



Digital Manufacturing Network: Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

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1. Why is HP launching a Digital Manufacturing Network Program?

Our objective is to accelerate digital manufacturing at scale through 2 core vectors: 1) growth of demand for HP Multi Jet Fusion final parts and 2) growth and enablement of production capacity. The program will assist companies who require more rigorous and demanding quality, quantity and economic requirements in finding additive manufacturing partners.

2. What are the program criteria and qualifications?

Each partner is responsible to develop capabilities and meet the program requirements. This may require investing appropriately with technology, people, processes and expertise.

The program is based on 4 areas of criteria: Production Business, Additive Manufacturing Capability, Manufacturing Process and Run At Rate.

Examples of key sub-criteria include but are not limited to the following:

- Proven multi-job success of production jobs
- ISO 9001 Certified
- Operating and maintaining a fleet of MJF devices
- Defined and executing quality management processes and procedures

3. Is HP certifying the DMN Partners jobs or parts produced?

No, HP is not certifying nor is liable for the quality of jobs or parts produced. Quality requirements for a job are to be agreed upon by the DMN partner and the partner's customer.

4. Who are the partners? Will more partners be added to the program?

Refer to DMN section in hp.com website where you can find the latest qualified list of partners.

HP is committed to developing the program globally. Additional partners will be added in alignment with the intent of the program and the development of the production market.

5. What if my company is interested in finding a partner?

Please find the partners and their associated capabilities on the DMN section in hp.com website.

6. What if my company is interested in being a partner?

Please contact your HP 3D Printing Specialist.

