

# Industry Associations and Societies

This listing includes associations whose members work or conduct business in the powder and bulk industries. We welcome your suggestions for organizations not listed here and will include applicable information in our next Reference & Buyer's Resource issue. Contact Kayla Carrigan, Associate Editor, Powder and Bulk Engineering, 1155 Northland Drive, St. Paul, MN 55120; 651-287-5630, fax 651-287-5650 (kcarrigan@cscpub.com).

## ANALYSIS & TESTING

American Society of  
Nondestructive Testing (ASNT)  
1711 Arlington Lane  
PO Box 28518  
Columbus, OH 43228  
800-222-2768  
614-274-6899 fax  
gliming@asnt.org  
www.asnt.org  
Contact: Garra Liming

Represents technicians, engineers, researchers, and educators in promoting, facilitating, and researching nondestructive testing as a profession. Members: 9,650

ASTM International  
100 Barr Harbor Dr.  
West Conshohocken, PA 19428  
610-832-9500  
610-832-9555 fax  
jthomas@astm.org  
www.astm.org  
Contact: James Thomas

Represents producers, users, and consumers of materials, products, systems, and services through development of standards in producing metals, paints, plastics, textiles, construction materials, energy, and other areas. Members: 32,000

International Society of Weighing and Measurement (ISWM)  
13017 Wisteria Dr. #341  
Germantown, MD 20874  
240-753-4397  
866-285-3512 fax  
staff@iswm.org  
www.iswm.org  
Contact: Karen Hutchison

Represents manufacturers, dealers, distributors, government

officials, and end users of weighing and measurement equipment. Members: 550

National Industrial Scale Association (NISA)  
1017 Nunnery Ln.  
Nashville, TN 37221  
614-893-3418  
www.nisa.org  
Contact: John Fowler

Represents manufacturers, users, and designers of weighing equipment and individuals involved with calibrating and testing industrial scales. Members: 104

Scale Manufacturers Association (SMA)  
PO Box 26972  
Columbus, OH 43226  
866-372-4627  
239-514-3470 fax  
info@scalemanufacturers.org  
www.scalemanufacturers.org

Represents manufacturers, integrators, and assemblers of weighing equipment. Members: 14

## BULK SOLIDS HANDLING & PROCESSING

Air Movement and Control Association International (AMCA)  
30 W University Dr.  
Arlington Heights, IL 60004  
847-394-0150  
847-253-0088 fax  
info@amca.org  
www.amca.org

Represents global manufacturers of air system equipment, including fans, louvers, dampers, air curtains, airflow measurement stations, acoustic attenuators, and related components.

College-Industry Council on Material Handling Education (CICMHE)  
8720 Red Oak Blvd., Ste. 201  
Charlotte, NC 28217-3992  
704-676-1190  
704-676-1199 fax  
gprest@mhi.org  
www.mhi.org/cicmhe  
Contact: George Prest

Prepares and provides information, teaching materials, and various events in support of material handling education and research.

Compressed Air and Gas Institute (CAGI)  
1300 Sumner Ave.  
Cleveland, OH 44115  
216-241-7333  
216-241-0105 fax  
cagi@cagi.org  
www.cagi.org  
Contact: Leslie Schraff

Members: 44

Conveyor Equipment Manufacturers Association (CEMA)  
5672 Strand Court, Ste. 2  
Naples, FL 34110  
239-514-3441  
239-514-3470 fax  
bob@cemanet.org  
www.cemanet.org  
Contact: Robert A. Reinfried

Represents North, South, and Central America manufacturers of mechanical and pneumatic conveyors and conveying components and standardizes the design, manufacture, safety, and application of conveying equipment on a voluntary basis. Members: 133

Cryogenic Society of America (CSA)  
218 Lake St.  
Oak Park, IL 60302-2609  
708-383-6220 302  
708-383-9337 fax  
laurie@cryogenicsociety.org  
www.cryogenicsociety.org  
Contact: Laurie Huget

Represents parties interested in any phase of cryogenics. Members: 850

Institute for Briquetting and Agglomeration (IBA)  
PO Box 205  
Portersville, PA 16051  
724-368-4004  
724-368-4014 fax  
iba@agglomeration.org  
www.agglomeration.org  
Contact: Bob Hinkle

Represents international professionals interested and involved in the research, development, and production of briquettes, pellets, and other densified products and the equipment to produce them. Members: 200

Material Handling Equipment Distributors Association (MHEDA)  
201 Route 45  
Vernon Hills, IL 60061  
847-680-3500  
847-362-6989 fax  
connect@mheda.org  
www.mheda.org  
Contact: Elizabeth Richards

Represents the material handling industry. Members: 650

MHI  
8720 Red Oak Blvd., Ste. 201  
Charlotte, NC 28217  
704-676-1190  
704-676-1199 fax  
gprest@mhi.org  
www.mhi.org  
Contact: George Prest

Represents manufacturers, publishers, integrators, software developers, third-party logistics providers, and consultants involved with material handling equipment and systems for sale in the US. Members: 700

Process Equipment Manufacturers' Association (PEMA)  
201 Park Washington Court  
Falls Church, VA 22046-4513  
703-538-1796  
703-241-5603 fax  
info@pemanet.org  
www.pemanet.org  
Contact: Sue Denston

Represents manufacturers of process equipment for various industries. Members: 62

Valve Manufacturers Association of America  
1050 17th St. NW, Ste. 280  
Washington, DC 20036  
202-331-8105  
202-296-0378 fax  
wsandler@vma.org  
www.vma.org  
Contact: President

Members: 100

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## CEMENT & AGGREGATES

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American Concrete Institute (ACI)  
38800 Country Club Dr.  
Farmington Hills, MI 48331  
248-848-3800  
248-848-3801 fax  
bkstore@concrete.org  
www.concrete.org  
Contact: Diane Baloh

Represents designers, architects, civil engineers, contractors, concrete craftsmen and technicians, supplier representatives, students, test laboratories, and manufacturers of concrete structures. Members: 17,000

National Stone, Sand, and Gravel Association (NSSGA)  
1605 King St.  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
703-525-8788  
703-525-7782 fax  
pdunne@nssga.org  
www.nssga.org  
Contact: Patrick Dunne

Represents producers of sand, gravel, and crushed and broken stone. Members: 800

Portland Cement Association  
5420 Old Orchard Rd.  
Skokie, IL 60077  
847-966-6200  
847-966-9781 fax  
info@cement.org  
www.cement.org

Represents cement companies and coordinates their market development, research, engineering, and educational activities. Members: 50

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## CERAMICS

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The American Ceramic Society (ACerS)  
PO Box 6136  
Westerville, OH 43086-6136  
614-794-5890

614-794-5892 fax  
customerservice@ceramics.org  
www.ceramics.org  
Contact: Aimée F. Zerla

Represents ceramic engineers, scientists, researchers, and others in the ceramics and materials industries. Members: 8,000

The Refractories Institute (TRI)  
1300 Sumner Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44115  
216-241-7333  
216-241-0105 fax  
info@refractoriesinstitute.org  
www.refractoriesinstitute.org  
Contact: Craig Addington

Represents refractory products manufacturers, their raw material and equipment suppliers, and installers of refractory products. Members: 50

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## CHEMICALS & CHEMICAL PROCESSING

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American Chemical Society (ACS)  
1155 16th St. NW  
Washington, DC 20036  
202-872-4396  
202-872-6128 fax  
help@acs.org  
www.acs.org/meetings  
Contact: Meetings administrator

Represents chemists and professionals in the chemical and related industries. Members: 159,000

American Chemistry Council (ACC)  
700 2nd St. NE  
Washington, DC 20002  
202-249-7000  
202-379-9744 fax  
patrick\_hurston@americanchemistry.com  
www.americanchemistrycouncil.com  
Contact: ACC

Represents chemical manufacturers. Members: 170

American Cleaning Institute (ACI)  
1331 L St. NW, Ste. 650  
Washington, DC 20005  
202-347-2900  
202-347-4110 fax  
info@cleaninginstitute.org  
www.cleaninginstitute.org  
Contact: Brian Sansoni

Represents producers of household, industrial, and institutional cleaning products, ingredients, and finished packaging; oleochemical producers; and chemical distributors to the cleaning product industry. Members: 150+

American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE)  
120 Wall St., 23rd Floor  
New York, NY 10005  
800-242-4363  
203-775-5177 fax  
customerservice@aiche.org  
www.aiche.org  
Contact: AIChE

Promotes excellence in chemical engineering education and global practice; advances the development and exchange of relevant knowledge; and upholds and advances the chemical engineering profession's standards, ethics, and diversity.  
Members: 57,000

Association of Consulting Chemists and Chemical Engineers (ACC&CE)  
PO Box 297  
Sparta, NJ 07871  
973-729-6671  
973-729-7088 fax  
accce@chemconsult.org  
www.chemconsult.org  
Contact: Linda B. Townsend

Represents technical consultants in the chemical and allied industries.  
Members: 150

Consumer Specialty Products Association (CSPA)  
1667 K St. NW, Ste. 300  
Washington, DC 20006  
202-872-8110  
202-223-2636 fax  
info@cspa.org  
www.cspa.org  
Contact: Erin Donovan

Represents the interests of companies engaged in the manufacture, formulation, distribution, and sale of consumer products that help household and institutional customers create cleaner and healthier environments. Products include disinfectants, candles, fragrances, air fresheners, pest management products, cleaning products and polishes, aerosol products, and more. Association provides members a platform to effectively address issues regarding the health, safety, and sustainability of their products. Members: 245 member companies

Pine Chemicals Association (PCA)  
PO Box 17136  
Fernandina Beach, FL 32035  
404-994-6267  
404-890-5665 fax  
cwmorris@bellsouth.net  
www.pinechemicals.org  
Contact: Charles W. Morris

Represents the chemical products industry of the pulp and forest products industries, including black liquor skimmings, tall oil products, crude turpentine, and gum rosin.  
Members: 50

Society of Chemical Manufacturers and Affiliates (SOCMA)  
1400 Crystal Dr., Ste. 630  
Arlington, VA 22202  
571-348-5100  
571-348-5138 fax  
gainesj@socma.com  
www.socma.com  
Contact: Jenny Gaines

Represents companies involved in all segments of the global specialty chemical industries. Members: 302

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## COATINGS & COLORS

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American Coatings Association (ACA)  
1500 Rhode Island Ave. NW  
Washington, DC 20005  
202-462-6272  
202-462-8549 fax  
members@paint.org  
www.paint.org  
Contact: ACA

Represents professionals in the paint and coatings industry, including paint and coatings manufacturers, raw materials suppliers, distributors, and technical professionals.

Color Association of the US (CAUS)  
315 W 39th St., Studio 507  
New York, NY 10018  
212-947-7774  
212-594-6987 fax  
info@colorassociation.com  
www.colorassociation.com  
Contact: Margaret Walch

Represents the textiles, design, and fashion industries and serves as the authority and arbiter of commercial colors in the US. Members: 1,000

Color Pigments Manufacturers Association (CPMA)  
1400 Crystal Dr., Ste. 630  
Arlington, VA 22202  
571-348-5130  
cpma@cpma.com  
www.pigments.org  
Contact: David W. Wawer

Represents manufacturers of color pigments used in paints, inks, plastics, glass, ceramics, and other products. Members: 20

Powder Coating Institute (PCI)  
2170 Buckthorne Pl., Ste. 250  
The Woodlands, TX 77380  
832-585-0770  
832-585-0220 fax  
pci-info@powdercoating.org  
www.powdercoating.org  
Contact: Tamara Hancock

Represents manufacturers and distributors of powder coatings, raw materials, application equipment, and related products and services.  
Members: 335

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## ENGINEERING

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AACE International  
1265 Suncrest Towne Centre Dr.  
Morgantown, WV 26505-1876  
304-296-8444  
304-291-5728 fax  
info@aacei.org  
https://web.aacei.org

Nonprofit association represents cost engineers, cost estimators, project managers, planners, and other schedulers involved with total cost management. Members: 6,000

Abrasive Engineering Society (AES)  
144 Moore Rd.  
Butler, PA 16001  
724-282-6210  
724-234-2376 fax  
aes@abrasiveengineering.com  
www.abrasiveengineering.com  
Contact: Ted Giese

Provides information and resources for the manufacture and end use of industrial abrasives and products made with abrasive materials.  
Members: 400

American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)  
3 Park Ave.  
New York, NY 10016  
212-591-7000  
973-882-5155 fax  
infocentral@asme.org  
www.asme.org  
Contact: Jeff Howitt

Represents mechanical engineers and students in the research and development of safety codes and standards for mechanical equipment.  
Members: 125,000

Association for Facilities Engineering (AFE)  
12801 Worldgate Dr., Ste. 500  
Herndon, VA 20170  
571-203-7171  
571-766-2142 fax  
info@afe.org

www.afe.org  
Contact: Gabriella Jacobs

Represents plant and facilities engineers and managers.  
Members: 9,000

Association of Energy Engineers (AEE)  
4025 Pleasantdale Rd., Ste. 420  
Atlanta, GA 30340  
770-447-5083 x210  
770-446-3969 fax  
info@aeecenter.org  
www.aeecenter.org  
Contact: Ruth Marie

Represents engineers who optimize electrical, mechanical, and HVAC systems while reducing energy use.  
Members: 8,500

Institute of Industrial and Systems Engineers (IISE)  
3577 Parkway Ln., Ste 200  
Norcross, GA 30092  
770-449-0460  
770-449-3295 fax  
cs@iise.org  
www.iise.org  
Contact: Customer service

Represents professional industrial engineers who manage applications, perform research, and educate, train, or develop industrial engineers.  
Members: 33,000

NACE International  
1440 S Creek Dr.  
Houston, TX 77084  
281-228-6200  
281-228-6300 fax  
firstservice@nace.org  
www.nace.org  
Contact: Chad Pilbeam

Protects people, assets, and the environment from the effects of corrosion. Members: 20,000

National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA)  
1300 N 17th St., Ste. 1752  
Rosslyn, VA 22209  
703-841-3200  
703-841-5900 fax  
www.nema.org  
Contact: NEMA

Represents the electrical manufacturing industry.

National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE)  
205 Daingerfield Rd.  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
703-549-2207  
703-683-5312 fax  
www.nsbe.org  
Contact: Yvette Watson

Student-governed organization and nonprofit that promotes the aspirations of collegiate and precollegiate students and technical professionals in engineering and technology. Members: 16,000

National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE)  
1420 King St.  
Alexandria, VA 22314-2794  
703-684-2800  
703-836-4875 fax  
executive@nspe.org  
www.nspe.org  
Contact: Mark Golden

Represents engineering professionals. Members: 60,000

SME  
1 SMEDr.  
PO Box 930  
Dearborn, MI 48121  
313-271-1500  
313-271-2861 fax  
service@sme.org  
www.sme.org  
Contact: Customer service

Represents manufacturing engineers and promotes the advancement of manufacturing engineering.  
Members: 70,000

Society for the Advancement of Material and Process Engineering (SAMPE)  
21680 Gateway Center Dr., Ste 300  
Diamond Bar, CA 91765-2454  
626-521-9460  
sampe@sampe.org  
www.nasampe.org  
Contact: Janie Drake

International educational and scientific association for the advancement of new materials and processes; sponsors technical conferences and exhibitions; publishes proceedings and technical publications. Members: 5,000

Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE)  
13181 Crossroads Pkwy. N, Ste. 450  
City of Industry, CA 91746  
323-725-3970  
323-725-0316 fax  
shpenational@shpe.org  
www.shpe.org  
Contact: Belem Majalca

Represents Hispanic professionals in the engineering, math, and science industries.

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## FEED & GRAIN

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American Feed Industry Association (AFIA)  
2101 Wilson Blvd., Ste. 810  
Arlington, VA 22201  
703-524-0810  
703-524-1921 fax  
afia@afia.org  
www.afia.org  
Contact: Sarah Novak

Represents feed manufacturers and suppliers to the industry.  
Members: 650

Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM)  
6737 West Washington St., Ste. 2400  
Milwaukee, WI 53214  
414-272-0943  
414-272-1170 fax  
aem@aem.org  
www.aem.org  
Contact: Paul Malek

North-American-based international trade group represents the off-road equipment manufacturing industry in the agriculture and construction-related sectors. Members: 950

Grain Elevator and Processing Society (GEAPS)  
4800 Olson Memorial Highway, Ste 150  
Golden Valley, MN 55422  
763-999-4300  
763-710-5328 fax  
info@geaps.com  
www.geaps.com  
Contact: GEAPS

Represents grain processors and grain elevator operators and suppliers to the industry.  
Members: 2,800

International Association of Operative Millers (IAOM)  
12351 W 96th Ter., Ste. 100  
Lenexa, KS 66215  
913-338-3377  
913-338-3553 fax  
info@iaom.info  
www.iaom.info  
Contact: Melinda Farris

Represents grain millers, seed processors, and allied trades devoted to the advancement of technology in the grain-milling and seed-processing industries. Members: 1,500

National Grain and Feed Association (NGFA)  
12501 St. NW, Ste. 1003  
Washington, DC 20005  
202-289-0873  
202-289-5388 fax  
ngfa@ngfa.org  
www.ngfa.org

Represents grain, feed, and processing firms that store, handle, mill, process, and export grains and oil seeds. Members: 1,000

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## FOOD & FOOD PROCESSING

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AACC International  
3340 Pilot Knob Rd.  
St. Paul, MN 55121  
651-454-7250  
651-454-0766 fax  
aacc@scisoc.org  
www.aaccnet.org  
Contact: Michelle Bjerkness

Represents cereal scientists and other professionals studying the chemistry of cereal grains and their products. Members: 2,400

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AIB International  
121 Bakers Way  
Manhattan, KS 66502  
800-633-5137  
785-537-1493 fax  
aibmarketing@aibonline.org  
www.aibonline.org  
Contact: Brian Soddy

Provides research and education on food processing for grain-based food companies and provides GMP food safety inspections; BRC, SQF 2000, and FSSC 22000 certification; HACCP, QSE, and OSHA audits and training; and ISO 9000 registration for food companies worldwide. Members: 800

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American Bakers Association (ABA)  
601 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Ste. 230  
Washington, DC 20004  
202-789-0300  
202-789-1121 fax  
info@americanbakers.org  
www.americanbakers.org  
Contact: Kelly Kotche

Represents the wholesale baking industry and the interests of bakers through public policy advocacy, education, and networking opportunities. Members: 375

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American Dairy Products Institute (ADPI)  
116 N York St., Ste. 200  
Elmhurst, IL 60126  
630-530-8700  
630-530-8707 fax  
info@adpi.org  
www.adpi.org  
Contact: Dan Meyer

Represents domestic and international manufacturers of dry milk, whey products, and evaporated milk and cheese,

as well as suppliers to these manufacturers. Members: 270

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American Frozen Food Institute (AFFI)  
2000 Corporate Ridge, Ste. 1000  
McLean, VA 22102  
703-821-0770  
703-821-1350 fax  
info@affi.com  
www.affi.org  
Contact: Kraig R. Naasz

Represents frozen food manufacturers, suppliers, and marketers. Members: 500

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American Spice Trade Association (ASTA)  
2025 M St. NW, Ste. 800  
Washington, DC 20036  
202-367-1127  
202-367-2127 fax  
info@astaspice.org  
www.astaspice.org  
Contact: Elizabeth Erman

Represents companies in the spice industry. Members: 200

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American Sugar Alliance (ASA)  
2111 Wilson Blvd., Ste. 600  
Arlington, VA 22201  
703-351-5055  
703-351-6698 fax  
info@sugaralliance.org  
www.sugaralliance.org  
Contact: Vickie Myers

Represents American sweetener processors and cane, beet, and corn farmers. Members: 500

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BEMA  
7101 College Blvd., Ste. 1505  
Overland Park, KS 66210  
913-338-1300  
913-338-1327 fax  
info@bema.org  
www.bema.org  
Contact: Kerwin Brown

Represents baking industry suppliers. Members: 200

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Food Processing Suppliers Association (FPSA)  
1451 Dolley Madison Blvd.  
McLean, VA 22101  
703-761-2600  
703-761-4334 fax  
info@fpsa.org  
www.fpsa.org  
Contact: Alex Silva

Represents suppliers of equipment and services to the dairy, food, beverage, and related processing industries. Members: 400

Food Processors of Canada (FPC)  
350 Sparks St., Ste. 900  
Ottawa, ON K1R 7S8  
613-722-1000  
613-722-1404 fax  
fpc@foodprocessors.ca  
www.foodprocessorsofcanada.ca  
Contact: Christopher Kyte

Represents food processors. Members: 150

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Grocery Manufacturers Association (GMA)  
13501 St. NW, Ste. 300  
Washington, DC 20005  
202-639-5900  
202-639-5932 fax  
info@gmaonline.org  
www.gmaonline.org

Represents the food processing industry on scientific and public policy issues involving food safety, food security, nutrition, technical and regulatory matters, and consumer affairs. Members: 500

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Institute of Food Technologists (IFT)  
525 W Van Buren St., Ste. 1000  
Chicago, IL 60607-3830  
312-782-8424  
312-782-8348 fax  
info@ift.org  
www.ift.org  
Contact: Jennifer London

Global nonprofit scientific society of professionals working in food science, food technology, and related professions in industry, academia, and government. Members: 17,000

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Midwest Food Processors Association (MWFPA)  
4600 American Pkwy., Ste. 210  
Madison, WI 53718-8334  
608-255-9946  
608-255-9838 fax  
info@mwfpa.org  
www.mwfpa.org  
Contact: Nickolas George

Represents processors of food products in legislative and regulatory affairs in Illinois, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Members: 300

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SNAC International  
1600 Wilson Blvd., Ste. 650  
Arlington, VA 22209  
703-836-4500  
703-836-8262 fax  
dwalsh@sfa.org  
www.snacintl.org  
Contact: David Walsh

Represents snack food manufacturers and suppliers to the industry. Members: 400+



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## GLASS

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Glass Association of North America  
800 SW Jackson St., Ste. 1500  
Topeka, KS 66612-1200  
785-271-0208  
785-271-0166 fax  
gana@glasswebsite.com  
www.glasswebsite.com

Serves flat glass manufacturers, fabricators, and glazing contractors.  
Members: 300+

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Glass Manufacturing Industry Council (GMIC)  
600 N Cleveland Ave., Ste. 210  
Westerville, OH 43082  
614-818-9423  
614-818-9485 fax  
rwlipetz@gmic.org  
www.gmic.org

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Nonprofit trade organization that represents the interests of the glass manufacturing industry.

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National Glass Association (NGA)  
8200 Greensboro Dr., Ste. 302  
McLean, VA 22102  
703-442-4890  
703-442-0630 fax  
nga@glass.org  
www.glass.org  
Contact: Customer service department

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Represents manufacturers, fabricators, contract glaziers, distributors, and retailers of flat glass and glass products. Members: 4,800

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## INSTRUMENTATION

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Control System Integrators Association (CSIA)  
22 N Carroll St., Ste. 300  
Madison, WI 53703  
608-310-7851  
888-581-3666 fax  
ewiseman@controlsys.org  
www.controlsys.org  
Contact: Emily Wiseman

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Not-for-profit global trade association that seeks to advance the control system integration industry, which uses engineering, technical, and business skills to help manufacturers and others automate industrial equipment and systems.  
Members: 400

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International Society of Automation (ISA)  
67 Alexander Dr.  
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709  
919-549-8411  
919-549-8288 fax

info@isa.org  
www.isa.org  
Contact: Customer and member services

Represents individuals working on theory, design, and applications of measurement and control.  
Members: 39,000

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## MATERIALS

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The Adhesion Society  
7101 Wisconsin Ave., Ste. 990  
Bethesda, MD 20814  
301-986-9700  
301-986-9795 fax  
info@adhesionsociety.org  
www.adhesionsociety.org  
Contact: Malinda Armstrong

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Represents scientists, engineers, and others interested in adhesion in coatings, composite materials, and related products. Members: 500

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The Adhesive and Sealant Council (ASC)  
7101 Wisconsin Ave., Ste. 990  
Bethesda, MD 20814  
301-986-9700  
301-986-9795 fax  
steve.duren@ascouncil.org  
www.ascouncil.org  
Contact: Steve Duren

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Represents manufacturers and suppliers involved in the development, marketing, and distribution of adhesives and sealants. Members: 125 member companies

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American Carbon Society (AmCS)  
1 Bethel Valley Rd., M.S. 6087  
Oak Ridge, TN 37831-6087  
865-576-8424 fax  
gallegonc@ornl.gov  
www.americancarbonsociety.org  
Contact: Nidia C. Gallego

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Represents carbon industry engineers and scientists and promotes research and education in carbon and related fields.  
Members: 500

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ASM International  
9639 Kinsman Rd.  
Materials Park, OH 44073-0002  
440-338-5151  
440-338-4634 fax  
customerservice@asminternational.org  
www.asminternational.org  
Contact: Member services

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Represents manufacturers and users of metals and other engineered materials and processes. Members: 37,000

The Brick Industry Association (BIA)  
1850 Centennial Park Dr., Ste. 301  
Reston, VA 20191  
703-620-0010  
703-620-3928 fax  
brickinfo@bia.org  
www.gobrick.com

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National trade association representing distributors and manufacturers of clay brick and suppliers of related products and services. Founded in 1934, the association is an authority on clay brick construction and represents the industry in all model building code forums and national standard committees. Members: 200

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Industrial Fabrics Association International (IFAI)  
1801 County Rd. B West  
Roseville, MN 55113-4061  
651-222-2508  
651-631-9334 fax  
generalinfo@ifai.com  
www.ifai.com  
Contact: JoAnne Ferris

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Nonprofit trade association whose member companies represent the international technical fabrics marketplace, including fibers, fabrics, end products, equipment, and hardware. Members: 2,000 member companies

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International Fine Particles Research Institute (IFPRI)  
2045 Wooddale Drive  
Woodbury, MN 55125  
651-730-1729  
651-730-1826 fax  
whendrickson@aveka.com  
www.ifpri.net  
Contact: Willie Hendrickson

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Nonprofit organization with a global network of companies and academics with active research programs in particle science and technology. Membership includes those involved in the bulk and specialty chemicals, pharmaceuticals, minerals, construction, coatings, detergents, and food industries. Members: 32

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International Molded Fiber Association (IMFA)  
1425 W Mequon Rd., Ste. C-D  
Mequon, WI 53092  
262-241-0522  
262-241-3766 fax  
info@imfa.org  
www.imfa.org  
Contact: Joe Grygny

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Promotes the molded fiber industry through educational seminars, conferences, and other programs.

Materials and Methods Standards Association  
91 Amity Rd.  
Bethany, CT 06524  
203-393-4547  
dkempster@schluter.com  
mmsausa.com  
Contact: Dale Kempster

Members: 35

Materials Research Society (MRS)  
506 Keystone Dr.  
Warrendale, PA 15086-7537  
724-779-3003  
724-779-8313 fax  
info@mrs.org  
www.mrs.org

International organization of materials researchers from academia, industry, and government promoting communication and technical information exchange across the various materials science fields.

Unified Abrasives Manufacturers' Association (UAMA)  
30200 Detroit Rd.  
Cleveland, OH 44145-1967  
440-899-0010  
440-892-1404 fax  
contact@uama.org  
www.uama.org  
Contact: Jeff Wherry

Represents manufacturers of abrasive grain and bonded, coated, and super abrasives. Members: 30

## METALS & MINERALS

The Aluminum Association  
1400 Crystal Dr., Ste. 430  
Arlington, VA 22202  
703-358-2985  
hsattlet@aluminum.org  
www.aluminum.org  
Contact: Hank Sattletlight

Founded in 1933 and represents US and foreign-based primary producers of aluminum as well as recyclers and producers of semifabricated products, foundries, distributors, and suppliers. Producer members operate roughly 190 plants in North America. Members: 124

American Coke and Coal Chemicals Institute (ACCCI)  
25 Massachusetts Ave. NW, Ste. 800  
Washington, DC 20001  
724-772-1167  
866-422-7794 fax  
information@accici.org  
www.accici.org  
Contact: David C. Ailor

Represents metallurgical coke and coal producers, coal chemical

processors and producers, and suppliers of goods and services to the industry. Members: 200

Gypsum Association  
6525 Belcrest Rd., Ste. 480  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
301-277-8686  
301-277-8747 fax  
info@gypsum.org  
www.gypsum.org  
Contact: Lee G. Jones

Represents manufacturers of gypsum panel products in the US and Canada. Members: 10

Industrial Minerals Association—North America (IMA-NA)  
2011 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Ste. 301  
Washington, DC 20006  
202-457-0200  
202-457-0287 fax  
arielhilldavis@ima-na.org  
www.ima-na.org  
Contact: Ariel Hill-Davis

Represents companies that mine or process materials used in the manufacturing and agricultural industries and companies that provide equipment and services to these companies.

International Titanium Association (ITA)  
PO Box 1300  
Eastlake, CO 80614  
303-404-2221  
303-404-9111 fax  
ita@titanium.org  
www.titanium.org  
Contact: Jennifer Simpson

Represents all aspects of the titanium industry. Membership-based international trade association dedicated to the titanium metal industry by connecting the public interested in using titanium with specialists from across the globe to provide sales and technical assistance. Members: 216

Metal Powder Industries Federation (MPIF)  
105 College Rd. E  
Princeton, NJ 08540  
609-452-7700  
609-987-8523 fax  
info@mpif.org  
www.mpiif.org  
Contact: James Dale

Represents metal powder manufacturers, powder metallurgists, and equipment suppliers. Members: 280

Minerals, Metals, and Materials Society (TMS)  
184 Thorn Hill Rd.  
Warrendale, PA 15086-7514  
724-776-9000  
724-776-3770 fax  
mtgserv@tms.org  
www.tms.org  
Contact: Customer service

Represents metallurgical and materials engineers and scientists. Members: 12,000

National Lime Association  
200 N Glebe Rd., Ste. 800  
Arlington, VA 22203  
703-243-5463  
703-243-5489 fax  
wcherz@lime.org  
www.lime.org  
Contact: William C. Herz

Represents, protects, and promotes the lime industry. Members are comprised of US and Canadian commercial lime companies, suppliers to lime companies, and foreign lime companies and trade associations. Members: 55

National Mining Association (NMA)  
101 Constitution Ave. NW, Ste. 500 E  
Washington, DC 20001  
202-463-2600  
202-463-2666 fax  
aburke@nma.org  
www.nma.org  
Contact: Ashley Burke

Represents the entire US mining industry as an information center and a political presence in Washington. Members: 250

Nickel Institute  
Brookfield Place  
161 Bay St., Ste. 2700  
Toronto, ON M5J 2S1  
416-591-7999  
communications@nickelinstitute.org  
www.nickelinstitute.org

Represents producers of nickel and promotes the production, use, and recycling and reuse of nickel. Members: 18

Society for Mining, Metallurgy, and Exploration (SME)  
12999 E Adam Aircraft Cir.  
Englewood, CO 80112  
303-948-4200  
303-973-3845 fax  
sme@smenet.org  
www.smenet.org  
Contact: David L. Kanagy

Represents professionals in the coal and energy, industrial minerals, environmental,

metallurgy, and processing industries. Members: 13,500

The Sulphur Institute (TSI)  
1140 Connecticut Ave. NW, Ste. 612  
Washington, DC 20036  
202-331-9660  
202-293-2940 fax  
sulphur@sulphurinstitute.org  
www.sulphurinstitute.org  
Contact: Harold H. Weber

International nonprofit organization for sulphur represents companies engaged in producing, buying, selling, handling, transporting, and adding value to sulphur. Members: 38

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## PACKAGING

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Contract Packaging Association  
1601 N Bond St.  
Naperville, IL 60563  
630-544-5053  
630-544-5055 fax  
info@contractpackaging.org  
www.contractpackaging.org  
Contact: Bill Pflaum

Represents contract packagers.  
Members: 100

Flexible Intermediate Bulk Container Association (FIBCA)  
PO Box 241894  
St. Paul, MN 55124  
952-412-8867  
661-339-0023 fax  
info@fibca.com  
www.fibca.com  
Contact: Lewis Anderson

Represents worldwide manufacturers, importers, and distributors of flexible intermediate bulk containers (FIBCs) and industry suppliers. Members: 103

Institute of Packaging Professionals (IoPP)  
1833 Centre Point Cir., Ste. 123  
Naperville, IL 60563  
630-544-5050  
630-544-5055 fax  
info@iopp.org  
www.iopp.org  
Contact: Pat Farrey

Represents professionals in the packaging community.  
Members: 6,000

Paper Shipping Sack Manufacturers' Association (PSSMA)  
5050 Blue Church Rd.  
Coopersburg, PA 18036  
610-282-6845  
610-282-1577 fax  
admin@pssma.org

www.pssma.org  
Contact: Richard Storat, Greg Storat

Represents multiwall paper shipping sack manufacturers and their suppliers. Members: 51

PMMI, The Association for Packaging and Processing Technologies  
11911 Freedom Dr., Ste. 600  
Reston, VA 20190  
571-612-3200  
703-243-8556 fax  
info@pmmi.org  
www.pmmi.org  
Contact: Heather Harvey

Represents North American manufacturers and suppliers of equipment, components, and materials, as well as providers of equipment and services related to the packaging and processing industries. Members: 900+

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## PHARMACEUTICALS

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Controlled Release Society (CRS)  
3340 Pilot Knob Rd.  
St. Paul, MN 55121  
651-454-7250  
651-454-0766 fax  
crs@scisoc.org  
www.controlledrelease.org  
Contact: Rosealee M. Lee

Represents professionals involved in controlled-release delivery systems used in pharmaceutical, agricultural, and diversified products. Members: 2,500

Drug, Chemical, & Associated Technologies (DCAT)  
1 Washington Blvd., Ste. 7  
Robbinsville, NJ 08691  
800-640-3228  
609-448-1944 fax  
info@dcat.org  
www.dcat.org  
Contact: Margaret M. Timony

Represents drug and chemical manufacturers, as well as their distributors and suppliers.  
Members: 400

International Society for Pharmaceutical Engineers (ISPE)  
3109 W Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Ste. 250  
Tampa, FL 33607  
813-960-2105  
813-264-2816 fax  
customerservice@ispe.org  
www.ispe.org  
Contact: Linda Brady

Members: 20,000

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## PIPING

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Pipe Fabrication Institute (PFI)  
511 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 601  
New York, NY 10011  
514-634-3434  
514-634-9736 fax  
pfi@pfi-institute.org  
www.pfi-institute.org  
Contact: Guy Fortin

Represents the pipe fabrication industry. Members: 68

Plastic Pipe and Fittings Association (PPFA)  
800 W Roosevelt Rd., Bldg. C, Ste. 312  
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137  
630-858-6540  
630-790-3095 fax  
info@ppfahome.org  
www.ppfahome.org  
Contact: Richard W. Church

Represents plastic pipe and fittings manufacturers and raw material and resin suppliers. Members: 75

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## PLASTICS

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Plastics Industry Association (Plastics)  
1425 K St. NW, Ste. 500  
Washington, DC 20005  
202-974-5200  
202-296-7005 fax  
membership@plasticsindustry.org  
www.plasticsindustry.org  
Contact: Russ Broome

Represents entire supply chain of the plastics industry, including resin, color and additives, compounders, distributors, primary and auxiliary equipment manufacturers, mold makers, processors, and converters, as well as brand owners.  
Members: 900+

Society of Plastics Engineers (SPE)  
13 Church Hill Rd.  
Newtown, CT 06470  
203-775-0471  
203-775-8490 fax  
info@4spe.org  
www.4spe.org  
Contact: Susan Oderwald

Technical society for the plastics industry that provides and promotes quality education and information about plastics and polymers worldwide. Represents plastics professionals that serve the industry and the general public by fostering technical innovation and industry competitiveness through scientific development and commercialization



and promoting the responsible use of plastics. Members: 15,000

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## POLLUTION CONTROL

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Air & Waste Management Association (A&WMA)  
1 Gateway Center, 3rd Fl.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222  
412-232-3444  
412-232-3450 fax  
info@awma.org  
www.awma.org  
Contact: Member services

Represents and educates environmental professionals.  
Members: 8,000+

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Institute of Clean Air Companies (ICAC)  
2025 M St. NW, Ste. 800  
Washington, DC 20036  
202-367-1114  
202-367-2114 fax  
icacinfo@icac.com  
www.icac.com  
Contact: David Foerter

Represents US air pollution control equipment and component suppliers.  
Members: 100

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Institute of Environmental Science & Technology (IEST)  
1827 Walden Office Square, Ste. 400  
Schaumburg, IL 60173  
847-981-0100  
847-981-4130 fax  
information@iest.org  
www.iest.org  
Contact: Susan Stamatkin

Nonprofit association for professionals in the field of

contamination control, cleanrooms, environmental testing, and nanotechnology facilities.  
Members: 2,000

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## PULP & PAPER

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Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry (TAPPI)  
15 Technology Pkwy. S  
Norcross, GA 30092  
770-446-1400  
770-446-6947 fax  
memberconnection@tappi.org  
www.tappi.org  
Contact: Meetings department

Represents engineers, executives, operating managers, scientists, and technologists in the pulp, paper, packaging, converting, nonwovens, and related industries.  
Members: 14,000

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## SAFETY & QUALITY

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American Society for Quality (ASQ)  
PO Box 3005  
Milwaukee, WI 53201-3005  
414-272-8575  
414-272-1734 fax  
help@asq.org  
www.asq.org  
Contact: Membership department

Represents individuals and organizations dedicated to the ongoing development, advancement, and promotion of quality concepts, principles, and techniques. Organization provides quality training and ASQ Certification.  
Members: 80,000

American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE)  
1800 E Oakton St.  
Des Plaines, IL 60018-2187  
847-699-2929  
847-296-3769 fax  
customerservice@asse.org  
www.asse.org  
Contact: Fred Fortman

Represents health and environmental professionals for the protection of people, property, and the environment. Members: 33,000

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National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)  
1 Batterymarch Park  
Quincy, MA 02169-7471  
800-344-3555  
617-770-0700 fax  
custserv@nfpa.org  
www.nfpa.org  
Contact: Customer service

Represents professionals dedicated to reducing fire, electrical, and building hazards. Members: 81,000+

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National Safety Council  
1121 Spring Lake Dr.  
Itasca, IL 60143-3201  
630-285-1121  
630-285-1315 fax  
customerservice@nsc.org  
www.nsc.org  
Contact: Mary Beth Murray

Represents safety professionals and others interested in accident reduction. Members: 51,000