Precision Parts: AccuPort 432®

An aerospace manufacturer is producing high quality precision parts for commercial, military, and space components made out of stainless steel. They are using an Okuma NXVA 4 axis VMC with 1,000 PSI coolant through the tool.

Using a total of 5 tools to produce their products created several problems for the customer. For example, they had to deal with elevated regrind and stocking fees, increased tool changes, and quality issues due to blending several tool operations. Additionally, the customer was also having a problem producing a quality port because of the required 10" reach and needed a better finish.

The **AccuPort 432**[®] was successful. Not only was the customer was able to significantly reduce their cycle time, but they also dramatically increased tool life. Therefore, the customer greatly decreased their cost of production.



		Measure	Competitor	AccuPort 432®
Product: Objective: Industry: Part: Material:	AccuPort 432® Reduce required tooling Aerospace Precision parts Stainless steel		4 Tool Process • Spot tool • Drill • End mills (2 different sizes) • Special port form	• 650 RPM • 0.006 IPR
		Cycle Time	18 min 41 sec	30 sec



