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Glunz & Jensen delivers a new generation of fully automated plate processing systems to the flexo market – FlexLine™

At Drupa, Glunz & Jensen launches their new fully automated flexo platemaking line – the FlexLine™. FlexLine™ is a modular system that integrates the flexo plate washout processor with automated movement of the plate into dryers, light finishers and stacker holding slots.

The FlexLine™ system is comprised of a high productivity in-line flexo plate washout processor, an integrated dryer tower containing nine (9) separately controlled dryer slots, along with a unique elevator which manages the transport of plate from the processor exit into the dryer slots and onward to the light finisher, before finally delivering the finished plate into one of the sixteen (16) available stacker holding slots.

The platemaking operator only needs to feed a plate at the processor entrance and then retrieve the completed plate at the FlexLine™ exit slot. A graphical display at the FlexLine™ exit indicates the plate status for retrieval. Internal video cameras monitor the entire plate handling process. The video images are conveniently displayed on a large flat-panel monitor located at the front of the FlexLine™ system. Offering virtually unattended automation, the FlexLine™ ensures a very high level of plate quality and consistency through reduced user intervention, while increasing platemaking efficiency and capacity and reducing overall production costs.

Smallest footprint, modular and expandable, FlexLine™ can grow as your business grows

Designed as a completely modular system, FlexLine™ is available in four configurations: FlexLine™ Dry, FlexLine™ Compact, FlexLine™ Standard and FlexLine™ Max. With floor space at a premium in most trade shops and packaging printers, FlexLine™ features the absolute smallest footprint (for a fully automated platemaking system) on the market today.

Jacques Dutard, General Manager at Glunz & Jensen says: *“Sales of the FlexLine is really taking off now. The results of the FlexLine show that integration of the individual process steps will not only avoid failure of interference – but also reduce labour cost. We have taken a huge step forward on the automation side – and we will continue to add innovation on top of our line of products, to keep our customers in the forefront of the flexo printing market.”*

**The FlexLine™ will be presented at our stand 5C38 during Drupa 2016
in Düsseldorf, Germany, May 31 to June 10, 2016!**



About Glunz & Jensen

Glunz & Jensen is the world's leading and most trusted provider of equipment and solutions for the global prepress industry. Whether you are large or small, local or international, offset or flexo, we offer the most innovative technologies and dedicated support services to optimise your printing process, maximise productivity and deliver outstanding quality and results.

For more than 40 years, our state-of-the-art offset and flexo platemaking systems, including inkjet CtP platesetters and other innovative prepress equipment have set the benchmark for excellence. By focusing on the areas that are most important to your needs – simplicity, performance, reliability and the lowest cost of ownership – our products and systems have become the preferred choice for companies operating a world-class packaging and print media business.

Today, thousands of organisations worldwide rely on Glunz & Jensen to create and maintain a more efficient and effective prepress process. This includes all of the world's largest suppliers to the printing industry, such as Agfa, Asahi, DuPont, Flint, Fujifilm, Heidelberg, Kodak, MacDermid and Southern Lithoplate who have worked closely with us for years and who continue to rely on our expertise and experience to develop the next generation of platemaking solutions.

