



Groupe **Acrotec**

## Press release

# easyDec and PoliTrempe join the Acrotec Group

**Acrotec is strengthening its cutting-edge watchmaking expertise with the arrival of two new Jura-based companies: easyDec SA and PoliTrempe SA. The first of them will join Acrotec's new watchmaking microturning division, along with three other Group member companies.**

Develier, 27 May 2021. The Acrotec Group's federation of companies is expanding with the arrival of two Jura companies: **easyDec** and **PoliTrempe**. EasyDec, which has been based in Delémont (Jura) since 2004, is known for its expertise in turning for the watchmaking industry. It is also known for producing microcomponents for medtech and electronics.

*"We wanted to join Acrotec because we were attracted by the dynamics of the group: a team where individualities are respected, where each person can retain his or her identity while benefiting from the collective strength of the whole,"* says Didier Rebetz, CEO, easyDec.

This collective synergy immediately took shape for easyDec with the launch of the new Acrotec **watchmaking microturning centre**, alongside **KIF Parechoc**, **mu-DEC** and **WatchDec**. This initiative was a natural development to meet the most specific needs of high-precision screw machining for watch manufacturers.

*KIF Parechoc, mu-DEC, WatchDec, and the latest addition, easyDec, are known for their expertise in high-precision screw machining in the watchmaking industry,"* explains Cyrille Mathieu, who will be heading up this cluster. *"Together, these four companies will now cover the entire range of micro-turning in the watchmaking industry, from the simplest to the most complicated services, in large or very small series, with the capacity to machine parts from 20 mm in diameter down to a few hundredths. This expertise also applies to the most complex microassemblies."*

Founded in 2008 and based in Courrendlin (Jura), **PoliTrempe** employs around 40 people. It specialises in the treatment and finishing of microcomponents in the high-end watchmaking sector. Its expertise is in heat treatment, polishing, burnishing, and electroplating. **PoliTrempe** is constantly innovating; the chemical deburring of carbon steels was implemented in January 2021.

We are very happy to join our neighbours in the Acrotec Group," says Tiziana Farine, co-CEO of PoliTrempe. We will be able to increase our visibility on the market and take advantage of

the Group's innovative synergies to serve our customers better and continue to innovate with Acrotec's entrepreneurial team spirit. This is a real bonus for our company and our region!"

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**About EasyDec:**

Established in Delémont in 2004, EasyDec is active in high-precision microcomponent turning for the watchmaking, connector and medical industries. With its 100 machines, the company offers turning and milling services and can produce parts ranging from 1 mm to 51 mm. EasyDec specialises in CNC and Deco 10 machines and can produce the smallest components, with the tightest tolerances, for small, medium, and large production.

EasyDec is certified ISO 9001, and its organisation ensures the reliability and complete traceability of the production process, right up to the final delivery. EasyDec also offers technical support to its customers during the development phase, which is helpful for the creation of new components.

[www.easydec.ch](http://www.easydec.ch)

**About PoliTrempe:**

Based in Courrendlin, PoliTrempe is an industrial subcontracting company active in several fields, particularly in the watchmaking, medical and connector industries. The company stands out from its competitors by grouping all treatments relating to the finishing of a part: heat treatments, bulk polishing, brush polishing, burnishing, sandblasting and micro blasting, electroplating and chemical deburring. The company employs around 40 people, giving the customer the advantage of having a single point of contact for all matters, in particular, those relating to quality and deadlines.

[www.politrempe.ch](http://www.politrempe.ch) ( only in French )

**About the Acrotec Group:**

Acrotec is an independent group created by micromechanics professionals. Its main objective is to be a reference subcontractor by offering a wide range of manufacturing processes for precision components. Its strategy is both to provide "Swiss Made" quality products to the entire watch industry as well as to the automotive, electronics, medical, jewelry and aeronautics industries. Acrotec distinguishes itself by the extent of the know-how exercised under the same roof, in precision machining (CNC turning, CNC multispindle turning, cam-operated turning, 3 & 5 axis milling, micro-turning, transfer and machining of precious metals), by support processes (surface treatment, cutting, assembly, heat treatment, decoration and laser engraving) and by specific processes (realization of components by UV-Liga, wire erosion/sinking, machining of synthetic stones, lamination, shaping of springs, realization of machines and tools and engraving on silicon - DRIE). Currently, the Group has more than 1,350 employees.

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