



APPLICATION CASE STUDY

COMPANY DETAILS – Astec Equipment- TN

Astec Industries, Inc., based in Chattanooga, Tennessee, is a manufacturer of asphalt mixing plants; asphalt paving equipment; asphalt analyzing and recycling equipment; heat transfer equipment; aggregate processing equipment; excavating and trenching equipment; and underground directional drilling equipment.



Accu-Lube PRODUCTS IN USE

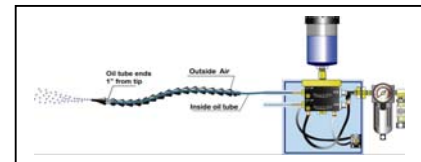
Accu-Lube Power Stamp III on Whitney Punches
3 **Two-Nozzle Accu-Lube Units** on Kasto, Franklin Beam, Berringer all installed with **Accu-Lube Band Saw nozzles**.

CUSTOMER NEEDS IDENTIFIED

Astec Equipment had problems losing coolant as well as poor blade and punch life.

ACCEPTED BENEFITS

Installing the Accu-Lube system enabled 25% better tool life and less bur on punch press. It also eliminated the mess of coolant run off on material.



VALUE TO CUSTOMER

Accu-Lube has a safety benefit for the operator. Astec Equipment has eliminated waste removal since they installed the Accu-Lube system. Also, the customer has been able to save money on blades – about \$500 a month – as a direct result of extended blade life.

Area: TN – Scott Stanford

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