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FP International – the world-beating pioneer in protective packaging

FP International will make her debut on the Taropak show; it will be the first time that FP International will present her products on an own, customized stand. FP International has redefined the meaning of protective packaging materials for ‘in-the-box’ applications by showing innovative market-leadership. Its philosophy is to ‘invent the future of packaging’ by placing high value on providing its customers with quality, innovative and environmental responsible products for void-fill requirements.

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FP International will show her latest innovations on the stand: PILLOW PAK, NOVUS and MINI PAK'R air cushion systems and the environmental friendly loosefill chip FLO-PAK GREEN.

The **PILLOW PAK** air cushion system produces the widest quilt-shaped air cushion film in the industry. This 76cm wide film can wrap and protect products during transport and/or warehousing. It has a ‘wave’-like seal made from individual bubbles, making it look like a quilt. Each bubble is connected to the next. This clever air transfer design enables air to move between the bubbles, thus providing cushioning precisely where it is needed.

FLO-PAK GREEN chips, which complies with the stringent demands of European standard EN13427, offer a host of advantages over the more traditional starch-based loosefill.

As well as being degradable, and therefore kind to the environment, the chip does not break which means it creates no dust during usage. This makes it ideal for use in automatic delivery systems. It is also suitable for use in humid environments and does not attract rodents.

The distinctive ‘8’-shape of FLO-PAK GREEN particles mean they have significant interlocking properties which allow them to provide an effective protective layer around a wide range of different irregularly shaped products. This means FLO-PAK GREEN can protect goods from almost every industry, including home decoration, cosmetics and electronic parts.

The **NOVUS** packaging machine is one of FP International’s pioneering PMOS (Packaging Materials On Site) systems, which

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inflate a variety of configurations from large air cushions to quilt/pad shapes. The NOVUS packaging machine saves money and space by eliminating the need to store and handle readymade protective packaging and traditional bubble material.

NOVUS offers 4 types of air cushions. Double cushion and Supertube configurations are designed for large void fill, block and brace, corner protection and strategic support. Quilt-Air Large cushions can be used for wrapping, block and brace and surface protection. Quilt-Air Small can be used for interleaving and small bubble applications.

Thanks to a 10cm opening in the middle of each NOVUS film perforation the operator only needs to use one hand to separate the appropriate number of cushions from the NOVUS packaging machine.

The perforation innovation – called “Handle Cut” – is being introduced this summer and will apply to all four NOVUS Resin Blend configurations (Double Cushion, Supertube, Quilt-Air Large and Quilt-Air Small).

NOTES FOR EDITORS

- FP International created the free-flowing, interior packaging material industry in the 1950s, where loosefill was born from recycling straw-ends that would otherwise have gone to waste.
- FP International is present on the Taropak in Hall 3, stand 20
- For more information, visit the company’s website – www.fpintl.pl



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