Thank you all for being with us! Fastener World Magazine celebrates the 200th issue

The fastener industry in Taiwan has been cultivating the export market since decades ago, and has gradually opened up the market in Europe and the U.S. through a difficult process. There are also many industry players who see the business opportunities and extend their reach to the Chinese market, or follow the government's new southbound policy to strengthen investment in emerging markets such as Southeast Asia. Since Fastener World Magazine was founded in 1987, it has accompanied these serious Taiwanese fastener manufacturers and witnessed a brilliant development story.

Looking back to the time when only 360,000 tons of fasteners were exported from Taiwan in 1989, it has taken 33 years to reach a proud record of 1.61 million tons in 2022, and this figure does not even include Taiwanese manufacturers who have invested in other countries. This proves that the Taiwanese industry has an important position in the global fastener manufacturing field that cannot be underestimated.

Recently, we have also seen many industry players extend their product focus on wind power, aerospace, automotive or higher-end, value-added, lighter weight or customized fasteners. In the face of continuous opportunities and challenges in the future, we believe that the perseverance and technical skills of Taiwanese fastener manufacturers will definitely make the development of Taiwan fastener industry more exciting.

Since the publication of Fastener World Magazine, we have gradually established a comprehensive marketing channel and have participated in nearly 600 international exhibitions in about 165 countries. In recent years, through the creation of a new online purchasing platform (www.fastener-world.com), we have helped our customers to create faster and more efficient business performance.

With the release of the 200th issue of Fastener World Magazine, we are looking forward to seeing more successful and prosperous performance of the industry in the future. We also hope that through the promotion of Fastener World Magazine, Taiwan will be seen by the world, and Taiwanese fasteners will be successfully brought to the whole world.

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We are confident that we will see the release of our **300th issue**!



May 1989

first "Fastener World Magazine" was released



first "Chinese Fastener & Wire"

May 2000



June 2009

first "Fastener World **Europe Edition**" was released



Aug. 2012

first "Emerging Fastener Markets" was released



Aug. 2016

Hardware World" was renamed "Hardware & Fastener Components"

In addition to Fastener World Magazine Bimonthly Edition, we have also expanded our publications based on different customers' needs and industry changes, which include:





first "Hardware World Magazine" was released



first "Components & Parts World" was released

Feb. 2010

"Chinese Fastener & Wire' was renamed "China Fastener World"









Feb. 2006

Since 2000, we have become not only a magazine publisher, but also an exhibition booth sales agent. We exhibited at nearly 600 trade shows in around 165 countries.





In 2013, we worked together with Taiwan Fastener **Trading Association (TFTA) to hold the International** Fastener Show, Tainan, Taiwan.





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