



Dear all,

Happy New Year!! ☺

We hope this year will bring you much success and joy!!

Thank you for your continuous business with us.

The New Year has begun! ☺

What kind of year will 2021 be?

Last year was a year when the world was tossed about by COVID-19, but we sincerely hope that this year will be a peaceful one for everyone!



"Osechi & Ozouni" (Japanese traditional New Year foods)

People buy or prepare tiered boxes filled with special food for the New Year

– this is called "*osechi*". We use special chopsticks to eat *osechi*.

The food in the *osechi* each has a special meaning, mainly to wish for wellbeing.

It takes a few days to eat up the whole *osechi*. Together with the *osechi*,

we drink special sake named "*otoso*" and eat "*ozouni*",

which is similar to miso soup but has *mochi* in it.

The style and taste of *ozouni* differ across the regions in Japan.

Mochi is sticky and chewy rice cake.

Other than *ozouni*, *mochi* can be toasted and

served with soy sauce or kinako (roasted-soybean-powder with sugar).

These are also very tasty! ☺



Do you have any special New Year foods in your country? ☺

Various catalogs of punching tools have been uploaded to the English version homepage!

Last time, we told you that the technical guide was renewed on CONIC English version homepage.

This time, we would like to inform you about the punching data catalog that is being posted. Currently, in addition to Amada Type, new catalogs such as Trumpf Type and Murata Type are posted.

Due to the COVID-19, it is difficult to sell the tools directly, but we hope that you will share the information on the CONIC website with your customers and use it for sales.

If you need some catalogs, we can ship it upon request, so please consider it. click here ↓

<https://www.conic.co.jp/en/punching/index.html>



