

February 4th, 2026

To Our Valued Customers,

Fuji Die Co., Ltd.

Temporarily Suspending Orders for Copper Tungsten Alloy (CE08)

We have decided to suspend the orders for our copper tungsten alloy (CE08) which is mainly used as the material for EDM electrodes for the time being, because it is too difficult to procure tungsten which is the main material of the alloy due to China's export restrictions on critical minerals and rare metals including tungsten. Therefore, we would suspend the orders for copper tungsten products for the time being as below. However, there will be no problem with the other products.

We sincerely apologize to all our customers for any inconvenience this may cause and would make all efforts to resume the stable supply as soon as possible. We would greatly appreciate your kind understanding and continued patronage.

Sincerely,

Notes

1. The products suspended orders;

Copper Tungsten Alloy (CE08) raw material blanks and the products made of CE08

2. The reason to suspend

As tungsten which is the main raw material had been approved to export in December 2025, we had not assumed there was any issue to produce Copper Tungsten Alloy (CE08). However, since the export resumption of tungsten and its volume remain unclear even as of the end of January 2026, we have decided to suspend order acceptance of Copper Tungsten Alloy (and its products) temporarily.

3. Suspended period

Until future notice from February 4th 2026

There is no disruption about the supply for the orders which were already received.

4. Resume order acceptance

Not determined currently. Our sales contacts will inform you of the resumption of orders once the schedule is confirmed.