

Press Release

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Independent Can Invests In The Future

Independent Can has funded several efficiency initiatives to further strengthen the company's position as the nation's leading manufacturer of specialty metal packaging and metal lithography. "Slower economic times provide great opportunities for installation of new equipment." said Rick Huether company president.

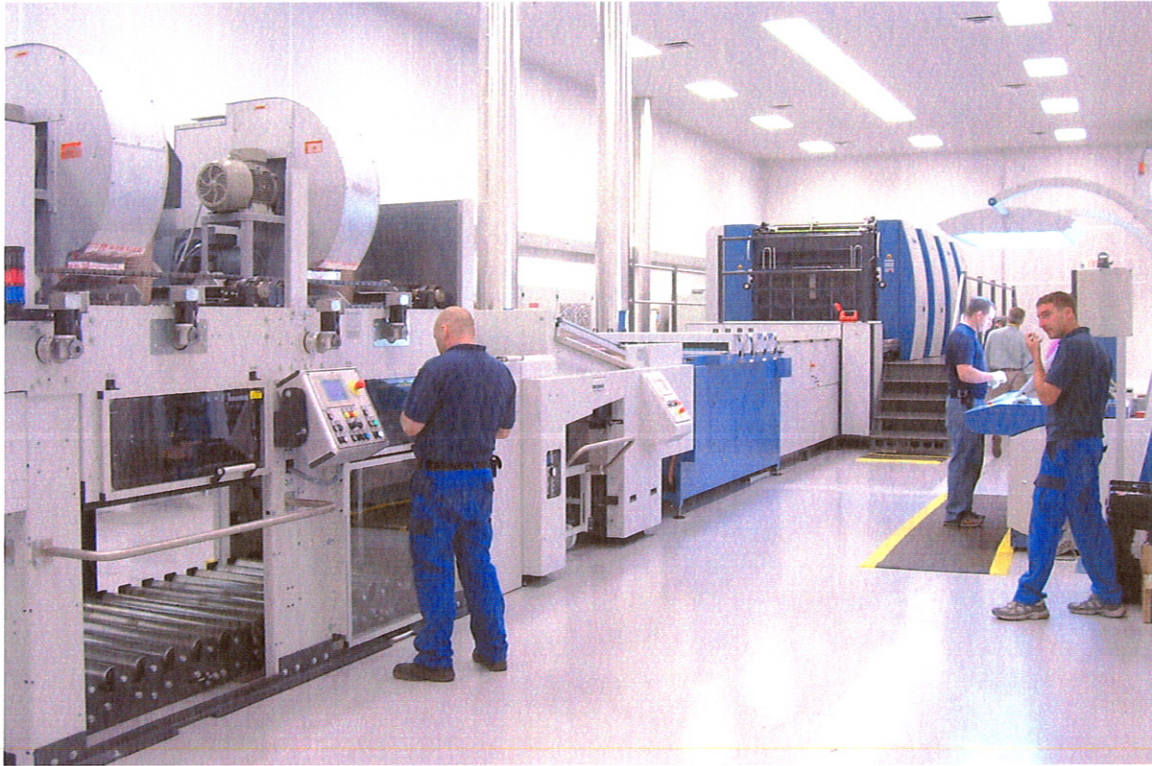
The Company is pleased to announce the start up of the two major additions to our operations. The new 4 color Metalstar II printing line was commissioned and is now in full production as of October 1, 2009. The 6 color Metalstar II, in operation since 2004, enabled high definition printing, color consistency and speed. This 4 color line significantly increases capacity and includes a Sprint 490 UV trail coater. The result is exceptional quality with greater through-put for major projects.

To lower costs and increase capacity in can production, Independent Can has also purchased a Naroska sheet-feed blanking press. This equipment provides quick-change capability and will allow more just-in-time delivery of components.

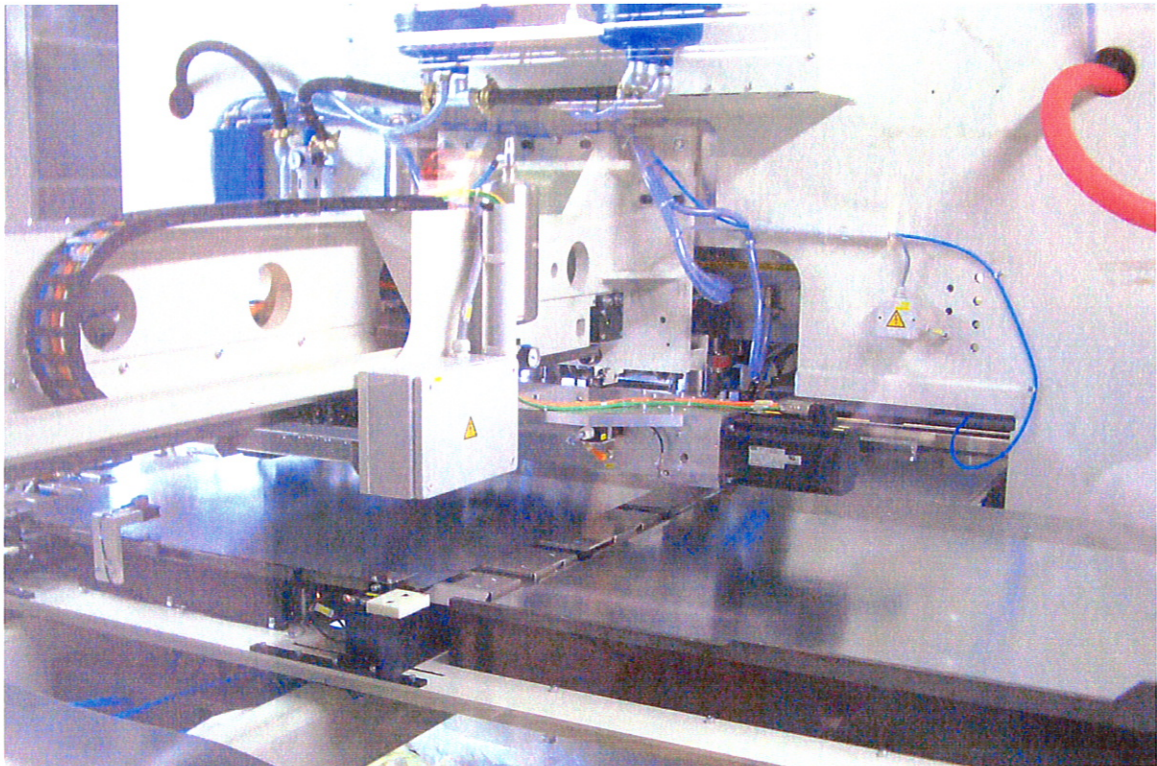
Independent Can's corporate office and main manufacturing facility is in Belcamp, Maryland with manufacturing plants in Conneaut, Ohio and Ft. Madison, Iowa as well as a sales office and warehouse in Ontario, California. The company is committed to making the bold moves of investing in new equipment in preparation for new ways of doing business for the benefit our customers.

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METAL STAR 2, 4 COLOR PRINTING LINE



NARASKA SHEET-FED PRESS