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The A300 European Airbus is designed and built by the major aircraft manufacturing organisations of France, Germany, Britain, Holland and Spain, and powered by two General Electric CF6-50 new technology 'quiet' fan engines. It made its first flight in 1972 and entered service with Air France in 1974. In this issue O. Gökgöl, Head of Design Development Department, MBB, outlines the problems encountered during the fatigue testing of the aircraft fuselage.



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