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**MSC Industrial Supply Co. UK becomes a Renishaw Official Channel Partner**

Renishaw, one of the world’s leading precision engineering and scientific technology companies, announces the appointment of MSC Industrial Supply Co. UK (MSC) — the UK’s premier distributor of metalworking and MRO industrial consumables — to its official Channel Partner Programme.

The partnership agreement between the two companies sees MSC become a Premium Partner, providing access to Renishaw’s portfolio of machine tool, co-ordinate measuring machine (CMM), styli and fixturing products. The company supplies metalworking, maintenance, repair and operation (MRO) and safety products with over 80,000 items in stock. Its newly built Technology Centre, located within their Wednesbury facility, has been designed to enable manufacturers to test new engineering methods for the production of parts without disrupting their own operations.

Luke O'Reilly, Renishaw Account Manager for MSC, explains, “It is a fantastic opportunity for Renishaw to partner with MSC to better support our customer base, as well as provide Renishaw’s industry-leading metrology solutions and high precision equipment to new customers. We are committed to working with MSC to help customers reduce cost and improve productivity.”

Launched in 2021, the Channel Partner Programme aims to continually enhance levels of local customer service and product support throughout Renishaw’s global sales regions. Partner companies are carefully selected on the basis of their sector-specific experience and expertise in a range of cutting-edge metrology and manufacturing disciplines.

Robert Hooper, Category Manager at MSC adds, “Renishaw is one of the iconic names in British manufacturing, and we are pleased to have joined their Channel Partner Programme. The partnership will result in increased technical support from Renishaw, including training for our engineering and sales teams to gain a deeper understanding of Renishaw’s products. The MSC Technology Centre will also include Renishaw machine tool probing. This will allow our customers to not only see Renishaw technology in action, but the MSC engineering team will also use the technology when conducting customer projects to find time-saving and cost-saving processes for production.”

For more information, visit [www.renishaw.com](http://www.renishaw.com) and [www.mscdirect.co.uk](http://www.mscdirect.co.uk).

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**Notes to editors**

**About MSC Industrial Supply Co.**

MSC Industrial Supply Co. is a leader in the supply of Metalworking and maintenance, repair and operations (MRO) products. MSC helps organisations deliver operational excellence by providing engineering support across a variety of industries and metalworking applications. Whatever the challenge, MSC finds the right tool for the job and develops solutions to improve performance.

MSC helps drive greater productivity, profitability and growth with over 120,000 products, inventory management and supply chain solutions, and offers extensive engineering and technical expertise from years of working across different industries. At the heart of MSC is its commitment to give customers control and its ability to demonstrate time and cost savings. Through its relationships with over 500 suppliers, it offers the broadest range of metalworking and MRO products.

Further information at [www.mscdirect.co.uk](https://www.mscdirect.co.uk)

**About Renishaw**

Renishaw is one of the world's leading engineering and scientific technology companies, with expertise in precision measurement and healthcare. The company supplies products and services used in applications as diverse as jet engine and wind turbine manufacture, through to dentistry and brain surgery. It is also a world leader in the field of additive manufacturing (also referred to as 3D printing), where it designs and makes industrial machines which ‘print' parts from metal powder.

The Renishaw Group currently has 77 offices in 36 countries, with over 5,000 employees, of which over 3,000 people are employed within the UK. The majority of the company's R&D and manufacturing is carried out in the UK and for the year ended June 2022 Renishaw achieved sales of £671.1 million, of which 95% was due to exports. The company's largest markets are China, USA, Japan and Germany.

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