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Axiom® IM Series Case/Tray Packers designed to maximize adjustability

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Douglas' Axiom® IM Series Case/Tray Packers maximize adjustability with next generation electronic motion control technology. Adjustments for varying product sizes, corrugated blank warp and machine speeds are completed almost on the fly. Operator and maintenance staff simply access the program through the HMI and make adjustments to the servo function.

The Axiom® IM features an open design for added convenience when cleaning and accessing machine components. New product sizes are easily added through the HMI and an electronic handwheel provides effortless hand cycling when needing to view the entire machine function in slow motion. Individual servo electronic overloads are easily adjusted as the load changes and can be set sensitive enough to protect the mechanism and, at times, even the product. Changeovers are completed in minutes with minimal change parts and customized motion profiles contribute to superior product and case handling. The Axiom® IM operates at speeds to 45 cases or trays per minute (application dependent).

A variety of options are offered, including the patented Velocity® High-Speed Product Stacker. The Velocity® provides continuous product flow to 600 products per minute (application dependent).

Axiom® Series case packers are backed by Douglas' exclusive three (3) year limited warranty.

For more information, call 320.763.6587 or visit www.douglas-machine.com.

About Douglas Machine Inc.

Founded in 1964, Douglas Machine Inc. is recognized as a global leader in automated packaging solutions for paperboard, corrugated, and shrink-film. Today the company specializes in the design and manufacture of cartoners, sleeves, case and tray packers, and shrink-wrap systems. Customers from many different markets including food, beverage, personal care, and pharmaceutical, have come to rely on Douglas' automation expertise and value-added services to maximize their throughput. Based in Alexandria, Minnesota, Douglas Machine also has operations in Deerwood, Minnesota.