



Thank You!

As expected, 2017 has been a year of dramatic **change here at the Hedwin Division**. We'd like to close out the year by offering our sincere thanks for your partnership and business throughout the year. We look forward to working with you in 2018!

NEWS FLASHES

Small bytes to keep you up to date

- ◆ Quick! Please take a short, 3-question survey to share the experiences you've had with our customer service team. Survey is [HERE](#).
- ◆ Pricing: We are still sourcing resin from secondary suppliers, and having to pass on higher resin prices while supply lines in the Gulf Coast are brought online again after hurricane damage and flooding. As a result, the price increase of September 29th is still in effect. We continue to monitor this situation and look forward to resuming our normal supply contracts once our suppliers have lifted their *force majeure* conditions.
- ◆ Neck Change: Conversion to our new hybrid neck and ring closure is complete for 20 Liter/5 Gallon CUBITAINER® products and continues on smaller CUBES®. You can see a listing of what is currently being offered with this closure enhancement, as well as part number conversions, at www.hedwin.com/resources.
- ◆ Blog: Did you know we have a blog? Our most recent post explores how we can all be more efficient in recycling. Check it out [HERE](#) and visit our website under "Learn" to read more on a whole host of topics related to plastics and packaging.
- ◆ Trade Show: Although it's a while until Spring, we are excited to have signed on with the new trade show focused exclusively on industrial packaging: [Industrial Pack](#). We will be exhibiting in Atlanta on April 4th and 5th, 2018. We hope you'll start making plans to attend and come see us!

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CUBITAINER® DELIVERS WATER

Aiding hurricane-ravaged areas



We love seeing CUBITAINER® in use at customer locations. We especially love seeing CUBITAINER® used to help people!

After the devastating storms in the southern parts of the United States this fall, our commercial teams reached out to our contacts at various government and humanitarian agencies to see how we could put CUBITAINER® to work assisting people who needed water. We sent thousands of CUBES® to these areas via various agencies at our cost, to help in the efforts.

We are glad to see the CUBES® heading directly into the hands of those who need it most in flooded areas such as Houston, Key West and Puerto Rico, and also in wildfire areas such as Montana and California through our ongoing work with the federal government.

THE OUT OF THIS WORLD CUBITAINER®

CUBITAINER® in space!

How cool is this? We found these old photos of CUBITAINER® at NASA getting ready to take "Astronaut Water" into space during the 1960's. We just had to share!



ZACROS FLEXIBLE PACKAGING

A package for every application

Zacros America, our parent company, offers a variety of flexible packaging options which offer complete customization and premier functionality. Zacros packages offer unparalleled efficiency and utmost convenience, while being produced and marketed with environmental consideration. Zacros is the only global entity which can supply both molded-style bladders (CUBITAINER®) and laminated film type bag-in-box packages. We introduce two styles below, but you can learn more [HERE](#).



FLOWPACK POUCH is a single-use pouch for liquid applications such as detergent, shampoo, cooking oil, lotion and cosmetics. Many film constructions are also suitable for the most demanding medical applications. FLOWPACK is offered with myriad customization options such as film structures, shapes, cut outs and pour spouts. Volume capabilities range from single-serve/retail to 1L sizes.



Z-TAINER BAG-IN-BOX is a gusseted bag for bag-in-box applications such as alcoholic beverages, flavorings, concentrates and chemicals. A variety of lamination films are available to tailor the package to your product and filling demands. Corrugated outer cartons offer numerous options for branding. Standard volumes are 5, 10, 18 and 20 liter, with custom sizing available.

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Family first!

To allow our employees well-deserved time with their families, the Hedwin Division of Zacros America will be closed on Monday December 25th, 2017 and Monday January 1st, 2018. We extend our best wishes for a joyful winter holiday season to you and your loved ones, and look forward to continuing our partnership in 2018!



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