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To: Vic Hodges
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From: Tom Cowley
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Subject: Metalon Hi-Temp Grease

Vic, approximately four years ago we approached you about supplying us with a high temperature grease to service our motors in the dry kilns. We were experiencing a lot of trouble with the cross-shaft motors inside of Kiln #4. The motors were failing every two to three months even though we were greasing them regularly every second week. We agreed to try using the Metalon Hi-Temp grease.

We kept on with our normal maintenance routine of servicing the motors every second week and noticed a dramatic change in the life of our kiln motors. The motors began lasting over a year without needing changed and some went as long as two years without needing to be changed out. The cost saving in downtime alone without allowing for the costs of motors made such a tremendous gain for us. We now use the grease on all motors in all of our six dry kilns and do not use any other grease at all.

This grease is well suited to our process and we have now found that we can service our kilns monthly rather than BI-weekly. This saves us more lost production time and downtime spent servicing the kilns. I am very comfortable with this grease and feel its value to us has been tremendous.

Thank you for this excellent product!

Tom Cowley
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