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"International Hardware Fair Cologne" Returns in 2022 德國科隆國際五金展 2022再度回歸

"International Hardware Fair Cologne" held in Germany every two years opened its gates again to domestic and foreign exhibitors and industrial professionals after the postponement in 2020 due to the pandemic. This Fair opened on September 25 at Kolnmesse. The 2022 Fair opened from 09/25-27 (time: 09:00-18:00) through 09/28 (time: 09:00-17:00). The organizer opened Halls 3, 10, and 11. According to the organizer's statistics, there were 1,411 German and international companies coming to exhibit this year, which were mainly from the industry sectors of hand tools/power tools, construction & furniture fittings, fasteners & fixings, factory equipment, products for industrial use, DIY & relevant services for industrial purposes, etc. Taiwanese companies and exhibiting groups were also present to demonstrate their latest hand tools, aftermarket tools, gardening tools, relevant industrial tools, sockets



& wrenches, and many other hardware products. Fastener World's staff onsite also observed at the Fair many market trends for future industrial development especially focused by the industry this year, such as energy saving, carbon emission reduction, environmental protection & sustainability, multiple applications, etc. In accordance with buyers' various sourcing demands in different markets, our staff onsite took a lot of recently released and printed copies to the Fair, which included "Fastener World Magazine, China Fastener World Magazine, Hardware & Fastener Components Magazine, and Emerging Fastener Markets Magazine." We also talked with

several corporate purchasing reps coming to our stand asking for magazines during the Fair and they told us that they were highly interested in purchasing Taiwanese products featuring high performance/price ratios, excellent design, and high quality and collaborating with these suppliers. They hoped that through those printed copies received from Fastener World and our online B2B purchasing platform, they could understand more about superior products from suppliers based in Taiwan and other countries and establish closer collaboration approaches. They also hoped that through the collaboration with Taiwanese and other countries' suppliers they could build up a more tenacious and integrated post-pandemic global industry supply chain. The next edition will take place on March 3-6, 2024.





High Visitor Traffic at Taiwan Pavilion Whale Security Corp. **m**=

Whale Security has a factory and office building of over 13,000 square meters. As a factory specialized in slideway, hardware components and standard component, its main products include brass padlocks, door locks, furniture locks, automotive locks, computer locks, high security cylinders, and various hardware. With powerful strength, Whale's products are well received in European and American markets.





Yong Song Hardware & Tool Co., Ltd. 永州五金

Yong Song has been dedicated to the power tools industry in Taiwan since 1992. It is now specialized in making Stapler Series, 16 Gauge Series, Coil Nailer Series, Specialties, Powder Actuated Tool Coil Cap Nailer, Stapler Cap Nailer, Corrugated Fastener Tool, Cap, etc. Yong Song continues to research and develop new products and provide better products to satisfy the needs of customers and the demands of the market.

Leading Tools Industrial Co., Ltd. 理全

Leading Tools specializes in high-quality artisan tools, including finishing trowels, notched trowels, pointing and gauging trowels, masonry tools, brick and pointing tools, concrete tools, building tools, and flooring trowel.

Young Cycle Industrial Co., Ltd. 湧健

Young Cycle's main products include Letter Steel Stamp, Number Steel Stamp, Combination Steel Stamp, Jewelry Stamp, Round-Dotted Steel Stamp Set, Steel Types & Type Holders, Russian Alphabet, Pattern Steel Stamp, Flat Face Steel Stamp, Screw Extractor Set, Automatic Center Punch, etc.





Chen Der launched "Mitools" as its alternative product line. Products include wrenches, pliers, screwdrivers, etc.





San Yi Chains & Hardware Co., Ltd. 學憶

Its products include single jack chain, double jack chain, oval chain, machine straight link chain, machine twist link chain, steel sash chain, chain accessories, etc.

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Concurrently Held with Virtual Materials & Parts Exhibition Korea Metal Week 2022



Korea Metal Week has made it across 30 years since it debuted in 1989. Now it has become the top and benchmark metal and industrial parts related fair in South Korea, as well as a stepping stone to tap into the South Korean fastener and industrial parts market. The 2022 edition of this fair was held at Hall 3, Exhibition Center 1, KINTEX in Goyang City, S. Korea from September 21 to 23.

The fair attracted a total of 206 exhibitors. Given the fact that Southeast Asian countries have risen up lately after the pandemic years, the organizer put up a Vietnam Pavilion and India Pavilion at the fair. In addition, the organizer held

seminars at the venue focusing on die casting, eco-friendly car parts joining and welding technology, climate change and other automotive industry related issues.

Fastener World's staff onsite reported that visitors were manufacturers, traders and academic institute personnel mostly from automotive, shipbuilding, electronics and other peripheral industries. Although South Korea highly relies on metal and industrial parts imported from China, quite a lot of visitors said Taiwanese fastener and industrial related products are also very attractive and well-recognized for their high quality. At the venue were a lot of visitors and

exhibitors from fasteners, metal wires, forging, metal heat treatment and coating, automobile and machine parts, and hand tool industries.

To learn more about the latest information of Korea Metal Week, please always stay connected with Fastener World at www.fastener-world.com.







