

Eurotranciatura facilities located near Milano, Italy

Pounded in 1967, Eurotranciatura has grown to become one of the world's premier manufacturers of blanked laminations. The formula to success has been clear from the beginning -- give a dynamic response to meet the needs of customers, continuous investment in increased

Some of the many new presses that were recently installed at Eurotranciatura.

production, improved efficiency and quality.

"In 1973 we were wanting to increase our overall efficiency and our image in the market," Eurotranciatura President Sergio Iori said. "We decided to buy our first Minster Press -- a decision I don't regret."

Today Eurotranciatura has 28 Minster presses, ranging from 150 to 540 tons.

"Our success and growth is well due to our Minster presses," Iori added.

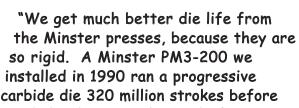
Located near Milano, Italy, Eurotranciatura formed an industrial group with nearby companies in 1987. Today the 'Euro Group' includes: Eurotranciatura; SAF, a manufacturer of small electric motor laminations; Corrada, a manufacturer of high quality carbide dies; AlCast, an aluminum foundry specializing in die castings; and Technologie Applicate, which produces automation equipment for electric motor laminations.

The combined Euro Group has the capability to supply customers with an integrated package of high quality products and services.

Eurotranciatura specializes in loose laminations with an external diameter of 600mm, and interlocked laminations for rotating electrical machines. With the largest annealing

and blueing capacity in Europe, Eurotranciatura has established itself one

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Utilizing larger presses, Eurotranciatura is able to blank laminations with an outside diameter of up to 600 mm.

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"The rigidity and tight tolerances of our Minster presses, even after many years of work, has been a key to our success," Sergio said. "The rigidity ensures a low level of dangerous vibrations, which effect the functionality of our

tooling. It also results in low maintenance and a virtual absence of downtime for press repair."

Plant Manager Marzio Iori said the Minster Presses bring out the best in their Corrada tooling.

"We get much better die life from the Minster presses, because they are so rigid," Marzio said. "A Minster PM3-200 we installed in

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"I am impressed with the way Minster designs improvements into the presses," said Paolo D'Angelo, Technical and Engineering Manager at Eurotranciatura. "All the improvements to structure and systems have kept the overall press simple. The maintenance procedures and spare parts are interchangeable."

Committed to continuous improvement, Eurotranciatura has invested in the newest technology in the material forming industry with a new Minster PM4.

"Minster presses are more powerful and faster without loosing accuracy," Sergio said. "This is why we believe in the Minster ability and why we decided to be one of the first customers to buy a new PM4 550 Press."

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(from left) Rick Schwartz (Minster); Giovanni Rossoni (Celada); Mario Iori (Eurotranciatura); Paolo D'Angelo (Eurotranciatura) and David Winch (Minster) met at Minster's Press Assembly facility in Minster, Ohio to inspect the new PM4-550 press ordered by Eurotranciatura.