

# Raise3D MetalFuse

# Full In-House FFF 3D Printing Solution

Solution



Raise3D Forge1 Printer



Raise3D D200-E Debinding Furnace



**Raise3D S200-C** Sintering Furnace

# **Q** What does Raise3D MetalFuse Full in-house FFF Metal 3D Printing Solution Offer?

A Raise3D MetalFuse offers a full in-house FFF metal printing solution for manufacturers who require the internal production of metal parts for various uses.



Learn More

Raise3D MetalFuse: www.raise3d.com/metalfuse

Raise3D Forge1: www.raise3d.com/raise3d-forge1-a-metal-fff-3d-printer

Watch the video: www.youtube.com/watch?v=2-j8qMkvW6E

\*Please consult your local distributor for more information.

## A Simple Process for Users

Raise3D has develop the entire production process from design to printing, to debinding, sintering and to post-processing, all without anything leaving the factory. It includes:

Whole Process of FFF Metal 3D Printing



ideaMaker for Metal



2 Raise3D Forge1







**1** ideaMaker for Metal

To either slice or import Gcode files to the FFF metal printer.

# 2 Raise3D Forge1

A FFF printer that creates objects using thermoplastics. In this case, the 3D printer produces what are called green parts.

#### 3 Raise3D D200-E

Once these green parts are created, they can be subject to process called debinding, and are placed in another machine, the Raise3D D200-E. This results in what are called brown parts.

#### 4 Raise3D S200-C

Finally, the brown parts are quickly sintered in the sintering machine, the Raise3D S200-C. Out of this last machine come the final metal parts, in a manner similar to the MIM process.

# Specialized Slicing Software ideaMaker for Metal

ideaMaker for Metal is slicing software specially developed for metal 3D printing. A special edition of ideaMaker offers templates optimized for this kind of printing, while taking into account the sintering and debinding processes that the 3D-printed parts are subject to after being created with MetalFuse. It features:



#### I Templates for all processes

Metal filament templates were previously validated, and these enable easier slicing.

#### I Easy to set shrink compensation

Unlike other FFF printing methods, metal printing requires a debinding and sintering process to obtain the final parts.

To ensure that the final part matches the intended size, the size of the green parts can be automatically set in the software to account for a certain amount of print shrinkage.

#### Metal FFF 3D Printer-Forge1

After slicing with ideaMaker for Metal, the next step is to use Raise3D's metal FFF 3D printer to print green parts.

As previously mentioned, the Raise3D Forge1 can print green parts using perhaps the most widespread 3D printing technology, Fused Filament Fabrication (FFF), making it highly accessible to on-demand scalable production.

The extensively used nature of this technology creates an ecosystem that drives innovation in various industries with multiple end-use applications.

A hybrid filament of metal and POM-based polymers is used to print the green parts. During printing, the POM melts and the metal particles carried within are deposited.

## Advantages of green parts printed using the Raise3D Forge1



The ability to consistently produce complex parts



Can reliably handle batch printing



Smooth surface finish

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High accuracy for assembly



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High strength and resistance to damage

Compatible with Metal Injection Molding (MIM) process



#### Raise3D Debinding Machine-D200-E

Green parts printed using the Raise3D Forge1 need to be debound by a debinding machine. The Raise3D D200-E is a catalytic ethanedioic debinding machine specifically created for this effect.

It is used to remove the POM from parts and prepare the metal for sintering. In the presence of oxalic acid in the high-temperature acidic environment created by the machine, the catalyst gas penetrates the green parts and the POM is decomposed and vaporized.

The Raise3D D200-E has great performance as it has a high debinding rate, which can achieve catalyst penetration speed of over 1mm/h. Taking "35.6 × 22.6 × 17.7 mm" Connector Inserts in this case as an example, it can simultaneously process up to 7 trays (70 green parts of a given size) in just 15 hours.

The catalyst, oxalic acid gas, is biodegradable with low toxicity, and the methanal and acidic gas produced in the Raise3D D200-E will be discharged along with the protective gas (nitrogen, argon, etc.) through the exhaust gas filtration system. In this way, the Raise3D D200-E is eco-friendly and suitable for an office environment.

#### Raise3D Sintering Machine-S200-C



After debinding, users get the brown parts, but these parts are very brittle and crispy, they need to be quickly and carefully moved and to a sintering machine, where they will be heated to sintering temperatures.

The Raise3D S200-C is a vacuum sintering machine, designed to carry out the sintering portion of the indirect metal 3D printing process. During the sintering process, the loose debound parts will shrink into dense solid sintered parts.

Taking "35.6 × 22.6 × 17.7 mm" Connector Inserts in this case as an example, Raise3D S200-C can simultaneously process up to 6 trays without at once using the same amount of energy. Additionally, the sintered part's density after sintering reaches 97%.



Green parts need to be debound

#### **Post-Processing Machining/Finishing**

After going through the printing, debinding, and sintering processes, the final metal parts can be put directly into use. However, for a better surface look, or other special assembly requirements, sintered parts can be lightly machined and processed.

This case, drilling is used to assist in adjustments that may be needed for assembly, and the hole tolerance is  $\pm 0.2$ mm.



This case with the post-processing, the sintered part's hole tolerances already meet applicable standards, and the drilled sintered parts will be used directly in a client's wiring testing line.



Post-processing methods, such as magnetic abrasive finishing, electroplating, polishing, are also frequently used to fulfill manufacturer requirements. In the example illustrated above, magnetic abrasive finishing is adopted to make the surface of the connector inserts smoother, making it safer and easier to handle.





#### **Raise3D MetalFuse Solution Benefits**

#### Cost-effective

Raise3D MetalFuse solution makes cost-effective metal printing possible, as the lead time and high production difficulties are all reduced. It utilizes the catalytic debinding process, which leads to 60% off in processing time, and an increase of the part's density of up to 97%.

#### I Environmentally Friendly

Compared to other processes, such as CNC and SLM (Selective Laser Melting), Raise3D Metal-Fuse saves more energy, is less wasteful, and environmentally friendly.

#### I High Accessibility

Raise3D MetalFuse solution makes on-demand scalable production highly accessible. It drives production in various industries with multiple end-use applications, and can meet clients' requirements for batches of end-use metal parts at lower prices, various batch sizes, ensured quality, reduced maintenance costs, etc.



# **Raise3D Forge1 Technical Specifications**

Printer	Forge1			
Build Volume (W × D × H)Single Extruder Pr300 × 300 × 300 mm (11.8 × 1)	Single Extruder Prin	t	Dual Extruder Print	
	300 × 300 × 300 mm (11.8 × 11.	8 × 11.8 inch)	255 × 300 × 300 mm (10 × 11.8 × 11.8 inch)	
Machine Size (W × D × H)	620	620 × 626 × 1390 mm/ 24.4 × 24.6 × 54.7 inch		
Electrical	Power Supply Input	100-240 V AC, 50	)-60 Hz 230 V @3.3 A	
	Power Supply Output	24 V, 600 W		
	Print Technology	FFF (Fused Filame	ent Fabrication)	
	Print Head System	Dual-head with electronic lifting system		
	Filament Diameter	1.75 mm		
	XYZ Step Size	0.78125, 0.78125, 0.078125 micron		
	Print Head Travel Speed	30-150 mm/s		
	Build Plate	Glass Build Plate		
	Max Build Plate Temperature	120°C		
	Heated Bed Material	Silicone		
General	Build Plate Leveling	Auto-Leveling		
	Supported Materials	Metals (Ultrafuse <sup>®</sup> 316L. Ultrafuse <sup>®</sup> 17-4PH) <sup>1</sup>		
		Support laver material: aluminum oxide (Ultrafuse® Support Laver) <sup>2</sup>		
	Nozzle Diameter	0.4 mm (Default), 0.6 mm (Available)		
	Max Nozzle Temperature	300°C		
	Connectivity	Wi-Fi, LAN, USB port, Live camera		
	Noise Emission (Acoustic)	< 55  dB (A) (when building)		
	Operating Ambient Temperature	15°C to 30°C, 10-65% RH, non-condensing		
	Storage Temperature	$-25^{\circ}$ C to $+55^{\circ}$ C, 10-90% RH, non-condensing		
	Slicing Software	ideaMaker for Metal		
Software	Supported File Types	STL/ OBJ/ 3MF/ OLTP		
Solutione	Supported OS	Windows		
	Machine Code Type	GCODE		
	User Interface	7-inch Touch Scr	een	
	Network	Wi-Fi, Ethernet		
	Power Loss Recovery	Available		
Printer	Screen Resolution	1024 × 600		
Controller	Motion Controller	Ateml ARM Corte	ex-M4 120 Mhz FPU	
	Logic Controller	NXP ARM Cortex	-A9 Quad 1 GHz	
	Memory	1 GB		
	Onboard Flash	16 GB		

1. Metal materials are used to print parts and supports.

2. The support layer material can't be printed on its own and is only used for layer isolation, allowing for good separation between the support and the prints after sintering.

This product is intended exclusively for sales, distribution, and use within the European Union, Albania, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Monaco, North Macedonia, Norway, San Marino, Serbia, Switzerland, Turkey, and the United Kingdom, and is only available for customers located in those countries.



# Raise3D D200-E Technical Specifications

Construction	Machine Type	Debinding Furnace	
	Working Volume (W×D×H)	200 × 250 × 200 mm (7.87 × 9.84 × 7.87 inch)	
	Machine Size (W×D×H)	806 × 905 × 1583 mm (31.73 × 35.63 × 62.32 inch)	
	Net Weight	380 kg (838 lbs)	
Electrical	Power Supply Input	220-230 V AC, 50/60 Hz, Single Phase, 20 A/ 4.4 KW Peak Draw	
	Trays	Adjustable Multi-Level Trays (7-Position)	
	Working Temperature	120°C	
	Upper Limit of the Temperature	No higher than 150°C	
	Protection Gas	Argon or Nitrogen	
	Max Catalyst Storage	2 L/ 122 inch <sup>3</sup>	
	Max Gas Flow	5 L/min	
	Sound Pressure Level in the	L <sup>PA</sup> =49.9 dB(A)	
	Operator's Position		
Construction	Sound Power Level	L <sup>WA</sup> =58.8 dB(A)	
	Safety Control	Safety interlocks, Front-mounted E-stop	
	Exhaust Treatment	Activated Carbon Adsorption Facilities	
	Catalyst	Oxalic acid fluid	
	Network	WLAN and Ethernet	
	Onboard Control	7-inch touchscreen display	
	Remote Software	ideaMaker for Metal, RaiseCloud	
	Browser Requirements	Accessible via any web browser	
	Automation	Auto-generated custom debinding cycle, Live job progress tracking	
	Mobility	Swivel casters with adjustable leveling locks	
Material	Material Type	Metals (Ultrafuse® 316L, Ultrafuse® 17-4PH)*	

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## **Raise3D S200-C Technical Specifications**

	Machine Type	Sintering Furnace	
Construction	Working Volume (W×D×H)	200 × 200 × 200 mm (7.87 × 7.87 × 7.87 inch)	
	Machine Size (W×D×H)	1434 × 1137 × 1974 mm (54.46 × 44.76 × 77.72 inch)	
	Net Weight	800 kg (1760 lbs)	
Electrical	Power Supply Input	380-400 VAC, 50/ 60 Hz, 3-Phase (5-wire), 45A/ 30 KW Peak Draw	
	Maximum Heat Load	14 KW	
	Trays	Adjustable Multi-Level Trays (6-Position)	
	Machine Running Time	About 20 hours	
	Peak Internal Temperature	1450°C (2642°F)	
	Protection Gas	1500°C	
	Overheating Protection	Argon, Nitrogen	
	Protection Gas	5832 cm <sup>3</sup> (356 in <sup>3</sup> )	
	Sintering Workload	Graphite Heating Rod	
	Heating Element	L <sub>pa</sub> =62.9 dB(A)	
	Sound Pressure Level in the	L <sub>wa</sub> =74.2 dB(A)	
Operating	Operator's Position		
	Sound Power Level	Front-mounted E-stop, Over-temperature protection	
	Safety Control	Partial-pressure sintering (vacuum-enabled)	
	Atmosphere	±6°C at sintering temperatures	
	Thermal Uniformity	WLAN and Ethernet	
	Network	7-inch touchscreen display	
	Onboard Control	ideaMaker for Metal, RaiseCloud	
	Remote Software	Accessible via any web browser	
	Browser Requirements	Auto-generated custom debinding cycle, Live job progress tracking	
	Automation	Accessible via any web browser	
	Pre-Emergency Stop	Yes	
Material	Material Type	Metals (Ultrafuse <sup>®</sup> 316L, Ultrafuse <sup>®</sup> 17-4PH)*	

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