



10 Years of Deville Rectification – Buderus Edelstahl

Deville Rectification has belonged to the Buderus Edelstahl family for 10 years. With its acquisition of the French subsidiary in 1998, Buderus Edelstahl completed its product range of tool steels, whilst establishing a production location for ground plate in France. Deville Rectification, located in Pont Salomon near the town of St Etienne in the Massif Central, is one of the leading manufacturers of pre-machined steel and aluminium plate.

A successful partnership from the word go

The joint success story started in 1995 with an agency agreement between Deville Rectification and Buderus Edelstahl. Three years later, in October 1998, Buderus Edelstahl took over all the shares in the French company, which was the ideal complement to its own product range, specializing in distance plates, clamping plates, ejection plates and moulding plates. Deville Rectification supplies its products within Europe, especially to Germany, Holland, Belgium, Italy and Switzerland.

The merger of the two companies has combined their markets ideally, creating new synergies.

The success factors

Deville Rectification prides itself on very tight delivery schedules, and offers its customers a choice of surface finishing facilities for the steel and aluminium plate ordered. One of the company's aims is to deliver pre-machined plate within three to five days of receipt of order. The size of its stockholding facility, its machine capacity, and the high flexibility of its workforce ensure a rapid response to all customer requirements.

Special dimension specialist

Deville Rectification provides product dimensions ranging from 7 to 700 mm thick. Its modern machinery enables work-

ing to dimensions up to 2,500 x 4,200 mm with surface grinding; the maximum capacity for milling is 2,500 x 8,000 mm, and for flame cutting 3,000 x 13,000 mm. The company specialises in supplying precision plate outside the standard range.

Successful in the future too

Aims for the future are clearly defined – continuously expanding the aluminium business, especially with plate made of grade AlMg4.5Mn0.7. Stainless special steel in the grades 1.4307 and 1.4404 are also being included in the range, in sawn or machined finish. There are plans to further enhance the already fast throughput, and to boost activities abroad. This will also make Deville Rectification a powerful and reliable partner for all its customers' requirements.

Material awaiting dispatch



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