

# LADLE PREHEATERS & PREHEATER/DRYERS

Improve Energy Efficiency by Reducing Temperature Losses



#### **LADLE PREHEATERS**

A ladle preheater heats the ladle lining just before it is filled with molten metal. Refractory linings have traditionally been thoroughly dried to remove all moisture.

#### LADLE PREHEATER/DRYER

A unit can function as both a preheater and a dryer, depending on the controls it operates with. Various programs and temperature controllers enable it to preheat the refractory lining and dry new linings with high moisture content. Preheater temperature controllers regulate the temperature, while Preheater/Dryer temperature controllers offer the added functionality of setting both time and temperature. Therefore, a foundry doesn't need to acquire separate units for each function.

### **Advantages:**

- Units use either a mixture of natural gas and air or LPG and air
- Combustion air is provided by an integral combustion fan
- Typical controls have temperature feedback, to the controller, via a K-Type thermocouple
- Ignition is via the control panel
- Automatic flame failure protection (ION probe) ensures lining is evenly preheated
- Modulating gas improves energy efficiency
- Controller settings are easily changed by the foundry
- All units are custom designed

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