

Flyer 1012

LabeLase® Plate Edge Marking System



Overview

In as low as 6 seconds, the plate edge is referenced and labeled with a mark that is suitable for manual or automatic identification of stacked plates.

Features

- Highly visible characters (black on white background)
- ◆ Barcode & man-readable messages
- On demand identification
- Cycle time as low as 6 seconds
- Single-station machine requires no action up or down line
- ◆ ID survival to 500°F (260°C)
- Accepts host data download or manually entered data

Operation

The plant positions the plate at the marking station (stopped and stationary) with the edge justified within 0-1" (0-25mm). Typical plate thickness range is .187" (4.7mm) to 3" (75mm) with plate temperatures of ambient to 500°F (260°C). (Contact InfoSight Corporation for other requirements).

The InfoSight LabeLase machine pneumatically extends and lifts to reference both the plate edge and under side surfaces. A basecoat of black ink is applied followed by a top coat of white ink. A CO₂ laser removes the white ink overlay to generate the desired black man-readable message, bar code and/or logo. The total message width is approximately 4" (100mm) or less. After marking, the machine retracts to a clear position.

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SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS:

Basecoat Area Approximately 1" (25mm) high x 6" (150mm) long

Basecoat 2-Color Black base with white second layer

Basecoat Material Solvent based paint

Mark location On side edge of plate

Marked information Bar Code (Maximum of 14 characters Code 128

Symbology), plus corresponding man-readable

characters.

Message size Programmable: 1/4"(6mm) high nominal;

taller characters will require more cycle time.

Spray nozzles Fixed position wide spray style.

Motions Laser tilts to reference plate bottom surface and

optics extend to reference the plate edge.

Cycle time 6 seconds while plate is stopped.

UTILITIES REQUIRED:

Mill Air 80PSIG, 30 SCFM

Electric 480 VAC, 3 Phase, 60 Hz, 20 Amps

120 VAC, 1 Phase, 60 Hz, 15 Amps

(or local equivalents)

HOST INTERFACE:

Electrical Ethernet or RS-232-C

Protocol InfoSight Standard Extended Protocol