



Line Extension - Honda, Swindon

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Contractor

Honda of the UK Manufacturing

Architect Rothera Goodwin

Engineer SSOE

Steel Tonnage 800 tonnes

Caunton Engineering worked throughout the summer of 2006 at Honda's Plant at Swindon, contributing to the impressive expansion plans of what, was at the time, the UK's largest car manufacturer.

Honda Motor Europe Ltd had announced that Honda of the UK Manufacturing Ltd (HUM), European auto manufacturing entity in Swindon, intended to increase its rate of production to a quarter of a million units per year during 2007. In order to meet the increase in demand for its cars, 700 new jobs were created.

Caunton were pleased to have been very much a part of this development. The company was helping extend Honda's production by supplying and erecting the steelwork for several projects – an extension to the Production Plant, the framing Plastic Operation building and two major gantry bridges.