SPIEL ASSOCIATES INTRODUCES THE STERLING DIGIPUNCH

Spiel Associates will introduce one of the first production models of the new STERLING® DIGIPUNCH® Automatic "Touch Screen" Punch at PRINT 09 in Chicago this September. The Digipunch offers a quantum leap forward in the design of automatic punching machines designed for on demand situations. A revolutionary touch screen allows for automatic set up, changeovers without any tools, and maintenance. You can program the machine to set up the paper size, either from a list of standard sizes or any custom size. The Sterling

Digipunch features a variable pile lift and variable speed, which allows for slowing the machine down for difficult jobs. Other machines in this price range only offer a fixed amount of sheets to be punched at one time. The Digipunch's touch screen can set how many sheets are punched at a time, up to 17 for the maximum speed of 60,000 sheets per hour or as little as three when punching problem stocks such as curled stock, acetate, or laminated material. The machine can punch intermixed stock with tabs. This type of versatility is unmatched by any machine in it's price range.

The Digipunch's touch screen also prompts the operator to perform maintenance tasks. It can track up to six dies and alerts the operator when each of the dies being used requires lubrication or sharpening. It takes all the guesswork out of your maintenance cycle. A variety of help screens with diagrams also helps the operator troubleshoot problems. You can also run the machine in reverse to clear jam ups.

"With the problem of finding skilled technicians to run high speed bindery equipment, this is just what the doctor ordered," says Michael Spiel. "Think about it, do you drive a car with a manual or automatic transmission? This will change the way printers and binderies will look at finishing equipment makereadies."

Spiel will also be debuting the RILECART B535, an economical, fully automatic double loop wire binder, capable of binding 3,000 BPH. Also being shown is the compact RILECART TP-340 double loop wire binder. which requires no air supply. As always, SPIEL will have their automatic plastic coil machines; The STERLING Coilmaster® III and Coilmaster Jr. on display as well as their STERLING Punchmaster and Digibinder automatic, table top perfect binder.

See what Spiel Associates has to offer at their booth:1273 or call them at 718-392-7900.



IS YOUR PUNCH FROM <u>THE STONE AGE</u>?



The **STERLING**® **DIGIPUNCH** is a new, economical, high speed machine that punches for double loop wire, plastic coil, or any other hole pattern at speeds up to **60,000 sheets per hour**. That's a big pile of paper from a machine with a very small footprint. Variable speed allows for the punching of more difficult jobs.

The **automatic touch screen** makes it the most user friendly punch ever devised, allowing the operator to set up and change over automatically.

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