

Unwavering Dedication To Innovation

Leeds-based engineering and manufacturing firm WDS Components is thrilled to announce that it has been awarded the "Best Parts & Machine Accessories Manufacturer & Supplier 2024" by SME News Magazine at the 2024 British Made Awards. This prestigious accolade highlights the company's unwavering dedication to innovation, growth, and excellence within the UK manufacturing sector.

Speaking on the recognition, Mark Moody, Sales and Marketing Director of WDS, said: "We are honoured to receive this award, which is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our entire team. Our commitment to delivering top-quality products and continually investing in UK manufacturing remains at the heart of everything we do. This achievement motivates us to keep raising the bar for the industry."

State Of The Art Recognition

WDS has developed a reputation for excellence in customer service, product quality, and innovation. Originally operating with line shaft-driven machines and manual lathes, the company has grown into a state-of-the-art manufacturer with highly trained, in-house engineering teams responsible for designing the majority of its extensive product range.

With a warehouse carrying more than £3 million in stock and over 50,000 SKUs, WDS offers same-day despatch across its entire product range. The company's unique stock guarantee, introduced in early 2021, now covers over 7,000 SKUs and continues to grow, providing customers with security and reliability amidst ongoing global supply chain challenges.

"We are a company that has and continues to invest in UK manufacturing," added Mark Moody. "With our long-standing heritage in engineering, we remain focused on finding new and better ways to improve our manufacturing processes and product development. This award reflects our commitment to innovation, quality, and customer satisfaction."

Investment In The Future

The SME British Made Awards celebrate businesses that embody the spirit of enterprise and hard work, recognising those who drive progress across the UK's

business landscape. For over 70 years, WDS has been a trailblazer in engineering, evolving from its humble beginnings in 1952 to become a leading force in the manufacturing of industrial components.

WDS has made significant investments in technology and infrastructure over recent years, ensuring it remains at the forefront of UK manufacturing. The addition of advanced machinery has enhanced both manufacturing capabilities and operational efficiencies, while a workforce structured into small, highly skilled teams led by Operational Managers has driven performance and motivation throughout the business.

Conclusion

Winning the "Best Parts & Machine Accessories Manufacturer & Supplier 2024" award is a significant milestone in WDS' long history of excellence. As the company continues to build on its legacy, this recognition reaffirms its status as a trusted leader in the engineering and manufacturing sector.

About WDS Components Ltd

WDS Components is a leading European manufacturer and global supplier of standard parts and machine accessories. With a long history dating back to 1952 when it was known as the "Woodside Die Sinking Company," our range of products is characterised by unrivalled choice, high quality, and superior performance at competitive prices. Equipment manufacturers, maintenance engineers, small businesses and individuals internationally rely on WDS' large selection of components, standard parts and machine accessories, and we are proud to serve some of the most prestigious companies in the world. Our "Stock Guarantee" promises that over 98% of our range is on hand and can be shipped the same day from our global distribution centre in the UK using best-in-class couriers.

Our commitment to engineering excellence is delivered through continuous improvement. The experience of our in-house engineers spans decades, combining a highly experienced technical team and the next generation of graduate engineers who concentrate on the latest developments in design and manufacturing technology.

Our website WDSCOMPONENTS.COM offers our entire product catalogue online; customers can order at their convenience 24/7. CAD models are free to download and compatible with industry standard software. Our technical and customer care teams are committed to ensuring customer satisfaction.

WDS Components is the home of standard parts and machine accessories.

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