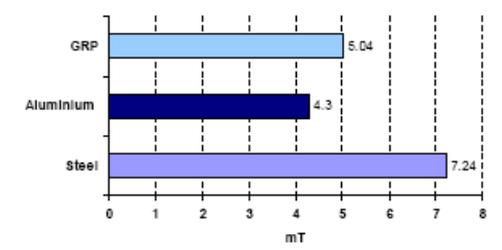
subgrain diameter  $0.5 \mu m$





- Length : 46.2m
- Max width : 8.7m
- Speed : 18 knots

Weight central hull module 5.4m long



- With Aluminium 37% weight saving on hull

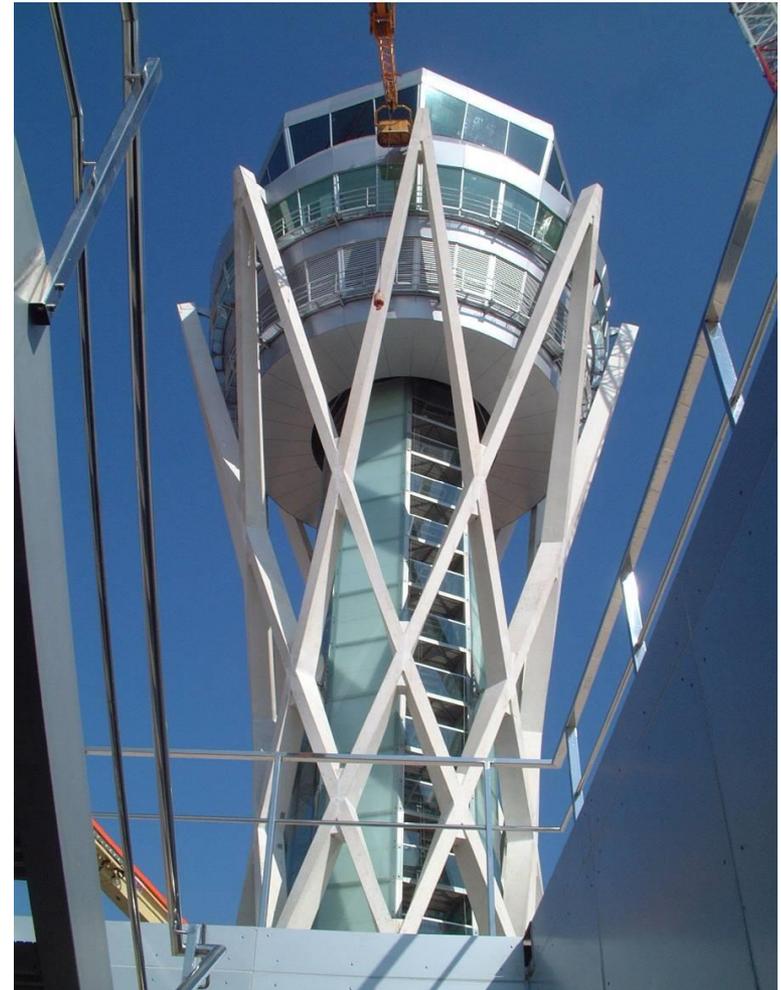
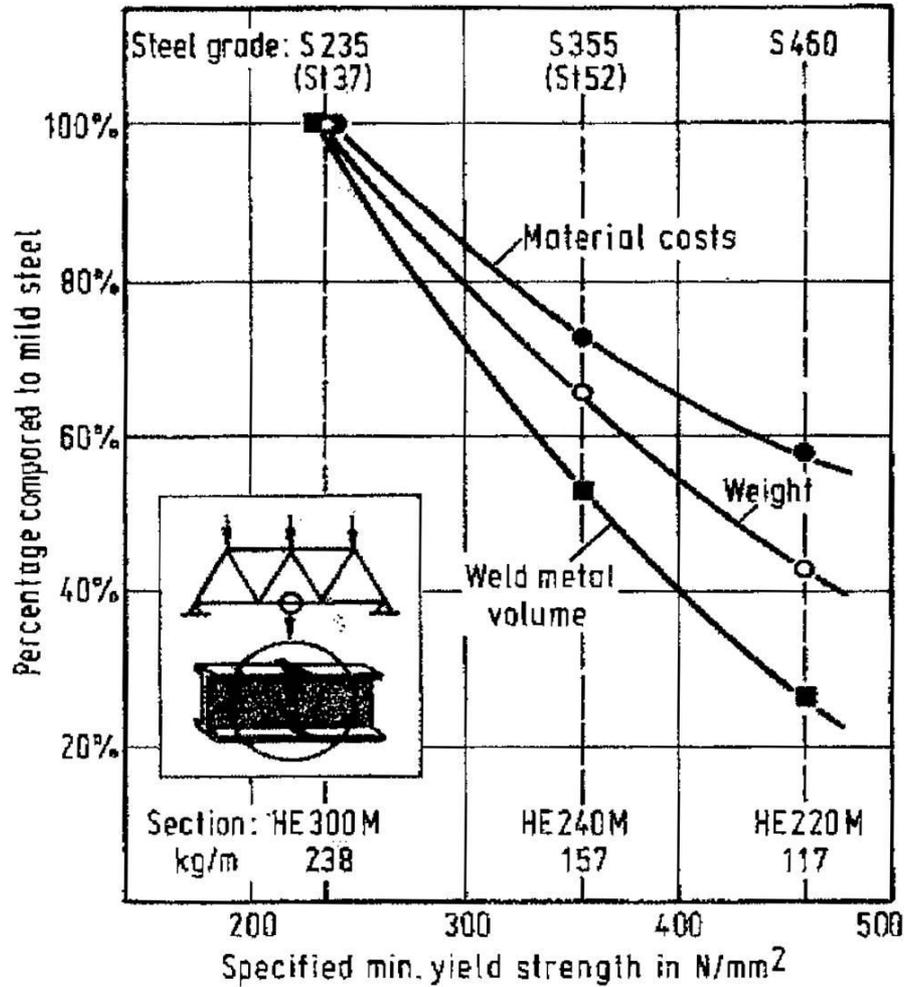


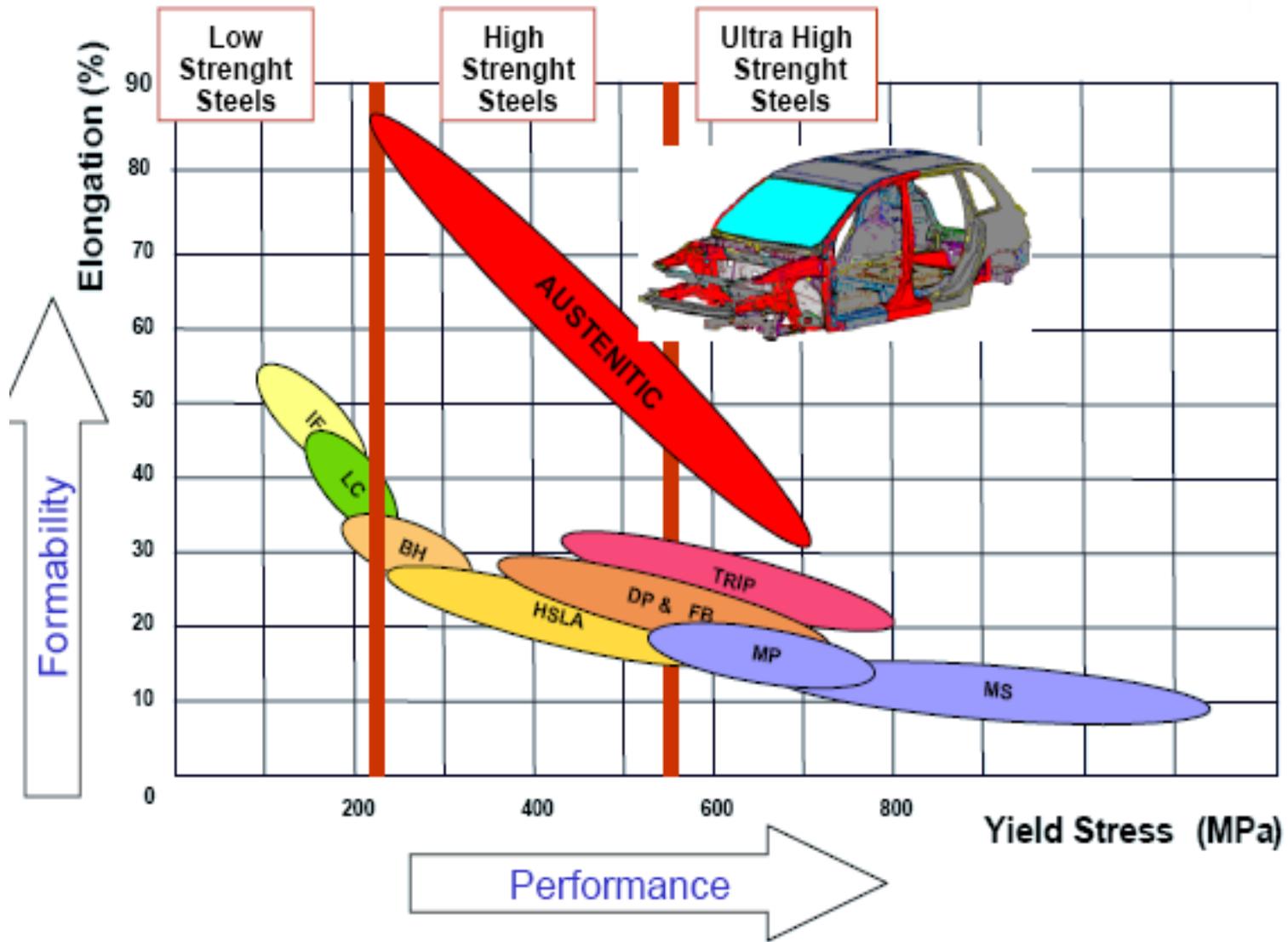


Shipbuilding Material	$\gamma [daN/m^3]$	$\sigma_t [N/mm^2]$	$\sigma_y [N/mm^2]$	$E [N/mm^2]$	$\sigma_t / \gamma [mm^4]$	$E / \gamma [mm^4]$
Construction steel A,B,D,E	7800	450	235	206000	5.80	2641
High strength steel AH32, DH32, EH32, FH32	7800	570	315	206000	7.3	2641
AH36, DH36, EH36, FH36	7800	630	355	206000	8.07	2641
AH40, DH40, EH40, FH40	7800	660	390	206000	8.5	2641
AlMg5083 H321	2700	310	215	70000	11.48	2593
AlMg5083 H321 welded	2700	280	168	70000	10.37	2593
AlMg5083 H111	2700	290	125	70000	10.74	2593
AlSi6061 T5/T6	2700	260	240	70000	9.63	2593
AlSi6082 T5/T6	2700	310	260	70000	1.48	2593
GRP	1550	190		13000	12.25	839
Wood	750	90		12500	12	1666

- GRP mechanical properties are variable according to lamination combinations.
- Wood is still a valid alternative for boats (yachts) up to 20-22m long









**Bachelor's  
degree  
in Industrial  
Engineering**



Chemistry & Metallic  
Materials



Basic knowledge:  
materials science and  
principal metal alloys

**Degree in  
Industrial  
Engineering**



Metallurgical Industrial  
Applications



Main metallurgical  
processes



Innovation in Metallurgical  
Production



Rule of *innovation* inside  
the *metallurgical industry*

**Capability of Managing  
Production & Innovation  
into Engineering Industry**



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