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## **ROTENA** presents the European Survey Report

Following the project's initial stages, a survey report was developed, which analyses the answers to a web-based survey with questions on robotics and 3D printing. The questions were given to three groups of stakeholders: providers of vocational education and training, small and medium-sized enterprises, and interested individuals.

## Conclusions of the survey report

A clear majority of small and medium-sized enterprises plans on implementing robotics in their work processes in the future, which emphasises the need for workers who are skilled in these fields.

> It is essential to not only offer traditional kinds of education in the robotics field, but to also venture into online tools and online education.

> Online learning will allow for great flexibility in terms of time, curricula, and forms of education.

> There is a need to educate not only future workers, but also todav's employees.

## Some details from the **ROTENA** report

36% of respondents had no knowledge about robotics in an industrial setting.

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45% of respondents use 3D printing in their companies.

83% of the respondents would consider taking a free robotics course if they had the opportunity to do so.

**90%** of respondents think that knowledge in robotics will give them an advantage in their professional fields in the future.





The detailed survey report examines the current situation of robotics and 3D printing in Europe. It looks at the impact these technologies have on society and on the way people are educated about them.

To get access to the survey report, an executive summary and future ROTENA outcomes, go to the project website: http://rotena.eu











