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ELSNER ENGINEERING WORKS, INC. ANNOUNCES AUTOMATIC CORE LOADING OPTION FOR AFR SERIES FOIL AND FOOD FILM REWINDERS



Model ACL-18 Automatic Core Loader

In an effort to assist the overall production workflow in the conversion of household rolled goods (such as aluminum foil, baking papers and food film) Elsner Engineering Works, Inc. announces the incorporation of an automatic core loading ancillary device into its successful AFR series of fully automatic rewinders. The ELSNER Model ACL-18 (Automatic Core Loader) was designed to move the machines core loading position from above the machine to an easily accessible, floor level location beside the machine. In addition to the ergonomic benefits of having the hopper at floor level, the relocation of the loading area keeps the responsible party from blocking

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physical and visual access to the machine while restocking the core supply.

The Elsner Model ACL-18 works 'on-demand' with the Rewinder to keep the machine core supply at an optimum level for production. Integrated electronic sensors trigger the Model ACL-18 to feed cores when the machine is running low, or to pause when the machine mounted core hopper and feeding device is at capacity.

Because the machine is self-contained, the ELSNER Model ACL-18 can be easily incorporated into existing machinery, Elsner or otherwise, and is offered in widths up to 40" (1016 mm).

The ELSNER Model AFR-series Rewinders are designed to produce household rolled products such as food film, baking papers and aluminum foil—all on the same machine. The Model AFR-series Rewinder is capable of speeds up to 3000 feet per minute (915 meters per minute) or 48 rolls per minute. Its ease of operation and maintenance make it a popular choice by industry leaders. Other available machine features include all-over embossing, glue or tape roll closure, 'tail finder' for film products and integration with downstream packaging equipment.

Founded in 1934, Elsner Engineering Works, Inc. designs and manufactures converting and packaging machinery. Elsner is celebrating its 75th anniversary as a family owned and operated business in 2009. Elsner currently services and supports over 2400 machines worldwide with equipment in service in nearly 60 countries. Besides its headquarters in Hanover, Pennsylvania, Elsner has a sales office in Bremen, Germany and offers field support from sites in Germany and China.

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