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His Excellency Dino SORRENTINO, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Italy to the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

A seasoned diplomat, he brings extensive experience in international relations and economic cooperation.

Born in Italy, he has dedicated over two decades to diplomacy, holding strategic positions around the world, including in Taipei, Brussels, New York, Kabul, and London. His distinguished career has seen him take on key roles in areas such as economic and financial cooperation, the management of Italians abroad, and consular affairs.

Since his appointment in November 2024 as Ambassador to the DRC, His Excellency Mr. Sorrentino has been actively working to strengthen ties between Italy and the Democratic Republic of the Congo, with a particular focus on strategic sectors such as energy, the extractive industry, and infrastructure.

His participation in the Mining Week reflects Italy's commitment to fostering sustainable partnerships in the mining sector, which is vital to the country's economic development. Through his expertise and vision, he offers valuable insight into the opportunities for cooperation between Italy and the DRC in this crucial field.



Dino Sorrentino

**Ambassador to the Democratic
Republic of the Congo**

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Dear Visitors,

ITA - Italian Trade Agency is the governmental agency that supports the business development of our companies abroad and promotes the attraction of foreign investment in Italy.

With a motivated and modern organization and a widespread network of more than 70 offices in the world, ITA provides information, assistance, consulting, promotion and training to Italian small and medium-sized businesses.

Using the most modern multi-channel promotion and communication tools, it acts to assert the excellence of Made in Italy in the world.

In addition, the Italian Trade Agency assists local companies to access information on the Italian suppliers and link them up for building future business relations.

I warmly invite you to visit the Italian Pavilion at Mining Week 2025!

Feel free to contact us ITA - AGENZIA ICE for any further information.



Andrea Ferrari
Trade Commissioner

Luanda Office

A dramatic, low-key photograph of a tunnel. The tunnel's interior is constructed from large, dark, rectangular stone or concrete blocks, creating a grid-like pattern on the walls and ceiling. The floor is covered with a rough, uneven surface, possibly gravel or dirt. A set of tracks, likely for a train or tram, runs down the center of the tunnel, leading the viewer's eye towards a bright, glowing light source at the far end. The light creates a strong lens flare and illuminates the tracks and the lower part of the tunnel walls. The overall atmosphere is mysterious and hopeful, suggesting a path through darkness towards a bright future.

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Federation of Italian Associations of Mechanical and Engineering Industries, represents within Confindustria companies of mechanical sector, which employs 225.000 employees, with 54,6 billion Euro production and 57,0% export share (estimates 2022).

Established 1914, ANIMA numbers 34 associations and 1,000 companies, highly qualified in the sectors represented:

- Energy production and Oil
- Gas industry
- Logistics and Handling
- Water Treatment
- Food Processing
- Industry
- Building
- Personal Security and Safety

AISEM

(Italian Association of Lifting, Elevating and Handling Systems) was formed in 1992 from the merger of two entrepreneurial unions that had already been federated to ANIMA for more than forty years.

The association brings together the best national entrepreneurs for the construction and distribution of material handling and lifting equipment, representing about 75% of the entire national production, of which about 40% is destined for export.



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(Union of construction, road, mining and related machinery manufacturers) founded within ANIMA in 1951, joins among the most qualified Italian companies manufacturing plants and equipment for construction industry, a sector that employed 5,850 units in 2022, for a total production of 2,80 billion euro and 77% export/production share.

The Association is structured in 6 product groups:

- Drilling, boring and piling machinery and plant
- Crushing, grinding, screening, classifying, washing machinery and plant
- Concrete machinery and plant
- Tower cranes, self-erecting cranes
- Road machinery and plant
- Other construction equipment

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Unacea - Italian construction equipment association, founded in 2010, counts more than 85 member companies and a rate of representativeness in terms of turnover of 80%, both in producing and importing of all types of equipment: earthmoving, road, concrete, drilling, attachments, and tower cranes.

The industry has a manufacturing turnover of 2.5 billion euros and an employment volume of 36 thousand workers, including related activities. Unacea represents the Italian industry in Cece - the Committee for European construction equipment, based in Brussels.

Unacea represents the interests of the industry before the Italian Ministries, Authorities and public bodies that deal with construction equipment and promotes the internationalization of Italian companies organizing national pavilions.



ITALIAN COMPANIES



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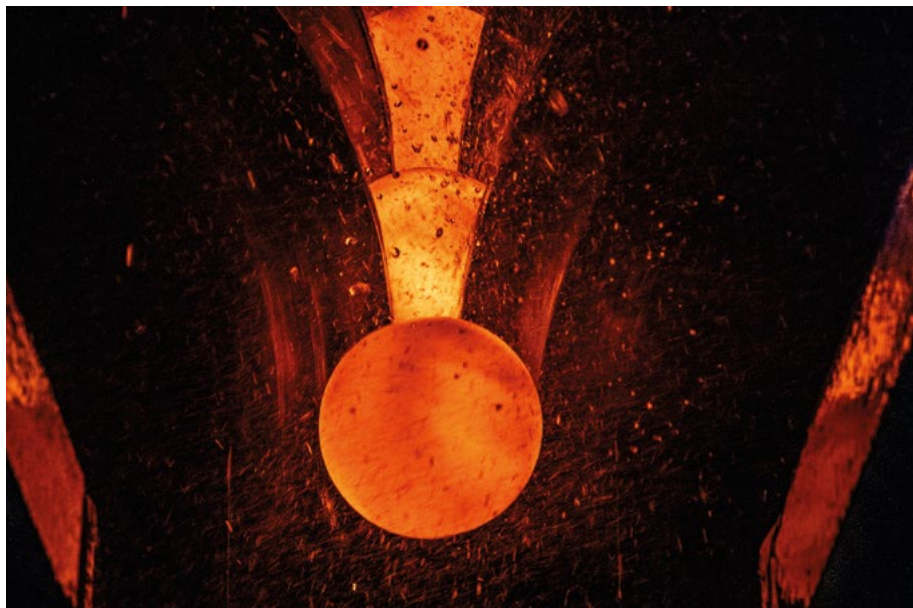
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Company profile:

ABS, the steelmaking division of the Danieli Group, was founded in 1988 combining over a century of expertise from two long-standing Italian companies.

With more than 1,500 employees and an annual turnover of 1,303.5 million euros, ABS produces over 1,000 steel grades, which makes it a global industry leader.

By using 93% of recycled raw materials and the electric arc furnace process, ABS is able to cut emissions by 65% compared to traditional methods. ABS Sfera is specialized in grinding media for the mining sector, offering advanced solutions backed by decades of engineering and innovation.



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Company profile:

CVB Valves designs and manufactures engineered and tailor-made valves and equipment; our production range includes all types of Butterfly and Control Valves for On/Off and Control of flows. It includes Concentric rubber-lined, Double-Offset, Triple Offset Butterfly Valves, both for On-Off and Control duties. Our company was founded in 1976 in Milan, Italy. We are proud to have over 40 years of experience in designing customised valve solutions for our Customers' challenging and exacting standards combining reliability, efficiency, dedicated solutions

with the highest safety standards for the most extreme operating environmental applications. Long and vast track record supplying to Oil&Gas, Energy, Water, Desalination and Naval industries are testament of our passion and commitment in providing the utmost of Technology, Engineering, Innovation, Quality and Service to our Customers.

With our dedicated manufacturing facilities in Italy, our products are made with high quality materials customized to meet our customers' needs.



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Company profile:

DIEMME SOIL WASHING designs, manufactures, and installs Soil washing plants and filter-presses.

The company developed innovative projects in design, development and construction of filter presses and technologies, which are widely used in the mechanical dewatering of mineral concentrates downstream of the extraction process, as well as in the tailings dewatering in order to recover process water and eliminate environmental risks associated with the collapse of lagoon basins. The integration of filter press technology into the mining engineering framework marks a transformative step towards more efficient and sustainable practices.

DIEMME SOIL WASHING Srl is a reality established in 2011 by the reorganization of DIEMME S.p.A., Italian company of the Melandri family with almost 100 years of operating experience in the sectors of solid-liquid separation technologies, filter presses and reclamation treatment plants on the national and international scene.



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