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[HV Wooding](#), based in Hythe, is one of the UK's leading manufacturers of precision engineered components and assemblies.

It has been in business for over 40 years and has a hugely impressive client list including top international companies such as Rolls Royce, Schneider Electric, Honeywell and ABB.

In December 2012, HV Wooding received a £1.1 million loan from the Expansion East Kent fund which will allow the company to invest in new processes and will also support their current expansion plans. The company is looking forward to giving back to the local area by creating 16 more jobs at various entry levels and continuing to improve innovation in manufacturing.

Its work is of the highest quality, which was recognised when they won a contract to supply parts for the Large Hadron Collider near Geneva.

With its precision ethos the company appreciated that the 'renewables' sector was going to offer growth potential and started supplying products to the industry in 2005.

It has been awarded major long-term contracts with a leading European manufacturer, which not only uses HV Wooding's existing skills but pushes the company to develop new expertise. It is now supplying components and busbars for power conversion systems, LV and MV converters, transformers and switchgear used in the manufacture of 1MW/5MW wind turbines. It also supplied pressed laminations for 10kw/50kw wind turbines.

The company has been able to continue to expand markets to include major international OEMs and by working with small development projects.

HV Wooding knows there are major challenges for this industry and is working closely with customers to assist with technical and commercial issues.