



Quarter I Newsletter

New CD Set and Price Increase set for Quarter II.

Work has started on CD Set V5.0 to be released before the end of June 2010. The new CD set will feature:

- All new brochures with embedded videos
- A Whitepaper – “Retail Carded Packaging Compared”
- All product quote templates updated to reflect updated specifications and new pricing

We will begin to provide new pricing on our quotations as soon as it is ready. All of our previously issued quotations expire 60 days from the date of the quotation.

This would be a good time to encourage your clients to finalize decisions on projects with machines and tooling from Starview.

New PHS1 Clamshell Package Sealer is a cost effective way to provide Plastic-to-Plastic welds.



Starview's new PHS1-26 Impulse Jaw type Plastic-to-Plastic sealing machine has been designed specifically for sealing clamshell packages. The upper and lower jaws are heated using a thermal impulse ribbon. Starview's PLC controlled impulse system assures consistent heating and cooling cycles for the jaws. A generous 26 inch wide heat zone allows large clamshell packages to be sealed or multiples of the same clamshells to be sealed simultaneously. The PHS1-26 sealer is shown above with the optional self-contained chilled water recirculating system that allows for shorter cycle times and a better finished package appearance.

The PHS1-26 is simple to operate. The operator places the edge of the clamshell to be sealed between the sealing jaws and depresses the foot pedal momentarily to initiate the cycle. The heating and cooling cycles are automatic and the jaws release at the end of the cycle. Once the jaws open the operator removes the package(s) and repeats the cycle. Most hinged clamshells can be sealed on three sides by inserting the open sides one at a time.

When your client is ready to replace hand held sealers and does not have the production volume to justify our more automated PHS and PHSA Series machines the PHS1-26 is ideal. Please feel free to contact us regarding Starview's clamshell package sealing machines.

MSP-1218 Manual Table Top Skin Packaging Machine Updated.



We have updated the design of the MSP-1218 to incorporate the features used on the MSP-1824 released last year. The new film clamping frame with upper and lower gas filled cylinders makes it much easier for the operator to raise and lower. This machine still uses readily available standard 20" wide film and nominal 12" x 18" skin boards.

The new versions are available as 115 Volts or 220 Volts power supply. The 115 volt model has 1600 watts of heater power while the 220 volt model has 3,100 watts of heater power. As with the previous version the 220 Volts is preferred due to faster film heating times.

The MSP-1218 will produce skin packages using ionomer or polyethylene resin films and SBS skin boards or corrugated skin pads.

For now the pricing will remain the same as the previous unit and we will continue to stock the MSP-1218 for quick delivery.

Let Starview assist your customers with machines designed to make the total manufacturing process more effective. Contact one of our sales staff for packaging solutions to help your customers reduce cost and stay competitive.

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