Furniture Systems

Incoming Mail Sorters



Pitney Bowes Furniture Solutions

§ Pitney Bowes Inc.

CATEGORY: Furniture Systems

PRODUCT: Pitney Bowes Furniture Solutions

COMPANY: Pitney Bowes Inc., 3001 Summer Street, Stamford, CT

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PITNEY BOWES FURNITURE SOLUTIONS: Because the latest technology alone cannot solve all your workflow and productivity chal-



Pitney Bowes Risers & Sorters

lenges, Pitney Bowes offers a complete line of furniture and consoles to support your mailing and shipping operations. Pitney Bowes furniture solutions are modular for a cohesive look and functional flow, durable and ergonomically sound. Work with Pitney Bowes specialists on customized layouts and expert integration with these environmentally responsible solutions. Get free 3D renderings and planning advice for your toughest challenges including sorting and dis-

tribution areas. Pitney Bowes offerings include Ship Stations, Lift Tables, Modular Tables, Risers and Sorters and other accessories to hold a single piece of equipment or outfit your entire mail center environment.

See Pitney Bowes' listing in the Postage Meters/Mailing Systens section.

CONTACT: For more information call 877-682-7687 or visit Pitney Bowes at PitneyBowes.com.





Pitney Bowes Standard Tables (top) and Modular Tables



Fluence Criterion Elevate

§ Fluence Automation

CATEGORY: Incoming Mail Sorters

PRODUCT: Incoming Mail Sorters & Software

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CRITERION ELEVATE: The Criterion® Elevate sorter has been designed to meet high-speed mail processing needs of organizations with strict space limitations. The Elevate is ideal for processing various types of mail including vote by Mail envelopes/mail ballots, incoming mail, outgoing mail, and flat mailpieces. It features: Smallest footprint with multi-tier bins; Handle the widest range of mail – postcards to flats; Compact with built-in casters for ease of relocation between peak processing periods; Single-phase and three-phase power options.

FEATURES: The Elevate sorter greatly reduces the amount of space needed to run a sorting operation, while still processing at high speeds. With two-tier bins, the sorter has one of the smallest footprints in the industry. It is portable for easy relocation so you can move the sorter to where you need it, when you need it. The Elevate sorter handles a wide range of mail types from postcards to flats and a variety of processes from simple barcode sorting to complex database lookups and image processing. It supports all the devices from our larger sorters, resulting in the most comprehensive processing capabilities on a sorter. Processes 18,000 p/h (for #10 envelopes, MLOCR mode).

FLATSMGR SORTING SYSTEM: The Fluence FlatsMgrTM solution automates the task of sorting outgoing or incoming flat mailpieces using the most efficient technology available on the market today. This system can displace the need for manual processing or less efficient flat mailpiece processing while increasing the quality and traceability of each mailpiece. For permit indicia and barcode printing, our patented labeling technology blows labels onto the mailpiece, which virtually eliminates damage caused by stamping or "full touch" required by other vendors' labelers. Additionally, our linerless labels reduce label consumption by using virtually every inch of label stock and eliminate waste caused by label liners. Pre-barcoded mailpieces are read and processed without labeling. FlatsMgr is built with our latest parcel-sorting capabilities but is designed for sensitivity—from the smallest mailpiece to the largest flat acceptable by USPS®. Using this technology, mailers can take full advantage of USPS Full Service discounts by providing unique Full-Service barcodes and electronic documentation through the USPS PostalOne!® gateway.

WINSORT INPROCESSING: WinSort INProcessing is sorting software designed for Inbound Sorting Systems. With several decades of industry leading experience in sorting systems, Fluence has the widest range of capabilities for sorting incoming mail, covering several segments, including: Lockbox/remittance processing; Response manage-

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Fluence FlatsMgr Sorting System

ment for mail and media; Incoming university mail; Incoming corporate mail; and Incoming government mail.

VOTE BY MAIL (VBM) SOFTWARE: VBM Data Review has been developed over years of working with county officials, built on platforms proven through decades of heavy-duty production mail processing. Fluence Automation offers affordable, practical solutions based on our advanced sorting platforms, that solve many of the most difficult mail ballot processing challenges. Unlike others, we design, build, and support our systems, and therefore control the long-term product direction.

MAINTENANCE SERVICES: Fluence has a nationwide service team, focused on ensuring that our products provide the best value to our customers. Most of our team members have 10+ years of experience and we pride ourselves in ensuring a strong relationship with our customers. In addition to the Fluence team, it continues to have a good relationship with the Bell and Howell service team, to cover areas where Bell and Howell has better coverage. Fluence products last several decades, often being used every working day, and sometimes 24 X 7. Some segments have very critical operational periods such as monthly/ quarterly/ annual statements, or in the case of Vote by Mail, election processing periods. In addition, some customers have their own in-house technicians, some rely on us to provide resident technicians while others follow a hybrid approach.

CONTACT: For more information, call 888-832-4902 or email info@fluencemail.com or visit fluenceautomation.com.

§ NPI

CATEGORY: Incoming Mail Systems

PRODUCT: NPI's Incoming Automated Mail Sorters

COMPANY: NPI, 14901 Trinity Blvd, Fort Worth, TX 76155. Key Contact: Marco Oropeza. Phone: 888-821-SORT.

DESCRIPTION: NPI has been designing leading-edge mail sorters for over 35 years, with over 1,000 machines installed worldwide. NPI sets the standard for affordable, high quality, low maintenance machines, while meeting the highest expectations in automated mail sorting with the industry's most compact design. Our exclusive technology can be configured into a number of modular designs to meet specific customer requirements for labor, floor space and cost. NPI's products include Parcel, Letter and Flat (MLOCR/BCR) sorters with customizable options that's supported by 24/7 Service Support.

NPI BARCODE SORTERS: These sorters can be configured to sort incoming mail pieces. With database-driven incoming software, customers





NPI Omega Mixed Mail Sorter (l) and Omega Letter Sorter

can process time-sensitive incoming mail such as lockbox operations and remittances, reducing cycle times and labor costs. Sort information is retrieved from a database and downloaded to the sort computer to target key fields. Interoffice mail can also be distributed more efficiently using inter-office software.

See NPI's Omega Sorter listing in Barcoding/Sorting Systems section.

CONTACT: For more information, call 888-821-SORT or email sales@npisorters.com.

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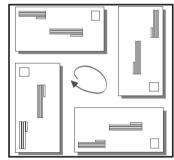
CATEGORY: Incoming Mail Sorters

PRODUCT: Tritek Sorting & Processing Equipment

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INBOUND SORTING SYSTEMS: No matter how you flip it, Tritek equipment can read it, sort it, store it and track it. The Tritek sorting ma-

chine is designed to read the address of all mail pieces regardless of what direction they are fed into our machine. Tritek has the only mail processing equipment that can read envelopes, magazines, newspapers, poly-wrapped pieces in any direction in a 12" x 17" viewing area, without adjustments, even on the front and backside of the mail piece! The recognition software captures an image



Read Address From Any Direction

of the entire document in **Read Address From Any Direction** grayscale. (Other reading applications can be integrated if desired.) The image can then be stored and tracked.

INBOUND SORTING FEATURES: Process letters or flats in up to 1024 USPS mail bins. Tritek's patented transport is the only machine that can process postcards, letters, flats and newspapers and sort them into your custom configuration of bins - up to 1024. Reads OCR, barcodes, type, script font and handwritten addresses. All Tritek sorters feature advanced Optical Character Recognition and bar code printing capabilities which enable our systems to automate even hand written addresses and to print the destination bar code on the mail piece during the sorting process. Whether your inbound mail address is typed or handwritten, Tritek's sorting machine can easily read and sort for you! Tritek advanced "read technology" sorters interpret script fonts and handwritten addresses.

TRITEK COMPACT: The Tritek Compact Series Equipment features a small footprint size for letter mail, flats and document processing. The compact design allows for large imaging over 300 dots per inch scanned