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Upcoming Activities

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Membership Update

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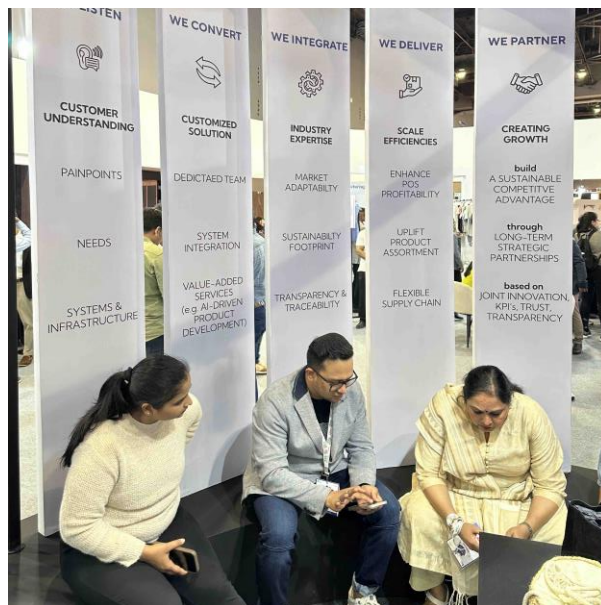
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2025 was held from February 14th to 17th, 2025 at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi supported by the Manmade and Technical Textiles Export Promotion Council – MATEXIL.

MGMA buyer delegates joined the buyer and selling meets program, knowledge session, panel discussion and visited the fair

in looking around the display item from exhibitors. MGMA buyers in sourcing local products is good advantage to access the fabrics and accessories displayed by the local exhibitors.

The event is the largest Textiles Exhibition in the World covering the entire Textiles Value Chain i.e. Fibre, Yarn, Fabrics, Apparels, Made-ups (including Home Textiles), Technical Textiles, Dyes & Chemicals, Machineries etc.





Vietnam International Trade Fair for Apparel, Textile and Textile Technologies (VIATT) 2025

Vietnam International Trade Fair for Apparel, Textile and Textile Technologies (VIATT) 2025 was held on February 26th to 28th – 2025 at Saigon Exhibition and Convention Center (SECC), Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam organized by Messe

Frankfurt (Hong Kong). Myanmar Garment Manufacturers Association (MGMA) arranged the buyer delegation visit by 15 garment manufacturers from member factories of Yangon and Mandalay Region. MGMA also presented as institutional booth in association village together with other international associations' partners.



On February 26th, buyer delegates joined opening ceremony, fashion show, VIP Tour and Central Executive Committee Member of MGMA participated Textile Industry Exchange close door meeting with ASEAN members' associations in apparel industry.





On February 27th, delegates visited YKK Vietnam Co.,Ltd and tour around supply chain process and social compliances apply procedure in zipper and related accessories' production process. Then, delegates visited Ho Chi Minh City College of Technology (Garment Technique Worker School) in presentation meeting and tour around fashion technology including pattern design by students.



On February 28, byer delegations attending the business matching of exhibitors' products of fabrics. The VIATT was attended by (11) member factories lead by MGMA and Made in Myanmar products were displayed at association village of VIATT for three days.



Occupational Safety & Health Management System

(In-Factory) Training (One Day Training)

Occupational Safety & Health Management System (In-Factory) (One Day Training) was held on February 21st, 2025 at Lucky Fortune Co.,Ltd, organized by Myanmar Garment Manufacturers Association (MGMA).

Senior Labour Officer of MGMA U Min Soe Han gave opening remarks. In this training, Labour Officers from MGMA presented Basic concepts of Occupational Safety and Health, Occupational Safety and Health Laws, Roles & Responsibilities, Workplace Hazards and Prevention in Garment Industry, Risk Management System, Occupational cleanliness and waste management, Occupational safety and Health Management System, Emergency Preparedness, Fire Safety, Electrical Safety, Chemical Safety, Occupational Health Hazards and ways to prevent, Building Good habits/Practices & Auditing with open discussion and Q&A session.

Senior Labour Officer of MGMA U Min Soe Han gave closing remarks and awarding certificates. Total (19) OSH committee members and staffs from Lucky Fortune Co., Ltd were attended the training.



Senior Labour Officers from MGMA
presenting OSH



Awarding Certificates



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Junior Labour Officers from MGMA
presenting OSH



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Advanced Sewing Machine Operator Training (Batch – 10)

Myanmar Garment Manufacturers Association (MGMA) organized Advanced Sewing Machine Operator Training (Batch – 10) was held on January 27th to 31st and February 10th to 14th, 2025 at Myanmar Garment Human Resources Development Training Center (MGHRDC).

In this course, the trainer conducted parts of the fabric such as bag cover, spiral, shoulder corner seam, pocket, different types of bags, simple zip method, how to install a zipper, sewing sailor's tongue, long sleeve shirt and "A" skirt with belt. In addition, (6) special sewing method such as Buttonhole sewing machine, how to sew button using sewing machine , Bartack Machine, Overlock 4 thread, Overlock 5 thread, 2 Needle taught by trainers from MGHRDC with practice session. The training attended by (10) trainees.



Batch – 10 Group Photo



Manager of MGHRDC giving closing remarks



Trainer of MGHRDC presenting Sewing Method



Awarding Certificates

The Monthly MGMA Executive Committee Meeting

The Monthly MGMA Executive Committee Meeting was held on February 22, 2025 at MGMA meeting room . Managing Director of MGMA chaired the meeting.



In the meeting, CEC/EC members discussed about feedback of Bharat Tex 2025, MGMA and Members' participation to VIATT 2025 in Hochi Minh, Vietnam on 25th to 28th February 2025, publishing process of 10-Year strategy booklet, MOU with Myanmar AOTS Alumni Association (MAAA), request presentation meeting of software solutions and Working Group Meeting to implement the activities in Year 2025.

The association's Vice-Chairman, Secretary General and Central Executive Committee/Executive Committee attended the meeting.



Voluntary Labour Compliance Assessment Program

Voluntary Labour Compliance Assessment Program of Myanmar Garment Manufacturers Association (MGMA) scrutinized (2) member factories in February 2025.

They are Jessie Myanmar Apparel Manufacturing Co., Ltd. at Hlaing Thar Yar Township and Skytex Myanmar Co., Ltd at Bago City. Inspected various factories that Jessie Myanmar Apparel Manufacturing Co., Ltd on February 7th and Skytex Myanmar Co., Ltd on February 11th.

Senior Labour Officer of MGMA scrutinized all the documents relation to the VLCA. Voluntary Labour Compliance Assessment is an assessment tool implemented by the collaboration project between MGMA and ILO/ACTEMP, Bureau for Employer Activity under International Labor Organization, in 2019. VLCA was officially launched on 17th February 2020 by MGMA to all its member factories.



Jessie Myanmar Apparel Manufacturing Co., Ltd

Basic Sewing Machine Operator Training (Batch – 249)



Batch – 249 Group Photo

Basic Sewing Machine Operator Training (Batch – 249) was held on from January 27th to February 14th, 2025 at Myanmar Garment Human Resources Development Training Center (MGHRDC), organized by Myanmar Garment Manufacturers Association (MGMA).

Principle of GTHS U Zayar Aung gave opening and closing remarks. In this training, training instructor from MGHRDC lectured knowledge of sewing and sewing method step by step with

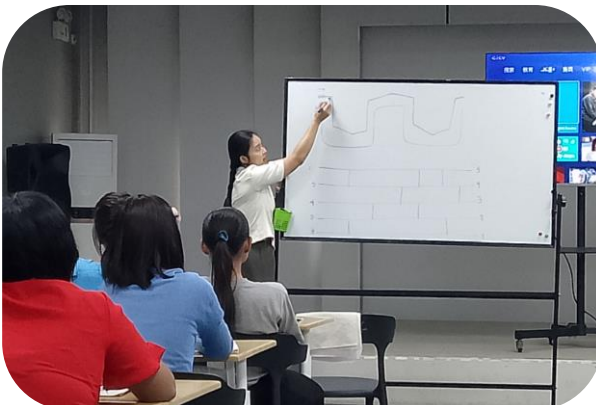
practice session. MGMA conducted the awareness of labour law in factory. Total (21) trainees attended the training and awarded certificate.



Principle of GTHS giving Closing Remarks



MGMA conducting Labor Law Awareness



Associate Professor of GTHS giving opening Remarks



Trainer of MGHRDC presenting Sewing Method



Practice Session



Trainer of MGRDC presenting Sewing Method



Trainer of MGRDC presenting Sewing Method



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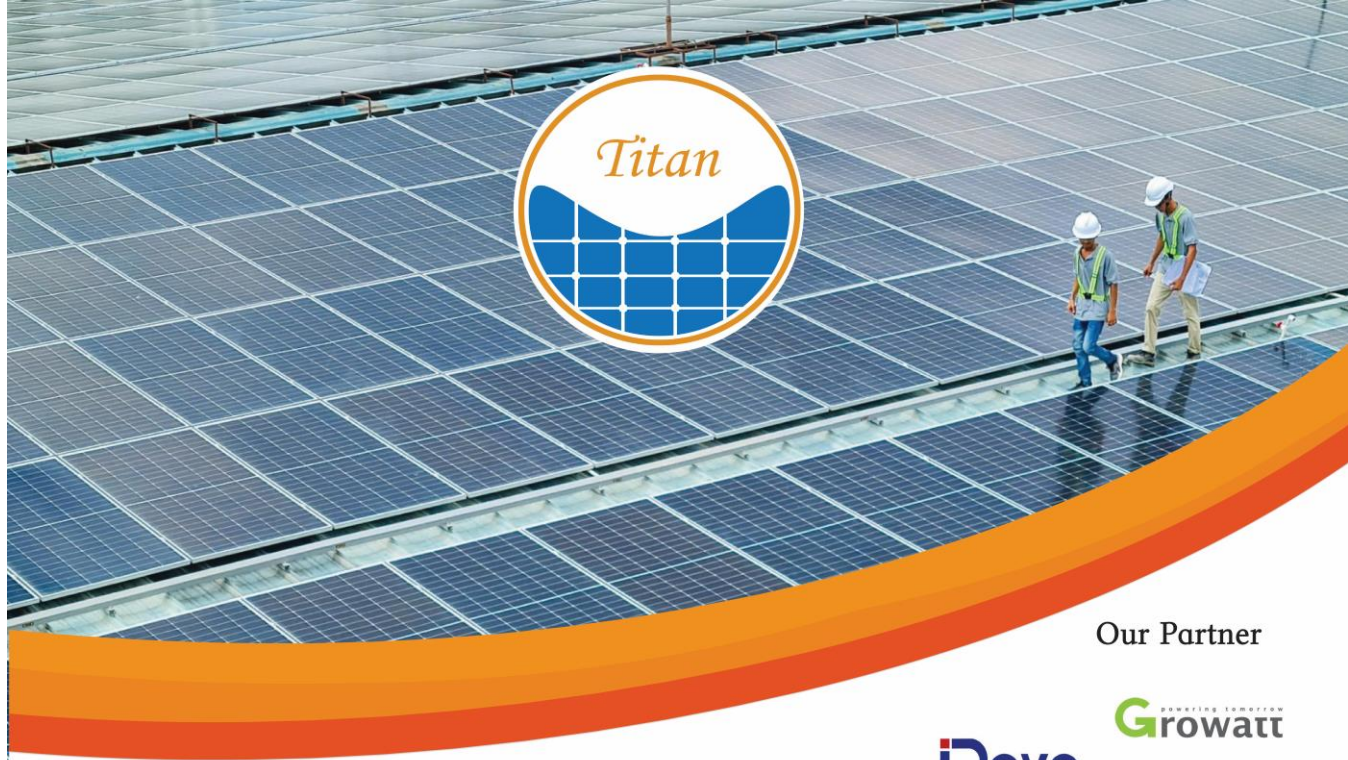
MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

New Members in February 2025

| Country | No. of New Member Factories |
|--------------|-----------------------------|
| Singapore | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

Membership Update as of February 2025

| Status | Country | No. of Factories |
|------------------|--|------------------|
| Active | Myanmar | 65 |
| | China | 335 |
| | Korea | 56 |
| | Japan | 17 |
| | Others | 19 |
| | Joint Venture | 25 |
| | Local, Sub-Con, Marketing, Inspection, Textile | 49 |
| Total (Active) | | 566 |
| Temporary Closed | | 51 |



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