# **Surface finishing**

We make aluminium smarter.

apt is a reliable partner for aluminium surface finishing. We combine modern processes and technology with a well-coordinated team of experts, guaranteeing a smooth process, whether it is a small profile or a large workpiece.





### **Facts and figures**

Production capacity anodizing p.a.

**7M** m<sup>2</sup>

Production capacity powder coating p.a.

1M m<sup>2</sup>

Anodizing plant in Monheim (DE) and Roermond (NL)

2 Locations

Powder coating and passivation in Eckental (DE)

**All RAL-colors** 

In-house profile dimensions (lengths, max. unit weight)

- up to 8,000 mm
- up to 250 kg

Dimensions powder coating

 $4 \text{ m} \times 1.5 \text{ m} \times 0.25 \text{ m}$ 

Anodizing layer thickness

5 to 25 μm

Coating thickness powder coating

60 to 80 µm

## **Aluminium finishing process**

### **Anodizing**

- In Germany, apt has one of Europe's largest fully automated anodizing plants.
- C-0 aluminium colored (natural color, E6 / V1)
- Anodizing the inside of aluminium tubes or profiles (internal anodizing)
- Electrolytic dying: Bronze (C-31) to black (C-35)

### **Passivation**

 Fully automated passivation unit

### **Powder coating**

 Fully automated powder coating facility

### **Excellent and sustainable product quality**



### Anodizing for

- Resistance in outdoor areas
- Corrosion protection
- Individual design requirements



#### **Anodizing for**

- Abrasion protection for system profiles
- Improving the cooling performance of heat sinks
- Electrical insulation
- Customized design of machine components
- Internal anodizing for specific industrial applications



#### Powder coating and anodizing for

- Abrasion and corrosion protection (structural and system components)
- Stabilization of the production process (welding) through passivation
- Individual design requirements



### Powder coating for

- Durability due to wear and corrosion protection
- Design requirements (color)









