

AF-8500A / AF-1250A Autoflow Lid



Placement, Tack and Seam Sealing Systems

The AF series automated seam sealing systems provide users with the flexibility to meet the increasing demands of lid placement and seam sealing either as a stand-alone unit or as part of a fully integrated glovebox or automated manufacturing line. The computer-controlled precision tacking and seam-sealing mechanism is combined with a high frequency inverter power supply, and an optional high resolution vision system to provide a robust and repeatable process.

KEY FEATURES

- Programmable electrode force and weld current using a Windows®-based proprietary software
- Closed-loop high frequency inverter welding power supply features low sealing temperatures and power feedback, increasing yields and productivity
- Current control mode optimized for superior seam sealing results
- Position-based weld pulses ensure consistent spot spacing, optimized spot density at corners, reduced leaks, and elimination of acceleration/deceleration problems
- Auto-Trak[™] software indexes electrodes ensuring extended electrode life and more even wear
- Electrode roll-back feature assists in electrode release from lightweight parts

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS





WIDE RANGE OF PART PROCESSING CAPABILITIES

- Operates as tacker only, sealer only, or combined tacker-sealer
- · Four-pass welding feature starts weld from center and welds to the part corner – best for large parts sealing
- · Set different energy levels for each axis welded for higher yields on rectangular parts
- · Single or double side tack options
- · Real time monitoring of weld inhibit inputs such as moisture, oxygen, and helium levels
- · Unlimited weld schedule storage
- Lid hold-down feature assists tacking process
- · Chain or link multiple schedules together



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Part size with vision, pick-place and tack	0.118 in - 4.3 in (3 mm - 110 mm)		
Part size without vision and pick-place	0.118 in - 8 in (3 mm - 203 mm)		
Lid placement accuracy	+/-0.003 in (+/-0.08 mm)		
Weld force (programmable)	500 to 3000 grams (1g increments)		
Linear weld speed	0.01 to 1.5 in/sec (0.01 increments)		
HF-2500A current output	100 to 2400 amps, ±2 amps		
HF-2500A pulse width	0.10 to 99.00 milliseconds (0.01 increments)		
Input power – HF-2500A power supply	192 - 264 VAC (240 V nominal), 3 Ph, 50/60 Hz, 25 amps 320 - 440 VAC (400 V nominal), 3 Ph, 50/60 Hz, 20 amps 384 - 528 VAC (480 V nominal), 3 Ph, 50/60 Hz, 13 amps		
Mechanism input power	Autovolt 110 to 240 VAC 50/60 Hz single phase 15 amp		
Compressed gas requirements	60 psi minimum		
Calibration	To NIST standards	CE certified	

WEIGHT & DIMENSIONS

	AF-8500A mechanism	AF-1250A mechanism with control box	HF-2500A power pupply
Dimensions (L x W x H)		$ \begin{array}{l} Mechanism - 30 \text{ in x 28 in x 17 in (762 mm x 712 mm x 432 mm)} \\ Control \text{ box } - 11 \text{ in x 15 in x 14 in (280 mm x 381 mm x 356 mm)} \end{array} $	
Weight	120 lbs (55 kg)	145 lbs (66 kg)	54 lbs (24.5 kg)



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