



Power Transmission Distributors Association Distributor Membership Application

Thank you for your interest in distributor membership with the Power Transmission Distributors Association. To be considered for membership, please complete the application and submit via email to ptda@ptda.org or mail to PTDA, 230 W Monroe St., Ste 1410, Chicago, IL 60606. If you need assistance with this process, or have any questions, please contact us at ptda@ptda.org or +1.312.516.2100.

All information provided as part of this application will be held in strict confidence and will be used solely to determine membership qualifications.

Step 1. Verify your company meets the requirements for PTDA Distributor Membership.

A firm, corporation or partnership whose business is involved in the stocking and distribution of power transmission and/or motion control products to Original Equipment Manufacturers and/or end-user markets and which provides value added services to its customers.

The business entity must:

- (a) Stock and distribute products from one or more of the following categories: adjustable/variable speed drives, bearings, belt and chain drives, clutches and brakes, motor/motion control products, conveyors & material handling components, shaft couplings & u-joints, hydraulics & pneumatics, gearing, linear motion, industrial specialty chemicals, motors, and pumps.
- (b) Be an authorized stocking distributor for at least one manufacturer of power transmission/motion control products who is a current member of the Association.
- (c) Meet such other such uniform criteria as established by the Board of Directors.

Step 2. Tell us about your company.

Firm Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ ZIP/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Phone _____ Corporate Email _____

Website _____ Twitter Handle _____

Firm Representative** _____ Title _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

GDPR Permission (EU citizens only)*

*By checking this box, you grant PTDA permission to for us to communicate with you regarding programs and services and other essential information and to allow PTDA to share your information in the very specific ways noted in our Privacy Policy.

**According to PTDA bylaws, each Distributor Member firm shall name one person in its employ as the *Designated Firm Representative* who is active in the day-to-day management of the firm, not an employee of a separate division, affiliate, or sister company of the member firm. This *Designated Firm Representative* will represent the member firm, will have voting rights in the Association and can serve on the Board of Directors.

Total number of locations (include headquarters & any branch locations): _____

Name/Address of your parent corporation (if different from what is listed front page):

Why are you considering membership in PTDA?

How did you learn about PTDA? _____

PTDA was recommended to our firm by: _____

Step 4. Tell us about your manufacturing partners.

PTDA bylaws require that the applicant must be an authorized stocking distributor for at least one manufacturer of power transmission/motion control products (PT/MC) who is a current member of the association (ptda.org/members). Please list a minimum of four of your key manufacturers, one of which must be a current PTDA member.

1. Company _____	4. Company _____
City/State _____	City/State _____
Contact _____	Contact _____
Title _____	Title _____
Email _____	Email _____
Phone _____	Phone _____

2. Company _____	5. Company _____
City/State _____	City/State _____
Contact _____	Contact _____
Title _____	Title _____
Email _____	Email _____
Phone _____	Phone _____

3. Company _____	6. Company _____
City/State _____	City/State _____
Contact _____	Contact _____
Title _____	Title _____
Email _____	Email _____
Phone _____	Phone _____

Step 5. Tell us about the products you distribute.**Adjustable/ Variable Speed Drives (A)**

- AC (001)
- DC (002)
- Positioning (003)
- Belt (004)
- Traction (005)
- Hydraulic (006)
- Servo (007)
- Stepping (008)
- Disc (009)
- Gear shift (010)
- Eddy current (011)

Bearings (B)

- Plain (001)
- Rolling element (002)
- Mounted (003)
- Needle (004)
- Linear (005)
- Bushings (006)
- Cam followers (007)

Belt & Chain Drives (C)

- Flat (001)
- V- (002)
- Synchronous (003)
- Roller (004)
- Link (005)
- Inverted tooth (006)
- Pulleys (007)
- Sheaves (008)
- Sprockets (009)

Clutches & Brakes (D)

- Disc (001)
- Drum (002)
- Cone (003)
- Magnetic particle (004)
- Eddy current (005)
- Hysteresis (006)
- Square jaw (007)
- Spiral jaw (008)
- Multi-tooth (009)
- Centrifugal (010)
- Sprag/wrap (011)
- Spring set (012)
- Failsafe (013)

Motor/Motion Control (E)

- Positioning controls (001)
- Sensors (002)
- PLCs and peripherals (003)
- Data collection devices (004)
- Instrumentation products (005)
- Automation & control software (006)
- Motor control devices (007)

Conveyors & Material Handling Components (F)

- Belting (001)
- Chain (002)
- Buckets (003)
- Vibrators (004)
- Troughing idlers (005)
- Rollers (006)
- Take-ups (007)

- Lagging (008)
- Pulleys (009)
- Belt fasteners (010)
- Accessories (011)
- Skirting (012)
- Wearstrips (013)
- Lift tables (014)
- Screw conveyors (015)
- Drag Conveyors (016)
- Belt conveyors (017)
- Pneumatic conveyors (018)
- Unit handling conveyors (019)
- Bucket elevators (020)
- Vibrating equipment (021)
- Conveyor controls (022)

Shaft Couplings & U-Joints (G)

- Jaw (001)
- Elastomeric (002)
- Rigid (003)
- Gear (004)
- Disc (005)
- Spring (006)
- Fluid (007)
- Torque limiting (008)
- Universal joints (009)
- Bushings (010)

Hydraulics & Pneumatics (H)

- Air cylinders (001)
- Air hoses (002)
- Air fittings (003)
- Air controls (004)
- Air actuators (005)
- Air valves (006)
- Hydraulic hoses (007)
- Hydraulic fittings (008)
- Hydraulic power units (009)
- Hydraulic controls (010)
- Hydraulic actuators (011)
- Hydraulic valves & accessories (012)
- Hydraulic seals (013)
- Hydraulic cylinders (014)
- Hydrostatic transmissions (015)
- Hydraulic pkg. (016)
- Hydraulic filters (017)

Gearing (open/enclosed) (I)

- Spur (001)
- Helical (002)
- Bevel (003)
- Hypoid (004)
- Worm (005)
- Planetary (006)
- Traction (007)
- Cycloidal (008)
- Parallel shaft speed reducers (009)

Motors (J)

- AC (001)
- DC (002)
- Servo (003)
- Stepping (004)
- Hydraulic (005)
- Air (006)
- Generators (007)

Industrial Specialty Chemicals (K)

- Adhesives & sealants (001)
- Industrial lubricants (002)
- Cleaners (003)
- Coatings (004)

Linear Motion Components (L)

- Ball screws (001)
- Linear actuators (002)
- Linear motors (003)
- Screw jacks (004)
- Linear bearings (005)
- Linear bearing pillow blocks (006)
- Composite linear bearings (007)
- Shaft supports (008)
- Linear profile (009)
- Cross roller guides (010)
- Contact ball splines (011)
- Slide systems (012)
- Bellows (013)

Pumps (M)

- Air operated diaphragm (001)
- Centrifugal (002)
- Fire pump pkgs. (003)
- Grinder (004)
- Lobe (005)
- Metering (006)
- Plunger & piston (007)
- Regenerative turbine (008)
- Rotary gear (009)
- Seal/less (010)
- Self-priming (011)
- Sewage (012)
- Specialty (013)
- Submersible & waste water (014)
- Vacuum/pressure (015)
- Vertical submersible (016)
- Vertical turbine (017)
- Air compressors (018)

Accessories (N)

- Drive guards (001)
- Idlers (002)
- Keystock (003)
- Motor bases (004)
- Shaft collars (005)
- Seals (006)
- O-rings (007)
- Locknuts & locking devices (008)
- Retaining rings (009)
- Bearing heaters (010)

Other PT/motion control products you distribute (O):

Step 6. Provide us with key employees in your company who should receive communications from PTDA and be included with your company’s listing.

A PTDA membership is a company membership—once approved, **all of your employees** can take advantage of the resources offered to members via the PTDA website. With your new member kit, you will receive information on how your employees can create their own user name and password to access valuable members-only content on the PTDA website at www.ptda.org.

To build your company’s presence in our *Membership Directory* and on the “Find a Member Executive” feature on the website, please provide us with up to three employees (in addition to the firm representative) to be included as additional representatives.

Name _____ Title _____

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Step 7. Determine your membership dues investment.

Your membership investment is based on your company’s annual sales of power transmission/motion control (PT/MC) products. Please indicate below your sales volume category. All values are in U.S. dollars.

Note: No payment is due now; you will be invoiced for your membership investment upon approval of your application. Membership Dues Investments may be deductible as an ordinary business expense under U.S. federal tax law, but not as a charitable deduction. All sales volume information herein supplied will be kept completely confidential.

PT/MC Sales Volume	2023 Investment
<input type="checkbox"/> Less than \$2 million	\$1,520
<input type="checkbox"/> \$2 million - \$3.99 million	\$1,640
<input type="checkbox"/> \$4 million - \$5.99 million	\$1,880
<input type="checkbox"/> \$6 million - \$9.99 million	\$2,100
<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 million - \$14.99 million	\$2,720
<input type="checkbox"/> \$15 million - \$24.99 million	\$3,360
<input type="checkbox"/> \$25 million - \$49.99 million	\$4,900
<input type="checkbox"/> \$50 million - \$99.99 million	\$6,220
<input type="checkbox"/> \$100 million - \$499.99 million	\$7,700
<input type="checkbox"/> \$500 million - \$1 billion	\$10,600
<input type="checkbox"/> Above \$1 billion	\$14,320
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-disclosure	\$14,320

I verify that all information supplied on this application is true and that our firm meets all the requirements for membership as outlined herein.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature _____ Date _____