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Starview's new RB Series Rotary Blister Sealing Machines offer an economical system solution in tough economic times.



**Starview's new RB Series** four and six station rotary blister sealing machines offer a very economical step up from a shuttle blister sealing machine. These are priced about halfway between our SSB2-1418 two-station shuttle and our full featured ERB Series. The RB6 makes a great replacement machine for the hundreds of the aging Visual Thermoforming DS6's that are still being used. Sealing fixtures used on the DS6's will drop right onto the RB6 without modification!

Two models are available. The RB4-1418 with a generous 14" x 18" sealing area and the RB6-1214 with five open loading stations available for operators to place blisters, products, cards and unload finished packages.

While these machines are simplistic with casters and a cycle counter as the only options they are a rugged and very modern design. The table indexer is a robust and accurate cam positioner driven by an AC variable frequency drive. This series features a PLC with easy to comprehend knob and dial interface for sealing time, table delay and table speed. The temperature controller is digital and can be set to read in degrees F or C.

Safety features include a conveniently located E-stop button as well as light beam sensors in the sealing press area. Mechanical components of the machine are well protected with sheet metal guarding.

Typical multi-ply hardwood sealing fixtures are used with this machine. These have proven to be cost effective and durable at the same time. We utilize silicone rubber sealing pads for long life and spring pins for locating the cards with respect to the blister.

A complete brochure on the RB Series Blister Sealing Machines may be found on our website. <http://www.starview.net/pdfs/rb.pdf> We would be pleased to quote these machines to you. Request either the RB4-1418 or RB6-1214.

## Vacuum Chamber Food Packaging Machines are back.



We have just launched our new **VCT and VCF Series** enclosed vacuum chamber machines. The VCT table top machines are available with 11" x 15" and 20" x 20" vacuum chambers. The VCF floor model machine has a large 24" x 24" vacuum chamber.

Starview's new enclosed vacuum chamber packaging machines feature all stainless steel construction. Heavy-duty vacuum pumps provide efficiency and reliability. Single impulse sealing bars along the front edge of the vacuum chamber are standard. The pricing on these new machines is substantially below our previous offering of enclosed vacuum chamber machines.

**Starview's VCT and VCF Series** vacuum packaging machines are used extensively for batch products such as foods, electronic circuit boards and vacuum packaging for scientific research. Vacuum packaging is typically used to extend the shelf life or reduce freezer burn of foods. Electronic components can be protected from dust, moisture or static electricity that would otherwise damage the item.

**Starview's VCT and VCF Series** vacuum packaging machines are suitable for use with non-barrier as well as barrier plastic bags. Heat sealable foil bag may also be used in these models.

A complete brochure on the VCT and VCF Series Blister Sealing Machines may be found on our website. <http://www.starview.net/pdfs/vct.pdf> We would be pleased to quote any of these machines to you. Request the VCT-1115, VCT-2020 or VCF-2424

## Reminder - New Prices are in effect for 2008.

Just a reminder - please check with us before quoting machines or tooling. Most prices have changed since V3.0 of the CD-ROM set was distributed in August of 2007. We have new quote templates for all of the machines now and can provide you with updated quotations very quickly.

All of the changes are nearly done now and we anticipate that we will have the new CD set Version 4.0 mailed by the end of September.

Let Starview assist your customers with machines designed to make the total manufacturing process more effective. Contact one of our sales staff for packaging solutions to help your customers reduce cost and stay competitive.

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