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How small do you need? Our engineering and manufacturing teams continue to push the coiling limits. Challenge us to see if we can design a ring or spring for your application. Ask Smalley™, is not just a slogan, it is what we do best; answer design questions and provide solutions that works best for your application.

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