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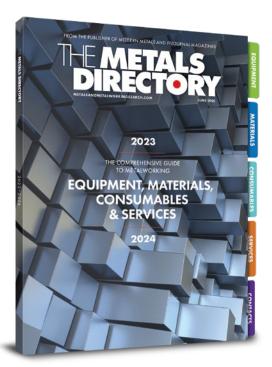
UNRIVALED INDUSTRY COVERAGE

THE METALS DIRECTORY

ANNUAL BUYERS GUIDE FOR METALWORKING EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS, CONSUMABLES AND SERVICES

2023-2024

MEDIA KIT > MULTIMEDIA MARKETING GUIDE



THE METALS DIRECTORY

2023-2024 ANNUAL PRINT EDITION

The annual June *Metals Directory* is the ONLY printed buyers guide for metalworking equipment, materials, consumables and services. With a broad audience of 40,110* metal service centers, fabricators and OEM/end users, *The Metals Directory* is a valuable source referred to throughout the year.

TOTAL CIRCULATION 40,110*

*Publisher's data. Replaces the June issues of Modern Metals and FF-Journal magazines. Circulation of 40,110 is a combination of Modern Metals and FF-Journal magazine's Dec. 2022 BPA Brand Reports of print circulation.

FOR DISPLAY ADVERTISING, SEE PAGE 4

SHOWCASE YOUR BRAND

COMPANY LOGO

Highlight your company's capabilities by placing a logo within our 1000+ equipment, materials, consumables and services categories.

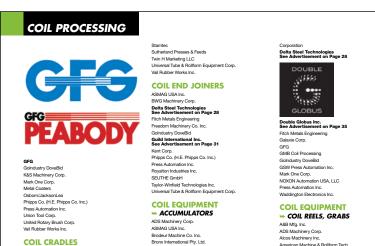
COLOR LOGO IN THE COMPANY CONTACTS SECTION

- INITIAL 1 INCH: \$500 NET additional logo purchases at \$75 net
- INITIAL 2 INCH: \$675 NET additional logo purchases at \$100 net

BONUS! Buy a logo in the print edition and get a FREE company logo with your free listing on MetalsandMetalworkingSearch.com.

REGISTER OR UPDATE YOUR FREE COMPANY LISTING FOR THE PRINT EDITION OF THE METALS DIRECTORY BEFORE MAY 8, 2023 BY GOING TO metalsandmetalworkingsearch.com.

NEED HELP? Contact **Traci Fonville** at **312-654-2325** or **tfon@trendpublishing.com**.





Display advertising closing: 5/12/23 • Advertising material due: 5/19/23

THE METALS DIRECTORY 2023-2024

BONUS DISTRIBUTION

2023 TRADE SHOW & CONFERENCES

Annual Copper & Brass Supply Chain Association (CBSCA) Convention

Copper & Brass Supply Chain Association (CBSCA) Red Metals Summit

North American Steel Alliance (NASA) **Annual Meeting**

North American Steel Alliance (NASA) Forecast Conference

NASCC:

The Steel Conference

National Coil Coating Assoc. (NCCA)

Annual Meeting

National Coil Coating Assoc. (NCCA) Fall Meeting

Steel Market Update (SMU) Steel Summit

SMU Tampa Steel Conference

Fabtech



PRINT ADVERTISING RATES



DISPLAY ADVERTISING RATES

RATES INCLUDE ALL COLOR AND ANY FREQUENCY

FULL PAGE ADS	\$5,000 net
TWO-THIRD PAGE ADS	\$4,000 net
HALF PAGE ISLAND ADS	\$3,500 net
HALF PAGE VERTICAL ADS	\$3,000 net
HALF PAGE HORIZONTAL ADS	\$2,500 net
THIRD PAGE SQUARE OR VERTICAL ADS	\$2,000 net
QUARTER PAGE ADS	\$1,500 net

AD AGENCY: Add 15%

PREMIUM ADVERTISING POSITIONS

TAB PAGES ▶ \$8,500

Published on 100-lb. stock, tab pages are a great way for advertisers to stand out. A total of 8 tab page positions are available for advertisers. Categories include Equipment, Materials, Consumables, Services and Contacts. Advertising is available on the front and back side of each tab page on a first-come basis.

COVER POSITIONS

Reserve your premium position now.

Inside Front Cover: \$7,700

Inside Back Cover: **\$7,500**

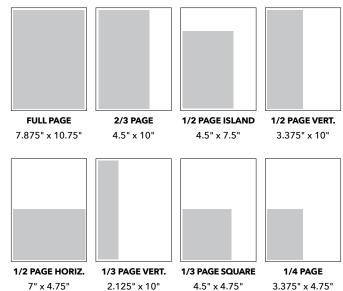
▶ Back Cover: **\$8,000**

ADVERTISER BONUS

Print display advertisers receive bold face listings and reference to ad page location

PRINT MECHANICAL **SPECIFICATIONS**

PUBLICATION TRIM SIZE: 7.875" x 10.75"



Live Area: Keep live matter at least 0.25" away from trim dimensions.

Bleed: Please allow an 0.125" bleed on all sides.

Fractional ads do not bleed.

Single page bleed size: 8.125" x 11" 2-Page Spread Bleed: 16.25" x 11"

Printing: Web offset, SWOP standards apply.

Binding: Saddle-stitch

PRINT MEDIA & FILE FORMATS

SUBMITTING ADS ELECTRONICALLY IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED.

- File size <5 MB may be emailed to carlotta@modernmetals.com
- For file sizes larger than 5MB, please contact Carlotta Lacy, VP Production, at 312/654-2318 to obtain uploading instructions.
- Preferred file format: PDF/X-1a
- Alternate file formats accepted:
 - High-resolution, press-optimized PDFs
 - Native Application Files: QuarkXpress or InDesign-Include all screen and printer versions of fonts used and linked high-resolution (300 dpi minimum) images
 - Illustrator (create outlines) or Photoshop files

- We do not accept files created in Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Publisher, CorelDraw, Pagemaker or any presentation software.
- ▶ Image Requirements: All images for ads should be color corrected and provided at or above our minimum resolution requirement of 300 dpi. Image files should be CMYK and in .tif or .eps file format.

SUBMITTING ADS ON PHYSICAL MEDIA IS ALSO PERMITTED.

Submit all materials to: Trend Publishing 123 W. Madison St., Suite 950 Chicago, IL 60602

▶ Proofs: A SWOP Certified* contract level proof is required for color guidance on press. Color laser & ink jet proofs will only be used for content checking and will not serve as color guidance on press. If a SWOP certified proof is not supplied, Trend Publishing cannot guarantee the color reproduction of your ad.

*For more information on SWOP standards and acceptable proofs, please visit www.swop.org or www. idealliance.org.

- Film: Film negatives are not accepted.
- Alterations to Materials: Requests for minor changes to existing or on-file materials will be reviewed on an individual basis. Depending on how the original files are set up, it may not be possible to make some changes, and therefore new materials may be requested.

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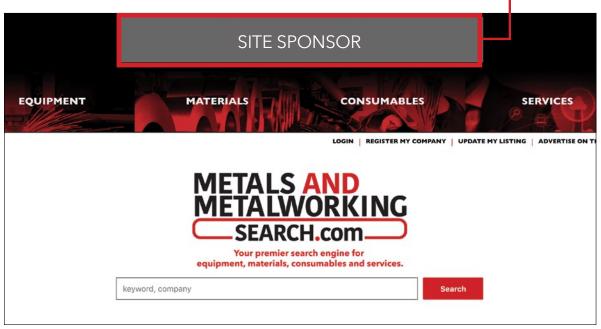
THE METALS DIRECTORY ONLINE

METALS & METALWORKING SEARCH

THE ONLY SEARCH ENGINE EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE METALWORKING INDUSTRY FEATURING OVER 2,000 COMPANY LISTINGS IN MORE THAN 1,000 PRODUCT CATEGORIES.

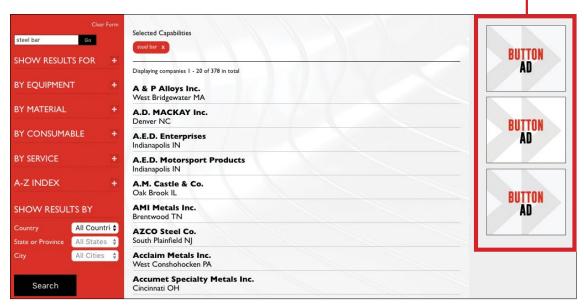


SITE SPONSOR



SITE SPONSOR– Exclusive to one advertiser per year. Display your company message on our home page complete with link to your value added Enhanced listing. **Specs: 728 x 90 pixels**

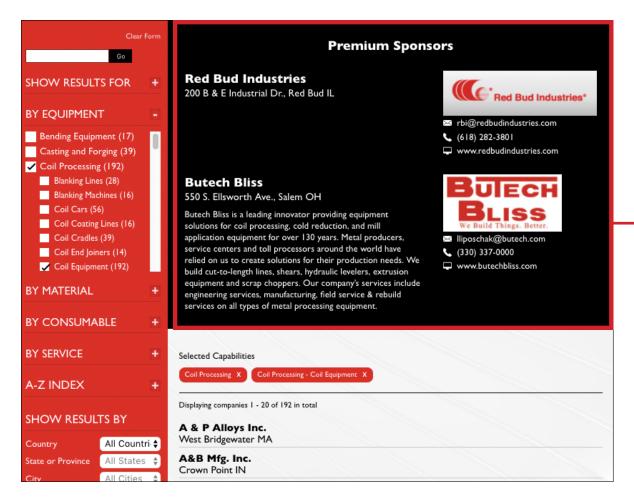




Grab a decision maker's attention with **EACH** and **EVERY** product search—links to your detailed listing. **Specs: 180 X 150 pixels**

Contact your sales representative (see page 8) for rates.

PREMIUM SPONSORSHIPS



BE FIRST TO BE SEEN IN SEARCH RESULTS. Secure one of the top two spots in targeted search results for an entire year. Purchase a Premium Sponsorship and receive all **ENHANCEMENTS** to your company's listing for FREE.

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ENHANCEMENTS

Enhance your company listing for a more complete picture of your company and its capabilities.

COMPANY LOGO

Your company's logo appears with your listing.

CONTACT LISTING

Include your full address, phone number, email, and website.

COMPANY DESCRIPTION

Provide a 100 word company description.

GALLERY

Showcase your installation photos, product shots, facility photos, or video (link to YouTube video) etc.

RESOURCE

Provide links to your company's existing content; Articles, white papers, webinars, literature, Blogs, etc.

To enhance your listing, go to Metalsandmetalworkingsearch.com (credit cards accepted) or contact Traci Fonville at 312-654-2325 or tfon@trendpublishing.com.



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