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
- 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/a

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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Desktop Vacuum Forming Machine

Formech's 300XQ is the world's leading vacuum forming machine for education and product design. Four heating zones and quartz heaters provide rapid heat response with a greater range of control to

form challenging shapes and materials. Easy to use and highly versatile the 300XQ can adapt to a wide range of applications with class-leading power and efficiency.



Key Features

- Quartz Heaters with Variable Standby
- 4 Independently Controllable Heating Zones
- Safety Interlock
- Vacuum & Release
- Vacuum Gauge
- Digital Timer

Options

- Reducing Windows
- Dedicated Trolley
- Reel Feed
- Spare Parts Kit

Technical Specifications

Forming Area (mm / inches)	Sheet Size (mm / inches)		Max Material Thickness	Heating Zones	Heater Type
430 x 280mm / 17 x 11"	450 x 300mm / 18 x 12"	160mm / 7"	*6mm / 0.25"	4	Quartz

Width	Height	Depth	_	Single Phase Power Requirements	Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements	USA – 3 Phase Power Requirements		Air Requirements
639mm /	525mm /	986mm /	75kg /	208-240V / 13A	n/a	n/a	2.3kW	n/a
25.2"	20.7"	38.8"	165lbs					

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

Formech 300XQ 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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Large Format Vacuum Forming Machine

A popular choice for film and theatre set designers, universities, automotive and aerospace R&D departments the 1372 offers a powerful combination of large forming area and wide forming capabilities at a very attractive price. An extensive range of options

including automation, heating, cooling, control and vacuum reservoir marks the 1372 as a highly versatile and adaptable machine. A heating zone and control upgrade facilitate precise heating profiles suited to advanced engineering plastics.



Key Features

- PLC Control with 7" Hi-res Touch Screen
- FCV® (Formech Cycle View) with 40
 Programme Memory
- Quartz Heaters with Variable Standby
- 15 Independently Controllable Heating Zones
- Power Table
- Table Height Adjust
- Pre-stretch
- Auto-level
- Vacuum and Pressure Gauges
- Dry Rotary Vane Pump 25m3/HR

Options

- SA Semi-Auto Package (Electric Heater Drive & Pneumatic Clamps)
- HP High Performance Package (55 Heating Zones with Heating Pyro, Upgraded Control System and High-res 7" Touch Screen)
- VT Vacuum Tank Package (Vacuum Receiver Tank, Upgrade to Oil Vane Pump and Control System)
- Heavy Duty Clamping System
- Twin Cooling Fan System
- Cooling Bolster
- Reducing Windows
- Reel Feed
- Spare Parts Kit

Technical Specifications

Forming Area (mm / inches)	Sheet Size (mm / inches)	of Draw Thickness		Heating Zones	Heater Type
1330 x 620mm / 52.4 x 24.5"	1372 x 660mm / 54 x 26"	420mm / 16.5"	*6mm / 0.25"	15	Quartz

Width	Height	Depth	Weight	Single Phase Power Requirements	Europe – 3 Phase Power Requirements		Power Consumption	Air Requirements
2144mm /	1320mm /	2099mm	600kg /	n/a	380-415V / 40A	208-220V /63A	17.0kW	80 PSI / 5 bar
84.4"	52"	/ 82.6"	1323lbs					

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

Formech 1372 customers include:

- Bristol University (Education UK)
- Ecole Superior Aveiro Norte (Education Portugal)
- Orange Coast College (Education USA)
- EPFL (Education Switzerland)
- Expressway Graphic Corp (Sign maker Puerto Rico)
- Disney (Set/Prop design France)
- Science Museum (Set/Prop Design UK)

- Helsinki Royal Opera House (Set/Prop Design Finland)
- VW Group (Automotive Germany)
- Ford Motor Company (Automotive R&D USA)
- Tesla Motors (Automotive R&D USA)
- Hindustan Aeronautics (Aerospace R&D India)
- Walt Disney (Theatre & Drama USA)

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