

Press Release

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Saudiplas 2007

Softal electronic presents at Saudiplas 2007, international developments in surface treatment.

Softal electronic, Hamburg, will present at Saudiplas 2007, from 12 - 15th February 2007, their latest developments in Corona and Plasma surface treatments. In co-operation with Rieckermann, specialists will be on hand to discuss these developments:

1. The latest development in Corona and Plasma provide the required surface energy on BOPP in widths up to 12 metre and speeds to 600 m/min, as well as CPP at speeds from 350 m/min.
2. The new **Aldyne**TM, producing an exact and durable surface tension with gas, now well established in the market.
3. SOFTAL has recently delivered the first system, utilising its pioneering **Linear Plasma** technology, for treatment of thicker materials and at higher speeds.
4. The well known SOFTAL blade electrodes (Messerelektrode) have been further developed as **Intelliblade**TM, providing an even more efficient discharge whereby the required surface tension can be achieved without stressing the material being treated.

SOFTAL electronic has, for more than 30 years, set a world wide standard with corona installations for the surface treatment of paper, synthetic films and metals. Objective: improved adhesion of inks, lacquers, and coatings. Supported by intensive research and development, first class engineering and strict Quality Management have made a decisive contribution to the success of the SOFTAL corona technology. Having three SOFTAL locations world wide at their disposal, the SOFTAL Technical Centre in Hamburg is employing 10 associates for the daily task of research and development, and material applications.

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