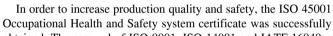
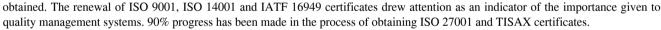
Turkish News provided by Irem Yaren BAYSAL, Editor of Fastener Eurasia Magazine www.fastenereurope.com **ARMA BAĞLANTI SİSTEMLERİ Increased Exports** to 50% in 2024 with New Projects

2024 Activities

As of 2024, ARMA Bağlantı Sistemleri continued to consolidate its position in the sector with its growth in both local and international markets. 2024 has been a year of significant developments for the company both in domestic operations and in the international market. The company maintained its growth momentum by achieving a 6% increase in turnover. The export rate increased from 47% in the previous year to 50%, and it was an important step for the company to have a greater say in the international market.





Thanks to the innovative solutions that Arma offers to its customers, sample approvals have been obtained for more than 20 projects in the automotive and white goods sectors. These projects concretely demonstrate the added value and innovation that ARMA Bağlantı Sistemleri provides to the sector.



With the investments made in 2024, the company's infrastructure was also strengthened. The settlement process of the new storage facility with a size of 5,000 m² in the Kapaklı Karaağaç region of Tekirdağ has been completed. Investments in the plastics production division presented a significant opportunity to increase production capacity. With a new plastic injection molding machine, the ultrasonic crushing machine has made the production processes faster and more efficient.

In the production of clamps, new automatic production machines, designed in the R&D unit, were commissioned in order to increase production speed and quality. In addition, the 100% vision inspection systems integrated into the production line have taken quality control to the highest level.

More than 60 improvements in the Canias ERP program have been an important step towards increasing the overall efficiency of the company. Improvements in areas such as cost, maintenance and EDI integration have enabled operational processes to be managed more effectively.



ARMA Bağlantı Sistemleri aims to increase its turnover by 10% and increase its export rate to 55% in 2025, when growth and sustainability targets will come to the fore. In line with this goal, investments will be made for new projects and innovative product solutions will be developed.

In particular, automatic production line investments will be at the forefront. In the clamp section, two new automatic forming machines, which will be produced by the design of the R&D unit, will further improve the production speed and quality. The plastic injection machine investment to be added to the machine park will alow new projects to be implemented.

Sustainability efforts will continue at the same pace and economic, social and environmental responsibilities will be fulfilled. In the same context, I-REC International Renewable Energy certificate will be obtained. In addition, line balancing projects to be carried out in production and R&D units will increase efficiency and further improve operational processes. Important steps will be taken towards digitalization and manual processes will be transferred to the digital platform and integrated solutions will be developed with the Canias ERP program.



Norm Coating Expands Coating Capabilities





Norm Coating, a global leader in advanced coating solutions with over 25 years of industry expertise, has launched new high-capacity cataphoresis and powder coating lines at its Sakarya facility. Focused on meeting the evolving needs of the automotive, home appliances, electronics, furniture, construction, and machinery sectors, the company continues to advance its technology to serve OEMs and Tier 1 suppliers more effectively.

Norm Coating's new cataphoresis line offers an annual capacity of 3 million square meters, delivering exceptional corrosion protection for the cast, sheet metal, and aluminum components. The system uses IoTdriven automation for real-time furnace temperature adjustments, optimizing energy usage and coating quality. With 20+ cubic meter tank volumes, the line accommodates large automotive parts (up to 3,300 mm x 1,500 mm) and is perfect for high-durability components such as chassis, suspension, and structural parts.



