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Engineering consulting

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About us

iMEX.A is a young and dynamic engineering company involved in the following sectors:

- Aerospace
- Mechanics
- ICT
- Electronics
- Optics
- Mathematical Engineering

iMEX.A expertise

▪ Mechanical Design

- Design of electro-mechanical devices
- 3D & 2D CAD models
- Structural analysis via multi-physics FEM (e.g., fluid-structure interaction, magnetic-structural interaction, thermo-mechanical simulations)

▪ Artificial Intelligence

- Monitoring and diagnostics of dynamic systems
- Acquisition, representation and management of knowledge
- Development of a supervision system to substitute the human operator or to assist him to take a decision

iMEX.A expertise

▪ ICT

- Digital Signal Processing
- Digital Automatic Controls (Microcontrollers, FPGAs, Digital Filters)
- Tracking control systems (precision control of the inverter and its control/interfacing systems)
- Drivers developing
- Global Optimisation Techniques

iMEX.A expertise

- Optics (theory and tests on optical bench)
 - Design of optical instrumentation (telescopes and receivers), systems and lenses
 - Testing of optical components: sphericity test of lenses
 - Measurements of polarization and measurement of depolarization of optical components
 - Measurement of aberrations
 - Interferometry and diffraction
 - Photonics: waveguides (optical fibers) and optical fibers coupling

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iMEX.A experience

- National Institute of Metrological Research (iNRiM)
 - Optical experimental setup building for interferometry, spectrometry and the national length standard
 - Programming of PID automatic control systems for frequency stabilisation of lasers and the length standard
 - Simulation of a novel interferometry system with sub-wavelength resolution on a 64-bit multi-processors Intel pc, using MPI libraries
 - FEM study of the attachment of a crystalline structure on a test-rig designed for the study of optical physics phenomena
 - Training courses for the use of FEM software

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iMEX.A experience

- Thales Alenia Space Italia (3-year project financed by Regione Piemonte and named *STEPS*)
 - Design of a supervision module for the autonomous management of the docking procedure (on ground) between lunar rovers based on the formalism of the artificial intelligence
 - Fluid dynamics simulations (CFD) of new air filtration systems for space uses (lunar and martian dust)

Thanks a lot!

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