



# On Track With the Transportation Industry

Working Together at All Stops of the Journey

Nothing in the transportation industry stands still—and neither does BURNDY. We've been a part of the transportation industry since 1924, when we first began providing engineered product solutions.

Ever since, we've worked to solidify our industry commitment through innovative products and solutions for infrastructure, passenger terminals and the railbeds. Today, we offer:

- Engineered connectors and grounding products to effectively ground to steel for the railroad
- Flexible assemblies—or braid—as an efficient way to protect electrical equipment from the potentially harmful effects of shock, vibration, terminal expansion and movement of components or misalignment
- Our irreversible HYGROUND® compression system for use with structural steel, rebar or I-beams—providing long-term, reliable connections

For all stages of your next transportation project, BURNDY is *the* quality, engineered-connection solution company.



#### **Home Base**

BURNDY is based in Manchester, New Hampshire, with three manufacturing sites throughout the American Northeast (in Littleton and Lincoln, New Hampshire, and Bethel, Connecticut). Since our founding in 1924, our in-house design teams have built one of the most widely used and reliable product lines available—giving BURNDY a history of industry-renowned customer and technical service.

Whether you're looking for information about the products you plan to install or how existing products are performing, *the answers are right here.* 



#### **Why Choose BURNDY**

Keep on Track: Grounding to Steel

With the success of a railway largely dependent on its signal system, don't take chances with grounding. After all, through its lifetime, each connection will protect thousands of pounds of cargo. That's why BURNDY offers hundreds of different combinations to accommodate many different shapes and sizes of steel—and all can be trusted for high-quality performance today and in the years to come.

To get started, identify the right type of grounding connection for your job:

- Range-taking mechanical connections that use a bolt, nut or other hardware—all installed easily with standard tooling
- Exothermic connections
   with BURNDYWeld®, providing
   an application to virtually
   limitless steel shapes
- Compression connections
   with a BURNDY® Type YG-B
   connector and industry-standard
   hydraulic tooling







**Grounding wire to rebar** 

#### **Products for Transportation Applications**

Product Grouping	Rail Car	Infrastructure Rail, Signals, Lighting	Terminals, Stations	Power Supply
HYGROUND® Compression Grounding	•	•	•	•
BURNDYWeld® Exothermic Grounding		•		
Mechanical Grounding	•	•	•	•
Installation Tooling	•	•	•	•
HYDENT™ Compression Connectors	•	•	•	•
SERVIT® Split Bolt Connectors	•	•	•	•
Mechanical Connectors	•	•	•	•
Flexible Braid	•	•		•
Substation		•		•
Heat Shrink			•	•
UNIRAP™ Cable Ties			•	•
DURIUM™ Hardware			•	•
U-BLOK™ BDB, SPEC-BLOK™		•	•	
Static Discharge Reel	•	•		

# **Braid Connectors: Ideal for the Transportation Industry**

Made out of tinned (or untinned), pure copper wire that is woven and flattened for greater flexibility, braid offers an economical and efficient way to protect electrical equipment and ensure reliable operation, even with:

- Shock and vibration
- Terminal expansion
- Movement of components
- Misalignment that may occur during the service life of electrical equipment and machinery

Braid absorbs the shock and vibration of operating equipment by providing flexible, current-carrying loads between moving parts of heavy machinery and equipment.

BURNDY standard braids are UL Listed and CSA Certified.





**Grounding to flat surfaces** 



**Grounding to I-beam or structural steel** 

### **Experience**

- We bring over 85 years of experience in engineering and manufacturing of quality connectors and tooling to the electrical industry.
- Total Project Support—We encourage all our customers to take advantage of our expertise. In fact, you may be able to reduce both time and cost when our experienced sales team helps you select the best solution for your application and provides technical training. The end result is enhanced overall system performance and reliability.

# **Technology**

- Quality Commitment—BURNDY uses our in-house, certified test lab to ensure our products and installations comply with specific requirements for ANCE, ANSI, ASTM, CSA, IEC, IEEE, the military, NEMA, NUPIC, OSHA, SAE and UL, among others.
- We design and manufacture the BURNDY<sup>®</sup> Engineered System—an integrated connector system (tool + die + connector).



- New Solutions—Thanks to our ongoing collaboration with transportation engineers, we offer a constant flow of innovative connector and tooling solutions for the industry.
- The importance of grounding to steel is well documented and is particularly critical to the transportation industry. Whether you're using structural steel, rebar or I-beams, there's a BURNDY grounding method that will ensure your connections can be trusted for years to come.





#### **Trust the BURNDY® Engineered System**

The BURNDY® Engineered System of coordinating dies, connectors and tools are always designed to work together and engineered to meet stringent, accepted quality standards.





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