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"IF EVERYTHING IS UNDER CONTROL, YOU ARE NOT GOING FAST ENOUGH"

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Visit us at the Interbuild Exhibition 4 to 7 August 2004, Expo Center Nasrec - west of Johannesburg.

Anti-Split plates:
- The Rondo-Grip® series is now complete with sizes ranging from 50mm to 210mm (i.e. 50mm ; 70mm ; 90mm ; 110mm ; 135mm ; 155mm ; 180mm ; 210mm).
- Rectangular anti-split plates are available in almost any size with a maximum width of 300mm and lengths up to 3,000mm.
- Do you sometimes have poles with diameters **larger than 251mm**? Alternative Structures can now crop the corners off rectangular anti-split plates to form an octagon. This gives you access to huge plates or odd sizes at short notice. The largest plate we have made to date covers a **diameter 365mm pole to 70%**!

Marking:
- We are now capable of printing and supplying weather resistant paper labels for the following applications: pole diameter denotation for Building & Fencing poles , supplier and manufacturing dates for mining timber as well as bar coding for export peeler logs. We are able to apply bar codes with alpha-numeric series numbers. Entry level cost for label printer and bar code reader is about R10,000. This gives you great flexibility.

- Alternative Structures manufactures a large variety of tags/markers in zink plated steel, aluminium, plastic and paper. We have various unique forms:

round, pentagon, square, oval and rectangular.

These can be applied by either their own "nails", loose nails, skirts or in the case of paper it can be applied by tacker. These unique shapes can be used for specific applications or customers.



- Omni-Colour® is now available in any colour and with markings of your choice. Markings can be printed with a Hot Foil process (cheaper, quicker, low volumes and more legible) or by embossing.

- For TELKOM or export pole marking we produce 50mm diameter aluminium markers. It gives you 23% more marking area than the older 45mm marker. Thus you can apply more information or more legible information. **We have made specific hand punches for your use to apply month, diameter and length.**

- For Eskom use (or any other) we manufacture the 75x55mm aluminium marker - with series number and all other required information.

Delivery:
- PX containers - we are dispatching up to 5 of these practical, cheap containers per week. This is an indication of the success and usefulness thereof to our customers.

- Alternative Structures trusts that the new colour coded bags in which your products are dispatched are not only looking more professional but help in easier stock control.