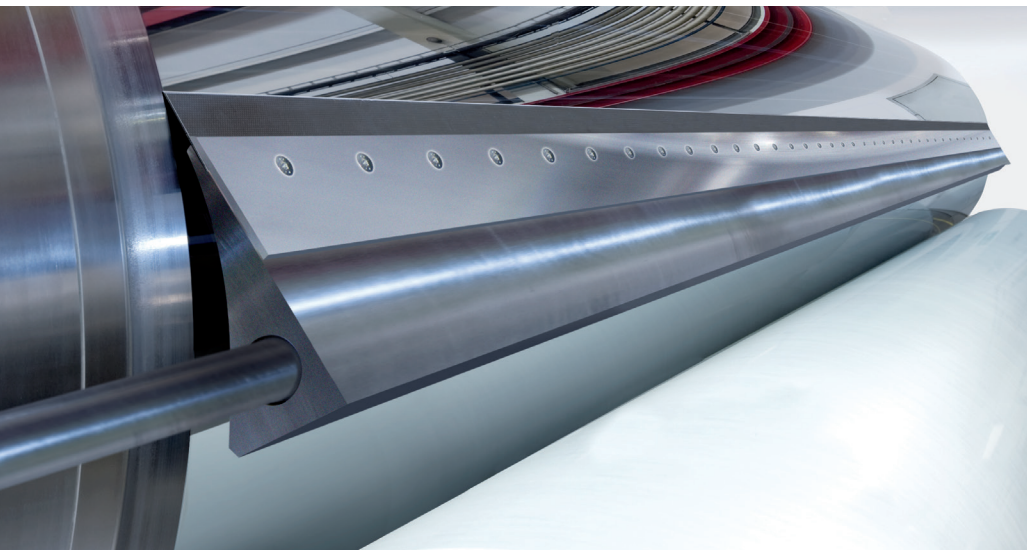


SkyLine Coating and Doctoring Technology



Worldwide, Voith Paper is recognized as the full-line supplier of choice, delivering advanced coating and doctoring technology—and a smarter, more efficient approach to inventory management.

Across a range of grades and optimization targets—you can rely on Voith innovation and expertise for an optimum combination of fabrics, rolls, roll covers, and coater and doctor blades. Voith's SkyLine coater and doctor blades deliver greater efficiency, run times and cost savings in the most demanding machine positions.

Voith is also bringing increased reliability and efficiency to your supply chain with an easy-to-use, automated inventory management system that ensures you always have a readily available supply of coater and doctor blades.

SkyLine Coater and Doctor Blades Offer:

- + Extended blade lifetime
- + Lower maintenance and operational costs
- + Less downtime and sheet breakage
- + Increased paper quality and tonnage

Advantages of the Voith Inventory Management System:

- + 24/7 blade availability with close proximity to paper machine
- + Automated inventory replenishment
- + Reduced or eliminated time spent managing stores
- + Decreased purchase order and invoice processing



Simple touchscreen interface for faster part selection



Blades are easily accessible and reordered automatically

Maintaining an available supply of coater and doctor blades is essential to operational efficiency in the mill. However, keeping inventory on hand equates to added overhead. Fortunately, Voith's automated inventory management system represents a new level of efficiency—and an opportunity to boost your profitability.

Smarter Operation Through Supply Automation

Voith's automated inventory management system delivers distinct benefits that enhance your bottom line:

- **Always available** – day or night, you have access to a supply of doctor blades through an online inventory management system (IMS) that allows parts to be checked out easily then instantly reordered and shipped to your facility for restocking.
- **Reduce overhead** – with automatic reordering through the IMS, you avoid the cost of warehousing inventory. Plus, you gain greater insight into slow-moving or obsolete parts.
- **Save time on the line and in the back office** – unlike traditional stores, the inventory locker can be located close to the paper machine and parts are quickly dispensed. Purchase orders and invoice processing are also reduced.
- **User accountability** – every time a transaction takes place, the part, employee information and time are logged.

How it Works

Featuring an intuitive touchscreen display, the system is designed for ease-of-use and speed when checking out doctor blades.

1. Simply swipe an employee ID card or manually enter an identity code to access the IMS.
2. Select the desired doctor blade which is clearly identified by a product visual, part number and machine section.
3. Once selected, the corresponding locker door opens, allowing for easy product removal.
4. Upon withdrawal, a notification is automatically sent to Voith and a new doctor blade is immediately shipped to you for restocking.

Ready to get started?

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