



Sorion Electronics Limited Newsletter

2014

2014 has been another great year for Sorion Electronics Limited with unprecedented growth across four key areas....

1. Growing Turnover

Sorion's Turnover continued to grow well in 2014. Our Clients have seen an increase in production which has resulted in Sorion winning more sales orders and higher contract values. 2014 has been our best year on record!



2. Growing Workforce

To meet the demand of all the additional workload we have had to increase our workforce again, taking on additional staff across every area of our operation. With these additions, we are looking to improve our response times as the manufacturing sector is increasingly battling with short lead times from capital approval to manufacture.

In 2014 we welcomed to our team:-

- Mark Askew, Customer Support Engineer.
- Dan Crichton, Senior Software Engineer.
- Teresa Pickworth, PA to Directors
- Cosmin Carac, Trainee Electronics Engineer
- Stephen Everitt, Test Engineer
- Rob Horton, Operations Manager
- Csaba Szekely, Design Engineer
- Nathan Marshall, Store Person

However, we still need more people!



Over the coming months we are hoping to expand our workforce further with immediate requirements for Technical Support Engineers and Panel Wirers/Technicians.

Details for all of these roles can be found on our website at www.sorion.co.uk.

3. Growing Facilities/Improvements to Work Area

3D Printer

Sorion, with the help of local Government Funding (ERDF/BCC), has recently purchased a 3D Printer to enable us to produce bespoke parts such as equipment mounting brackets and ruggedised connectors etc.



Ford Transit Connect Van

To assist the Sorion Team getting to Customer and Supplier sites we now have a company van.



Since taking on additional units we now need to expand our workspace yet again and will be introducing a new mezzanine area on our manufacturing unit.

4. Growing Markets

Part of Sorion's growth is due to expanding our expertise into non-automotive sectors with major contracts for test and calibration machines for white goods manufacturing and

error-proofing and traceability systems for aircraft seat manufacturing. These are coupled with major contract growth for tier one suppliers, particularly with Force Application Machines and electrical test facilities.

Round-the-Clock Customer Support

Apart from strengthening our capabilities we are now automatically including software Escrow with our Support Contracts. Our customers have the security of knowing that there is a permanently manned help-line with engineers available 24-7 for those contracted for this level of support and the protection of an Escrow agreement.

We encourage all of our customers with production critical equipment to contract for support. This enables us to respond to your urgent production needs when your first line maintenance team cannot get you up and running again.

Apprenticeships



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We have sought assistance from The Engineering Employers Foundation and local Universities as over the next few months we will begin looking for apprenticeship's to commence in both our Manufacturing and Software Development Teams in September 2015.

