

### Airborne Composites

Airborne Composites specialises in developing and producing advanced composite products and systems. The privately owned Dutch company consists of an engineering department and a composites manufacturing facility in The Hague.



Several years of experience has given Airborne Composites the capability to develop and produce innovative composite products, structures and systems for the defence and aerospace industries and oil & gas, and marine market. Through Airborne's combined expertise, the Airborne group can cover the complete development from idea to product realisation, including turnkey in-field installation.

Airborne Composites's capabilities include conceptual design, structural design & analyses, prototyping, testing and series production. Engineering services like 3D CAD modelling and Finite Element Analyses can be provided by the use of high-end software.

The complete logistic process, like calculations, purchases, stock, etc. is captured in Plan-de-CAMpagne (ERP). The production facility of Airborne Products is well equipped for processing composite materials. The production processes of this facility include pre-preg hand lay-up, Resin Transfer Moulding (RTM), Resin Film Infusion, Filament Winding (thermoset), Tape Winding (thermoplastic) and bonding (metals & plastics).



### Demand and wishes new ERP-system

- Best value for money
- Quick to install and implement
- Ease of use for end-users

### Shortlist suppliers

Ridder, ISAH and Plan-de-CAMpagne were on the shortlist. The deciding factor for Airborne Composites to choose Plan-de-CAMpagne is its flexibility and user friendliness.

### Implementation

From mid November to mid December 2005 all users followed the Basic course, immediately after the installation of Plan-de-CAMpagne. In the second and third week of December all users completed the Logistics course. At the end of that month, four days of consultancy were sufficient to go live on the first day of the year 2006. During the first two months of 2006 some consultancy days were spent for fine tuning.

From the very first beginning in 2006 Airborne Composites uses all implemented parts of the software. Bit by bit Airborne Composites uses more and more of the program.

At this moment Airborne Composites still improves the way of working with Plan-de-CAMpagne themselves, sometimes with assistance from Bemet.

### Advantages Plan-de-CAMpagne

- Flexibility of Plan-de-CAMpagne, e.g. produce invoices without a complete logistic process.
- Easy to make reports and layouts. It is very easy to extract information from Plan-de-CAMpagne.
- Airborne and Bemet International work together as a team.
- Quick start after implementing the basic required data. Plan-de-CAMpagne grows on the job.

### Airborne Composites

**Started**  
1995

**Staff**  
80 employees

**Products**  
Design and building of composite products

**Equipment**

- Autoclave; measurements: 13,5 x Ø 2,65
- Temp: 225°C
- Winding machine
- Pre-preg cutter
- CNC Milling machine
- Laser tracker
- Clean room
- Paint boot
- Continues winding machine

**Web site**  
[www.airborne.nl](http://www.airborne.nl)

*"Plan-de-CAMpagne is another step forward to becoming a real professional organisation."*

Mr H. Engel – controller  
Mr M. Brinkman – M&S

### Plan-de-CAMpagne

**Users**  
14

**Modules**  
Basic, Logistics, Relation management, Part lists, International, Financial integration AccountView, Certificate, Purchase requests, Term invoicing