



## CHALLENGE PACKAGING ADDS ANOTHER LATITUDE

East Sussex, UK-based Challenge Packaging, is all set to add another Latitude casemaker to its converting department. The company, which is already running a three colour PP1227 Quick-Set flexo folder gluer, is about to take delivery of a second hand four colour LMC PP618 Quick-Set miniline flexo folder gluer.

“We have always been impressed by the build quality and output of the Latitude machines,” says Simon Allen, Managing Director of Challenge Packaging. “When the four colour PP618 became available, we were quick to jump on the opportunity. The sale was handled by David Williams at GTS (Europe) and of course we have had a strong relationship with David and his team for many years. We are really excited about the positive impact the addition of this casemaker will have on our business.”

## ARKHBUM VORONEZH CHOOSES CELMACCH AND ASAHI



Celmacch recently installed another Chroma Print flexo printing machine at the Arkhbum Group, one of the largest and most innovative corrugated producers in Russia. After the recent installation at Ilim, Celmacch confirms another successful installation which took place in Voronezh, one of the most modern plants in Russia. The line is a Chroma Evo with maximum format 2100 x 1300mm, which feeds an Asahi flatbed die-cutter in line. It is capable of reaching speeds of 10,000 sheets per hour.

Arkhbum JSC, part of the Arkhangelsk Pulp and Paper Mill JSC Group, produces 1 billion sqm of product per year. By 2020, Arkhbum's Voronezh plant aims to produce 188 million sqm of finished product.

The group invested in a Fosber corrugator, a Bobst casemaker, a Marquip WardUnited line, a Mitsubishi



EVOL casemaker and a Celmacch printing line at the new plant. The factory is modern with the highest degree of automation in every respect. All internal movement runs automatically thanks to the latest generation of materials handling. The corrugator, as well as the converting machinery, was chosen to ensure the highest level of productivity and automation.

Equipped with the most advanced technology, such as carbon chambered doctor blade system,



the new Chroma Print offers high performance, both in terms of quality and operation. Printing precision is ensured by direct motor technology thanks to an independent motor on each shaft.

Connection to the Asahi die-cutter takes place via telescopic vacuum transfer, specifically designed to work together with the Asahi AP-2100 feeder, their top-of-the-range model, which provides a maximum speed of 7,000 sheets per hr.

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