

## Press Release

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# Live at K-Show: Roctool Slashes Cycle Times in High-Heat Molding Demonstrations

- ✖ Live molding of **PEI & PEEK** at over **200°C** with radically shorter cycles and exceptional part quality at **Roctool booth Hall 15, C41**
- ✖ Displaying **10 mm optical lenses**, with 50% shorter cycle time compared to conventional processes
- ✖ New Ultra-Compact Air-Cooled induction generators running live at the booth

At K-Show 2025, Roctool will unveil live demonstrations never seen before at this event: high-temperature molding with unmatched speed, quality, and efficiency. The demonstrations will take place on the Roctool stand with a **KraussMaffei** injection molding machine, Roctool's long-standing partner at trade shows. The KM CX 80 is equipped with the new LRXplus linear robot.

For over 20 years, Roctool has been perfecting its proprietary Heat & Cool induction technology, heating mold surfaces to the right temperature in seconds, then actively cooling them. The result: shorter cycles, flawless surfaces, and lower energy consumption. Unlike traditional oil or hot water systems, Roctool's "dry" induction heating is clean, safe, and highly reliable.

### ✖ Engineering Resins molded at 200°C+

Roctool will run during the show, a 2-cavity tool producing precision housing in PEI+GF and PEEK:

- Mold temperature up to 300°C, for example heating from 130°C to 230°C in just 9 seconds
- 40% cycle time reduction compared to standard processes
- 30% energy savings per shot versus traditional molding
- Superior surface quality: no weld lines, no exposed fibers, no surface defects
- Roctool technology can also push molds up to **300°C** when required, opening the door for thin-wall and advanced designs that conventional thermoregulation cannot match.

### ✖ Game-Changer for Lenses & Optical Components

Roctool will showcase 10 mm thick PMMA and PC lenses:

- Up to 50% cycle time reduction thanks to rapid high-temperature induction heating, followed by low-temperature cooling.
- Ability to mold very thick lenses in a single shot, with a short cycle time.

A breakthrough in optics and lighting for thick-walled applications, including light guides and headlight components. This technology overcomes the cooling limitations that have long challenged optical injection molding.

### **Why Roctool is Different**

Traditional systems (oil, hot water, resistive heating) can't reach such high temperatures quickly and suffer from long cooling times. Roctool climbs above 300°C in record time, then cools rapidly with colder water.

Every cycle benefits from precise thermal control, offering:

- Shorter production cycles and lower costs than conventional molding
- Greater process efficiency compared to traditional methods
- Higher and more consistent part quality than standard molding

### **Management Statement**

*"At this year's K-Show, we are proving live that Roctool's advanced induction technology achieves cycle times never seen before for high-heat resins, offering production stability and superior part quality, while delivering significant energy savings."* **Mathieu Boulanger, CEO of Roctool.**

### **Partnerships at K-Show**

These demonstrations are powered by Roctool's latest Heat & Cool systems, with the mold manufactured by **Moldetipo** (Portugal). Live runs will take place daily on a **KraussMaffei CX 80** with the new LRXplus linear robot with high-performance materials from **SABIC** (ULTEM™ PEI+GF) and **SYENSQO** (KetaSpire® PEEK).



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**Don't miss the live demonstrations of Roctool's  
high-temperature induction molding**

 **Hall 15 C41, every day at K-Show 2025**



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### About Roctool:

Founded in 2000 and listed on Euronext Growth, Roctool is a global expert in induction technologies for plastic and composite molding. With operations in Europe, North America, and Asia, Roctool provides complete solutions: proprietary generators, tooling, engineering services, and simulation. Its technologies cover injection, compression, and composites, with a clear value proposition: faster cycles, higher surface quality, and lower energy consumption.