

Press release

UNIVEYOR presents its new container unloader at CeMAT

At CeMAT 2008 in Hanover, visitors will be able to see UNIVEYOR's new container unloader, the Empticon, in action – in scale 1:1. “We will simply put the machine and a container on display at the fair, so people can find out for themselves how easy it is to empty a container full of cartons, without having to lift a single one yourself,” says UNIVEYOR's marketing manager, Kaj Christensen.

Efficient and ergonomic container emptying

This will be the first time the Empticon is being demonstrated at a fair, and Kaj Christensen has high hopes of the demonstration. “We are convinced that the Empticon will arouse interest and we expect that many will be able to see some wide-ranging perspectives for the introduction of Empticon at their businesses, too.”

Visitors to the fair will be given a unique opportunity to see how easily and quickly a container can be emptied and loaded ergonomically. The Empticon is a newly developed container unloader worked by a single operator, who is able to operate all the functions of the machine remotely via a wireless control panel. Seven suction cups are used to lift the cartons onto a belt and remove them automatically from the container. This avoids all the high, low, awkward and heavy lifting that otherwise characterises the work of emptying containers and trailers.

Packing and emptying of pallets

At CeMat this year, UNIVEYOR has chosen to focus on two heavyweights in the world of ergonomics and improving the efficiency of goods flows. In addition to the Empticon, there is the Layer Picker, which can empty and pack pallets fully automatically. The Layer Picker is able to pick up whole layers from pallets at a speed that will revolutionise the goods flow in most warehouses and distribution centres.

The Layer Picker can handle products of widely varying size, weight and shape – even if there are gaps in the layers. The Layer Picker has shown itself capable of handling more than 95% of products that supermarkets and warehouses typically stock in their ranges.

The Layer Picker is a particularly efficient and economical solution. Several time-consuming manual processes are eliminated, and both stability and speed can be boosted without in any way affecting safety and ergonomics.

Tailor-made solutions

UNIVEYOR attaches great importance to the fact that all its solutions are based on a precise analysis of the individual customer's needs. This applies regardless of whether a complete solution or a minor upgrade is required. We have no standard solutions – only tailor-made ones based on proven standard products.

Intelligent logistics and handling

UNIVEYOR delivers intelligent logistics and handling solutions that ensure our customers can be efficient and provide reliable delivery to their customers. Our customers come from widely varying trades. We are therefore being constantly challenged and inspired to produce new, innovative solutions. We have a strong team of committed and experienced experts who ensure that it is UNIVEYOR that sets the agenda for the use of the latest technology.

Come and meet UNIVEYOR at CeMat in Hanover, 27-31 May 2008, Hall 27 Stand E 31.

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