

Product Name:	AirBond - Double Backer Heat Transfer System
Description:	Provides variable, even & consistent pressure application enabling even & efficient heat transfer across the full width of the Double Backer. Replaces inefficient existing systems i.e. weight roll & shoe systems.
Suitability:	Heating & traction sections for all makes, models & widths of Double Backers.
Control:	Stand alone control system or interface to alternative control systems.
Power Requirements:	415v - 3ph - 32A to Main Control Panel.
Remote Support:	Available via internet connection.
Country Of Manufacture:	United Kingdom.
No Of Systems Installed:	>150 Worldwide.

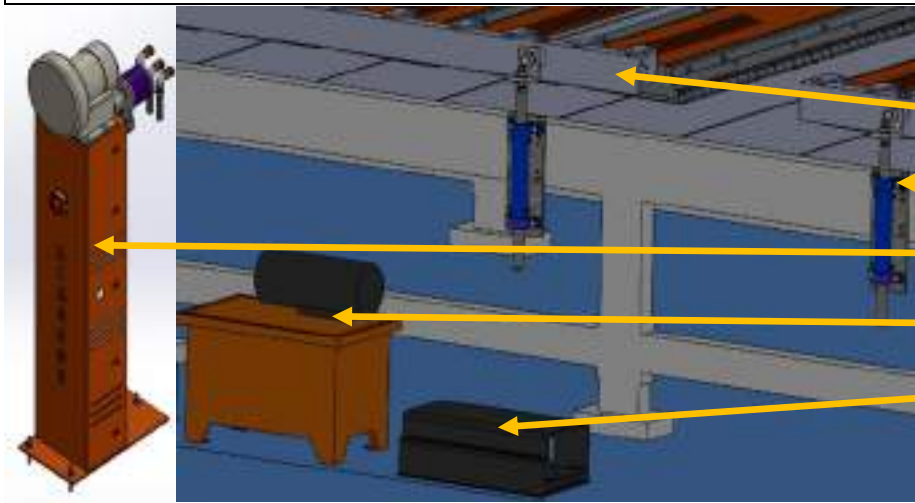
AirBond System Benefits	
Accurate & consistent pressure application	❖ No bearings, internal mechanical linkages or springs enables the system to perform to precise and accurate parameters consistently.
Enhanced board quality	❖ Even and consistent pressure application enables even heat transfer across the full width of the Double Backer heating plates to enable flat board production. ❖ Vented shoes enable moisture release from board.
Increased running speeds	❖ Variable pressure application control applies increased pressure as required for heavier board grades and speed increases to maximise the available heat transfer capabilities from the heating plates.
Improved board performance	❖ Variable pressure applied over a large surface area of each AirBond module. ❖ Segmented airbags provide edge relief to prevent edge crush and belt wear.
Reduced steam application	❖ System enables efficient heat transfer from the hot plates providing the opportunity to reduce hot plate temperatures.
Reduced starch application	❖ Reduced temperatures and efficient heat transfer enables the potential to reduce starch application.
Improved conversion efficiencies	❖ Improved board quality provides opportunities to reduce set up times and increase throughput speeds.
Low running costs	❖ Inverter controlled low power 0.4 kW fans for airbag control ❖ Hydraulic power pack in run mode only when lifting & lowering.
Low maintenance	❖ No bearings, internal mechanical links or springs. ❖ Maintenance mode incorporated in control system enables simple checks to be made as required.
Reduced capital expenditure requirement	❖ Upgrading the Double Backer rather than replacing provides significant capital cost expenditure.
Additional control potentials	❖ Glue machine glue gaps, Wrap arms, Hot plate temperatures can be controlled from AirBond operator HMI if required.
Fast return on investment	❖ Typical ROI in 6 – 18 months.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ① Vented Aluminium Top Cover. (Solid Available if req'd) ② Aluminium Frame. ③ AirBond Module Hinged Shoe Assembly.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ④ ABS plastic air pipes & connections to airbags. ⑤ Segmented Airbags. Centre / Inner / Outer. ⑥ Precision Slotted / Vent Stainless Steel Shoes. (Solid Available if req'd)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⑦ Hinged Precision Stainless Steel Assembly. ⑧ Vented Stainless Steel Shoes Incorporating edge pressure relief system via segmented airbags. (Solid Available if req'd)
<div style="text-align: center;"> <p>AirBond Cross Section</p> <p>Airbag Air Supply Connections</p> <p>Moisture Release Enabled Via Vented Shoes</p> <p>Exit Airbag Entry Airbag</p> <p>Airbag Support Fret Airbag Support Fret</p> <p>← Board Direction</p> </div>	



System Main Control Screen

- AirBond – Heating Section
- AirBond – Traction Section
- RollerBond
- Glue Machine Gaps
- Hot Plate Temperatures
- External Control Interface



Hydraulic Lift System

- ⑬ Lift rail
- ⑭ Hydraulic Lift Cylinder.
- ⑮ Fan Assembly & Stand.
- ⑯ Hydraulic Power Pack.
- ⑰ Hydraulic Flow Divider.

AirBond Installation Example

