

## Formation – at the leading edge of rapid prototyping

HE BALANCE between reducing product introduction cycles and controlling risk is the conflicting dilemma confronting manufacturers today. How can you reach product launch without incurring the costs and

A formidable Formation can provide the team of solution to this dilemma engineers through their comprehensive range of Rapid Prototyping (RP) skills. Formation has built

delays associated with normal

a formidable team of engineers

manufacturing techniques?





with one consistent objective. We aim to be the UK's preeminent RP bureau through the development of strong customer links and technical excellence.

Our integrated in-house CAD/ CAM facilities utilise the latest CAD modelling systems, data



exchange technology and 3D Systems SLA equipment.

**Prototypes** The relentless pressure to produced in a reduce 'time to market' for fraction of new products has the time necessitated radical changes in all engineering disciplines. The application of RP techniques builds upon these changes and enables prototypes to be produced in a fraction of the time associated with traditional machining and model making methods. Consequently, as is often the case, producing prototypes is on the critical path, the use of RP can directly reduce time to market.

> Formation believe that the business case for using RP is irrefutable and that virtually every industry can benefit from its use. RP can be of benefit whatever your product or process.





