

Press Release

CubiScan Dimensioning System Line Extended

Rice Lake, Wis., September 15, 2008: One of the world's most advanced dimensioning systems CubiScan from Rice Lake Weighing Systems® will help company's operate more efficiently as it becomes an essential part of your cubing effort in logistics planning, storage space allocation, material sorting, manifesting, and general material handling and warehousing processes.

By enabling quick and accurate gathering of dimensional and weight data, CubiScan dimensioning systems will help space utilization with the utmost efficiency, generate additional revenue by calculating valuable dimensional weight charges and save measurable amounts of time, effort and money.

Consideration must be used to select the dimensioning/weighing equipment that suits the application. Some of the most important features to consider in an automated dimensioning/weighing system revolve around its ability to fit into an existing conveyor system and its ability to provide accurate information in a quick and efficient way.

Many dimensioning/weighing systems are designed to size stationary loads while others are adapt at measuring packages moving at high rates of speed. Selecting the correct dimensioning/weighing system can assist in both quicker delivery and in speeding up warehouse storage operations. The CubiScan product line from Rice Lake can be easily incorporated into a new or existing system.

CubiScan 100

The CubiScan 100 facilitates storage location planning, order picking, re-pack, shipment planning, and freight manifesting activities, and is capable of gathering dimensions and weight on products as small as 0.5 inches and as large as 24 by 24 inches on length and width, and 36 inches on height. With a mobility pack, (which includes a battery and charger) the 100 becomes a completely portable workstation, allowing it to go to the freight rather than bringing freight to it. The CubiScan 100 is a legal-for-trade certified device that allows shippers and carriers to manifest freight based on volume and weight, always applying the

correct and optimal shipping charges. All CubiScan-collected data is stored in a user-friendly, Windows-based software package called QbitWin™, and is easily transferred to a warehouse management system or computerized host.

CubiScan 150

Designed for use in distribution, direct fulfillment and logistics environments, the CubiScan 150 combines the attributes of flexibility, accuracy, and durability into one attractive and functional package. The CubiScan 150 is robust, with a maximum measurement range of 39 x 40 x 48 inches (100 x 100 x 120 cm) and a net weight capacity of 150 lbs (70 Kg). Yet it is precise, with a measurement resolution of 0.1 inches (.2 cm) and weight resolution of 0.05 lbs (20 g).

The CubiScan 150 dimensioning system is mounted on locking casters, so it can be operated in a fixed position or quickly moved and redeployed when necessary. Accessories include label printers, PC interface workstations, storage shelves, and several bar code scanning solution options. Each unit has two active serial communication ports, one serial printer port with flow control, and includes an Ethernet port, allowing for network connection and remote diagnostics. With an optional PC-based interface and QbitWIN™ software, the CubiScan 150 is capable of buffering thousands of data records, can interface to bar code scanning and label printing devices and can communicate directly (in batch or real-time mode) with mainframe or PC hosts.

Rice Lake Weighing Systems is a family-owned, ISO-9001 registered company that designs, manufactures and distributes a complete line of industrial process control weighing equipment through a worldwide network of independent distributors. The headquarters, metrology laboratory and main manufacturing plant are located in Rice Lake, Wis., with additional manufacturing facilities located in Jasper, Ala., and Newtown, Conn.

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