

Videojet DataFlex® Plus Thermal Transfer Overprinter

## Maximum Reliability and Efficiency for Variable, High Resolution Images on Flexible Packaging and Labels



## Superior Performance and Reliability

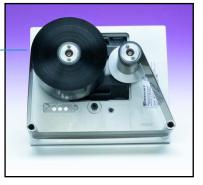
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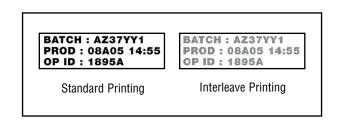
The Videojet DataFlex Plus thermal transfer overprinter (TTO) delivers high resolution images on flexible packaging, while minimizing downtime and costs associated with ribbon breaks and production changeovers. For marking variable information such as dates, times, batch codes, ingredients, logos and marketing information onto flexible film packaging, labels or glossy cards, the DataFlex Plus provides the ultimate in productivity and efficiency.





Simple ribbon cassette for easy changeovers





## **Increased Production Line Uptime**

The DataFlex Plus features a proven, clutchless ribbon drive that contains few wear parts, which increases mechanical reliability and minimizes maintenance-related downtime. Through the use of motors and software, optimal ribbon tension is consistently maintained, virtually eliminating downtime caused by ribbon breaks and false ribbon breaks. The 1,000 meter ribbon length is the longest standard length on the market, which means less frequent ribbon changes and higher production line efficiency. The DataFlex Plus features the simplest TTO ribbon cassette on the market, making ribbon changeovers fast, easy and nearly fail safe.

## Maximum Flexibility

The DataFlex Plus has the built-in capability to change between intermittent and continuous modes or left hand and right hand operation quickly and easily — in the same unit. This flexible system eliminates the need for additional investment in more printers if production requirements change. Serial, Ethernet and USB communications standard in this printer deliver the most comprehensive communications package in the industry. The DataFlex Plus also provides the ability to control up to four printers from one controller, providing a simple and cost-effective solution for applications that need more than one imaging system.



## Lowest Cost of Ownership

The DataFlex Plus is designed to lower total cost of ownership. The bi-directional ribbon drive utilizes motors that drive both the ribbon unwind and re-wind reels, allowing unused ribbon to be recaptured after each print. This maintains a 0.5 mm gap between prints from the beginning to the end of a ribbon roll, creating more prints per roll and ensuring the highest possible ribbon efficiency. The bi-directional drive eliminates over-printing and provides consistent image quality. The DataFlex Plus also offers interleave printing to cut ribbon expense in half and double the number of prints per roll with a unique ribbon saving technique that works in both continuous and intermittent applications.

### Easy to Learn and Use

The intuitive, graphical user interface and color touch screen incorporate easy to learn, iconbased controls and a WYSIWYG image display to reduce downloading and entry errors. There are three levels of password protection, for added security. The on-board diagnostics available in the DataFlex Plus make trouble shooting quick and easy, resulting in less downtime and reduced training requirements.

## High Quality Thermal Transfer Printing

The DataFlex Plus delivers high-resolution images on a wide variety of flexible packaging, labels and other materials. The DataFlex Plus system allows for on-line printing of variable and real-time data such as best by dates, times, batch/lot codes, ingredients listings, bar codes and logos with crisp, clear images. This efficient printer is wellsuited for applications in the snack food, bakery, confectionery, frozen and refrigerated foods, bagged fresh vegetables and dried fruits, meats, coffee, hardware and pharmaceutical markets.

## Videojet TotalSource® Services

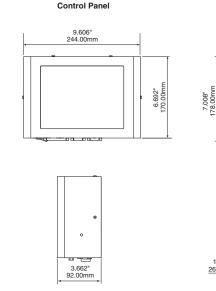
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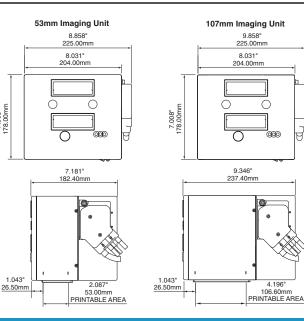
assistance, operator training and a full spectrum of maintenance services. The TotalSource program ensures total customer satisfaction. **Support when and where you need it** 



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#### Specifications

Printhead

55 mm or 110 mm, 300dpi (12 dot/mm) **Print Area** 

### 53 mm Unit

Intermittent Printing Mode 2.1" (53 mm) wide x 3.0" (75 mm) long Continuous Printing Mode 2.1" (53 mm) wide x 5.3" (135 mm) long

#### 107 mm Unit

Intermittent Printing Mode 4.2" (107 mm) wide x 3.0" (75 mm) long

Continuous Printing Mode 4.2" (107 mm) wide x 7.9" (200 mm) long

#### Maximum Print Speed

53 mm Unit Intermittent Mode 31.5 in./sec (800 mm/sec) Continuous Mode

39.4 in./sec (1000 mm/sec) 107 mm Unit

Intermittent Mode 27.5 in./sec (700 mm/sec)

Continuous Mode 31.4 in./sec (800 mm/sec)

#### **Operator Interface**

8.4-inch TFT SVGA (800x600) full-color LCD and touch screen WYSIWYG print preview Full on-board diagnostics 3 levels of password protection Extensive language support

Ribbon Range Full assortment of wax / resin and resin inks

Maximum Ribbon Length 53 mm Unit

3,281 feet (1000 meters) 107 mm Unit

1,969 feet (600 meters) **Ribbon Widths** 

0.8" (20 mm) min 4.3" (110 mm) max

#### Nominal Ribbon Waste Between **Successive Prints** 0.002" (0.5 mm)

Printing Capabilities

Full downloadable font support to Windows<sup>®</sup> TrueType<sup>®</sup> (including multiple languages and Unicode support) Fixed, variable and merged text fields Flexible date/time formats Flexible shift code formats Auto best before date calculations and concession management Auto incrementing/decrementing text, counters and bar codes Multiple graphic formats supported (up to maximum print area) Link fields to databases Scalable text and text blocks

#### **Bar Codes**

EAN 8, EAN 13, UPC-A, UPC-E, Code 39, EAN 128, Code 128, ITF, RSS (including 2D composite codes); others available upon request

**Power Supply** 90-264V

#### Air Supply

6 Bar. 90psi, uncontaminated 1.0ml/cycle (max)

Operating Temperature  $41^{\circ}-104^{\circ}F$  (5°-  $40^{\circ}C$ )

**External Inputs** 

3 PNP inputs

**External Outputs** 2 relay outputs and 2 PNP +24V outputs

#### **External Communications**

RS232, Ethernet, USB memory stick support, Binary and ASCII comms protocols and Windows drivers

#### **Remote Coder Configuration software**

**CLARITY Configuration Manager** "Off-line" set up and parameter storage available as standard

Image Design Software CLARISOFT

Network Management Software CLARINET



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