



PRESS RELEASE

Tata Steel awards ANDRITZ order for acid regeneration plant

GRAZ, DECEMBER 9, 2025. Tata Steel has awarded international technology group ANDRITZ an order to supply an acid regeneration plant for its steel production facility at Port Talbot Works, Wales, UK. The new plant is designed to meet the highest environmental standards and support the planned capacity expansion of the facility's pickling line. Commissioning is scheduled for late 2027.

The order value will not be disclosed. It is included in ANDRITZ's order intake for the fourth quarter of 2025.

The plant will be capable of regenerating up to 6,340 l/h of waste acid, securing maximum reuse of spent acid in the pickling process and minimizing waste generation. The system will operate efficiently both at the current pickling capacity of 1,200,000 metric tons per year and the future capacity of 1,800,000 mtpy.

Tata Steel's Project Manager Paul Boxer said: *"The new plant will remove the need for importing vast quantities of acid from overseas and exporting the spent liquids. This is a big step to decarbonize our pickling operations."*

ANDRITZ's latest exhaust cleaning technology ensures emission levels well below regulatory limits. The integrated **ECOMode** function enables significant energy savings, particularly after the capacity expansion, further supporting Tata Steel's efficiency and sustainability goals.

Advanced process control, a high degree of automation, and modern cyber security features ensure stable, safe, and continuous plant operation.

The scope of supply includes the design and supply of all mechanical and electrical equipment as well as supervision of installation and commissioning.

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ANDRITZ GROUP

International technology group ANDRITZ provides advanced plants, equipment, services, and digital solutions for a wide range of industries, including pulp and paper, metals, hydropower, environmental, and others. Founded in 1852 and headquartered in Austria, the publicly listed group employs about 30,000 people at 280 locations in over 80 countries.

As a global leader in technology and innovation, ANDRITZ is committed to fostering progress that benefits customers, partners, employees, society, and the environment. The company's growth is driven by sustainable solutions enabling the green transition, advanced digitalization for highest industrial performance, and comprehensive services that maximize the value of customers' plants over their entire life cycle. ANDRITZ. FOR GROWTH THAT MATTERS.

ANDRITZ METALS

ANDRITZ Metals is – via ANDRITZ Schuler – one of the world's leading suppliers of technologies, plants and digital solutions in metal forming. The product portfolio also includes automation and software solutions, process know-how and service. In the metals processing segment, the business area offers innovative, sustainable and market-leading solutions for the production and processing of flat products, for welding systems and furnaces with its own burner solutions, as well as services for the metals processing industry.