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I have. I like the new hooks and improvements to the company. I ordered hooks a number of years ago not long after they started selling them. I tried them for the price and b/c they sponsored the forum that I read (just as I support my local shop for their service, I feel I should send business to all who provide information to me). The hooks were not particularly good and I had huge problems with Allen fulfilling my order and bad interactions with them. Not a bad guy, but he seemed to be over whelmed with the growth of the company. A few months ago, I decided the to give another shot (mainly for the reason stated above and posts here). The service was much improved and the hooks were better than the first time I ordered them. I agree with short rod that some of the hooks seemed heavier than expected. They are not as good or consistent as TMC, but hey look at the price difference! I'll probably be ordering again.

I shared my first experience not to give them a backhanded slam, but rather alert others who had a bad experience with them early in the company's development and expansion to give them another shot.