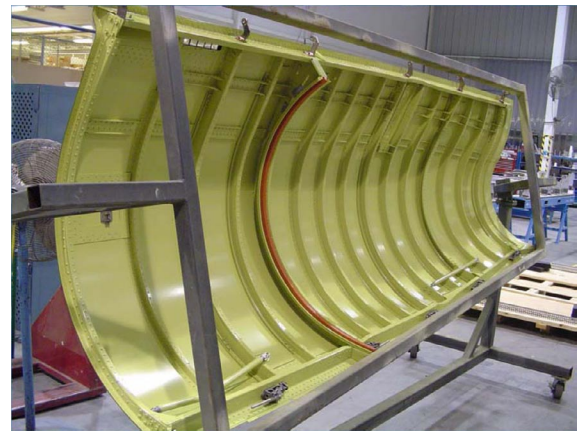


Techniform Inc. has been providing metal shaping and stretching solutions for aerospace, architectural, automotive, and industrial markets since 1989. Techniform is highly regarded as the leader in stretch-form technology but it doesn't stop there. The company also specializes in hydro-forming, roll forming, break forming, and many other types of specialty forming and contouring of all types of ferrous and non-ferrous metals. Techniform is also emerging as the industry leader providing fabrication, 5-axis machining, cnc routing, welding, thermal processing, assembly and kitting services. Techniform has the largest privately held inventory of stretch forming equipment in the world, with over a quarter of a million feet of manufacturing space.

"After purchasing KeyCreator, the transition from another Mechanical CAD package was much easier and less complicated than anticipated—especially with the online support and tutorial workbooks that are offered. Prior to using KeyCreator, Techniform relied solely on other products for all solid and surface modeling. KeyCreator allows us to do everything in one system."

*Joe Hernandez
Manufacturing Engineer
Techniform Inc.*



Bottom Line Benefits

- Trimming solids using wireframe geometry with exceptional results
- Generating flat patterns with the appropriate bend allowances to form parts
- Create clean and crisp raster images for product presentations
- Translate and import a variety of CAD file formats
- Project lines, splines and arcs to a flat construction plane

According to Hernandez, "Keycreator has made our engineering & design work more efficient with the solid and surface modeling tools. We are able to create and modify our models and our customer supplied CAD data quickly and effectively. The benefit of KeyCreator is that you don't have to rely on part restraints nor the use of parametric dimensions. We work extensively in hydroforming and stretchforming parts. Being able to generate flat patterns, unwrap and wrap surfaces is a must in this field of manufacturing. Having the ability to change the splines and polylines to lines and arcs is really great, especially when sending the flat patterns out to our vendors for fabrication. The rendering graphics that KeyCreator offers has made our design concepts clear."