

Packaging lines for flooring elements



flexible and cost-effective

Turning – Packaging – Palletizing



Efficiency along the line

Perfectly suited for changing dimensions

Dimensions of case stacks

Width

Thickness

Option:

Basic

Length

Width

Effective stack height

More and more, your markets demand special dimensions such as cottage floorboards, flagstone tiles or Bigfoot-

Dimensions (Surface) of processed elements

380 to 1400 mm

max. 1400 mm

max. 900 mm

max. 1050 mm

Machine configurations covering only a limited range of dimensions

EURO-pallet 1200 x 8900 x 150 mm (other dimensions on request)

90 to 400 mm

6 to 11 mm

Basic height (idler conveyor for stacks) 300 mm (other heights on request)

formats, besides the standard sizes. It is rare, however, that a line works at full capacity if elements of only one size are processed.

Where's the problem? The installation components which we propose are particularly flexible. They are easily or automatically adjusted and are made to measure to accommodate changing dimensions.

Panel turning by robot

Turning panels

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Your advantages are:

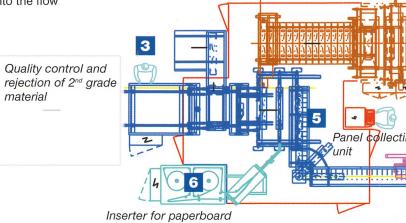
- Robust functioning with practically no
- Overall line may be designed to a mostly linear concept
- Different picking positions for the element stacks enable to relieve the lengthwise machine during feeding stops
- Individual stacks may be withdrawn and reinserted into the flow

material

• To make left or right panels, element stacks may be turned by 0° or 180° into the magazine of the transverse processing

Panel packaging

Box folding machine

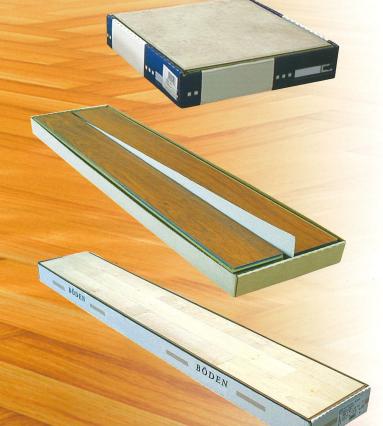


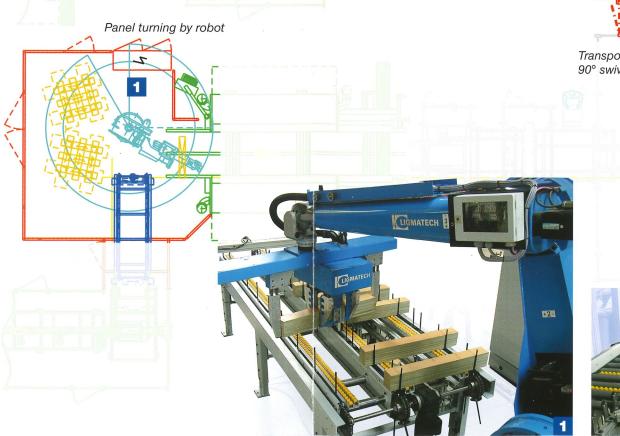
slips for two packs of panels in one layer

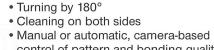


Transportation and turning: 90° swivel to limit required space









Panel Packaging

control of pattern and bonding quality · Rejection and stacking of flawed ele-

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Follows the packaging sequence itself:

- Automatic folding of the cases or
- Gathering of elements to form stacks and insertion into cases
- Printing and labeling
- Placing of instructions for use
- Shrink-film wrapping of the packages

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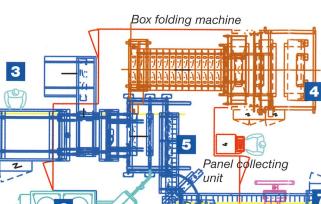
Quality control and

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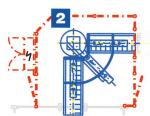
rejection of 2nd grade

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Panel packaging



Inserter for paperboard slips for two packs of panels in one layer



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Panel Packaging

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- Turning by 180°
- Cleaning on both sides
- Manual or automatic, camera-based control of pattern and bonding quality
- · Rejection and stacking of flawed ele-

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Package shrink wrapper

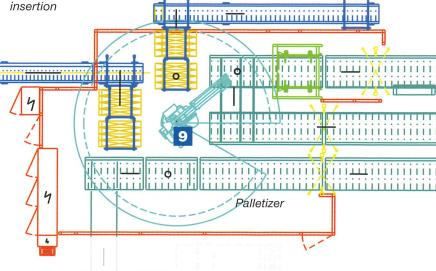
Labeling and



Package Palletizing

The shrink-wrapped packages are collected by layers, disposed at the picking position and stacked by a gripper. Using a robot has major advantages versus traditional solutions:

- Robust functioning with practically no wear
- Manifold design possibilities for the packaging sector with 4 or 6 axles
- Cost reduction by saving installation components and personnel
- Feeding empty pallets; placing intermediate layers or cover sheets with a vacuum pad
- Superior performance and flexibility allow the use of one palletizer robot for two flooring lines. Its adjustable transverse grip can place differentsized layers of cases on various pal-















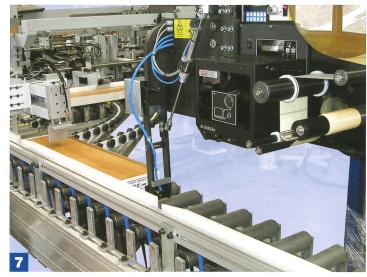
Palletizer

Additional components increase efficiency

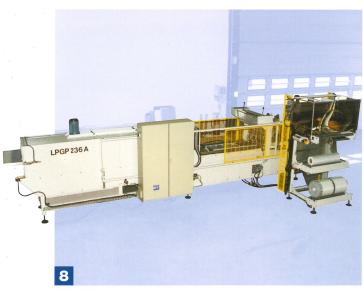
Clever options proposed by competent partners

Ligmatech provides your entire installation, end to end. That's why we offer you machines and installation components that are suitable complements for your packaging line. If we do not make the component ourselves, we recommend state-of-the art solutions of experienced and reliable systems' providers:

- cleaning machines
- Label printing and fixing
- Shrink film wrapping of packages
- Stretch film wrapping of package stacks



label printer



Shrink film panel wrapper



turning device





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