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NEW SRS SMOOTH RETURN SERIES GAS SPRINGS
REDUCE PAD BOUNCE BY AS MUCH AS 90 PER CENT.

Brecksville, OH—Hyson Products, a business of Barnes Group Inc., introduces the controllable SRS Series, innovative gas springs engineered to reduce pad bounce associated with increased return stroke speeds from the press, and to increase part transfer efficiency.

All SRS models feature built-in return stroke speed dampening to eliminate pad bounce. In the press, they decelerate the last 30 mm of the stroke to bring the metal forming operation to a smooth, controlled stop. The SRS Series is available in stroke lengths from 125 mm to 300 mm, and can be used in both self-contained and hosed system modes of operation. All models are easily retrofitted into existing dies.

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Hyson Products designs and manufactures the Tanker® Series of high force and high performance gas springs, and T2 and T3 standard gas springs; Nitro-Dyne® XP manifold systems and accessories; the Dyne-A-Cam® Series of cams, and controllable systems that include the DRAC® Series of delayed return manifolds and the hydraulic Di-Dro advanced forming systems in an ISO 9001-2000 certified facility.

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