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Bronx straightening machine for a shipyard

Meyer Turku (Finland), one of the world's leading cruise ship builders, contracted Fives, a global industrial engineering group, to design and supply Bronx straightening equipment.

Fives will design and deliver a fully automated and motorised Bronx 13-roll straightening machine to process bulb sections up to 220mm wide, which feature heavily in the construction of cruise ships, ferries and special vessels and will form part of a profile preservation line.

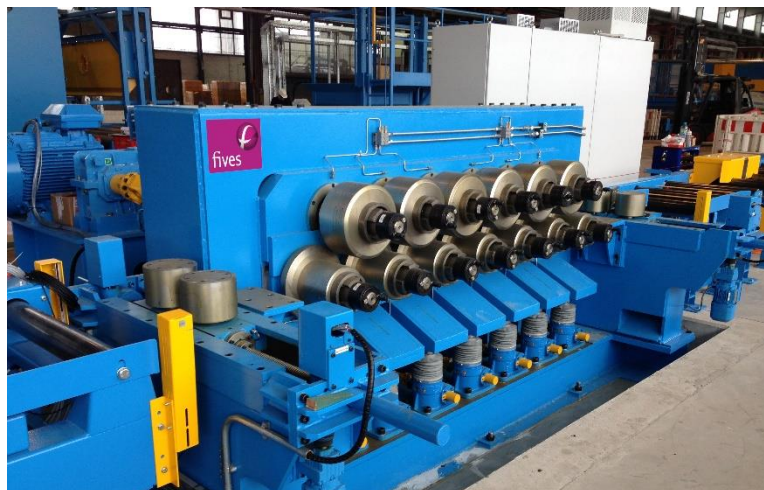
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The Bronx straightening machine is due to be installed and commissioned during the summer of 2017 and will represent the second straightening installation to be supplied to the Meyer Group, in the last four years.

Bronx section straightening machines

Fives provides a broad range of high performance Bronx section straighteners, including fixed center, variable center, multi-strand, two plane and between housing. Bronx machines can accurately and efficiently straighten the widest range of ferrous and nonferrous sections produced.

Section straightening machines are equipped with patented COMPASS system (COMPUter Aided Setting System) to automatically compute the optimum roll settings and adjust the rolls to the proper position.



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About Fives in Steel

Fives provides highly efficient technical solutions for the steel industry in the carbon, stainless and silicon sectors. Fives' global offer includes thermal, mechanical, induction equipment, surface treatment, rolling and strip processing for flat, tube & pipe and long products. Fives also offers a wide range of expert services, including metallurgical assistance, auditing, technical consulting, downstream client support, upgrade and retrofit capabilities. Fives' technologies achieve ultimate product quality, enhanced flexibility, reduced OPEX and minimized environmental impact.

About Fives

Fives is an industrial engineering Group with a heritage of over 200 years of engineering excellence and expertise. Fives designs and supplies machines, process equipment and production lines for the world's largest industrial groups in various sectors such as aluminum, steel, glass, automotive, logistics, aerospace, cement and energy, in both developing and developed countries.

In all these sectors, Fives designs and manufactures equipment and innovative solutions, which better anticipate and meet the needs of its customers in terms of performance, quality, safety and respect for the environment.

In 2015, Fives achieved a turnover of 1.7 billion euros and employed 8,300 people in over thirty countries.



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