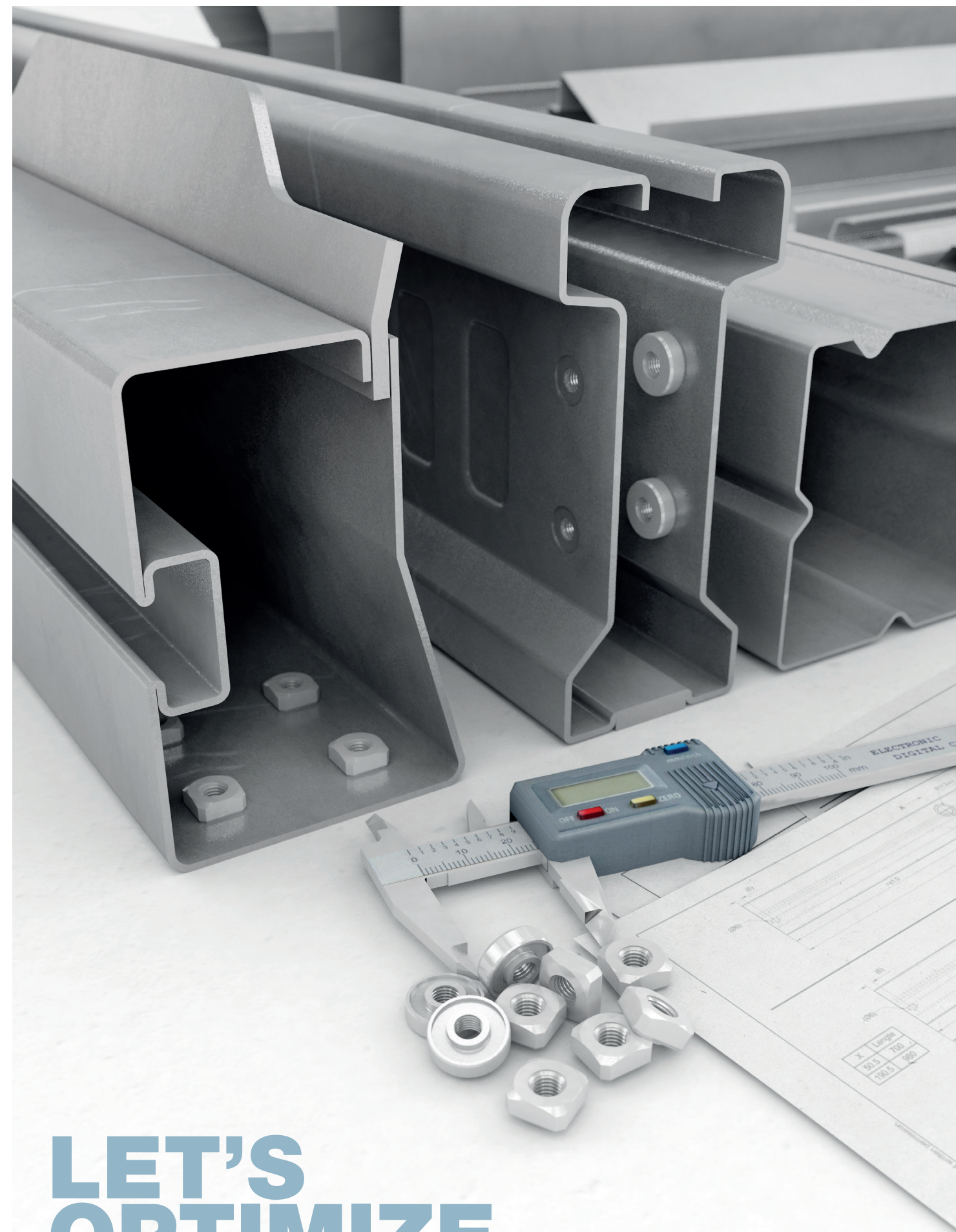


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WE KEEP ON OPTIMIZING

Koen Decruyenaere, *R&D Manager*

"As an R&D manager, I have the privilege of being in close contact with customers during the process of co-engineering."

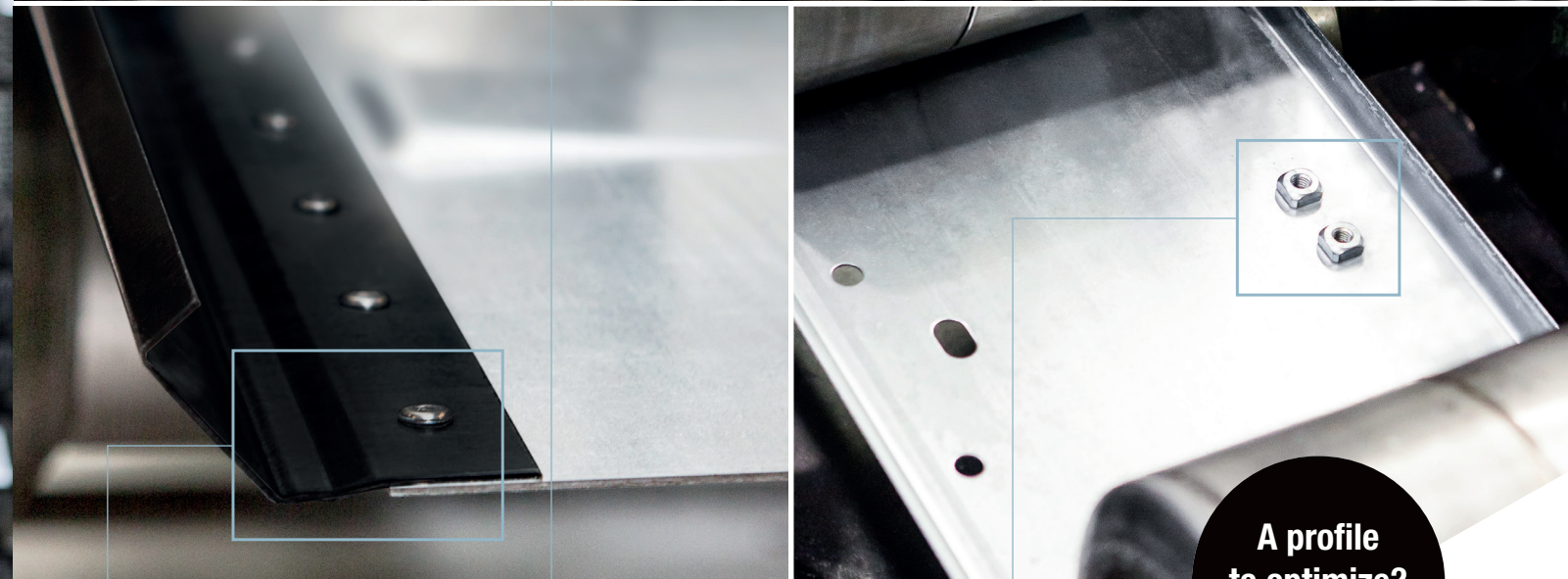
Markets are evolving and are under constant pressure. As a result, our customers are looking for more attractive and cost-efficient product solutions.

As a leading company in roll-formed solutions, voestalpine SadeF follows the latest market trends in close cooperation with its partners. "Especially in the field of mobility such as trucks, cars and busses, off-road vehicles or even aeroplanes, we noticed the need for lightweight and assembly-friendly solutions", Koen explains.

"We took up the challenge and developed a new roll-forming technology that enables us to make customized profiles in varying

thicknesses and material grades. The inline integration of all kind of inserts, nuts and bolts in a customized profile can reduce the final assembly time by up to 25%. We keep on optimizing solutions for our clients. What is your next challenge?"

"DEVELOPING NEW PRODUCTS MEANS INTEGRATING ALL REQUIRED FUNCTIONALITIES IN A SMART WAY, PUTTING THE RIGHT MATERIAL WHERE IT IS NEEDED"



A profile to optimize?
Call us!



COMBINING VARYING MATERIALS

- + Material grades (construction steel, high strength steel, stainless steel, non-ferrous metal, etc.)
- + Surface coatings (pickled material, pre-galvanized material, pre-painted material, etc.)
- + Up to band width of 750 mm
- + Innovative joining techniques (welding, mechanical and hybrid)

COMBINING VARYING THICKNESSES

- + From 0.7 mm up to 6.0 mm
- + Up to band width of 750 mm
- + Innovative joining techniques (welding, mechanical and hybrid)

INLINE INTEGRATION OF FASTENERS

- + From 0.7 mm up to 8 mm
- + Up to band width of 1000 mm
- + Wide range of inserts, nuts and bolts
ZiNi coating or stainless steel

GENERAL BENEFITS:

- + Weight and material saving
- + Assembly time reduction
- + Cost-efficient solution
- + Strongest abrasion and corrosion protection
- + Integration of new functionalities
- + New design possibilities

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