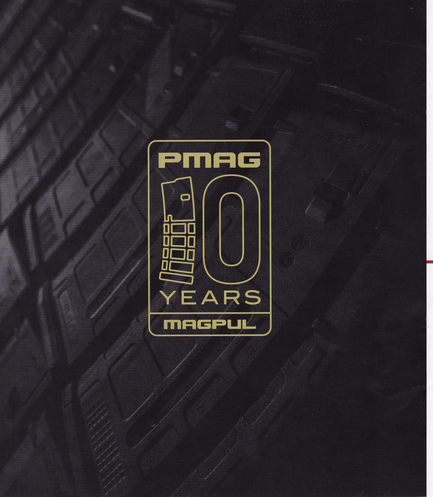

2007 DEBUT

Early printed prototype PMAG 20

Magpul employee Drake Clark's "Truck Video" gave the customer a glimpse of PMAG durability by driving over it with no loss of function.

Production PMAG 20 release

Molded prototype 7 MAG

PMAG deployed by US SSF during Operation Iraqi Freedom

The first 10,000 mags molded

2008 DEVELOPMENT

PMAG 20 color variants

Early printed prototype M-REV PMAG 30

First military inquiry into MRVs compatibility & ability (magwell) to accommodate the SAAR (Sweden) prototype magazine requires of the original PMAG. A small quantity of PMAGs are modified by Magpul designers at a grout of cement.

Early printed prototype PMAG x0

Production PMAG 20 release

1,000,000 PMAGs sold

2009 ACCEPTANCE

Quad Mag prototype. 40 round capacity

Production EMAG release and NOWOG adoption

Second generation of PMAGs released. Using lessons learned from the PMAG 20, the M REV PMAGs featured improved strength and manufacturability.

PMAG 20 LR released to public

First caliber and platform expansion of the PMAG line

Original concept ACS Magazine explored

PMAG 30 M REV GEN magazine manufactured for OEM partners

USMC adopts MCT AR to increase the combat effectiveness of the Marine Rifle Squad. The MR/16 Magazine Project (MRMP) and Magpul PMAG development begins

2010 FIRST CONTRACT

PMAG 20 Exo molded to continue exploring translucent materials

PMAG 20 Exo molded prototype developed to explore new magazine technologies

The UK MOD selects the EMAG for all UK military forces. Increased reliability during trials and reduced weight led to the first service-wide adoption of a PMAG. Magpul fulfilled the initial contract of 1.1 million magazines well ahead of schedule, and they are still in service today.

Research and Design begins on the PMAG 30 magazine technologies that will eventually encompass the entire PMAG line.

UK soldiers in Afghanistan using EMAGs in their SA80A2

Early printed prototype PMAG 30 SFC Development begins on the SFC (Specialized Forces Caliber). The PMAG 20 SFC was the genesis of many features found on the GEN M2 magazine family.

PMAG 30G developed in response to widespread international adoption of the HK G36

EMAG used by a member of the Bin Laden raid force during NOWOG missions in Afghanistan

Early printed and molded prototypes of the PMAG 30 GEN M2 magazine

Act of the HK416 rifles used by NOWOG in the Bin Laden raid were fed with Magpul EMAGs.

2011 IN THE FIGHT

PMAG 25 GEN M2

M 855 magazine transitions to GEN M2 material and the PMAG MOE name

PMAG 30 GEN M3 release. The GEN M3 is the culmination of over 5 years of technology, performance, and manufacturing development. The GEN M3 features improved reliability, EMAG feed geometry, material advancement, and improved user interface.

Testing continues of over 40 materials with various geometries. To date, we have yet to find a translucent material or competing translucent magazine that meets Magpul's performance requirements.

PMAG-GE GEN M3 initial endurance test of 10,000 rounds across 3 magazines in the HK416, M4, and M16 with no magazine related stoppages.

2012 EVOLUTION

PMAG 30 GEN M3 AR15/M4 release

2013 TAKING A STAND

PMAG 40 GEN M3 AR15/M4 release

Printed prototype PMAG GEN M3 extension. The Magpul Industries Corporation is a group to demonstrate the fallibity of bans, good legislation and arbitrary gun control laws in the Colorado State Senate during the fight against H.B. 1224.

Magpul releases the "Boulder Airlift" special edition magazine. Prioritized for sale to Colorado residents during a period of unprecedented demand to protect their right to obtain standard capacity magazines prior to the effective date of H.B. 1224.

PMAG 25 M, 20, and 10 LR/308 release

GEN M3 updates are carried forward into the LR magazine, as well as additional capacities

PMAG 10 GEN M3 AR15/M4 release

PMAG 30 GEN M3 (AR15/M4) released in Sand Dune Brown (FDE) for Near Dub cities

Bluestine testing and research with multiple state LEA/marine platoons begins. Bluestine is a leading tactical AR magazine provisioner. Launch the drum magazine program.

2014 PUSHING LIMITS

PMAG 20, 25, and 10 LR MOE release, marking a notable expansion of Magpul's support of new platforms

Magpul announces Texas and Wyoming state-specific magazines in solidarity with the company's move to Texas and Wyoming

US government testing concludes with Magpul's 30 round magazine (Eng 19) with no magazine related stoppages

2015 EXPANSION

PMAG 17 GL9 release

PMAG 5 and 10 AC release. bringing Magpul value and performance to a formerly cost prohibitive market.

PMAG D-60 initial endurance test 16,600 rounds fired across 3 magazines in the HK416, M4, and M16 with no magazine related stoppages. PMAG D-60 surving exceeds 200,000 rounds.

Gen 1a/1m revision finds of government test units. Gen 1a/1m revision adopted by US government testing. Gen 1a/1m revision is a Black and MCT equipment is the official magazine of the United States Marine Corps.

2016 EVERYWHERE

PMAG 21, 15, and 12 GL9 release

With these magazines, every double-stack Glock 9MM handgun now has a PMAG option

PMAG 30 AR15 release

Developed in response to a foreign military customer's request, the AR15 addresses the shortcomings of the Steyr AUG pattern magazine

After Transition Agreement between US government testing, Gen 1a/1m revision adopted by Black and MCT. Equipment is the official magazine of the United States Marine Corps.

PMAG 30 AR15 MOE announced

PMAG 5 AC x Magnum and Standard magazines released

Long-action shooters using .308 Win Mag and .30-06 based cartridges now benefit from a reliable, affordable detachable box magazine.

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Early drum magazine concept sketches