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Coalition for the Commercial Application of Superconductors (CCAS)

CCAS is a broad based member-driven, non-profit 501(c)6 organization. Initially formed in 1987 as the Council on Superconductivity for American Competitiveness (CSAC) to represent superconductivity stakeholders in the United States, the name was changed to the Coalition for the Commercial Application of Superconductors (CCAS) in 2003 to more accurately reflect the membership and goals of the organization.

CCAS Vision: Members of CCAS believe that the broad commercialization of superconductors will translate into significant benefits for the U.S. economy across a broad range of applications.

CCAS Mission: The mission is to communicate the varied applications and benefits of superconductivity and to represent the superconductor industry by speaking with a united voice on public policy. CCAS seeks to ensure that the societal and economic benefits of superconductors are effectively realized and speedily implemented by endorsing and supporting relevant government programs and activities. CCAS enables members to communicate and collaborate, nationally and internationally, to collectively develop and demonstrate multi-disciplinary technology, to educate policy makers, and to advocate priorities for adequate government funding for superconductor based programs from research to pre-commercial demonstrations. CCAS is also a founding member of the International Superconductivity Industry Summit (ISIS).

CCAS members are involved in the end-use, manufacture, development and research of superconductor based systems, products and related technologies. CCAS members comprise large and small corporations, research institutions, national laboratories and universities.

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