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**Rautomead casts further afield with Chinese language website.**

**UK-based continuous casting technology specialist, Rautomead Limited, has announced the launch of a Chinese language version of its website in order to make its range of equipment for the casting of non-ferrous metals more accessible to the fast growing Chinese market. The new website can be viewed at [www.rautomead.net.cn](http://www.rautomead.net.cn).**

Comments Rautomead Sales and Marketing Manager, Guy Henderson, “The Chinese language website is hosted on a server in China and will facilitate access to Rautomead product information to those using Chinese characters in their search engines. A Russian language site ([www.rautomead.ru](http://www.rautomead.ru)), hosted in Russia, has been active since July last year. Despite the economic situation there we have recorded an increased level of enquiries since that website went live.”

**Naturally oxygen-reducing environment**

Embracing the company's graphite crucible technology, for a naturally oxygen-reducing environment, Rautomead's compact and easily integrated melting and casting solutions are renowned for the production of the highest quality oxygen-free copper wire and cable, copper alloys and precious metals.

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### **Wide range of models**

Fully automated Rautomead casting machines are available for the production of quantities ranging from 5,000 to 30,000 tonnes per year. While for smaller scale CuOF and CuAg wire rod production, a new model range offers from 1,000 to 3,600 tonnes per year.

Smaller, specialist 'precious metals' models enable the production of the highest quality gold and silver alloy shapes and sections.

### **CuMg Trolley Wire**

With the increasing demand for high-speed rail travel, Rautomead's graphite crucible, electric-resistance technology is gaining growing international acclaim for the production of CuMg alloy rod for subsequent processing to make catenary wires. CuMg is a non-toxic alloy offering high-tensile strength, high conductivity and good creep resistance.

Rautomead has over thirty years experience of graphite furnace technology. In parallel with advances in the properties of materials available, Rautomead seeks to be innovative in this specialised field and to find new applications wherever possible.

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