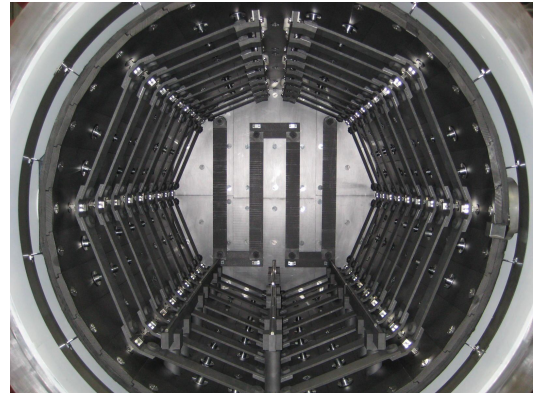


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## Ipsen Ships 170<sup>th</sup> Hot Zone of 2010

**(December 8, Cherry Valley, IL)** – Today, Ipsen, Inc. shipped its 170<sup>th</sup> hot zone of this year, breaking a long-standing record for annual units shipped. “Ipsen provides quality products that deliver the speed, uniformity and efficiency that our customers demand,” Fred Roth, Engineered Components group manager at Ipsen. “From new equipment and engineered components - replacement hot zones, retrofits and upgrades - to our aftermarket support team, we offer everything our customers need to build, maintain and grow their business.”

Ipsen hot zone replacements, made for *all* furnace brands, lead the industry in energy efficiency, durability and top quality performance. Ipsen hot zones are manufactured by our team of experienced specialists throughout three U.S. manufacturing sites, where all metal and graphite insulating materials are assembled with the highest level of care.

Ipsen is a leader in Vacuum Heat Treating with more than 4,000 furnaces operating around the world. Ipsen offers single and multi-chamber furnaces, upgrades, retrofits, parts and service.

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