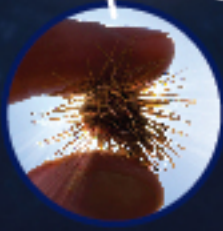


1941



1955-1956



1960's

1967

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1980's-1990's



2000's



2019

1941: Inventors of hook and loop.

1955 - 1956: First patent and trademark registration granted.

1960's: Begin working with NASA on various applications including the first official Space Watch; and numerous spacecraft and suit solutions.

1967: ASTRO-VELCRO® Fastener created and designed to meet all space-exploration standards.

1968: Manufacturing Plant established in Manchester, New Hampshire to further support NASA relations.

1969: The VELCRO® Brand accompanies the Apollo 11 astronauts to the Moon!

1972: VEL-STICK® Fasteners invented and extensively used in planes, trains and other forms of transportation.

1980's - 1990's: From space boots to replacing laces! Shoes with VELCRO® Brand fasteners hit the scene and are a commercial success. Space-tested VELCRO® Brand consumer products available in retail stores.

2000's: Increased partnerships with OEMS and Industrial distributors continue the involvement in various space initiatives.

2019: VELCRO® Brand walks on the moon again!