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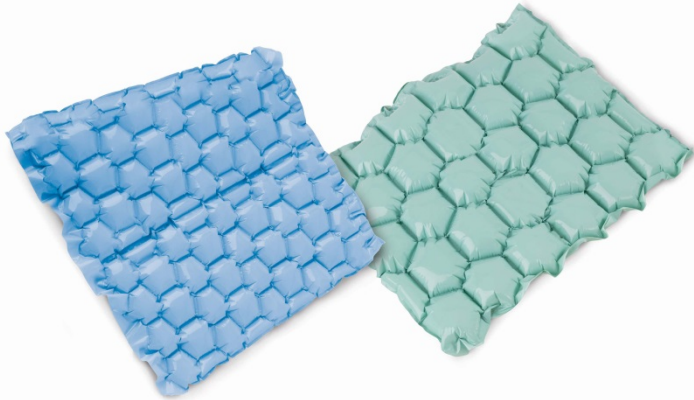
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Automated Packaging Systems Introduces 24-Inch Wide, High Loft AirPouch® FastWrap™ Protective Packaging Material

October 14, 2018 - STREETSBORO, OH – Automated Packaging Systems, the world leader in high-reliability bagging systems, has introduced a new AirPouch® FastWrap™ cushioning wrap that is high loft and 24 inches wide. This new, extra wide version of inflate-on-demand protective packaging material is ideal for large products shipping in large boxes, where both protection and void-fill is important.

AirPouch FastWrap features a patented honeycomb pattern that supports multi-directional wrapping for optimal protection. The 1.25-inch high loft coupled with the 24-inch width makes wrapping large products easier while using less material. Perforations placed every 6.75 inches enable packers to use just the right amount of product to avoid waste. This pre-formed, inflate-on-demand material also reduces shipping and storage costs when compared to pre-filled bundle bubble material.

The new 24-inch wide material comes 1300 linear feet per box and offers 66 percent more void-fill space than standard protective packaging materials. This new material is currently available in clear LLDPE, as well as EarthAware® recycled and biodegradable blends. Custom colors for all FastWrap sizes are also available.

“The growth in online ecommerce has driven the demand for lightweight protective packaging materials that can be used for multiple applications,” explains Chris Rempe, Vice President of Global Marketing. “This new AirPouch material meets that need, protecting package contents and filling void space economically,” he adds.



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Learn more about the new AirPouch FastWrap 24-inch Wide High Loft at:
<https://www.autobag.com/protective-packaging/wrapping-solutions>

About Automated Packaging Systems

Automated Packaging Systems has been designing and manufacturing original Autobag®, AirPouch® and SidePouch® systems and products for over 50 years. With more than 30,000 packaging systems in operation and a worldwide service organization, Automated Packaging Systems has the experience and support to deliver the ultimate in customer satisfaction. Automated Packaging Systems offers a complete line of baggers, void-fill and protective packaging systems, stretch sleeve labels, thermal transfer imprinters, counters, scales, and specialty packaging materials. Complete information is available at the company's website.

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