

## THE COMPANY AND ITS HISTORY

This specific manufacturing company has been a key player

– both in Italy and abroad – of the practical evolution
in realising components upholstered in leather, technical
materials-carbon fibres and fabrics of the highest qualitative
and technological level for the field of Automotive,
Transportation and Railway.

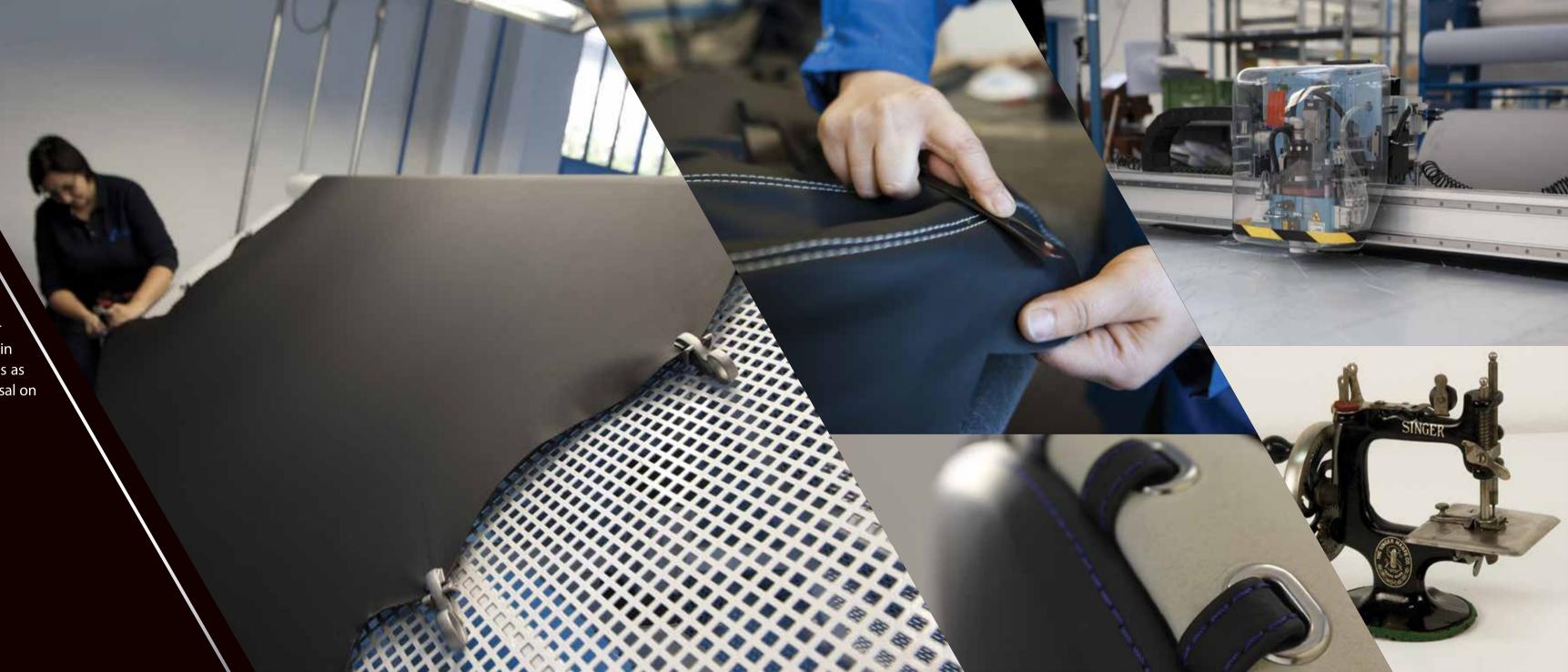
In 1999 it reaches full operative and prototype/commercial maturity thanks to Riccardo Guareri and Sergio Capello's personalities, and decides to break away from Gruppo Gallino, though keeping the same organizational set-up. It's in these years that the company – by developing cooperation with important groups in the car field, such as TRW Automotive, Autoliv, Lear, Adler Evo, Isgringhausen, Gruppo Fiat, Ferrari, Lamborghini - consolidates its presence on both national and international markets and becomes a leader in this field.



#### A HISTORY OF RESEARCH

Continuous research in the prototype environment, alongside well-known style centres Italdesign (Giugiaro), Bertone Stile, Centro Stile Fiat and others, nowadays allows Aras to be a benchmark, in excellence, in the development and outfitting of sport and particularly refined trims (Ferrari, Maserati, Lamborghini, Mc Laren, Audi ecc...)

The Know-How acquired in the automotive field has pushed the company into researching new opportunities in other environments, allowing it to reach remarkable results also in the fields of aeronautics and railways. The latter sees Aras as a key player in the production of interiors, in the proposal on new solutions and materials.





By researching continuously-evolving quality and always investing in this sense, Aras has acquired high-profile supply contracts from big names in Automotive, such as Ferrari, Maserati, Lamborghini, Fiat, Iveco, Pininfarina, Ford and Audi, proving to be – as always – up to satisfying the requests from the most demanding clients.

In the recent past the company has made itself known for the production of tailor-made miniseries of leather components for the car industry, but it has a much wider Know-How.

In fact, during its long-standing experience it has developed the technology of the plants for leather, imitation leather, plastic materials and carbon fibres manufacturing, thus acquiring a competitiveness and competence that make it a benchmark in this field.



#### **RAILWAY**

The remarkable qualitative evolution of this specific branch has allowed Aras to become the right interlocutor in the whole environment of interiors.

The great attention Aras has dedicated to the research of new upholstering materials and ergonomics of seats, together with a strong attention and competence in the latest fire/smoke legislation, identifies Aras as one of the most performing and expert companies in the field.



#### **AERONAUTICS**

Many years of experience in the prototype field for the Automotive environment have allowed Aras to study and realise elaborate trims typical of this multi-technological branch. Specifically, the refinement of rich materials especially used in the VIP and Business categories has been much appreciated.



## NAVAL NAUTICAL

Also this branch stands out especially in the high range where a manufacturing company can satisfy the most daring customizations.

Leather cutting and its handcrafted confection represent the ultimate certain flagship for Aras.

Aras's prototype staff represent a support of excellence for all naval designers.



#### PROTOTYPES AND PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

Each project starts with a careful analysis of the client's requests. From the very first phases of the creation of a prototype we try to simplify the product and then produce it more easily.

Working in Aras hence means having the ability to look beyond the first appearance of a project in order to find its weak points and manage to remove them.

Each member of the Aras team works with experience and passion, putting their abilities to the use of researching excellent results: from the choice of materials to the care for finishing, every step is taken with craftsman's knowledge and industrial efficiency.

Aras is a direct supplier of Ferrari, Lamborghini and Gruppo Fiat in the prototype field; it can supply a service of excellence thanks to the availability of 3 prototype areas equipped to satisfy any need when realizing interiors.

Such areas are managed with access restriction in compliance with the respect of data and information privacy management.



# CHARME & GLAMOUR

An artisan environment, which has spent years designing and realizing products carrying the hallmark of the top expression of Italian Style, could not be indifferent to this specific field, more and more integral and complementary part of luxury products.

Elegance has always been the symbol of "made in Italy" and Aras has thought about enriching its production with refined objects, such as leather laptop holders, leather folders and high-tech fabrics, cases and customized suitcase sets, desk sets, etc.

Aras, constantly researching new solutions and mixes of rich materials, is developing stylish products through the use of carbon fibres, leather and suede, put together with knowledge and taste for innovation.





Aras is a state-of-the-art company that works with continuously monitored and up-to-date technology.

The value of the realization process, already certified in the year 2000 according to the UNI EN ISO 9001 legislation, has been judged positively again by the certifying body, and obtained the ISO TS 16949 certificate in 2006, as required by a constantly evolving market.

Furthermore, Aras not only takes advantage of external laboratories for specific analysis, but it also has a small internal lab for bonding tests.







## OUR MACHINERY

Aras is continuously seeking state-of-the-art equipment and machinery which allow it to produce the most daring creations. Aras has an internal mechanic workshop which allows it to realize some of the tools needed for upholstering, thanks to a well-qualified team.



## OUR HEADQUARTERS

The evolution of Aras in the last years has made it necessary to move to a new building that would allow us to have an adjustment in space and an optimization of the company's process management. While realizing the new site, maximum attention has been put into reducing the impact on the environment and guaranteeing maximum ergonomics and healthiness of the workplace, through the use of the most innovative solutions of aspiration, heating and air recycling with filters. Top quality resin-covering that allows the best cleaning of the departments must also be added.



