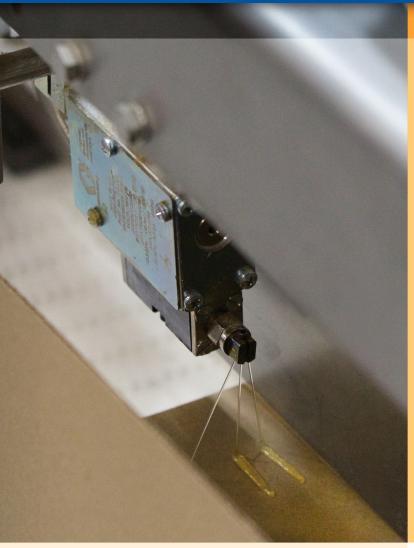


# **InvisiPac**®

**Tank-Free**<sup>™</sup>**Hot Melt Delivery System** 



## InvisiPac. So reliable, you'll forget it's even there.

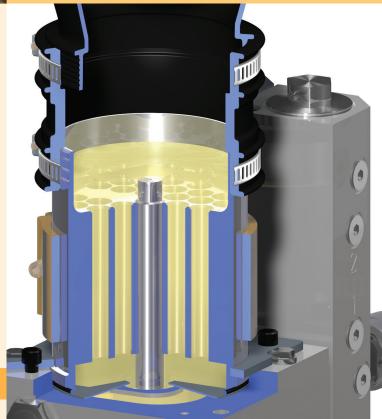


# Innovative hot melt equipment for the packaging industry

- Quick start-up ready in less than 10 minutes, eliminating costly downtime
- Tank-Free adhesive supplied and melted to meet your application's demand means less adhesive time at high temperature
- Less adhesive time at high temperature means less char and less material degradation
- No nozzle plugging due to tank char means less system maintenance and more uptime
- Less degradation leads to better shot repeatability less material waste, better quality assurance
- Great performance, even with low-cost adhesives

## **How it works**

Graco's InvisiPac uses an integrated vacuum system to feed adhesive to an in-line melter. An ultrasonic sensor monitors adhesive in the chamber, and additional adhesive is automatically added as needed based on the demand of your application. With its efficient heat transfer design, the InvisiPac System has adhesive throughput capability equivalent to or better than many hot melt tank systems. The result? You get a continuous flow of adhesive during production that significantly reduces the time adhesive sits at temperature. Less time at high temperature means less char, less maintenance and more uptime.





## Tank-free design: setting a new packaging industry standard

## Why tank-free is preferable to traditional tank systems

- · Consistent adhesive levels help prevent char from forming
- Less molten volume means the adhesive spends less time at temperature resulting in less char and less degradation
- More choices you can use low-grade adhesives when it makes sense or high-grade adhesives to ensure premium performance





## **Traditional Tank Systems**

- Heat to operating temperature slowly
- · Keep large quantities of adhesive at high temperatures
- Allow degradation of adhesive integrity
- Create char and cause plugged nozzles

## **InvisiPac's Tank-Free System**

- Heats to operating temperature quickly
- · Maintains continuous flow of heated-on-demand adhesive
- Safeguards adhesive integrity
- · Eliminates plugged nozzles due to tank char
- Achieves the same or better melt rate than most large-capacity tank systems

## A Network of Support for the Packaging Industry

## **Worldwide Support**

With infrastructure throughout the world, your company will benefit from Graco's knowledgeable, global network of professionals.

### **Proven track record**

Graco has close working relationships with many of the world's leading equipment manufacturers and adhesive suppliers. With Graco, you can expect responsive service and support, as well as the accuracy and reliability you demand from your manufacturing equipment.

## **Global distribution**

With a global distribution network, you can count on quick turnaround times for replacement parts and service. With Graco's authorized distributors, you have access to experts who understand the unique needs of your business.

## Boost production uptime

## Reduce downtime due to plugged nozzles

With the InvisiPac Plug-Free<sup>™</sup> Hot Melt Adhesive Applicator, you'll experience a new era in hasslefree operation. With its innovative free-flow manifold design and integrated module filtering - together with the InvisiPac System - you can eliminate nozzle plugs. You'll finally have a hot melt system that runs reliably, unnoticed and invisible.

#### Solenoid

- · Graco-engineered for optimal control
- · Designed to withstand high speed, high temperature operation

#### Safety

· Third-party certification to UL/CSA standards

## Factory Set Spring

· Factory set spring works across all pneumatic and fluid pressure ranges - no need for field adjustment

#### Module Filter

- · Design protects ball and seat from debris and char
- Eliminates nozzle plugging when used with InvisiPac System

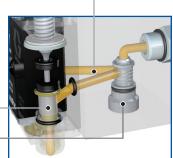
#### Manifold

- · Manifold filter traps debris and char so it's removed when you replace the filter
- Manifold filter is included in a heated zone, eliminating cold spots and ensuring consistent adhesive application
- Reaches operating temperature in less than 10 minutes



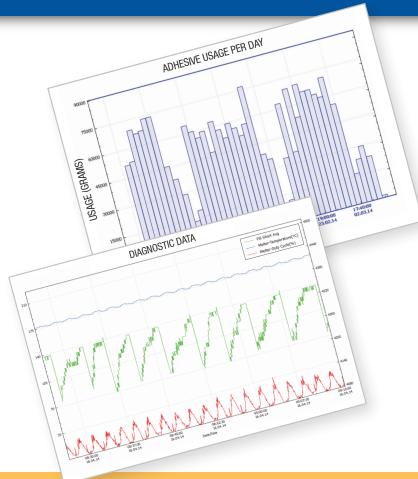


· Designed to eliminate dead zones where char will build up



Other Models Available

## Superior tracking and monitoring capabilities



# With InvisiPac, you can track material usage and other production events

- USB download of operating data, errors and event history
- Easily graph your adhesive consumption to track cost per unit, saving you money and ensuring quality
- Quantitatively analyze machine performance to improve preventative maintenance and reduce downtime

## **Superior heated hose design**

Graco's char-resistant hose is designed to reduce adhesive char buildup, resulting in more uptime and lower maintenance costs. An additional silicone layer promotes even heating, eliminating hot and cold spots that cause char and skin formation

- Available in many lengths for easy installation
- Available in waterwash or standard platforms
- InvisiPac waterwash hoses for food-safe packaging operations are Rated to IPX6, an international standard for performance in waterwash applications



## **Technical specifications**





## InvisiPac Tank-Free Hot Melt Delivery System

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| Electrical Service                 | 200-240 Vac, 1-ph, 50/60 Hz<br>200-240 Vac, 3-ph, 50/60 Hz | 200-240 Vac, 1-ph, 50/60 Hz<br>200-240 Vac, 3-ph, 50/60 Hz |
|                                    | 400-480 Vac, 3-ph, w/Neutral, 50/60 Hz                     | 400/480 Vac, 3-ph, w/Neutral, 50/60 Hz                     |
|                                    | 200-240 Vac, 3-ph, w/Neutral, 50/60 Hz                     | 400/230 Vac, 3-ph, w/Neutral, 50/60 Hz                     |
| Time to Temperature                | Less than 10 minutes*                                      | Less than 15 minutes*                                      |
| Melt Rate / Constant Throughput*   | 25 lb/hr (11.3 kg/hr)                                      | 50 lb/hr (22.6 kg/hr)                                      |
| Pump                               | Pneumatic Piston, 12:1                                     | Pneumatic Piston, 12:1                                     |
| Operating Pneumatic Pressure Range | 20-100 psi / 1.4-7 bar / 0.14-0.69 MPa                     | 20-100 psi / 1.4-7 bar / 0.14-0.69 MPa                     |
| Operating Fluid Pressure Range     | 240-1200 psi / 16-83 bar / 1.6-8 MPa                       | 240-1200 psi / 16-83 bar / 1.6-8 MPa Control               |
| Temperature Range                  | 38-204°C (100-400°F)                                       | 38-204°C (100-400°F)                                       |
| Ambient Temperature Range          | 0-50°C (32-122°F)  | 0-50°C (32-120°F)  |
| Channels                           | Up to 6  | Up to 6  |
| Maximum Gun Wattage Per Channel    | 400 W  | 400 W  |
| Input Capability                   | 4 inputs (0-30Vdc)   | 4 inputs (0-30Vdc)   |
| Output Capability                  | 4 outputs (240Vac, 24Vdc, 2A)                              | 4 outputs (240Vac, 24Vdc, 2A)                              |
| Machine Weight                     | 85 lb (34 kg)  | 105 lb (48 kg)   |
| Machine Dimensions (WxHxD)         | 20.7 x 38.4 x 16.9 in                                      | 19.0 x 42 x 16.5 in  |
|                                    | (526 mm x 975 mm x 429 mm)                                 | (483 mm x 1067 mm x 419 mm)                                |
| Glue shape                         | Pellets  | Pellets  |
| Max. Vacuum Transfer Hose Length   | 30 ft (9.1 m)  | 30 ft (9.1 m)  |
| (horizontal x vertical)            | 20 ft x 10 ft (6.1 m x 3.0 m)                              | 20 ft x 10 ft (6.1 m x 3.0 m)                              |
| Vacuum Operating Pneumatic         |  |  |
| Pressure Range                     | 40-80 psi / 2.8-5.5 bar / 0.28-0.55 MPa                    | 40-80 psi / 2.8-5.5 bar / 0.28-0.55 MPa                    |
| Vacuum Air Consumption at 40 psi   | 9.5 scfm (intermittent duty; 4% @ 25 lb/hr)                | 9.5 scfm (intermittent duty; 4% @ 25 lb/hr)                |
| Vacuum Air Consumption at 80 psi   | 17.2 scfm (intermittent duty; 4% @ 25 lb/hr)               | 17.2 scfm (intermittent duty; 4% @ 25 lb/hr)               |
| Approvals and Standards            | UL499, CSA88, CE, ISO 9001                                 | UL499, CSA88, CE, ISO 9001                                 |
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## InvisiPac GS35 Plug-Free Hot Melt Adhesive Applicator

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| Description                           | Air Open / Spring Close, Ball and Seat  |  |  |
| Speed                                 | Greater than 3,500 cycles/min           |  |  |
| Time to Temperature                   | Less than 10 minutes**                  |  |  |
| Maximum Working Fluid Pressure        | 1500 psi / 103 bar / 10.3 MPa           |  |  |
| Operating Pneumatic Pressure Range    | 40-80 psi / 2.8-5.5 bar / 0.28-0.55 MPa |  |  |
| Maximum Operating Temperature         | 204°C (400°F)                           |  |  |
| Ambient Temperature Range             | 0-50°C (32-122°F)                       |  |  |
| Solenoid Valve                        | 24 Vac or 110 Vac                       |  |  |
| Graco engineered, factory installed   |   |  |  |
| Electrical Service                    | 200-240 Vac, 50/60 Hz, 400 W            |  |  |
| Approvals and Standards               | UL499, CSA88, CE, ISO 9001              |  |  |

- \* Melt rates typical for packaging grade adhesives. Actual melt rates may vary due to chemistry and other factors.
- \*\* From 21°C to 177°C (70°F to 350°F), dependent upon power supply, machine configuration and glue type.

  For detailed dimensions and configurations, see instruction manuals 3A2347, 333347 and 3A2805 available on www.graco.com.



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