Formech HD Series 2

Automatic Vacuum Forming Machines

First introduced in 2002, Formech's HD range established a new price-performance ratio for automatic production class machines. Efficient heat management, ease of use, compact footprint and accessible price are instrumental to the internationally successful HD range as trusted by many world-class companies. Series 2 advancements include 'FCV' (Formech Cycle View) control interface with 10" high resolution touch-screen. Machine cycle status is clearly visible at a glance and all parameters can be adjusted in real time without interrupting the current cycle. By working closely with HD customers all over the world Formech has developed an intuitive, graphically driven interface suitable for operators of all experience levels. Generous standard specification and an

extensive range of options including twin heaters for the most demanding materials mark the HD Series 2 as a cost effective and highly adaptable machine range. Apple Inc., Nestle and Cambridge University are amongst the first customers to benefit from Formech's HD Series 2.

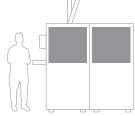
Key Features

- PLC Control with 10" Hi-res Touch Screen
- FCV® (Formech Cycle View) with 40
 Programme Memory
- Quartz Heaters with Variable Standby
- 16 (HD686/750) / 20 (HD1000)
 Independently Controllable
 Heating Zones
- Pneumatic Heater Drive
- Pneumatically Powered
 Clamping Frame
- Pneumatic Table with Regulator
- Table Height Adjust
- Pre-stretch
- Auto-level
- · Vacuum Flow Regulator
- Vacuum Receiver Tank
- Vacuum and Pressure Gauges
- Safety Light Curtain
- Two Cooling Fans
- Oil Filled Rotary Vane Pump 21m3/HR

Options

- Reducing Windows
- Plug Assist with Speed Regulator
- Reel Feed
- Spray Mist
- Cooling Bolster
- · Heating Pyrometer
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- Upgrade 26 Zones (for HD686/750)
- Upgrade Cooling System
- Double heater
- Ceramic Heaters
- Servo Plug assist
- Servo Table
- Multi User Pin Access Control
- Material Registration and Puncher
- Spare Parts Kit





> See reverse for Technical Specifications and HD Series customers.

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Technical Specifications HD686 Series 2

| Forming Area (mm / inches) | Sheet Size (mm / inches) | | Max Material Thickness | Heating Zones | Heater Type | Width |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 647 x 622mm / 25.5 x 24.5" | 686 x 660mm / 27 x 26" | 350mm / 13.8" | *6mm / 0.25" | 16 | Quartz | 1553mm / 61.1" |

| _ | Height with Plug Assist | Depth | _ | Single Phase Power Requirements | Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements | | | Air Requirements |
|----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--|---------------|--------|---------------------|
| 2480mm / 97.6" | 2600mm / 102.4" | 2639mm / 103.9" | 750kg / 1653lbs | n/a | 380-415V / 32A | 208-220V /40A | 11.0kW | 80 PSI / 5 bar |

^{*}certain materials over 4mm thick may require turning the sheet mid-cycle unless twin heaters are specified

Technical Specifications HD750 Series 2

| Forming Area (mm / inches) | Sheet Size (mm / inches) | The state of the s | Max Material Thickness | Heating Zones | Heater Type | Width |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 700 x 500mm / 27.5 x 19.7" | 750 x 540mm / 29.5 x 21.2" | 350mm / 13.8" | *6mm / 0.25" | 16 | Quartz | 1553mm / 61.1" |

| 3 | Height with Plug Assist | Depth | _ | Single Phase Power Requirements | Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements | USA – 3 Phase Power Requirements | | Air Requirements |
|-------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--------|---------------------|
| 2480mm / 97.6" | 2600mm / 102.4" | 2639mm / 103.9" | 750kg / 1653lbs | n/a | 380-415V / 32A | 208-220V /40A | 11.0kW | 80 PSI / 5 bar |

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Technical Specifications HD1000 Series 2

| Forming Area (mm / inches) | Sheet Size (mm / inches) | Max Depth of Draw | Max Material Thickness | Heating Zones | Heater Type | Width |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------------|
| 960 x 960mm / 37.8 x 37.8" | 1000 x 1000mm / 39.4 x 39.4" | 600mm / 23.6" | *6mm / 0.25" | 20 | Quartz | 1877mm / 74" |

| Height | Height with | Depth | Weight | Single Phase Power | Europe – 3 Phase | USA – 3 Phase | Power | Air |
|----------|-------------|----------|----------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|----------------|
| | Plug Assist | | | Requirements | Power Requirements | Power Requirements | Consumption | Requirements |
| 2118mm / | 2792mm / | 3524mm | 1200kg / | n/a | to be confirmed | to be confirmed | 30.0kW | 80 PSI / 5 bar |
| 83.4" | 110" | / 138.7" | 2646lbs | | | | | |

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Formech HD Series customers include:

- Cambridge University (Education UK)
- Bahrain University (Education Bahrain)
- INSA (Education France)
- Nestle France (Chocolate & Confectionary France)
- Nestle Switzerland (Chocolate & Confectionary)
- Comco Plastics (Sign Making / Displays USA)
- Interform (Trade Former / Tool Maker UK)
- DPS Designs (Tool Maker UK)
- Berry Plastics Corp (Design USA)
- Giannuzzi (Aerospace Italy)
- Apple Inc (R&D USA)
- Makita (Packaging UK)

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