

HTW ROBOTIC WELDING CELL COLLABORATIVE, FULLY AUTOMATED WELDING MIG/MAG, CMT, TIG, ARCTIG, PLASMA

NOT ONLY INTELLIGENT AND ECONOMICAL WELDING BUT ALSO FUTURE-PROOF.

Whatever you are welding - which component in which form and made of which material: With the handling-to-welding robotic welding cell, your welding equipment is future-proof. Technologically and economically. And the partnership with Fronius Welding Automation offers you a high level of safety. Not least because of the comprehensive services.

ONE ROBOTIC WELDING CELL – STRONG ADVANTAGES

- / Modular engineering concept supports individual solutions
- / Proven welding systems perfectly adapted to the robot
- / Components and periphery freely configurable
- / High autonomy thanks to fully automated welding and component handling processes
- / Perfect synchronization of the system components (robot, system control and power sources)
- / Problem-free welding of complex, angular component geometries
- / Central data management of production data and welding parameters
- / Feasibility check, simulation and offline programming
- / Web-API for data transfer to third party systems
- / Interfaces to common ERP systems
- / Independent contact tube and torch replacement
- / Fronius welding processes

What's your Welding Challenge?

— Let's get connected.

IDEALLY EQUIPPED FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE. HTW – AN INVESTMENT THAT ONE HUNDRED PERCENT IS WORTH IT.

STRONG PARTNERSHIP FOR CHALLENGING TASKS.

A wide variety of components of all shapes and sizes require intelligent welding concepts: the close partnership with Fronius guarantees efficiency and reliability.

We provide support where you need us - QUICKLY, COMPETENTLY & ON SITE.

QUALITY

- / High-quality systems that meet every industry standard
- / Outstanding service by first-class qualified specialists
- / Worldwide, regional support directly on site at the customer

ECONOMIC EFFICIENCY

- / Intelligent integration of our welding systems into the customer's production process
- Optimisation of throughput times and production costs for all robot welding systems always the goal
- / High system availability thanks to high-quality components

KNOW-HOW

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- / The latest information about welding
- Professional training for your employees

 Comprehensive knowledge of welding processes and their application

GOOD RELATIONS

- / Long-term partnerships and reliable cooperation with the customer
- / Reliable contact persons and intensive support for all aspects of robotic welding

NOT JUST A WELDING SYSTEM. **A UNIVERSE FOR MORE PRODUCTIVITY AND PROFITABILITY.**

INDIVIDUAL CONCEPTS

- / Conception and engineering
- / Feasibility studies
- / Simulation of all motion sequences

WELDING PROCESSES FOR ALL JOBS

- / The software recognizes the component and selects the correct welding job fully automatically
- / MIG/MAG, CMT, TIG cold- and hotwire, ArcTig, Plasma



FLEXIBLE ROBOTIC WELDING CELL

- / Modular system of standardized components
- / Comprehensive functions
- / Individually configurable
- / Complex, angled component geometries



YOUR WELDING UNIVERSE FROM ONE SOURCE. EXACTLY THE WAY YOU NEED IT.

/ If you are welding steel frames today, stainless steel containers tomorrow and aluminium profiles the day after tomorrow, you could use a component-specific welding system for every single component. You can produce far more economically if you do all these different jobs with a single robotic welding cell. Better still, with a whole "welding universe" that not only delivers perfect welding results, but also takes over important welding jobs: The inward and outward transport of components, torch and contact tube replacement, torch cleaning or the replacement of component grippers. And it is best if you get all this from a single source. As with Fronius Welding Automation: feasibility studies, welding tests, engineering, production, delivery, commissioning, training and service.



/ Documentation of all welding parameters of single components/ Serialization and tracing of components/ Data interface for third-party software

FRONIUS PATHFINDER FINDS THE WAY

- / Create and simulate welding programs offline
- / Generates complex robot programs independently/ No stopping of the running production during
- programming
 / Measuring and adjusting of the welding system
- with the virtual plant

ALL-INCLUSIVE SERVICE

- / Feasibility studies and welding tests
- / Commissioning with user training
- / Calibration, remote maintenance, international service centres

WELDING ROBOT

- / Welding process
- / TCP measuring
- / Torch cleaning
- / Contact tube change
- / Synchronized collaboration with the handling robot

HANDLING ROBOT

- / Component unloading
- / Component positioning for the welding process
- / Transport of components in and out
- / Automatic change of different gripping systems

ROBOT CONTROL

- / Control of the robot axes
- / Activation of the power source (extensive arc welding functions)
- / Control of external axes (chassis, turntable axes)
- / Communication with TCP torch measurement
- / Communication with sensors (optional)

HTW ROBOTIC WELDING CELL SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Two robots do the perfect job: The handling robot picks up the components and "serves" them to its colleague, the welding robot, for welding. Depending on the component, the handling robot can use different gripper systems for this purpose, and different positioners are also available. They are automatically loaded and unloaded by the handling robot. Depending on the configuration, the system provides locks for the inward and outward transport of components, TCP measurement, torch cleaning and various other modules. All components interact via designated interfaces.

COMPONENT LOCKS

- / Component transport in and out
- / Different variants available
- / Individual equipment depending on component and customer request
- / Proven safety engineering

PROTECTIVE HOUSING

/ Protective door

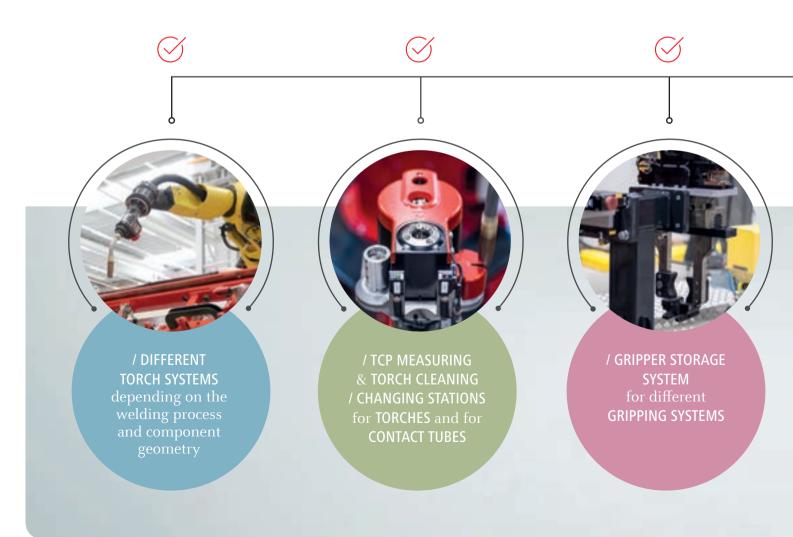
- / Control panel, signal light
- / CE for the entire plant

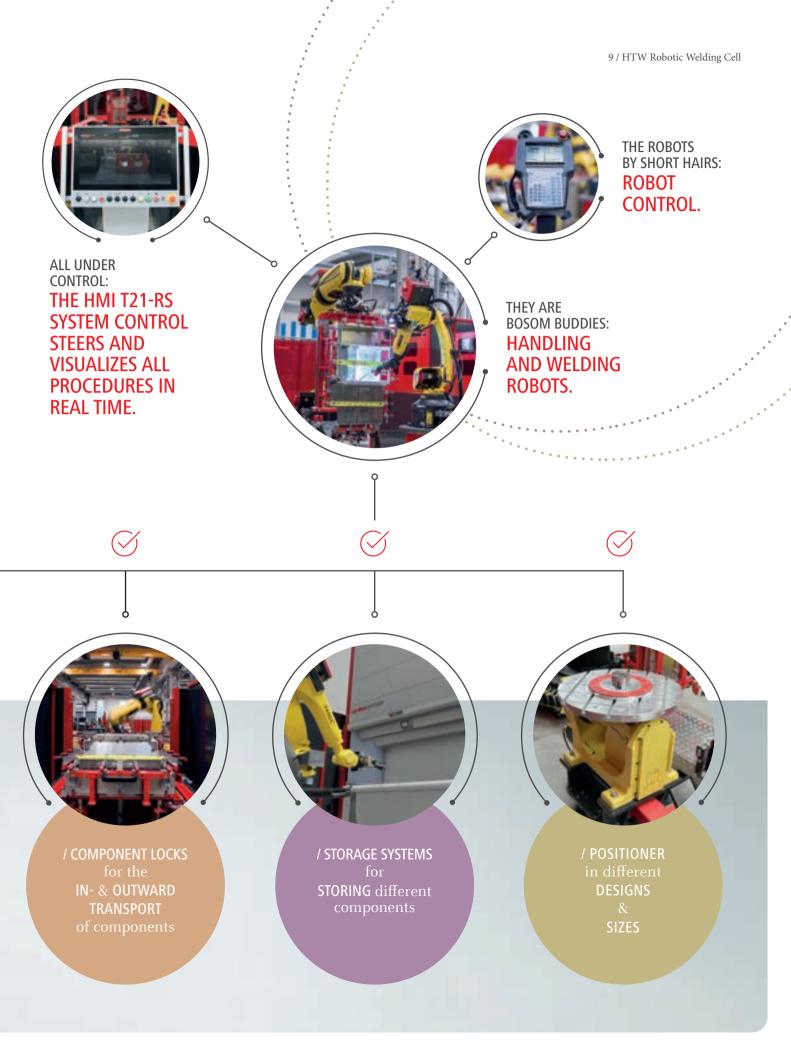
HMI-T21 RS SYSTEM CONTROL

- / 21" multi-touch display
- / All welding processes selectable (CMT, MIG-MAG, Plasma, TIG,...)
- / Full access to all power source parameters
- / Predefined program modules, selectable via program editor
- / Definition of program sequences and storage of sequence step chains
- / Diagnosis with fault message texts and remote maintenance option (internet)
- / User login administration with password levels

STANDARDIZATION WITH VISION. ONE PLATFORM CREATES FLEXIBILITY AND SECURITY FOR THE FUTURE.

The intelligently chosen modularity of our robotic welding cells leaves many options open to you. It enables the system to weld components of different geometries and materials. In addition to various peripheral components such as gripper deposit systems, contact tube changing station, component locks or automated rack systems, various welding processes such as MIG-MAG, CMT, TIG, ArcTig or plasma are available. And the international Fronius service network offers you a high degree of security. Now and in the future.

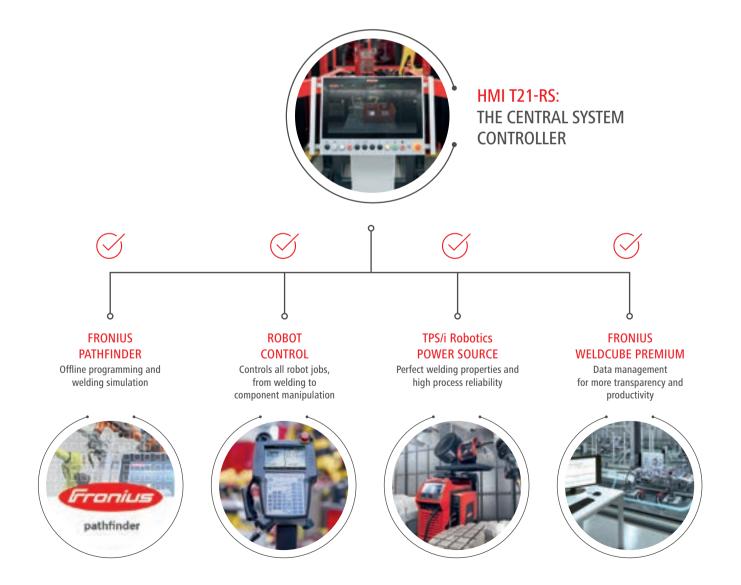




THOUGHT OUT IN DETAIL.

INTELLIGENT PLANNING, CONTROL AND MONITORING OF ALL PROCESSES. FROM SIMULATION TO FINAL WELDING RESULT.

The unique fronius hmi T21-RS system controller is at the heart of operation and control. It is no exaggeration if we claim that you will be one hundred percent convinced of its ease of operation and range of functions, just like all our customers have been so far. It starts with a 3D real-time display and ends with intelligent features such as welding data management with WeldCube.



INNOVATIVE AND FUTURE-LOOKING. HMI T21-RS: PIONEERING IN FUNCTIONAL SCOPE AND OPERATING COMFORT.

MAIN MANU

/ Shows the activated menu items. The entries can be extended by activating software options or by other system configurations.

STATUS BAR

/ Displays error, warning or info messages in plain text. If there are no messages, aggregate states and program run status are displayed. In the right-hand column you can see the user who is logged in and a brief info on the selected control element.

STATION CONTROLLER

/ The station controller is an integral part of the production view. Via the "Load/Unload" buttons the operator calls up the sequence program of the respective station and loads it into the controller. The station manager of the PLC controller processes the programs as soon as they are loaded. The maximum number of stations individually available to the operator is four.

FAVORITES SETTING

/ Quick View buttons are displayed in the lower part of the production view. Further windows can be displayed here: For example Teach Pendant Robot, QMaster, Piece Counter and others.

QMASTER-EDITOR

/ Easy monitoring and control of welding data with preconfigured warning levels and error limits. Time delays for start and alarm can also be set.

USER ADMINISTRATION

/ Operators are registered and edited here and authorizations are assigned. Each user can individually set both the operating language and the system of unities and secure them with his password.

ALL COMPONENTS UNDER CONTROL. FROM THE WELDING ROBOT TO THE PERIPHERY.

/ The HMI T21-RS system control is the higher-level control for monitoring and coordinating all peripheral components such as robots, welding power source, positioners, shelf systems or torch cleaning. Proverbial highlights are the program editor for defining all program sequences and the three-dimensional realtime visualization. To give the operator an optimal overview of the complete system status and all components, both system modules and protective areas are visualized - depending on the respective status. The standard scope of functions includes user and program management, fault message displays, cycle and piece counters, language switching, plant status displays and power management (media supply) of all components.



3D REAL-TIME VIEWS

/ They display the current welding work (robot movements) on the monitor - in real time! The operator can select and save preset views as required. But also individual views can be created and saved at any time.

PROGRAM EDITOR

/ In the program editor, the operator defines the program sequences and saves them as a sequence step chain. Each program is assigned to a machining station and is configured via individual program sequences. It can be selected from a predefined selection of program modules.



VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING AND SIMULATION PATHFINDER: HIGH-QUALITY WELDING PROGRAMS FOR DIFFERENT PARTS AND WELDING PROCESSES.

QUALITY CONTROL AND WPS INTEGRATED.



WHILE THE SYSTEM IS STILL WELDING COMPONENT BY COMPONENT, YOU CONFIGURE AND PARAMETERIZE THE NEXT WELDING PROCESS.

Waiting until the ongoing welding work is finished is now a thing of the past! Now you can program your new welding processes while the machine is still running. Offline, i.e. separate from your robot welding cell. The software recognises axis limits, calculates start points, end points and approach routes and sets teach points independently. Interfering contours can be visualised and torch positions can be corrected accordingly and in good time. Not only during the first welding tests. This saves time and costs.

PATHFINDER FUNCTIONS:

- / Autoseam automatic generation and management of welding seams along a path
- / Corner welding function, automatic adjustment of speed and welding path
- / Variable adjustment of the torch cleaning unit
- / Manual fine-tuning of all welding tracks and movement points
- / Multilayer welding and automatic generation of passes
- / Copying, linking, grouping, and mirroring of welding seams (for mirrored workpieces)

- / Weld seam tracking with wire or gas nozzle
- / Management of process parameters and welding performance
- / WPS welding database (Welding Procedure Specification)
- / Selection of the robot configuration
- / Tool change management
- / Unlimited, automatic management of external robot axes (e.g., positioners, linear paths and multiaxis workpiece positioning devices)



ROBOT CONTROL

/ Controls the movements of the handling and welding robot and ensures fully synchronized, coordinated welding sequences. Programming is intuitive and straightforward. The operator has full access to welding parameters and corrections. Integrated safety functions for both robots.



TPS/i ROBOTICS POWER SOURCE

/ Smooth communication between robot and power source via the integrated robot interface. TPS/i power sources correspond to the latest state of welding technology. Built for the future, they are used day after day by renowned industrial companies worldwide.



WELDCUBE PREMIUM

/ The software stores welding data from several Fronius systems in a central database. It also offers intelligent management, statistics, and analysis functions. The primary storage of data from networked Fronius systems makes it possible to document data for each component and create PDF reports for each part.



SPACE OPTIMIZED AND FULLY AUTOMATED.

Extremely flexible solution for the insertion, storage, and handling of different welding fixtures and components. Area and room height are optimized. Includes operating openings for manual loading and for tray pull-outs, which are automatically loaded and unloaded by the handling robot. Software-supported management of all trays, components, and welding fixtures. Intuitive operation of the racking systems with the Fronius HMI T21-RS system controller.



SHELF FRONT Trays are loaded manually

SHELF BACKSIDE Handling robot loads and unloads the trays

/ Perfect Welding / Solar Energy / Perfect Charging

THREE BUSINESS UNITS, ONE GOAL: TO SET THE STANDARD THROUGH TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENT.

What began in 1945 as a one-man operation now sets technological standards in the fields of welding technology, photovoltaics and battery charging. Today, the company has around 5,440 employees worldwide and 1,264 patents for product development show the innovative spirit within the company. Sustainable development means for us to implement environmentally relevant and social aspects equally with economic factors. Our goal has remained constant throughout: to be the innovation leader.

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