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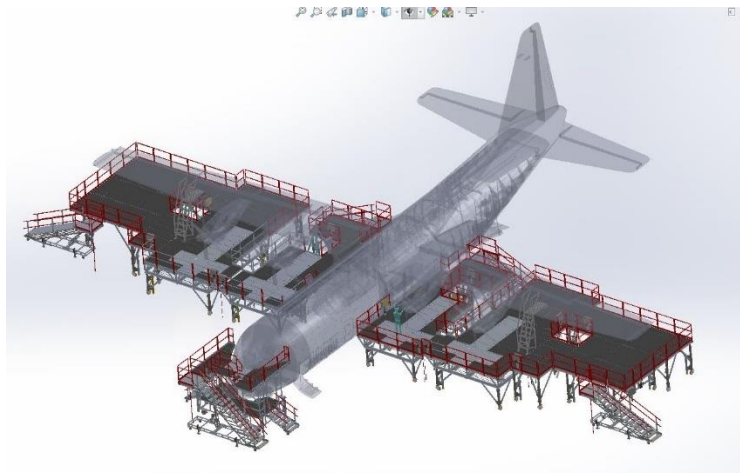
KWD Aircraft Support Equipment Completes L-100 Maintenance Stand Design

CLEVELAND, OHIO, USA – August 21, 2020 – KWD Aircraft Support Equipment (KWD) is pleased to announce the completion of a custom L-100 aircraft maintenance stand design. Having been contracted by a U.S.-based maintenance, repair and overhaul company in early 2020, KWD was tasked to “design and build a maintenance stand to support our efforts on and around Lockheed Martin L-100 aircraft.” KWD’s engineering team completed the design in July 2020, which was approved by the customer in August 2020.

“We are excited to have completed the phase one design aspect of this project and now look forward to its phase two production portion,” said Nathan Haber, Vice President of Sales and Business Development. “Our plan is to leverage our Lockheed Martin and international business contacts to expand sales of this product throughout the world.”

The Lockheed L-100 Hercules is the civilian variant of the prolific C-130 Hercules military transport aircraft. Its first flight occurred in 1964, with 114 total aircraft delivered by the time its production concluded in 1992. An updated variant of the aircraft, model [LM-100J](#), was introduced to the market in 2017.

KWD, a member company of The PDI Group, specializes in the design and manufacture of C-130 and P-3 aircraft support equipment. Its diverse product portfolio includes, but is not limited to, Propeller Dollies, Quick Engine Change (QEC) Dollies, aircraft maintenance stands and aircraft slings. For more information on The PDI Group, please visit www.thepdigroup.com.



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