



We have a full range of **DL Ricci** Clamshell lathes for hire. We stock 38 clamshells in 5 locations nationwide that range from 50mm to 1500 mm diameter.

Clamshell lathes are used for



Cold cutting in confined spaces. Spark free machining improves safety for adjacent workers

Designed for operations in restricted areas with limited clearance

Improved productivity because they can Cut & Bevel simultaneously



Reduced fatigue and improve safety for operators when pipework is out of position. Clamshell lathes negate the safety issues associated with 9inch grinders

Used extensively for cold cutting in hot permit & explosion risk areas



Improved fit-up, QA, and weld-out times

Machining compound angles on heavy wall reduces weld-out time

Machine cutting minimizes foreign debris entering critical path to protect downstream plant



Machine stainless and exotic grade materials that require precision weld prep joints

Machine high alloy materials that will not tolerate a pre-weld HAZ

Match boring for Id transitions