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The author stresses the importance and necessity of organizing research and development work in common, in the machine-tool building industry of Switzerland in view of being able to meet competition on the international market. In connection with the above, the manner of organizing these works is described, as well as the possibilities and requirements for the collaboration of the enterprises according to the following criteria: kind of research, organisatory forms, partners (suppliers and non-competing firms in the same branch), financing, size of firms, size of market, location of enterprise and problems regarding the staff.