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ABB Robotics - Customer Day 2013

How to paint your products with easy-to-use, cost effective and flexible solutions?

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ABB Robotics Paint

Passion for painting



- ABB Robotics Paint - Norway
 - Responsible for the development of coating robot systems



- ABB Robotics Paint - China
 - Responsible for the manufacturing of coating robot systems



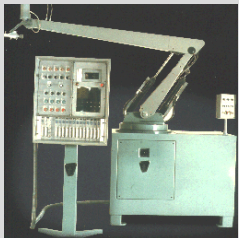
- ABB Atomizer Supply Unit - Japan
 - Responsible for the development and manufacturing of rotary atomizers

1969 - 2013

More than 12000 ABB paint robots - and counting...

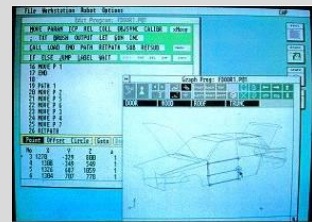
A constantly evolution in paint...

1969



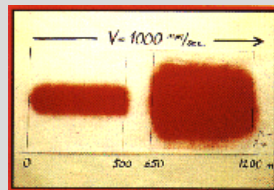
First sale

1985



3D off-line

1989



IPS

2000



Process arm

2008



IRB52 Process int.

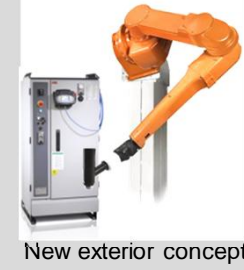


Small painter



Process integration

2010



New exterior concept

2006



S4

1997

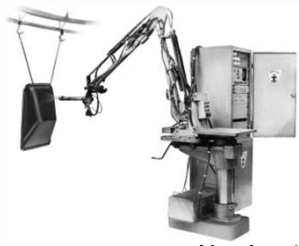


Electrical - C5

1988

1985

1964 - 67



Number 1



TRACS system

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Overview of current products

Paint robots, accessories, components, software



IRB 5500

IRB 5400-22

IRB 580



Rail systems



IRB 5400-12



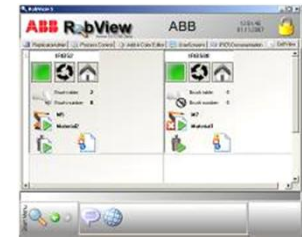
IRB 52



IRC5P



FlexPaint Pendant



RobView 5

Powered by IPS™



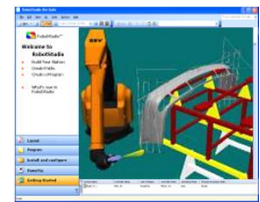
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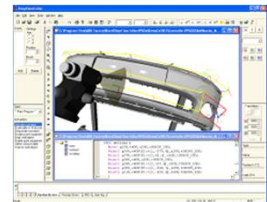
IRB 5310



IRB 5350



RobotStudio
Paint



ShopFloor Editor/
3D Program Editor



RB1000



EXT



CBS



RB031PC



RB625



Pump



Color-changer



Air control



2K mixer



IRB 5320



What is a Paint Robot

- compared to an Industrial robot

An ABB Paint robot is based upon the solutions and experience from our ABB Industrial robot, adding some unique features for coating applications

- **Motion characteristics** specially tuned for painting
 - Less accuracy (not so important for paint) but “smooth” movement
 - Pose repeatability Paint Robot 0,15-0,30 mm (Industrial 0,01-0,19 mm)
- **Paint PC tools and TPU dedicated** for the Painting process
 - RobotWare Paint software and PC tools, RobView5, RobotStudio with Painting PowerPac, ShopFloor Editor
 - TPU- Paint teach pendant



- **Explosion proof design**



What is a Paint Robot

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- **Dedicated Painting wrist**, straight design hollow wrist for limited wear of process hosing
- **Real Integrated Process Control**
 - **Process equipment integrated** into the manipulator and the control system – result in state of the art accuracy between motion and process.
 - **Combined motion** performance **and paint process** performance into a total Paint solution

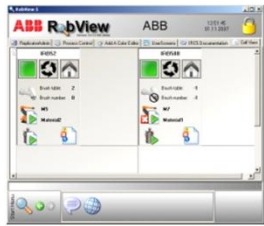


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IRC5P paint robot system

Quality painting made easy



IRC5P Paint robot controller

- A real paint robot controller, built on the same platform as IRC5 Industrial robot controller
- One size cabinet, prepared for adding paint related functions and interfaces

FlexPaint Pendant

- Easy and safe paint robot operation
- Ex certified
- IPS and paint process screens

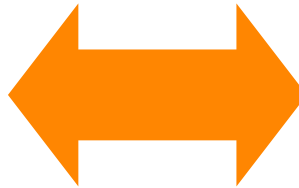
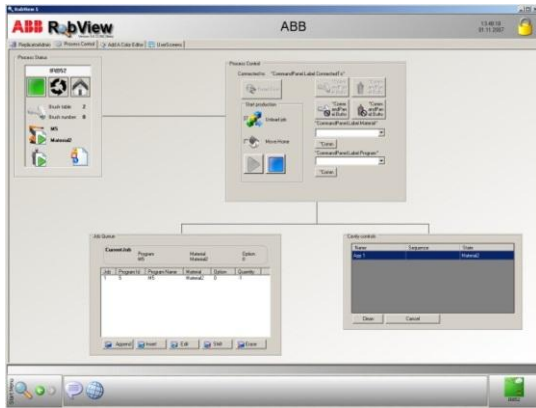
RobView 5

- Paint cell supervision and operation
- Basic version included
- Customized user screens, program visualizer, command screens,

IRC5P

Perfect paint combination

From the office



On the field



RobView

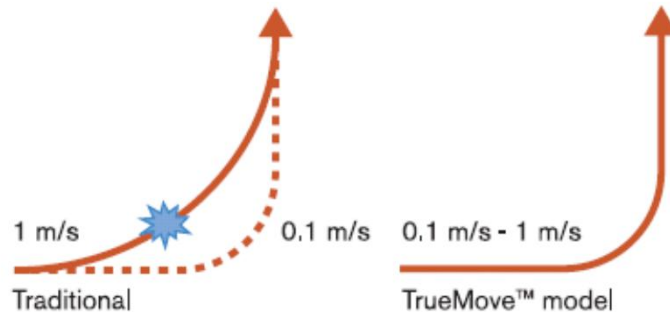
- Manage the paint installation with one or more robots
- Process visualization
- Operation and supervision
- IPS parameter editing

FlexPaint Pendant

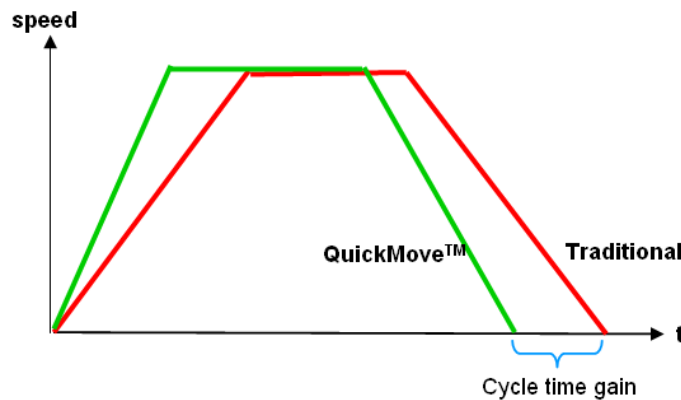
- Test and calibrate the paint process equipment
- Jog and program the robot
- Test the program

IRC5P paint robot system

ABB's superior motion control



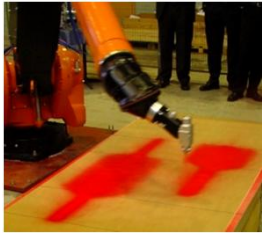
- TrueMove™
 - Ensures that the motion path followed by the robot is the same as the programmed path – regardless of the robot speed



- QuickMove™
 - Minimizes cycle time by maximizing acceleration at every moment
- Result:
 - Shorter programming time
 - Shorter cycle time
 - Superior result

ABB's motion control and ABB's process control

A winning combination



- To achieve perfect results, **process and motion must be perfectly synchronized**
 - IRC5P, with its superior motion control and IPS technology, result in an unmatched, milliseconds accuracy and repeatability for all process control signals
- Customer benefits
 - Precise trigger position
 - Perfect fluid flow control
 - Significant paint savings
 - Optimized cycle time








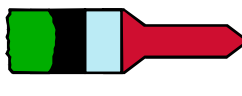



IPS

Full flexibility in paint parameters

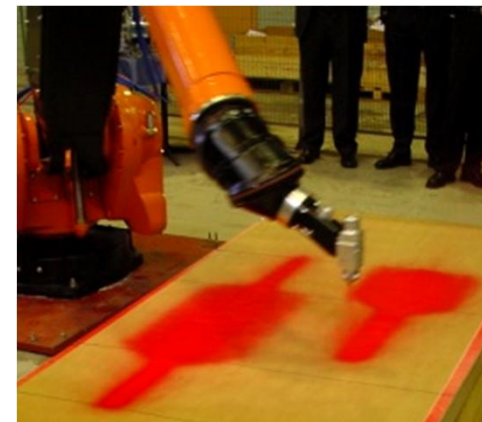


The brush table

A collection of pre-defined brushes, ready to select and use in the paint program

Brush 1:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 2:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 3:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 4:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 5:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 6:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 7:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 8:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	
Brush 9:	Paint flow	Atomizing	Shape air	High voltage	

- Simplified paint programming
- Paint savings



IPS

Paint saving example

Conditions:

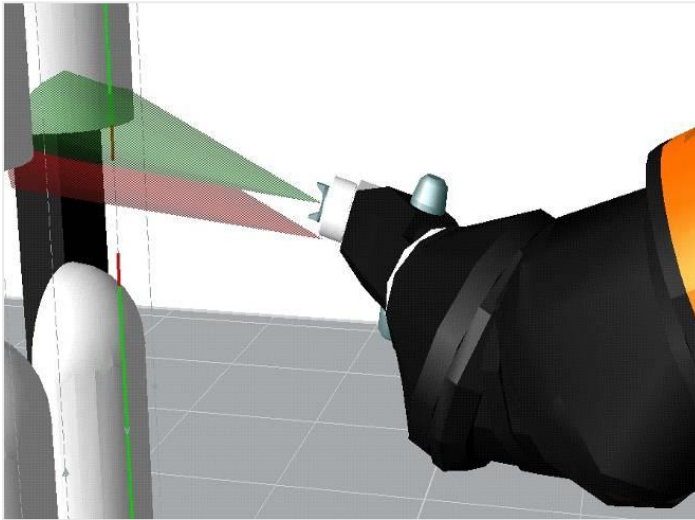
Speed: 1000 mm/sec

Flow: 1000 ml/min

Racks: 46 pr. hour

Parts pr.rack: 4

Shifts: 2

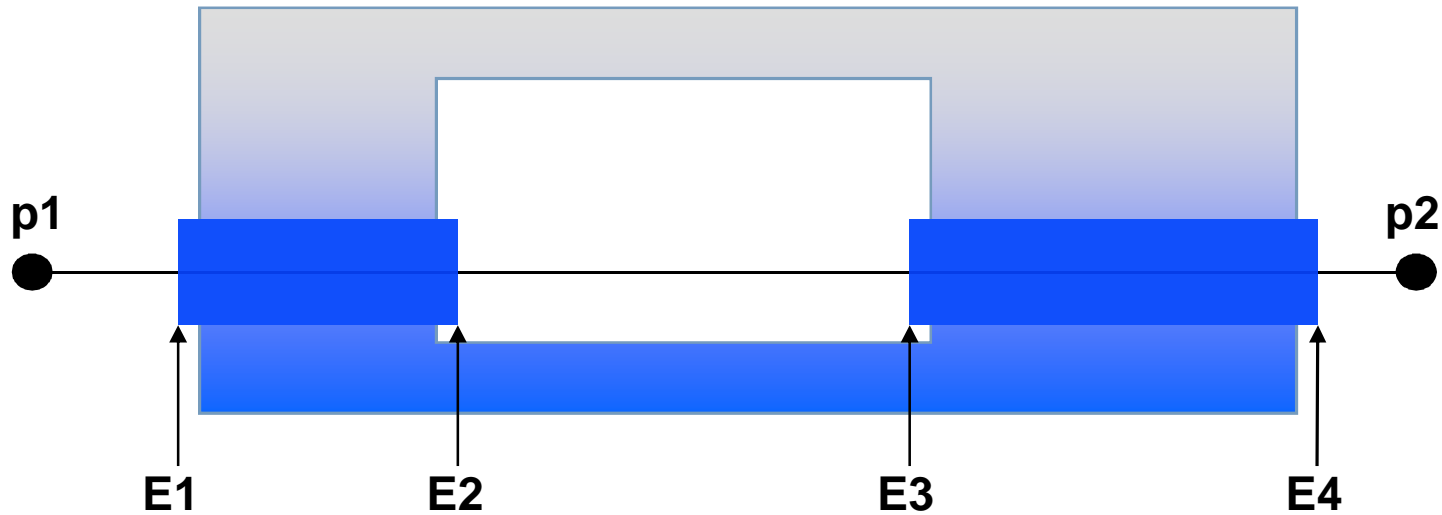


- Minimizing overspray
 - Small adjustments
 - big achievements (Paint saving)
 - Solution: Gun/brush trigger adjustments
- Example from an existing installation:
 - An adjustment of 2 cm for the gun triggering points of a typical paint program can save you 14 liters per day for one robot only
 - 14 liters x 7 € = 98 €
x 260 days ~ 25,000 € / year

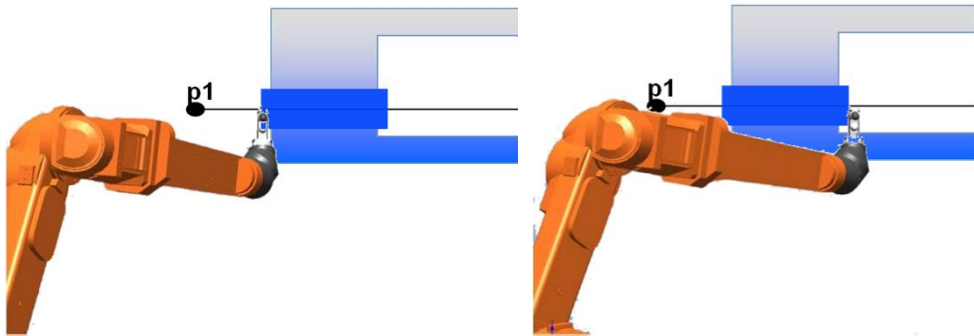
IPS

Flexible programming

Up to 10 paint events
between two points



- Easy and fast program optimization
 - Paint events are not attached to programmed robot positions
 - Paint events are moved and edited independently
 - Paint savings - fast!



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ABB Painting Robots

Where do we use them

Small products



IRB 52

A compact painting specialist

Main applications

Medium to small parts painting

Consumer electronics painting

Metal parts painting

General industry painting

Reach: 1.45 m
Wrist load: 7 kg

"Powered by IPS"



Main benefits

- Compact design
 - Small, space saving - large work envelope, two versions: (reach: 1,2m – 1,45m)
 - Smaller spray booths - environment friendly
 - Cost effective
- Flexible
 - Versatile mounting; Floor, inverted, wall and tilted
- Integrated
 - Integrated process system (IPS)
 - Paint savings
- Ease of use with IRC5P

IRB 52

Where used – Application example

Metal parts

White goods

- Cooking top horizontal

High accuracy to reach the thin layer



Painting in mould

Automotive sub suppliers

- Head rests

Flexibility to access in narrow space



Plastic component

Automotive sub suppliers

- Auto Light



IRB 52

Where used – Application example

Plastic components

3C

- Lap top

Speed and accuracy to high productivity



Metal parts

Powder application

- Cocking oven

Flexibility: ready for different application



IRB 52

Where used – Application example

IRB 52 with Tracking

Flexibility for different solution



IRB 52 – wall mounted



IRB 5320

Work piece positioner for Paint

Flexible solution when:

- Not enough space available
- Flexible production
- Different batches



IRB 5320 Workpiece positioner

Simplifies the painting process

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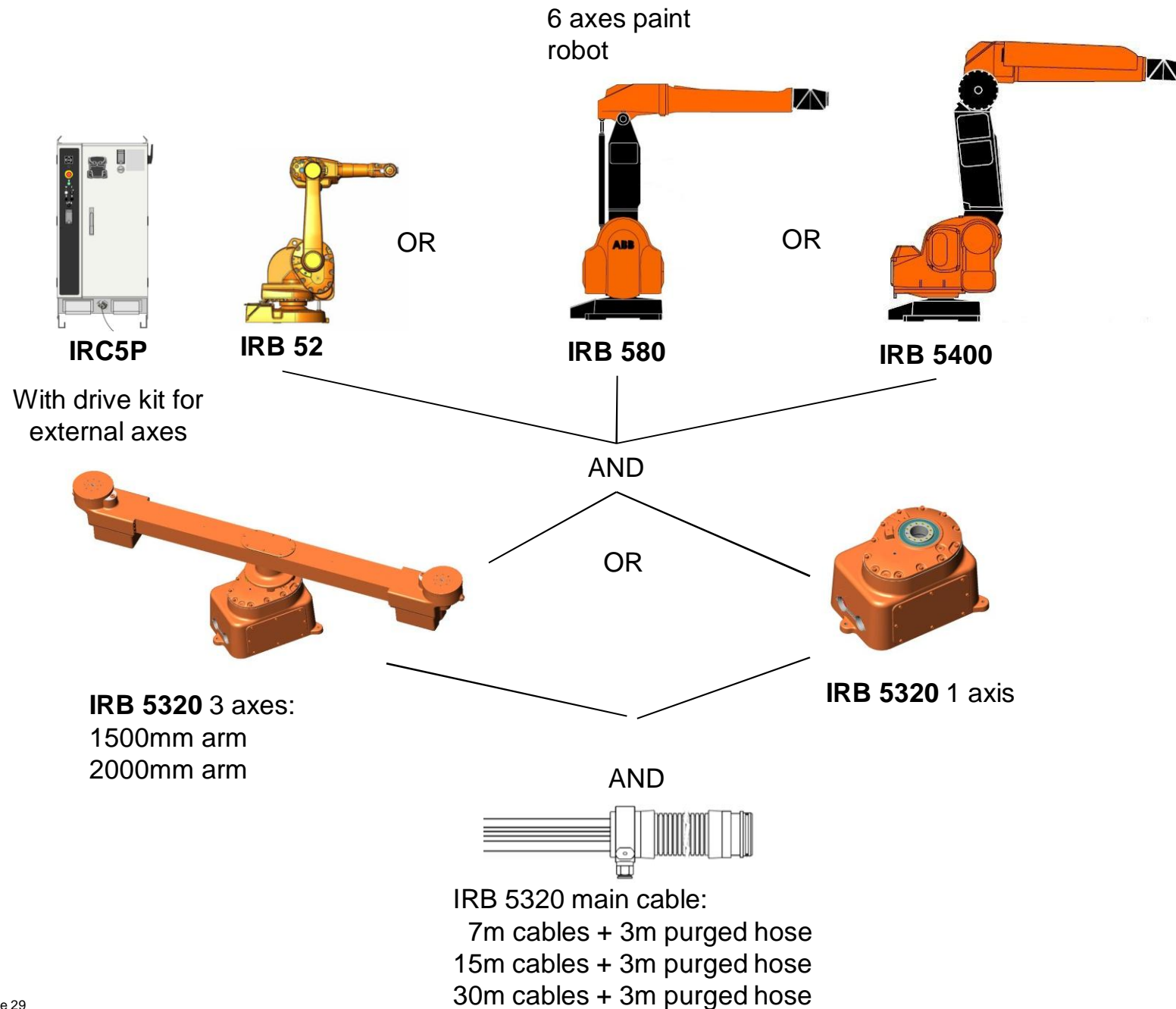
General industry painting

Pay load: 2x25 kg



- Main benefits
 - Cost effective
 - Precision
 - High accuracy
 - High repeatability
 - Flexible
 - Versatile mounting
 - Floor, inverted, wall and tilted
 - Easy integration
 - Higher productivity, loading and unloading during painting
 - Integrated
 - Full integration with ABB paint robots
 - Ease of use with IRC5P
 - Running from the same program as paint robot

IRB 5320 standard delivery scope



General Painting Line Overview

IRB 5320 Turn Table – Application example

IRB 52 + IRB5320

Metal parts

- Chairs

Less space used

High flexibility



IRB 580 + IRB5320

Plastic component

- Automotive sub suppliers



Medium and big size products



IRB 580

Top model functions - compact design

Main applications

Plastics parts painting

Electronics painting

Automotive parts
painting

General industry
painting

Reach: 2.6 m
Wrist load: 10 kg

"Powered by IPS"



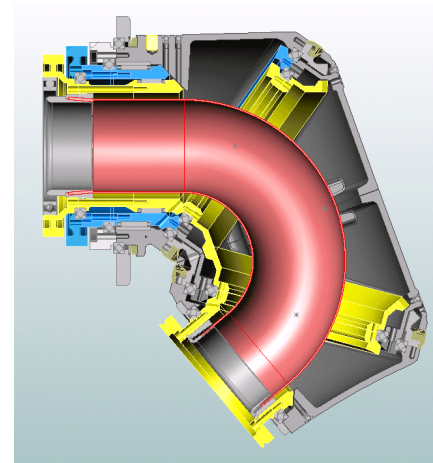
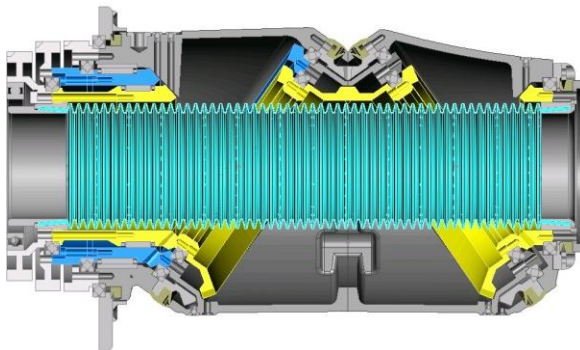
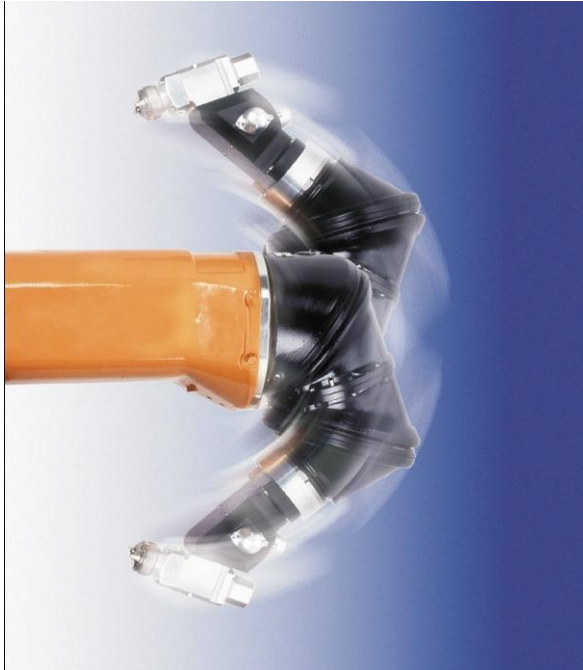
Main benefits

- Cost effective and compact
- Hollow wrist precision painting
- Two horizontal arm lengths
 - 1220mm and 1620mm
 - 1620mm available with paint inlet – application on upper arm
- Available on rail
- Spring counter balanced main axes for reduced energy consumption

IRB 580

Compact design for enhanced performances

The HollowWrist



IRB 580

Where used – Application example

Metal parts

White goods

- Bath tubs

High production volume and process control



Metal parts

White goods component

- Baking pans

Accuracy on paint process control



IRB 580

Where used – Application example

Plastic Parts

Automotive subsuppliers: moulding painting

- Interior plastic part – stop & go ([video](#))
- Exterior plastic parts – moving line ([video](#))

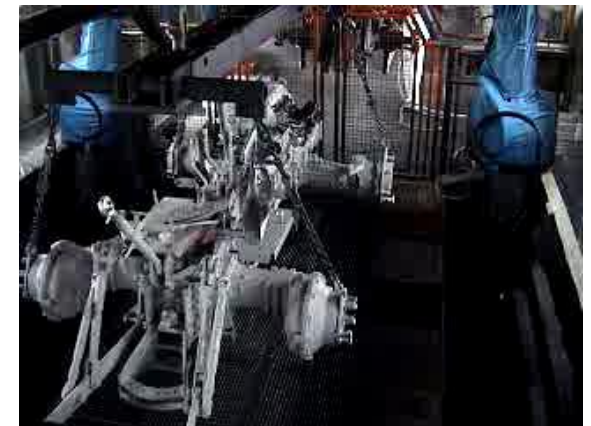


High quality and paint saving with the Process Control

Metal

Agricultural Equipment

- Tractor body with rail



Flexibility: increase working area thanks to the rail

IRB 580

Where used – Application example

Metal parts

3 wheels machine

- Chassis

Moving line and process control to reach narrow area



Metal parts

Powder application

- Fork lift

Working area to clean after spraying



IRB 5400

Slim arm for tight and narrow areas

Main applications

Automotive interior painting

Bumper painting

Large parts painting

- Agricultural
- Yellow goods
- Wood
- Metal frames

Reach: 3.1 m

Wrist load: 25 kg

"Powered by IPS"



- Main benefits
 - Slim
 - Powerful
 - Large work envelope
 - Paint inlet option
- Available also with Process Integration

EU GI Paint Event

IRB 5400 – Application example

Metal parts

Agricultural Machines

- Metal frames

Flexibility and Process control



Wood

- Doors and Window frames
- Doors

Working area and hollowrist performance



EU GI Paint Event

IRB 5400 – Application example

Metal parts

Construction machines

- Metal frames - powder application

Moving line



Metal parts

Construction machines

- Chassis – liquid application

Flexibility and Process control



IRB 5500 FlexPainter

Process integration highlights

Customers and markets

Automotive
Auto parts (Tier 1)
Plastics and GI
Large parts painting
•Agricultural
•Yellow goods
•Wood
•Metal frames

Customers requiring
low material waste,
fast color change and
the flexibility provided
by IRB 5500



A complete new approach

- High acceleration and painting speed
- Large working envelope
- Wall mounted - no rail
- Designed for high flow atomizer
- 6 axis

▪ Process integration for IRB 5500 includes:

- Integrated Color change valves (M-PAC)
- Integrated gear pump control (2 motor)
- Integrated atomizer control (3ch air)
- Integrated pilot valves for process control
- Integrated and standardized hose guiding

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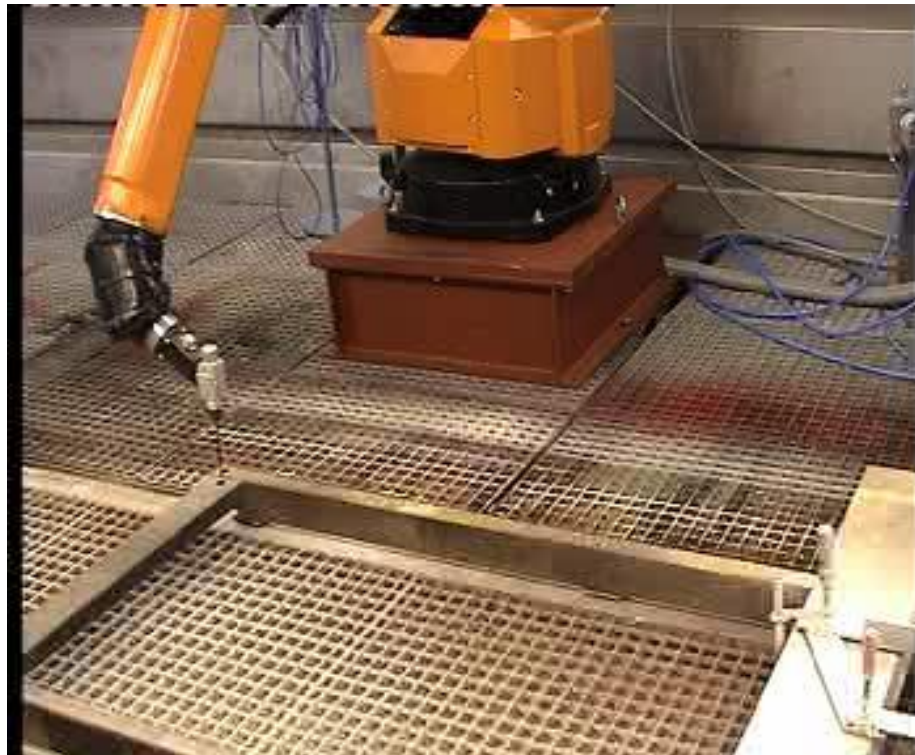


Option, Accessories and Software

Moving line: easy with Conveyor Tracking

Conveyor tracking is a position synchronization feature in which the system's coordinate follows the object on a conveyor line.

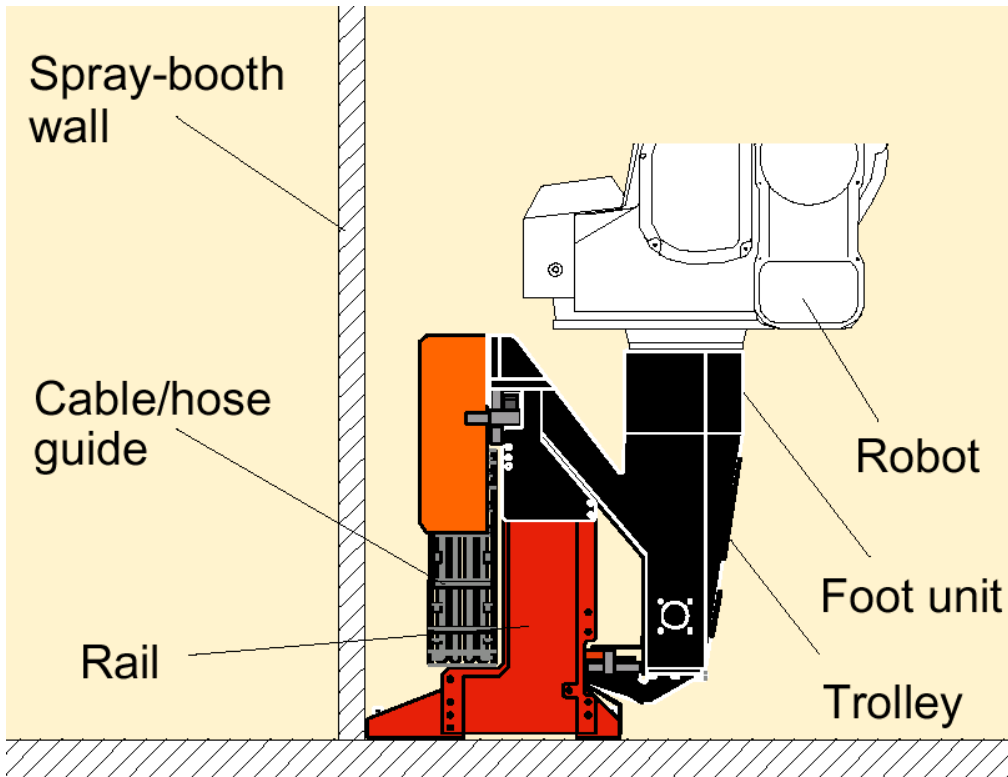
Jobs will then be executed synchronized with the position of the object, independent of conveyor speed, including conveyor stop and reverse motion.



IRB 5400

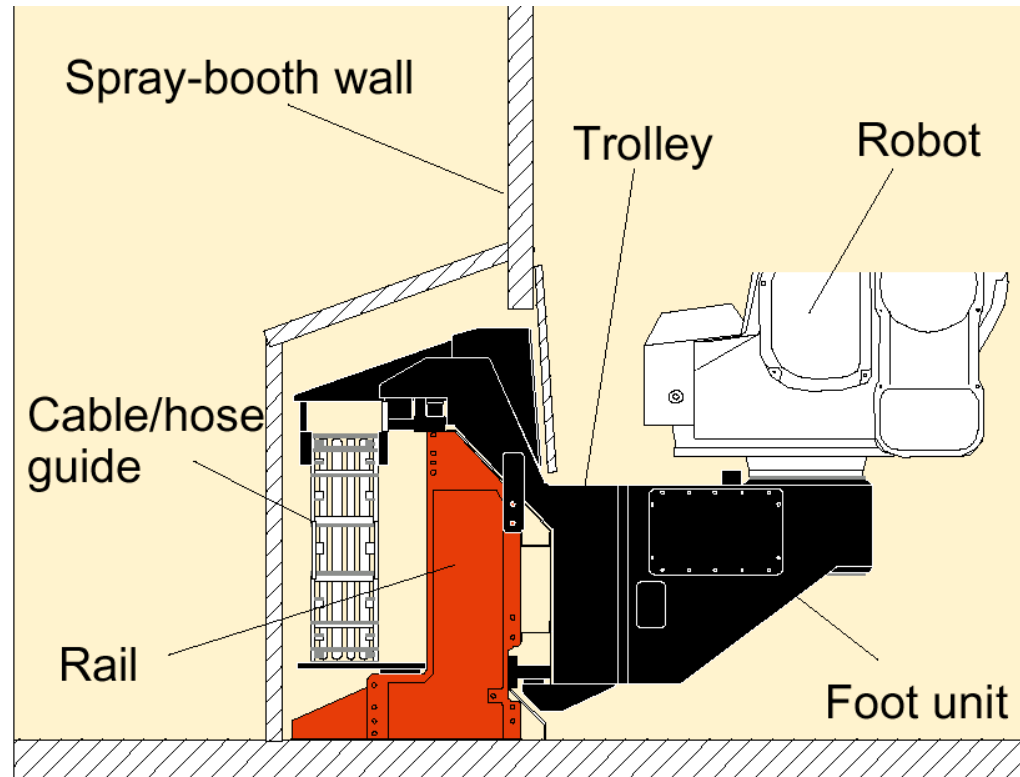
7° axis rail

IN - BOOTH



IRB 5400-14

CLEAN WALL

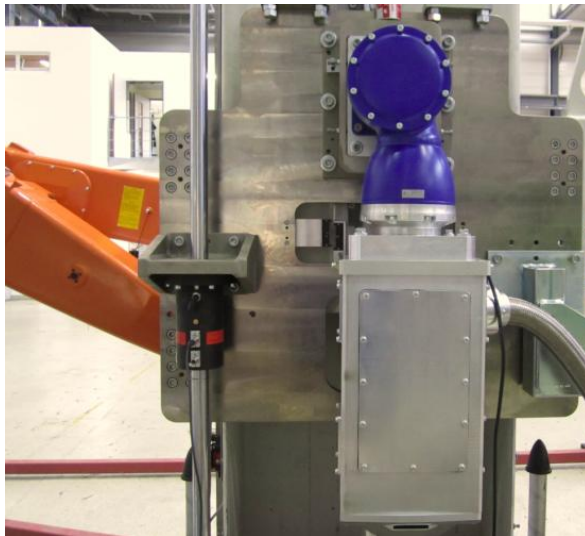


IRB 5400-13



Paint news

External axis kit for Paint

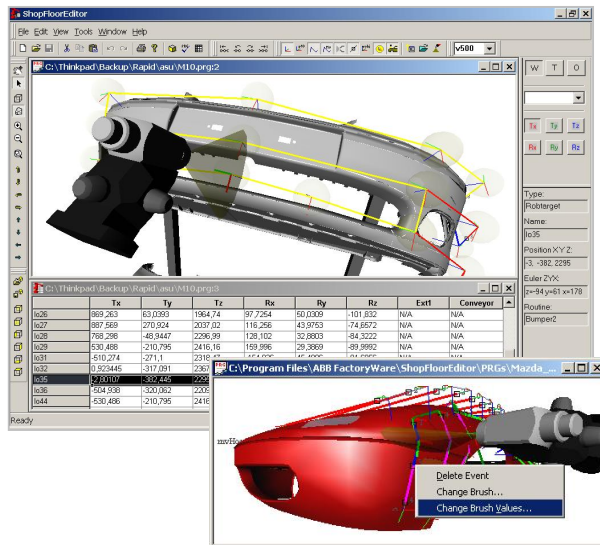


- Paint External axis kit
 - Designed to be used in combination with ABB Paint robots, mainly IRB 5500, in combination with third part rail solutions (track motion)
- Servo unit
 - The ABB servo unit includes a purged chamber (ExP) combined with purged cable and purge air controller (including sensor)
 - The IRC5P robot controller is prepared for this second purging system, the added drive units and electronics for brake release and temperature supervision
- Basic design can cover 3 external axes (servo units) in series

SOFTWARE

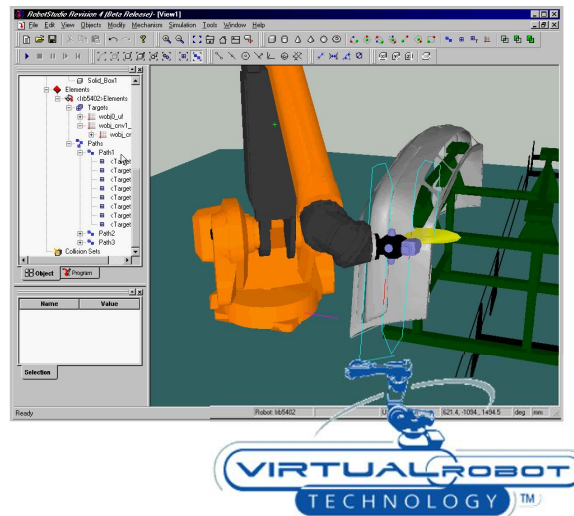
- Editing off-line programs
- Robot control and monitoring

ShopFloor Editor



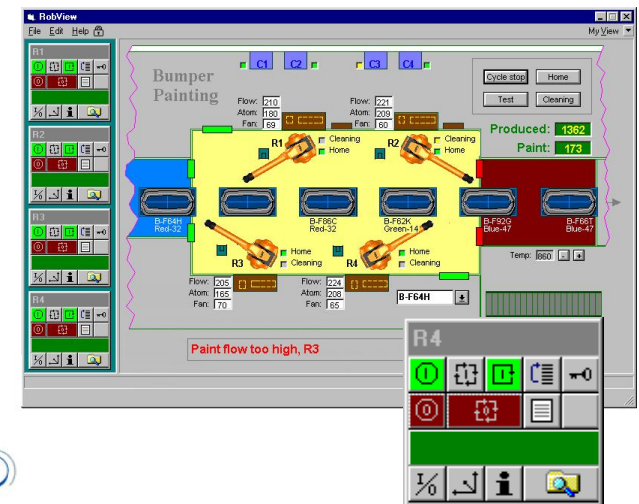
Process optimization
Graphics Editing
Paint Savings

RobotStudio Paint



Robot simulation
Path optimization tools

RobView



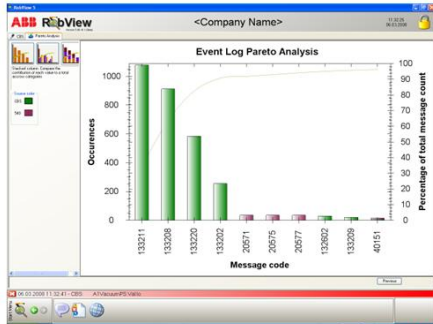
Fast & Easy
robot monitoring

ABB PC tools

RobView 5 – functionalities

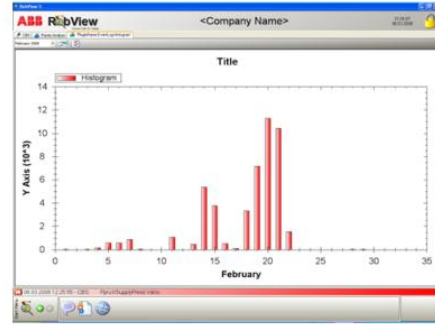
RobView 5 Pareto analysis

Perform Pareto analysis on your error messages and find out where the real problem is



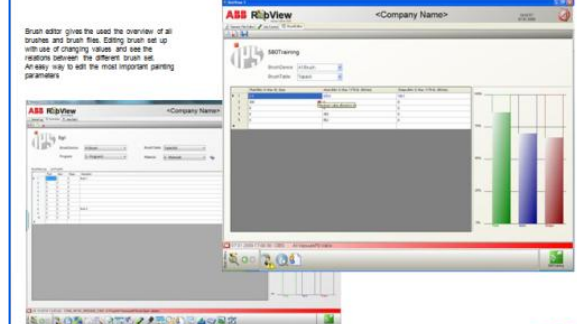
RobView 5 Histogram

Get a quick overview of when errors occurred.
(Double-clicking the error bar will take you directly to the details)



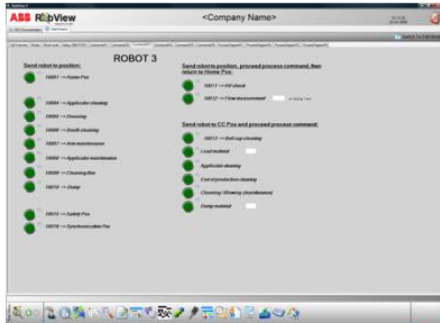
RobView 5 Brush editor

Brush editor gives the used the overview of all brushes and brush files. Editing brush set up with use of changing values and use the relations between the different brush set. An easy way to edit the most important painting parameters



RobView 5 Command screen

Robot commands – designed to easy access some predefined commands like moving robot to home position, safe position, maintenance position. This command overview can also control application commands like perform color change, perform flow measurement and much more. All defined for each robot, Robot nr 0 could be different than robot nr 4.



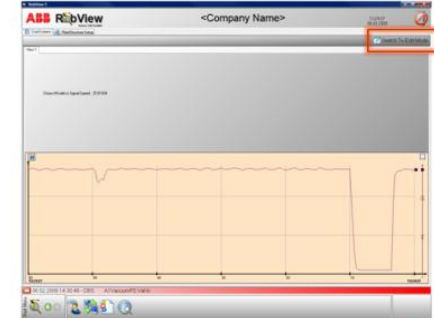
RobView 5 Robot overview

Robot overview – gives the plant or cone simplified overview of status. Such as software versions, operation state (motion, profit, execution mode (on production, program running, last cycle time and more).



RobView 5 User screens – Conveyor speed overview

User screen – Conveyor speed. One dedicated overview could be set up for monitoring the speed of the conveyor, monitoring the signal received by the robot controller.



RobView 5 Signal analyzer

Signal analyzer, a must have tool for real monitoring and process optimising, set up the process signals and show the actual responses and timing. make the total process signal overview or zoom into more details down to some milliseconds resolution. Use the graph or the actual values in the lower signal table.



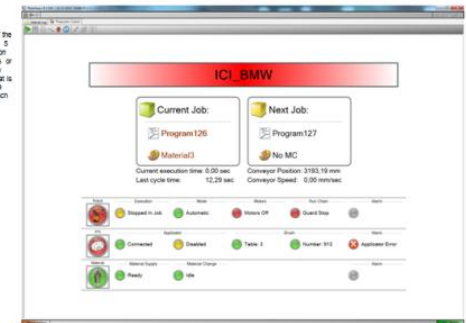
RobView 5 Program visualization

Program visualization, show the actual programmed path, directions, turning points. The different views could be with program only, adding the absolute graphics and adding the actual 3D model of the robot and the objects.



RobView 5 Production control

Production control – one of the main functions for RobView 5. It gives the basic production overview, give the operators or others the needed overview actual programs (good, what is the next of the queue, cycle time, conveyor info and much more).



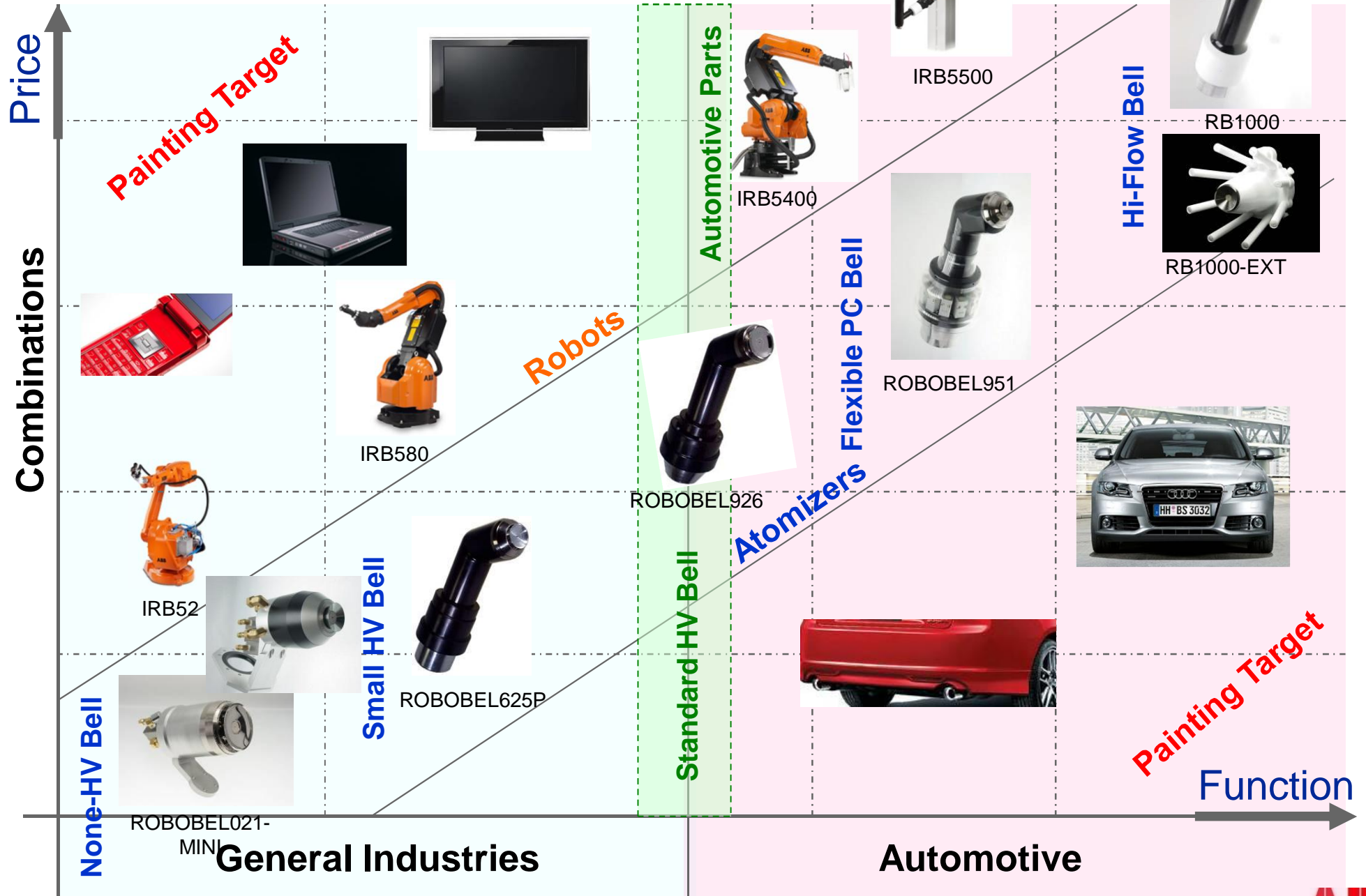
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Paint Atomizers

Current Atomizer Portfolio

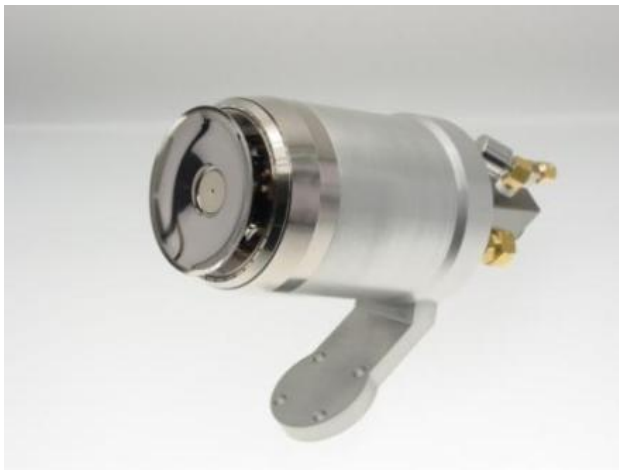


ROBOBEL Series Bell Atomizers

Compact & Simple Solution



- ROBOBEL021-MINI
 - High transfer efficiency (40 to 60%)
 - Apply primer, base and clear paint, both Waterborne and Solventborne
 - None HV applied
 - Same air motor performance as ROBOBEL926
 - Selectable bell cup size, $\phi 15/30/50/70$
 - Very simple structures, consist only 5 parts
 - Automotive WB interior, bumper conductive primer, plastic & metal parts painting



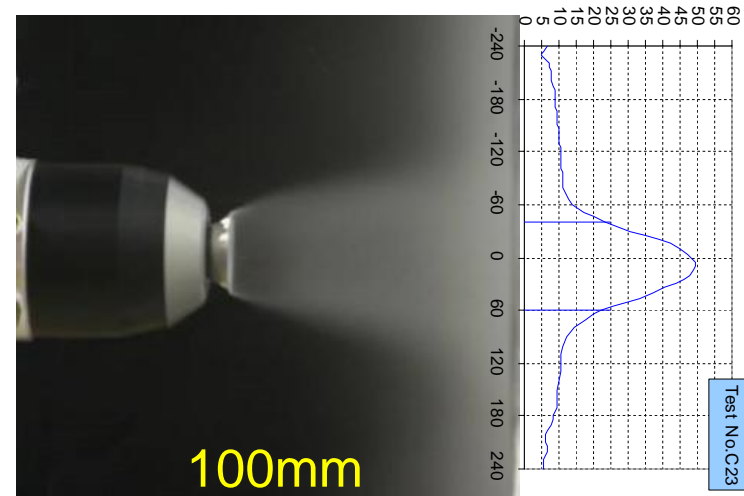
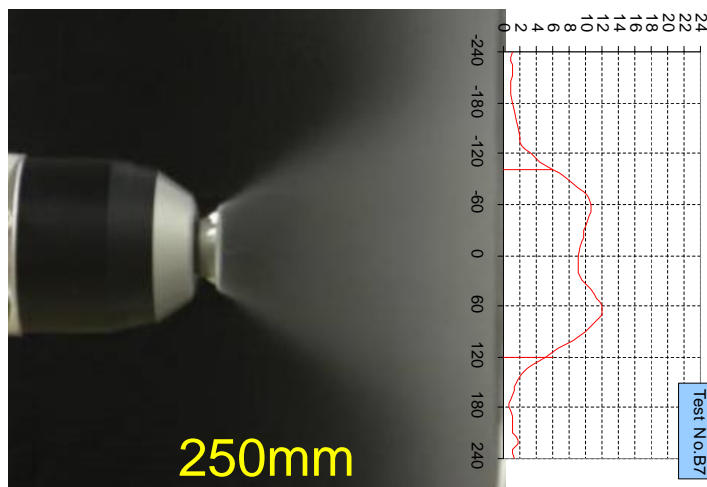
ROBOBEL Series Bell Atomizers

New Compact & Simple Solution



▪ ROBOBEL031-PC

- Paint savings by pattern control function
- Excellent atomizing performance
- High transfer efficiency
- Compact and compatible with RB021
- Suitable for IRB 52, 580 and 5500
- For water borne and solvent borne paint
- No high voltage
- Circle spray pattern for easy programming
- Same air motor technology as the renowned ROBOBEL926 atomizer



ROBOBEL021-MINI

Combination with Robot



IRB 540



IRB 580/5400
(Hollow Wrist)



IRB 52

Conclusions

Painting for ABB means:

- Wide range of dedicated robots
- Global presence
- Knowledge of the process
 - Reduce production direct costs and Raw material saving
 - Predict immediately return of investment



Conclusions

For any questions,
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