

# News Release



## Berry Metal Completes Install of Saw Base Tables at Gerdau Petersburg.

Berry Metal recently delivered three Saw Base Tables with pedestals and one Saw Base Shift Table with pedestals for the Gerdau Petersburg rolling mill. Berry also supplied all the installation hardware and keys.

The Saw Tables cut the heads and tails off the I-beams Gerdau produces.

Said Gerdau’s Roger Whitehead, Rolling Mill Maintenance General Facilitator, “We wanted to streamline maintenance for this equipment, so we collaborated with Berry and modified the design to simplify wheel replacement. This reduced an eight-hour job to less than an hour. That’s saved time we can use to do other critical repairs. The bases were drop-in replacements that required no rework to install.”

Berry delivered on time and installed the tables to coincide with a planned November 2022 outage at the rolling mill.



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