Krupp Brothers Winery, one of Napa's most iconic vineyards located in Napa, California.

Harvest season is a critical time for any vineyard. Temperature and timing are critical components to a successful production process. Any momentary or sustained loss of power can compromise quality in product and have a negative impact on a vineyard’s bottom line.

Krupp Brothers Winery has been producing wine since 1999, and has grown to become one of Napa Valley’s most iconic vineyards. Global Power Supply’s relationship with Krupp began prior to the harvest season of 2018, when they rented a 100 kW mobile diesel generator from us to assist with the increased power demands that come with harvesting and production. Pleased with our performance, and forecasting the need for a permanent solution, we began discussing options that would meet the vineyard’s power needs, as well as meeting local and statewide EPA requirements.

In April of 2019 we began with a site walk to assess solutions. Krupp was in need of a prime power genset that could run their harvest equipment for 3-8 hours per day and 20 days per year. They needed a reliable solution, because if the generator were to malfunction in any way during the harvest process, the crop could be lost. The generator we determined would best fit this application was a new Hipower 152kW prime diesel generator.

Hipower is Manufactured in Olathe, Kansas. Although not as recognized as other brands, there were many benefits to going with this solution. These include the quality of engine (John Deere), better price, and most importantly, shorter lead time.

Due to the urgent nature of this requirement, and our history of doing business with Krupp, we were able to work out flexible terms to get the vineyard their generator delivered and installed in time for a successful harvest season.

“I am pleased that we have developed a mutually trusting business relationship.”

Jan Krupp, Krupp Winery

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