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In the manual production for individual components, humans can perform processes that are not directly automatable, e.g. gripping a part by hand out of bulk material, orientating and putting the part in a fixture. To be able to manufacture a fuel cell stack automatically, the product has to fit certain requirements from the mechanical execution of the manufacturing steps. During this project, we have adapted the fuel cell stack design according the process requirements of automated manufacturing, assembly, transportation, handling, image processing and testing. This is pre-cursor for the development of assembly technology and equipment system for automated manufacturing of fuel-cell stack.

As a result of task 4.2 all drawings and definition are exchanged and agreed with the relevant project partners.



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