

Foundation for the research development and application of composite materials





☐ FIDAMC purpose is to become a center of excellence in R&D&I of composite technologies in all the sectors and promoting collaboration network with universities and R&D centers related to composite materials



Automatic tape laying(ATL) with ultrasonic panex cutter included

**Facilities: Workshop** 

### Workshop has all the following:

- Automatic curbing(ATL,AFP, thermoplastic)
- Hotforming and forming of stringers
- Stoves and autoclaves required for curing processes
- Automatic or manual mode hot plate press
- Injectors, resin containers
- Nondestructive testing(NDT) equipments and probes qualified by Airbus regulations
- 3D printers and Robots for advanced manufacturing techniques



Automatic fiber placement(AFP)



Sewing robot



IN SITU consolidation thermoplastic AFP





Autoclave(length:8m, diameter:6m)

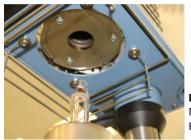
Autoclave(length:2.5m, diameter:1.5m)



#### **Facilities: Laboratory**

### **Physical-Chemical Laboratory:**

- Equipped with characterization techniques aimed at evaluating and analyzing thermal, dynamic-mechanical, viscoelastic, electrical properties and microscopy analysis of polymers and composite materials.
- It also has infrared spectroscopy equipment and climatic chambers for hydrothermal aging tests

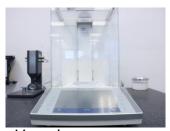


Differential Scanning Calorimeter, DSC Mod. Q2000 DSC (TA Instruments-Watters LCC) Range: -90°C to 55°C

Thermomechanical analysis, TMA

Mod. Q400 TMA EM (TA Instruments-Watters LCC)

Range: -150 to 1000°C



Precision scale
Mod. XP205DR (Mettler Toledo AG)



rheometer AR-G2 (TA Instruments) T Ambient at 600 °C



Microscope Mod. Eclipse LV150 (Nikon)



Electrical conductivity equipment Model 2410 (Keithley)



**Dynamic mechanical analysis, DMA**Mod. Q800 DMA (TA Instruments-Watters LCC)
Range: -145°C to 600°C



Thermogravimetric analysis, TGA
Mod. Q500 TGA (TA Instruments-Watters LCC)
Range: T Ambient to 1000 °C



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# **Mechanical Laboratory:**

FIDAMC has testing machines with the capacity to carry out static and dynamic tests both at room temperature and at high and low temperatures.



Universal Testing Machine: MTS Landmark Servohydraulic Test System mod. 370.1

Temperature: -120°C to 315°C

Range: 100kN



Electromechanical Universal Testing Machine: MTS Model Criterion 45.305 series 40

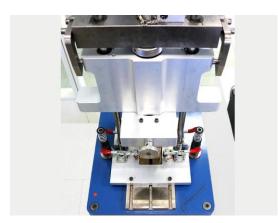
Temperature: -40°C to 177°C

Range: 300kN



Universal Testing Machine: Zwick AllroundLine Z01OTH Room temperature

Range: 10kN



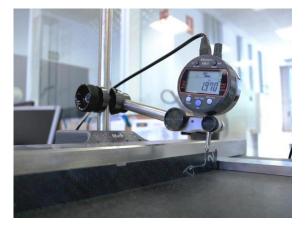
**Impact Test Equipment** 



# **Facilities: Laboratory**

# **Preparation and machining area of test specimens:**

FIDAMC has cutting machines and grinding equipment to perform the machining of composite material specimens.



Dimensional analysis



Cutting machine



surface grinding machine