

Neuronics Inc.

Company and Product

**Sales, Neuronics Inc.
Applied AI Systems, Inc.**



About Neuronics Inc.

- Spin off from the Artificial Intelligence Laboratory of University of Zürich
- Moved to Technopark Zürich in 1999
- Founded Neuronics Inc. in 2001
- Presently about 20 employees
- Concluded sales agency contract with Applied AI Systems, Inc. and AAI Japan, Co. Ltd. in 2004

Specialization:

Highly flexible arms, stand alone or on a mobile robot and gripper, designed for Human and Environmental interaction



Harmonic Arm: Flexible Automation in the Smallest Space



3-5 kg Weight

Gripper with 16 sensors

Distributed Processing power

Simple to operate

Capable of learning

Repetition accuracy 0.1 mm

Maximum payload 0.5 kg

Integrated power electronics

Usable without fencing



Different models

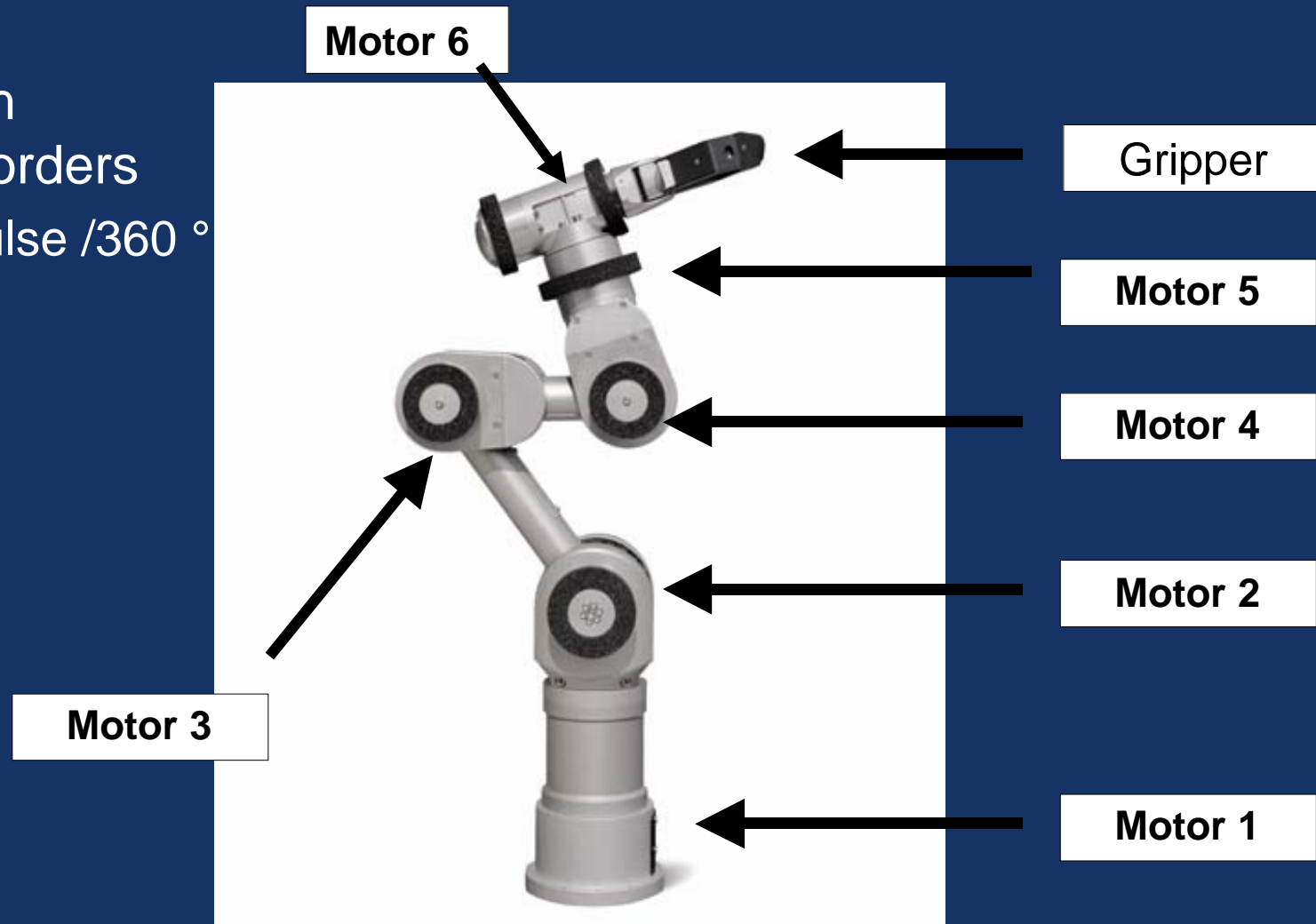


- 5-6 Motors/Axels
- Different mountings for the gripper
- Gripper with various angles
- Sensor fingers
- Vacuum gripper
- Axels with various lengths



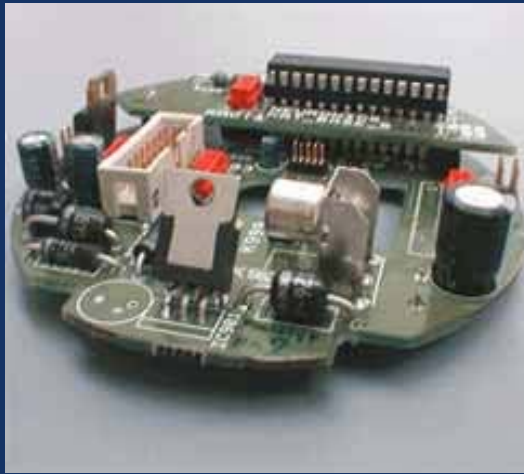
Drive components

- DC-Motors with integrated encoders
- About 90'000 pulse /360 °

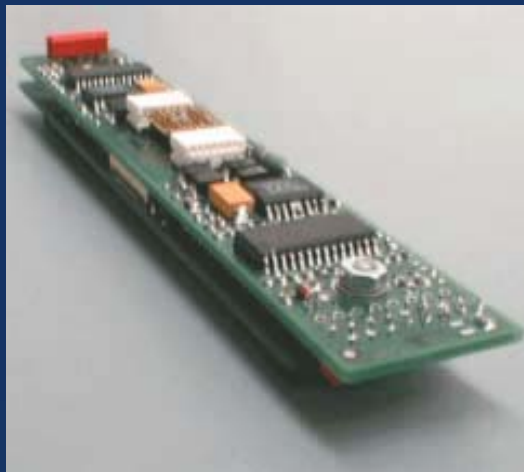


Control Components

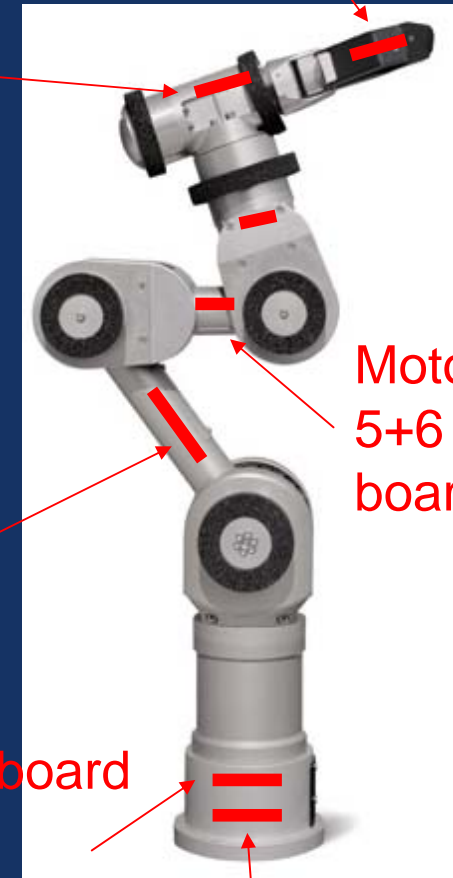
- Electronic Boards



Master controller board



Slave Controller board with 4 Micro-controllers for motors 2-4 (1 spare)



Sensor board

Sensors

Motor 5+6 board

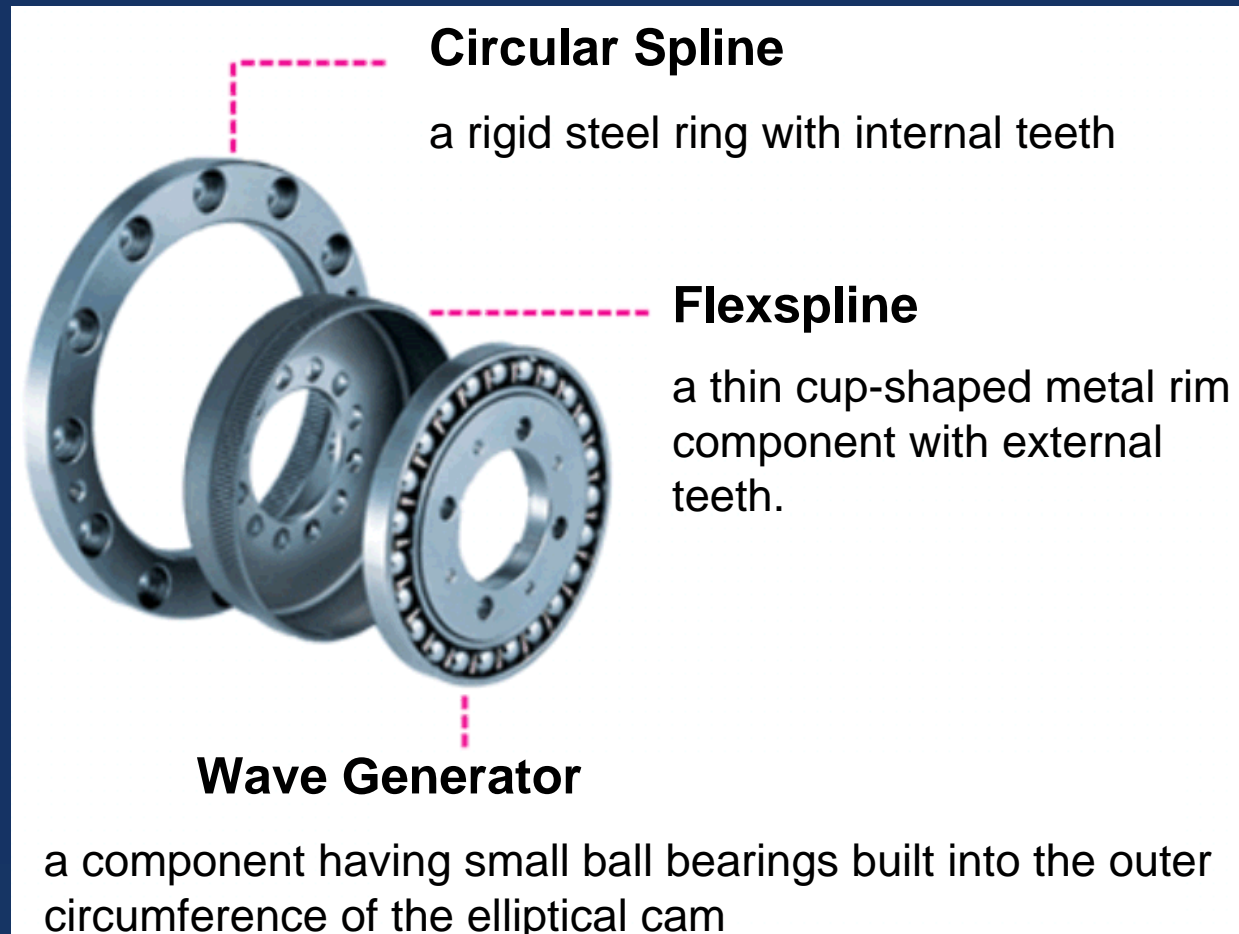
Motor 1 board + Slave Firmware + Controller

Master board + Master Firmware



Drive System

Harmonic Drive (0 play)



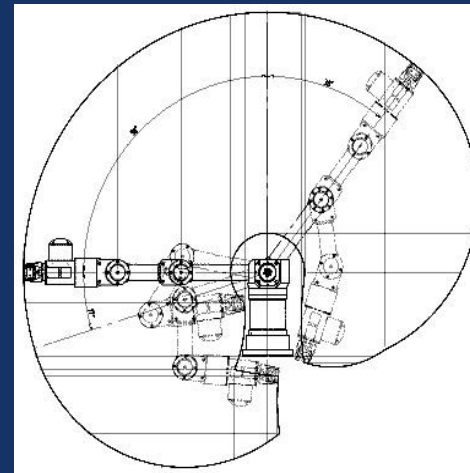
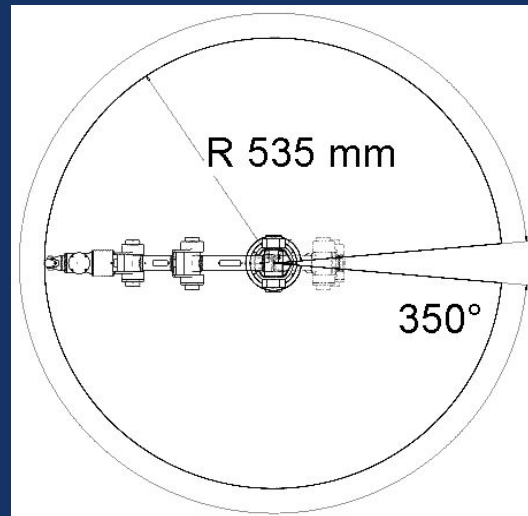
Harmonic Arm can...

.... *pick and place*

Metal stamp parts
die cast parts
groceries etc.



Action space



Action space of Harmonic Arm 6M
from the above (left) and the side (right)



Applications

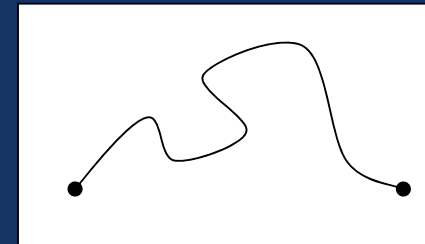
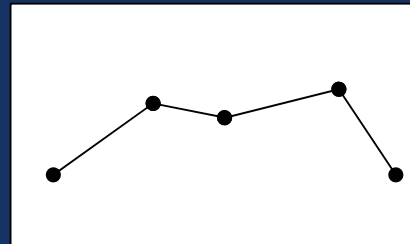
- Pick & Place-tasks with metal working machinery
- Pick-up tasks with die cast object
- Handling parts in test / control area
- Packing industry
- Service-robotic
- Automating manual tasks
- Research and Education
- Small parts assembly



The Harmonic Arm can....

.... *Drive along a line*

for glueing, mounting, welding, ornamenting



Components

- Trace accuracy: ± 0.7 mm



The Harmonic Arm can....

..... *Feel*

with Pressure sensors
Infrared sensors
Resistance sensors



Universal Sensor-Gripper



(IR= Infrared Sensors, FS = Force Sensors)

No.	Kind	Location	Position
0	IR reflex	Right finger	Inner middle part
1	IR reflex	Right finger	Inner front part
2	<i>Reserve</i>	Right finger	--
3	Conductivity	Both fingers	User specific
4	IR reflex	Right finger	Outer side
5	IR reflex	Right finger	Front bottom
6	Force	Right finger	Rear
7	Force	Right finger	Front
8	IR reflex	Left finger	Inner middle part
9	IR reflex	Left finger	Inner front part
10	<i>Reserve</i>	Left finger	--
11	IR reflex	Gripper main body	Center
12	IR reflex	Left finger	Outer side
13	IR reflex	Left finger	Front bottom
14	Force	Left finger	Rear
15	Force	Left finger	Front



The Harmonic Arm can...

....be simply programmed manually



teach- in



The Harmonic Arm can....

.....*Injure nobody!*

Harmonic Arm is safe (EU certificate), and can directly interact with humans



The Harmonic Arm is certified to be safe!

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Test Report EMC

Report: 02-EL-0162.10

Test of Robot arm
Types: Katana 5D and 6D

Test	Result	Standard
Emission :	Pass	EN 61326:97+A IEC 61326:02, C
Harmonics :	Pass	EN 61000-3-2:D IEC 61000-3-2:D
Voltage fluctuations :	Pass	EN 61000-3-3:9 IEC 61000-3-3:9
Immunity :	Pass	EN 61326:97+A IEC 61326:02 EN 61000-6-2:D IEC 61000-6-2:9
Overall Result	Pass	
Tested by:	Ch. Hauser, Product-Qualification E	
Checked by:	M. Plüss, Product-Qualification EMC	
Applicant:	Neuronics AG CH-8005 Zürich	Issue Date
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RISIKO-ANALYSE

Handlingeräte KATANA M5 und KATANA M6

Kurzbericht Nr. Neu-040316

Für Firma Neuronics AG, CH-8000 Zürich

- Auftrag**
- Allgemeines**
 - Gegenstand der Untersuchung
 - Grundlagen, Normen
 - Verwendungsgrenzen
- Risiko-Analyse, Gefahrenbewertung**
- Sicherheitshinweise**
- Bedienungsanleitung**
- Zusammenfassung**

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**EU/UE
KONFORMITÄTSERKLÄRUNG
DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY
DÉCLARATION DE CONFORMITÉ**

Wir
We
Nous

Neuronics AG,
Technoparkstrasse 1,
8006 Zürich

(Name des Anbieters) (supplier's name) (nom du fournisseur)

(Anschrift) (address) (adresse)

erklären in alleiniger Verantwortung, dass das Produkt
declare under our sole responsibility that the product
déclarons sous notre seule responsabilité que le produit

Handlingeräte Katana

KATANA M5S
KATANA M6S

(Bezeichnung Typ oder Model, Los-, Chargen- oder Seriennummer, einschließlich Marken- und Stückzahl)
(name, type or model, lot, batch or serial number, possibly sources and numbers of parts)
(nom, type ou modèle, no de lot, d'échantillon ou de série, éventuellement sources et nombre d'exemplaires)

auf das sich diese Erklärung bezieht, mit der / den folgenden Norm(en) oder normativen
Document(en) übereinstimmt.
to which this declaration relates is in conformity with the following standard(s) or other normative
document(s)
auquel se réfère cette déclaration est conforme à la (aux) norme(s) ou autre(s) document(s)
normatif(s)

EN 282-1, EN 282-2, EN 1050, ISO 14121, EN 61010-2-81 Anhang AA, EN 61000, EN 61326

(Titel und/oder Nummer sowie Ausgabedatum der Norm(en) oder der anderen normativen Documente)
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(titre et/ou no. et date de publication de la (des) norme(s) ou autre(s) document(s) normatif(s))

Gemäss den Bestimmungen der Richtlinie(n); following the provisions of Directive(s);
conformément aux dispositions de(s) Directive(s)
(falls zutreffend) (if applicable) (le cas échéant)

73/23/EWG + 88/338/EWG + 88/37/EG

Zürich, 19. März 2004

Hansruedi Fritsch, Geschäftsführer/CEO

(Ort und Datum der Ausstellung)
(Place and Date of issue)
(Lieu et date)

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(nom et signature du signataire autorisé)



Fundamentally Safe

For the last few years, Neuronics Inc. has developed Harmonic Arm, a lightweight gripper-arm, under consideration of the required safety aspects, which can be labelled as *safe in principle*.



EU-Conformity Description

Neuronics AG, Technoparkstrasse 1, 8005 Zürich,
explain in sole responsibility that the product

Item: Harmonic Arm

Harmonic Arm 5M S

Harmonic Arm 6M S

Under the regulations of the guidelines 73/23/EWG + 89/336/EWG +
98/37/EG

with the following standards and norms

EN 292-1, EN 292-2, EN 1050, ISO 14121, EN 61010-2-81 appendix AA,
EN 61000, EN 61326.



Filed Norms

- **EN 292-1**
Safety of machinery – Basic concepts, general principles for design part 1: Basic terminology, methodology
- **EN 292-2**
Safety of machinery – Basic concepts, general principles for design part 2: Technical principles and specifications
- **EN 1050**
Safety of machinery - Principles for risk assessment
- **ISO 14121**
Safety of machinery – Principles of risk assessment
- **EN 61010-2-81 appendix AA**
Safety requirements for electrical equipment, control, and laboratory use
- **EN 61000**
Electromagnetic compatibility
- **EN 61326**
Standards for Measurement, Control and Laboratory Equipments



The Harmonic Arm can....

.....be battery operated

Power	Max. 60 Watt
Voltage:	12V
Current:	5 A



Keller Ltd. (Switzerland) Measuring Pressure on Welding Machines



Curamik Electronics, Inc. (Germany) Handling products in the test area



Griesser Inc. (Switzerland)



In the process of a small scale mass production





Hardness-Measuring

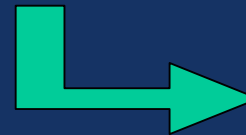
www.proceq.com



Proceq Inc. (Germany) Hardness Testing



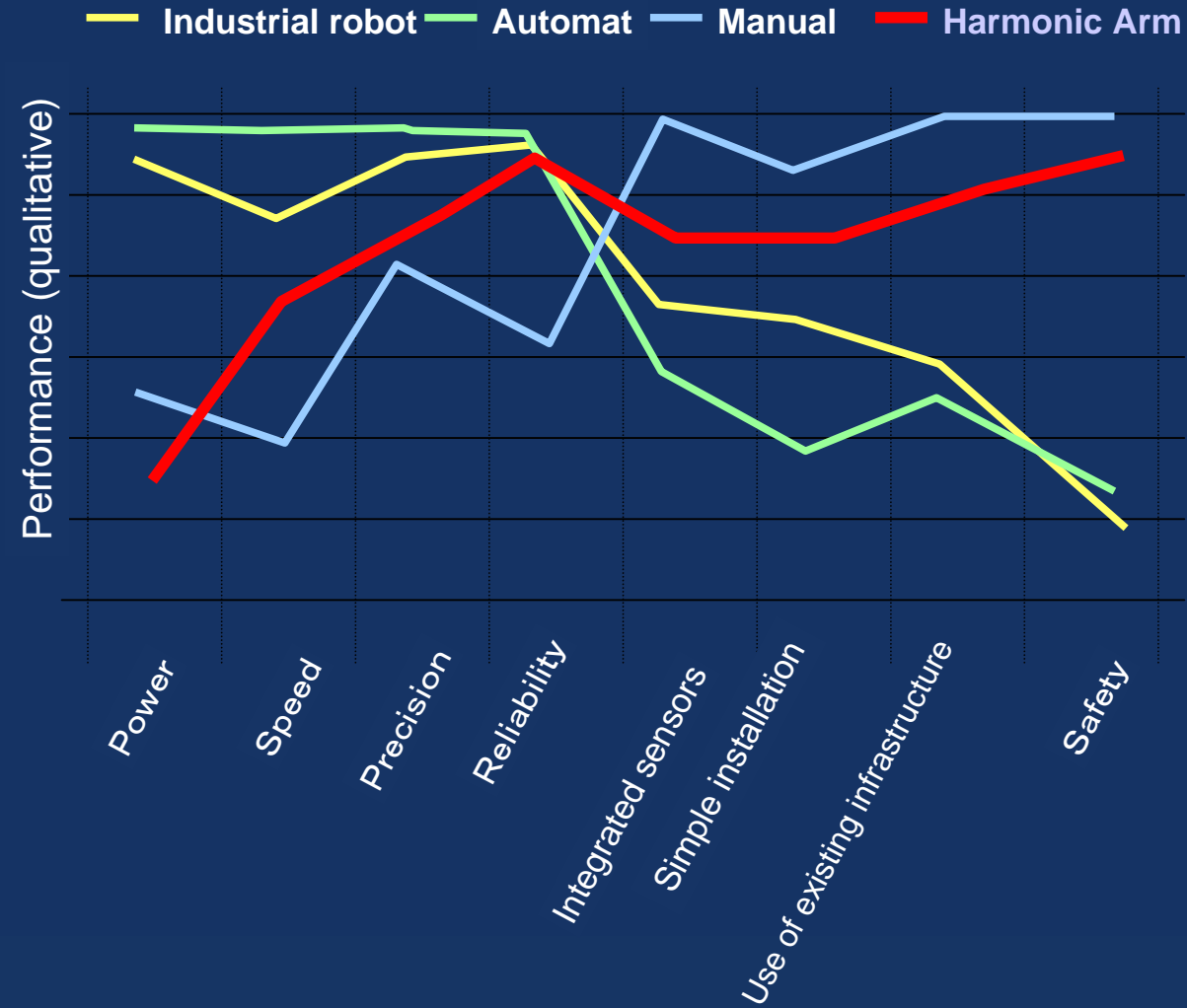
Manual task



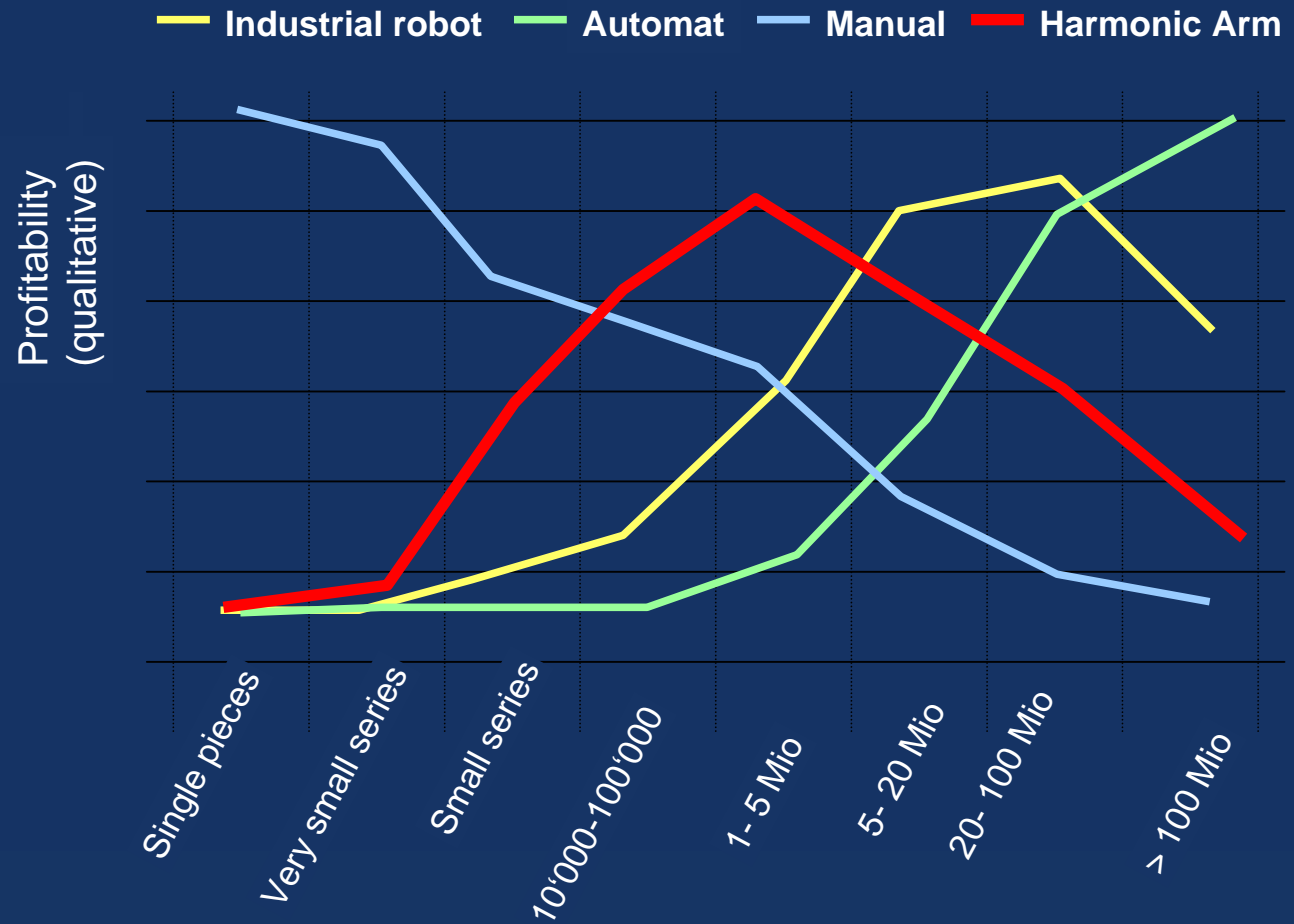
Automated with
Harmonic Arm



Criterion-Comparison



Profitability vs number of pieces / year



Harmonic Arm 2

Application to Space Development



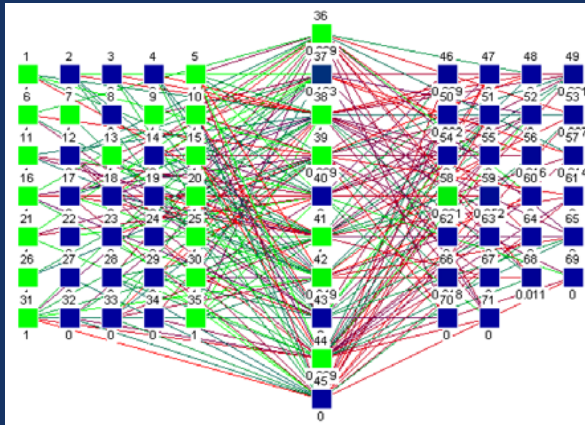
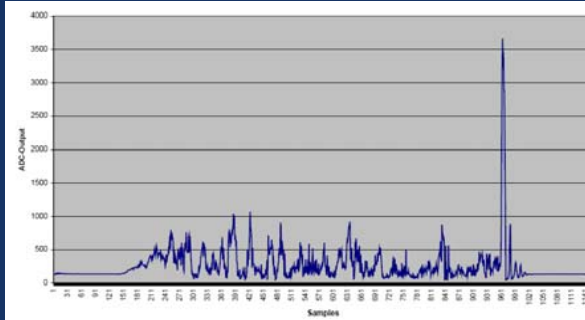
- Payload : 5 kg
- Repetition accuracy :0.1 mm
- Remote control with <10 ms reaction time
- Sensorimotor Feedback
- Joint development with DIEHL Inc., Germany



Development of a new sensor for tactile recognition



Kapazitiver
Fasersensor



Neuronale
Erkennung

Joint project with :

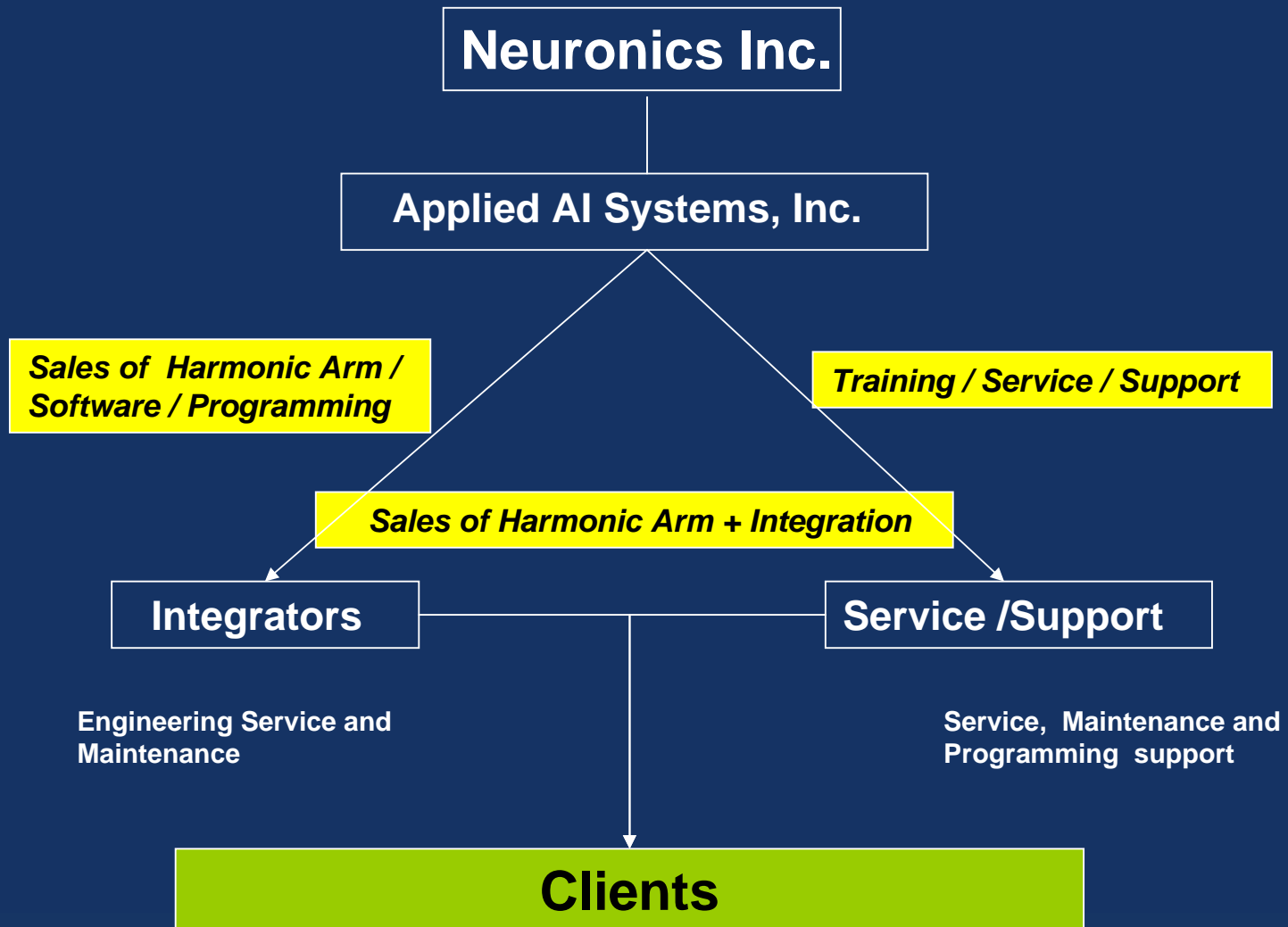
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Baumer Electric Inc., Switzerland

Schunk Inc., Germany



Sales and Services of Harmonic Arm



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Thank you for your attention.

We would be glad, if we could soon perform a project with you.

