

Scan Pac MFG., Inc. Acquisition Announcement

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Scan Pac Mfg., Inc Acquires Great Lakes Friction Products, Inc.

Menomonee Falls, WI — June 1, 2026 — Scan Pac Mfg., Inc, founded in 1973 by H.A. “Skip” Scandrett, and a leading provider of friction and phenolic materials, today announced the acquisition of Great Lakes Friction Products Inc., a leading supplier of friction materials and assemblies. The acquisition strengthens Scan Pac’s position in a vast range of industrial and commercial markets and expands its ability to deliver a full portfolio of friction-related products to customers worldwide.

Founded in 1987, Great Lakes Friction Products has built a strong reputation for providing Friction Material Selection, Complete Assemblies, Application Testing and Critical Delivery Service. By combining the strengths of both organizations, the companies aim to accelerate innovation, enhance customer experience, and create new growth opportunities across the many current markets serviced and more. “David Butzen, our dedicated employees and I have had the privilege to serve our customers for nearly 39 years and are confident that Scan Pac will continue our legacy of service and quality to our loyal customers.” Stated R Christopher Butzen, President, Great Lakes Friction Products, Inc.

“This acquisition marks an important milestone for our company,” said David Pozorski, President/CEO of Scan Pac Mfg., Inc. “The team at Great Lakes Friction Products brings exceptional expertise, strong customer relationships, and innovative solutions that align perfectly with our long-term strategy. Together, we are positioned to deliver even greater value to our customers and stakeholders. It is an honor to continue the legacy created by both Skip Scandrett and Chris Butzen.”

The acquisition further strengthens Scan Pac’s commitment to its People-First Atmosphere, emphasizing the importance of placing the Right Person in the Right Seat across every level of the organization. Guided by a strong leadership philosophy centered on Strength and Integrity, the company remains focused on building a high-performing team that continues to create opportunities for our employees while supporting our long-term customer partnerships.

About Scan Pac Mfg., Inc

Scan-Pac Mfg., Inc. is recognized as the industry leader in the development and manufacturing of organic friction products as well as Phenolic bearings and laminates. Our strength comes from offering a broad diversity of formulations that can be molded or machined into any dimensional configuration, as well as astute technical support regarding motion control challenges. Having pioneered the development of Non-Asbestos friction material, we have created hundreds of base compounds, variations of which are available as solutions to your specific applications problems.

Gatke Phenolic Bearings and laminates are available in a variety of grades with differing strength and frictional characteristics suitable for light to very demanding duty applications. Additional flexible roll products of both the woven and calendared type make Scan-Pac Manufacturing, Inc. the full-range source for your friction, bearing and wear applications.

<https://www.scanpac.com/>

About Great Lakes Friction Products Inc.

Great Lakes Friction Products has the in-house capability to supply your friction assemblies from start to finish. GLFP's capabilities include but are not limited to: Bonding, Molding, Stamping, Die Cutting, Machining, Grinding and Assembly. Let Great Lakes Friction Products do the job for you!

<https://glfp.com/>

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