

IBC Joins ACRC, Expanding Beryllium-Aluminum Alloy Applications



IBC Advanced Alloys

IBC Advanced Alloys Corp., a leading beryllium and copper advanced alloys company, has joined the ACRC as it expands its efforts to develop new applications for the Company's high-performance beryllium-aluminum alloy products.

IBC serves a variety of industries such as defense, aerospace, automotive, telecommunications, and precision manufacturing. IBC's Copper Division manufactures and distributes a variety of copper alloys as castings and forgings, including beryllium copper, chrome copper, and aluminum bronze. IBC's Engineered Materials Division makes the Beralcast® family of alloys, which can be precision cast and are used in an increasing number of defense, aerospace, and other systems, including the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter. IBC has production facilities in Indiana and Massachusetts.

According to **Mark A. Smith**, CEO and Chairman of IBC, "Our technical team at IBC is one of the most experienced in the world at developing applications for investment cast beryllium-aluminum alloy, and we look forward to collaborating with the ACRC and the large and influential network it has established."

Ben Rampulla, IBC's Chief Technology Officer, added: "We're excited to be part of this very innovative group of both researchers and practitioners of the metal casting community. This group, a collaboration of industry and university members, is comprised of the most forward thinkers in the industry who look beyond tomorrow through artificial intelligence and computational materials design. We look forward to engaging and expanding the knowledge base of our industry."

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