

WHEN IT'S

MAKE OR BREAK.

REPLACEMENT KNIVES FOR INDUSTRIAL MACHINES.



ZENITH CUTTER
A FISHER BARTON COMPANY



THE BEST KNIVES ON THE PLANET

At its core, Zenith Cutter has been established by selling the best industrial knives in the world for countless **make or break** manufacturing applications.

By continuing to innovate and expand our product offering further into market segments, we set ourselves apart from the competition and make Zenith Cutter the leading industrial knife brand. Equally important is simultaneously creating a positive reputation so when it's a **make or break** situation you buy from Zenith Cutter because it's clearly the best choice for performance and value.



BEST IN CLASS. GUARANTEED.

We guarantee our knives will perform, as well or, better than the rest. Why? Because making knives is what we do and we do it better than anyone else. Through extensive engineering and research, we make the best knives on the planet.

1923

- Zenith Cutter Co. founded by Richard Blazer.
- Began manufacturing and selling replacement knives, predominantly for the woodworking industry.



1981

- Zenith moves to present facility in Loves Park, Illinois.



1997

- Zenith acquires Great Enterprises Co. Ltd, the Vietnam operations of Great Knives Ltd.

2011

- The Fisher Barton Group acquires Zenith Cutter Co. on June 13, 2011.



BEST IN CLASS REPLACEMENT KNIVES

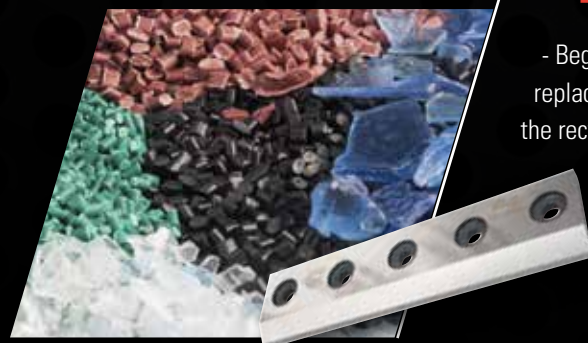
1953

- Began manufacturing knives for the corrugated industry.



1985

- Began manufacturing replacement knives for the recycling industry.



2005

- Zenith opens a new 135,000 square foot facility in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam.



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- Significant investments made in state-of-the art manufacturing equipment, LEAN manufacturing and establishment of European footprint.

AT THE CUTTING EDGE



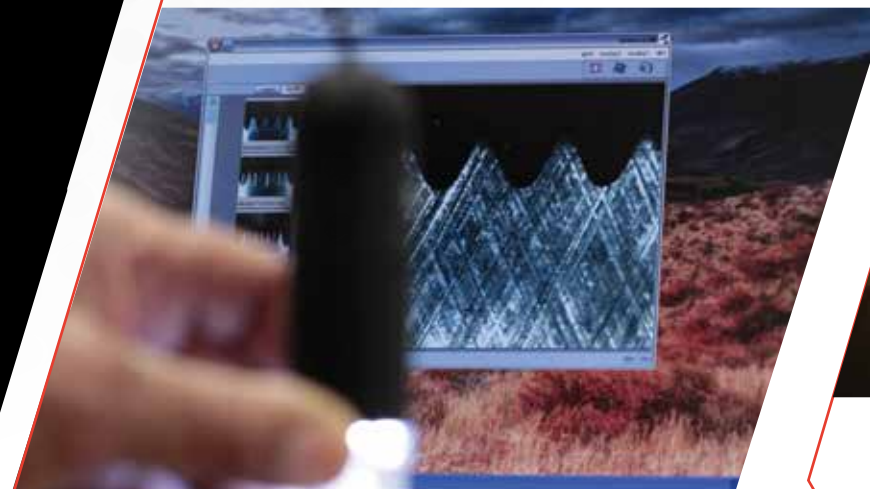
Zenith Cutter is proud to be the industry leader of high-quality industrial knives and blades across a variety of global markets. We are dedicated to producing world-class products from the finest grade steel, which provides increased levels of productivity at cost-competitive pricing.

In fact, our ISO9001:2008 certification and state-of-the art manufacturing capabilities, including heat treat (through-hardened & induction), cryogenics, laser machining, and CNC cellular manufacturing, enables us to manufacture blades to your specific application needs. With over ninety years of industry experience, Zenith Cutter is at the cutting edge of industrial knife and blade manufacturing.

CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT FOR RELIABILITY

Using lean manufacturing, Zenith Cutter constantly evaluates processes, equipment and facilities to ensure we are producing the best products at the best prices. For example, our multi-step quality process ensures products are produced perfectly each and every time. With in-process inspections and a quality assurance program, there are steps all along the production line to verify products meet all specifications. In addition, our unique lot tracking system also monitors the progress from raw material to finished product.

And, because companies rely on Zenith Cutter to consistently deliver products on time, we have established a stringent internal protocol to verify that customers are never disappointed. Companies can count on Zenith Cutter to produce high-quality products and deliver them on time, every time.



THOROUGH ANALYSIS FOR THE BEST PRODUCTS

Zenith Cutter's experienced Engineering and Research and Development staff work closely with our partners to optimize machine performance through joint development of the optimal cutting solution. Our deep roots in tool steel metallurgy, heat treat and coatings allow us to provide our partners with a competitive advantage.

And, as part of the Fisher Barton company, we benefit from its state-of-the-art Materials Lab which houses a full range of the most up-to-date instruments for the microscopic, chemical and mechanical analysis of metals and other materials. With these unique and comprehensive testing capabilities, better products can be created more easily and cost-effectively.





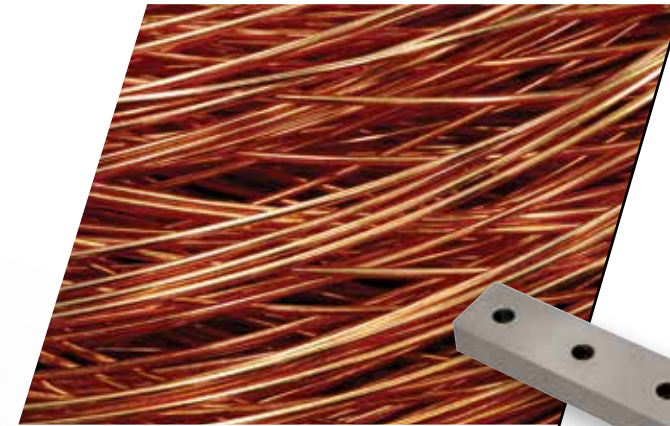
PLASTIC

For the plastic recycling industry, Zenith Cutter produces high-quality granulator knives, shredder blocks and pelletizer knives, as well as screens. Our in-house engineering services, prototyping and production capabilities also help solve any recycling challenges you may experience.



TIRE SHREDDING

Shredding tires requires ultra-rugged knives and screens. At Zenith Cutter, we leverage Fisher Barton Corporate's materials lab, as well as research and development, to ensure our tire shredding products are dependable and tough enough to get the job done right.



WIRE RECYCLING

Reliability and consistency are essential in all blades, especially those that break down metal wire. Our prototyping and onsite trial ensure that our blades fit perfectly and can produce the same results time after time.

INDUSTRIES /

Zenith Cutter engineers, manufactures and markets highly-dependable industrial knives and blades used to manufacture or break down materials for disposal, reuse or recycling. For optimum performance, our products are constructed from premium steels.

CORRUGATED

Our full line of cut off and rotary shear knife sets, slotting knives, high-speed steel or carbide razor slitters, collars, scoring rings and accessories for corrugated products are made from the highest quality of material and can be customized for your specific application. With all of our efficient manufacturing processes under one roof, Zenith even reduces product lead times.



CONVERTING

For more than 20 years, Zenith Cutter has provided solutions to the converting industry. Whether you process film, foil, tissue or paper, Zenith offers knives to address your processing requirements.

TREE CARE

Zenith Cutter blades are engineered to withstand the rigorous demands of brush chipping and timber processing applications. With longer lasting blades, Zenith keeps your wood chippers running longer.



OTHER APPLICATIONS

Zenith Cutter engineers and manufactures blades for additional markets including roofing, textile and building products. All of our products are made from the highest quality of material and backed by outstanding customer service.

IS THERE ANYTHING BETTER THAN OUR BLADES?

Only Our Customer Service! In fact, an independent Voice of Customer study puts Zenith Cutter far and away the best in our industry, with customer satisfaction scores higher than some of the largest brands on the planet.

With outstanding products and superior customer service, we are proud to be recognized as the best manufacturer and marketer of industrial knives world-wide.



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