



Institut de Recherche Dupuy de Lôme
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UMR 6027 DUPUY DE LÔME RESEARCH INSTITUTE IRDL

IRDL brings together research activities in the domain of Sciences for the Engineer in Brittany, mainly in the area of renewable marine energy and shipbuilding. Through its numerous collaborations with industrial partners in the maritime domain, IRDL links pure research, engineering, and technology.

IRDL is structured into four Thematic Research Hubs (PTR):

- ▶ PTR 1/ Composites, nanocomposites, biocomposites.
- ▶ PTR 2/ Multi-material assemblies
- ▶ PTR 3/ Structures, fluids, and interactions.
- ▶ PTR 4/ Energy systems.
- ▶ PTR 5/ Sustainability of heterogeneous materials.

EFFECTIFS

303 membres dont :

- ▶ 106 chercheurs (53 UBS)
- ▶ 113 doctorants (88 UBS)

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TUTELLES



SCIENTIFIC DOMAINS

Chemistry, Mechanics of Materials, Energy.

APPLICATION SECTORS

Aeronautics / Aerospace / Agriculture /
Automotive / Building sector /
Civil engineering / Energy / Marine renewable
energies / Environment / Eco-activities /
Marine sector / Healthcare.

EXPERTISE

Thematic Research Hub 1 (PTR1)

Composites, nanocomposites, biocomposites:
Identification and characterization of polymer,
fibrillar, or mineral meso-structures with dynamic
structuring in the presence of interfaces or in
confined conditions.

Research strands:

- Design of new eco-composites;
- Design of stimuable nanocomposite systems;
- Rheology and modeling of composite
environment flows;
- Polymers and composites for automated
implementation;
- Characterization of composites under dynamic
loading.

Thematic Research Hub 2 (PTR2)

Multi-material assemblies: Development,
characterization, and modeling of techniques
enabling the assembly of materials of different
kinds for long service life in severe
environments.

Research strands:

- Study and optimization of assembly
processes;
- Characterization of the long-term performance
of assemblies;
- Development of hybrid assembly techniques
for hybrid/composite structures.

Thematic Research Hub 3 (PTR3)

Structures, fluids and interactions: Materials
and structures behavior in interaction with their
environment and/or the manufacturing
processes.

Research strands:

- Structures, fluids, and interactions;
- From shaping to dynamic behaviors.

Thematic Research Hub 4 (PTR4)

Energy systems: Design, characterization
and optimization of operations in use.

Research strands:

- Thermal and energy;
- Energy and electromechanical systems.

Thematic Research Hub 5 (PTR5)

Sustainability of heterogeneous materials:
Modeling and forecast of materials
and structures health.

Research strands:

- Non-linear behavior of heterogeneous
materials;
- Material and structural fatigue
and sustainability.

SPECIFIC EQUIPMENT

IRDL uses a first-class test and measures
center at both national and international levels.

This means IRDL needs to acquire
considerable means for testing and
measurement and observations at a large range
of scales, from microstructure to minstructure.

These means involve generic themes:

- Characterization and observation at nano and
microscopic levels;
- Characterization at macroscopic level;
- Pilot development, prototyping, and design;
- Software programs and scientific computing.

SCIENTIFIC COLLABORATION

IRDL demonstrates strong capacity to find
funding for the projects ANR (14), FUI (25) or
European projects such as H2020 and Interreg
(4).

TECHNOLOGICAL PLATFORMS

- CompositIC: Technological platform specializing in the automated manufacturing sector for materials and additive manufacturing;
 - PRODIABIO: Technological platform specializing in the agrifood sector.
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KEYWORDS

Thermodynamics / Energy efficiency / Isolation / Energy Storage and conversion / Ecomaterials.

