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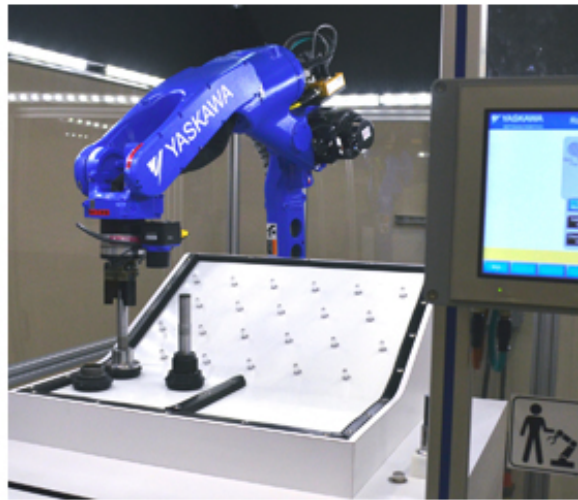
Events

[American Manufacturing Strategies Summit](#), October 6-8, Chicago, IL

[Pack Expo](#), November 2-5, Chicago, IL - Booth #1733

[Fabtech](#), November 11-13, Atlanta, GA - Booth #1534

Product News: Introduced at IMTS!



New MH50 II Robot

The powerful, high-speed [MH50 II robot](#) has an extremely flexible design, allowing it to be used for a variety of applications, including coating, dispensing, machine and press tending, material cutting and handling. Its long reach makes this robot superior for processing large parts. Extended reach models are also available. At IMTS, the MH50 II was used in a flexible and unmanned machine tending cell.

New! MotoFit

[MotoFit™](#) is a six-axis force sensing package. During normal operation, a robot is set up for positional control. With this control scheme, the robot moves to or retains position even when external forces are applied, provided that they do not exceed force limits that would cause an error. The MotoFit function alters the robot's position based on the force encountered to align or assemble parts. MotoFit was demonstrated in a high-precision assembly demo with integrated vision and Functional Safety Unit (FSU) for collaborative operator interaction.

New! MS100 Robot

The new [MS100 spot welding robot](#) has a streamlined design featuring a slim base and wrist profile, and a compact gas spring. It is designed to take advantage of lighter weight Mid-Frequency Direct Current (MFDC) spot guns. They are more compact than traditional spot robots to allow for higher robot density in a workcell or around a car body. These arms are up to 30% faster than traditional size spot welding robots. The MS100 uses the DX200 robot controller.

Corporate News



[Yaskawa Motoman Celebrates 25th Anniversary](#)

The Motoman Robotics Division of Yaskawa America, Inc. (Yaskawa Motoman) recently celebrated its 25th anniversary. The company, previously known as Motoman Inc., was formally incorporated on July 18, 1989 as a 50/50 joint venture between Hobart Brothers Company and Yaskawa Electric America, and began operations as a stand-alone entity in August 1989.

The company held an internal celebration with employees to recognize their 25-year anniversary. Plans are underway to participate in Yaskawa's 100-year global celebration in 2015 including an open house and customer appreciation events.

Y-Blog



Robots: Packaged for Packaging

There was a time when companies only deployed robots into hot, heavy and hazardous applications. As the robotics industry matured, robots were deployed into a greater number of industries and application niches. Today, food and consumer goods is one of the hottest industries for robot sales.

What's driven this growth? Find out in this [blog post](#).



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