Formech Compac Mini

Desktop Vacuum Forming Machine

Easy to operate and experiment with, Formech's plug n' play single zone compac mini is the perfect solution for hobbyists and first time users. Incredibly compact and efficient with the latest quartz heaters, yet hugely capable and robust enough for professional use.

Formech's interlocking feature prevents the table from being raised whilst the heater is in the forward position ensuring safe operation for inexperienced operators. A digital timer with audible warning helps achieve consistent cycle times.



Key Features

- Quartz Heaters
- Safety Interlock
- Vacuum & Release
- Vacuum Gauge
- Digital Timer

Options

- Reducing Windows
- Trolley
- Starter Pack of Plastic
- Spare Parts Kit

Technical Specifications

Forming Area (mm / inches)	Sheet Size (mm / inches)	Max Depth of Draw	Max Material Thickness	Heating Zones	Heater Type
230 x 280mm / 9 x 11"	250 x 300mm / 10 x 12"	130mm / 5"	4mm / 0.15"	1	Quartz

Width	Height	Depth			Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements		Power Consumption	Air Requirements
440mm /		835mm /	33kg /	208-240V / 13A	n/a	n/α	0.95kW	n/α

Formech Compac Mini customers include:

- Clear Step (Medical UK)
- Anahuac (Education Mexico)
- Ecole de Technologie Superieure (Education Canada)
- Cacao Prieto (Artisan Chocolatier USA)
- Cocoa Atelier (Artisan Chocolatier Ireland)
- Claremont Secondary School (Education Canada)
- Coining of America (Preforms USA)
- Motorola (R&D USA)
- Hallmark Cards (Prototyping USA)

- Chicago School of Mold Making (Education USA)
- Lutron Electronics (Electronics USA)
- Inserm (Education France)
- Laney College (Education USA)
- Cr8 Packaging GmbH (Packaging Germany)
- NAFENA Industries sp. z o.o. (Construction Poland)
- Chocolate Tree (Chocolate & Confectionery UK)
- Rick Jordan Chocolatier (Chocolate & Confectionery USA)

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Formech continues to bring the latest technology and features to a wider range of accessibly priced vacuum forming machines. The new 450DT (which replaces the 300XQ) features a high resolution digital PLC and touchscreen for convenient and precise control. A graphically driven display with easy to understand icons provide intuitive control whilst a 20-program

memory allows users to conveniently store and recall projects. A world best-seller, Formech's 300XQ has built an unmatched reputation for professional performance at an affordable price. Evolution to the 450DT offers today's students, designers and inventors the latest user experience with industry standard control technology.



Key Features

- PLC Control with 4" Mono Touch Screen
- 20 Programme Memory
- Quartz Heaters with Variable Standby
- 4 Independently Controllable Heating Zones
- Vacuum & Release
- Vacuum Gauge

Options

- Reducing Windows
- Dedicated Trolley
- Reel Feed
- Starter Pack of Plastic
- Spare Parts Kit

Technical Specifications

Forming Area (mm / inches)		the state of the s		_	Heater Type	Width	Height
430 x 280mm / 17 x 11"	450 x 300mm / 18 x 12"	160mm / 7"	*6mm / 0.25"	4	Quartz	639mm / 25.2"	525mm / 20.7"

Depth	_	Single Phase Power Requirements	Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements		Power Consumption	Air Requirements
986mm / 38.8"	75kg / 165lbs	208-240V / 13A	n/a	n/a	2.3kW	n/a

 $^{\star}\text{certain}$ materials over 4mm thick may require turning the sheet mid-cycle

Formech 300XQ/450DT customers include:

- Louisiana Tech University (Education USA)
- University of Arkansas (Education USA)
- University of Western Ontario (Education Canada)
- Bezinksregierung Arnsberg (Education Germany)
- Lancaster University (Education UK)
- Roundhill Academy (Education UK)
- Watford Boys Grammar School (Education UK)
- Deltion College (Education Netherlands)
- Nestle R&D Center Inc (Chocolate & Confectionery USA
- Chocolaterie du Haut Giffre (Chocolate & Confectionery France)

- Creation Chocolat (Chocolate & Confectionery France)
- Trestle Theatre (Film & Theatre UK)
- English National Opera (Film & Theatre UK)
- Daktari Diagnostics Inc (Medical USA)
- New Jersey Institute of Technology (R&D USA)
- Clarks (Textiles & Apparel UK)
- Lush Manufacturing BC (Cosmetics Canada)
- The Peninsula Paris (Chocolate & Confectionery France)
- Ultradent Products, Inc. (Medical USA)
- University of Kentucky (Education USA)

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Featuring PLC touch screen control, Formech's plug and play 508DT is a user friendly desktop machine with the power and capability to form demanding shapes and materials. Rapid, energy efficient quartz heaters with variable standby means the 508DT is ready to form in

less than 5 minutes. 20 programme memory to recall heater profile and timing settings for each project. A dedicated trolley option provides a minimal footprint with the convenience of portability and optimum working height.



Key Features

- PLC Control with 4" Mono Touch Screen
- 20 Programme Memory
- Quartz Heaters with Variable Standby
- 4 Independently Controllable Heating Zones
- Safety Interlock
- Vacuum & Release
- Vacuum Gauge

Options

- Reducing Windows
- Dedicated Trolley
- Reel Feed
- Starter Pack of Plastic
- Spare Parts Kit

Technical Specifications

Forming Area (mm / inches)	Sheet Size (mm / inches)		Max Material Thickness	Heating Zones	Heater Type
482 x 432mm / 19 x 17"	508 x 457mm / 20 x 18"	185mm / 7.3"	*6mm / 0.25"	4	Quartz

Width	Height	Depth	_	Single Phase Power Requirements	Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements		Power Consumption	Air Requirements
720mm /	538mm /	1394mm /	100kg /	208-240V / 13A	n/α	n/a	3.2kW	n/a
28.4"	21.2"	54.9"	220lbs					

*certain materials over 4mm thick may require turning the sheet mid-cycle

Formech 508DT customers include:

- Central St. Martins (Education UK)
- Yale University of Architecture (Education and Model Making USA)
- Decathlon (Sports apparel R&D France)
- Nike (Sports apparel R&D USA)
- Reebok (Sports apparel R&D USA)
- Under Armour (Sports apparel R&D USA)
- Hershey Chocolate (Chocolatier USA)
- Aardman Animation (Film design UK)

- Siemens (Prototyping/R&D Italy)
- L'Oréal (Cosmetics France)
- LaserTag GmbH (Toy Makers Germany)
- Baumann Dental GmbH (Medical Germany)
- Fa. Edelmann (Tool makers Germany)
- Espada Almacenes (Packaging Spain)
- BDN Packaging Ltd (Packaging UK)
- Techniks Bvba (Chocolate & Confectionery Belgium)
- SAS Dupont (R&D France)

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