



→ HIGH VOLUME **PARAGON** [FRANKING SYSTEM]

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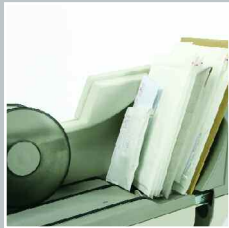
→ PROCESS MIXED MAIL



→ FAST & EASY PARCEL PROCESSING



→ SIMPLE OPERATION – CENTRALISED CONTROL PANEL



→ SUPERB STACKING ABILITY

The Paragon Mixed Mail Processor is part of a new generation of products and solutions that will transform your mailing operation forever.

Most post rooms suffer from bottlenecks at the end of the day as the pressure mounts to get the mail out of the door in time for the last postal collection. The final rush is further impacted by the pre-sorting tasks caused by mailpieces of different rates, weight, size and thickness. The Paragon Mixed Mail Processor will bring an end to many of the sorting processes that add time and inconvenience to the whole mailing operation.

It will feed, seal, weigh, frank and stack mixed mail in one single easy operation, and at high speed. Weighing and franking up to 90 pieces per minute. This fully automates the handling of your mail, saving time as well as eliminating possible costly manual errors.

WEIGH AND FRANK IN ONE

→ **On-Line Weighing**

Combining weighing and franking in one machine, the Paragon system has a scale

platform which weighs every piece of mail up to 500g, calculating the exact postal rate and instantly setting the postage meter with the correct rate.

→ **Saves Time and Money**

The weighing platform is so precise that it avoids you making costly over-payments or receiving returned mail due to insufficient postage. If you send out direct mail, it will ensure you can put the maximum amount of promotional literature in at the first weight band.

→ **Easier Way to Handle Packages**

For dealing with heavier parcels, you have the option of a 5kg, 12kg or 30kg electronic weighing platform, operated from the central control panel. For parcels and packages, you can select from gummed labels – wet or dry, or self-adhesive tapes – and you can print up to 99 consecutive tapes at the postage rate selected. Tape dispensing has never been so fast, or the replacement of the tape roll so easy.

For further details or a discussion of your individual mailing requirements, contact Franking Machine Company today on 0151 494 2525.

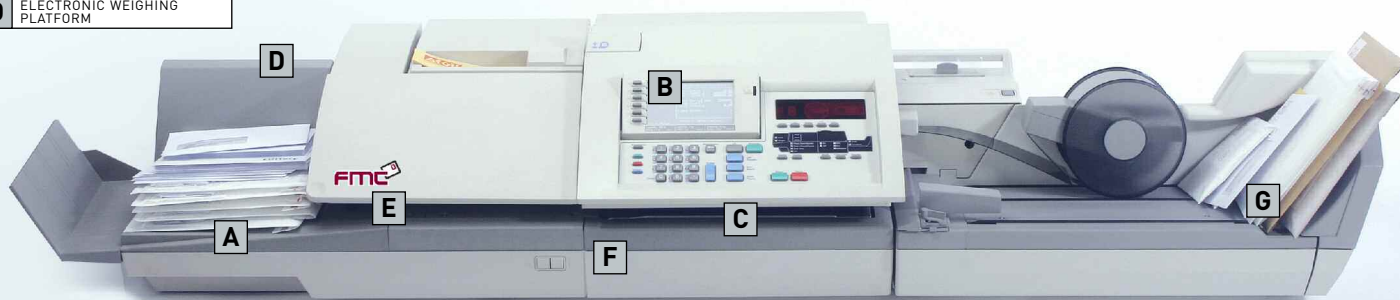


A MIXED THICKNESS MAIL FEEDING

B USER FRIENDLY DISPLAY SCREEN

C PC INTERFACE

D ELECTRONIC WEIGHING PLATFORM



E ON-LINE WEIGHING

F JET SPRAY SEALING

G SUPERB STACKING ABILITY

PARAGON FEATURES

NO PRE-SORTING REQUIRED

→ Mixed Sizes and Weights

The specially designed mail feeder will process mixed batches of mail without any adjustments, eliminating the need to pre-sort in terms of size, weight or thickness.

→ Mix Sealed and Unsealed Mail

The revolutionary feeder enables you, for the first time, to mix sealed and unsealed mail in the same unsorted batch.

PRECISION SEALING

→ New Technology

The revolutionary Jet Spray sealing automatically senses the flap on the envelope, which means that, irrespective of size or shape of the envelope, the exact amount of moisture is released – no messy glue or imperfect sealing.

→ Low Water Indicator

Automatic monitoring will warn the operator when the water level is low.

EFFICIENT AND ACCURATE COST CONTROL

→ Management Accounting

Accounting for your postal expenditure can be both time consuming and laborious. The Paragon system can monitor and store a record of every piece of mail sent and every penny spent, over any time period selected, to track and monitor expenditure against budget.

A 'PC Link' option enables detailed information for up to 1,500 accounts to be transferred to your PC, quickly and easily.

→ Customised Reports

From the number of different reports available you can choose the type required, view it on the screen or print in hard copy. Reports can be customised by customer name, number, department or project.

→ Profit Centre

If you want to run your mailroom as a profit centre, the Paragon system will add whatever surcharge you choose to each piece of mail and charge it back.

→ Security Codes

If required, you can protect your accounting information by having security access codes for up to three different levels of information.

→ Speedy Access

To make accounting even easier, you can use speed access codes for your most commonly used accounts. Alternatively you can access your accounts through a bar code scanner.

EASY TO USE MENU DRIVEN SYSTEM

→ Centralised Control

The Paragon system is controlled totally from one screen. The feeding, weighing, franking and accounting options can all be selected at the touch of a button with ease, speed and efficiency.

→ User Friendly

The display screen gives you valuable monitoring and tracking information, warns you when you need to replenish supplies and even provides you with diagnostic and maintenance information.

AUTOMATIC DATE CHANGE

→ Built-in Clock

The meter automatically prints the correct date on your mail without any manual adjustment.

This ensures you avoid the dating and cancellation processes at a post office and helps your mail speed through the post.

NO NEED TO VISIT A POST OFFICE

→ Postage by Phone

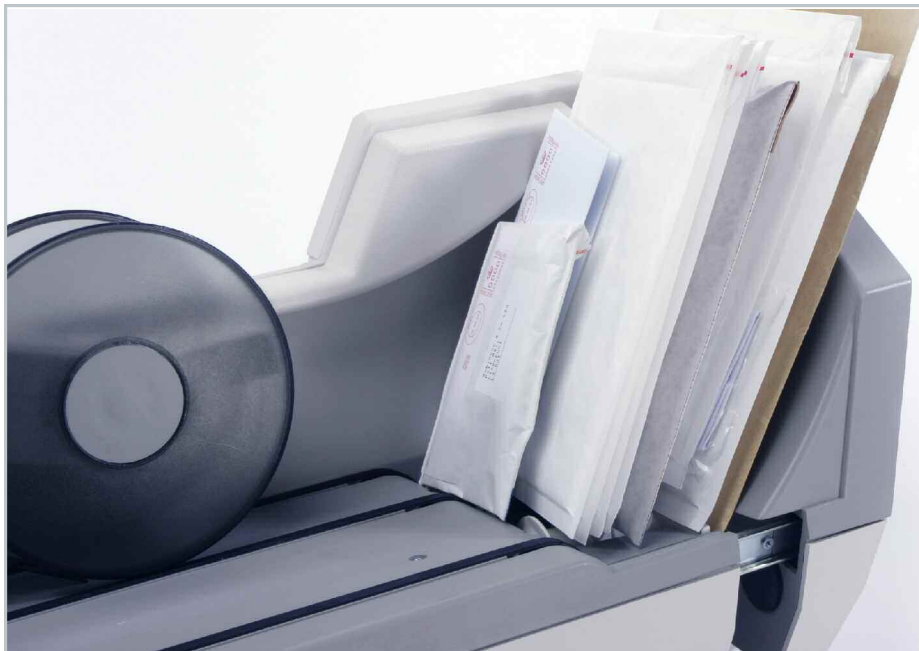
The Paragon system incorporates FMC technology, which means you can re-credit your machine within 90 seconds, without any inconvenient trips to a post office.

MULTIPLE ADVERTISING SLOGANS

→ Three Different Slogans

At the touch of a button, you can have access to three different slogans for special promotions or seasonal greetings.

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PARAGON STANDARD OPERATING FEATURES

- No Pre-Sorting Required
- Precision Sealing
- Weigh and Frank in one
- Easy to Use Menu Driven System
- Efficient and Accurate Cost Control
- Automatic Date Change
- No Need to Visit a Post Office
- Multiple Advertising Slogans
- Increased Productivity

PARAGON FEATURES

INCREASED PRODUCTIVITY

→ Superb Stacking Ability

In addition to processing the mail at lightning speeds, the Paragon Mixed Mail Processor offers two stacking options to suit your needs:

- a drop stacker that holds up to 150 pieces of mail.
- a unique power stacker that holds up to 600 pieces and expands as you stack, saving space when not in use.

→ Nine Job Presets

The Paragon system enables you to programme up to nine of your most frequently produced jobs, and run them at the touch of a button.

→ Bar Coding

To speed up access to the machine options, you can use a bar code scanning system which enables you to select any machine function accurately and efficiently.

→ Best Buy Award

The Paragon Mixed Mail Processor has been awarded 'BEST BUY' in the 2001 What To Buy For Business Franking Machine Report.

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PARAGON SPECIFICATIONS

PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS

Length 1710mm
Depth 530mm
Height 360mm
Weight 63kg approximately

WITH POWER STACKER

Length 2040mm
Depth 530mm
Height 360mm
Weight 70.5kg approximately

Speed

Up to 240 cycles per minute for uniform material, franking only
 Up to 90 cycles per minute weighing and franking

Electrical

240Vac, 50Hz, 3.2A max
 Plus 1.5A max. accessory outlet

ENVELOPE SPECIFICATIONS

Length 130mm to 330mm with weighing
 130mm to 380mm without weighing
Width 90mm to 330mm
Thickness Up to 19mm compressed
Depth of flap 25mm to 102mm

THE FRANKING MACHINE COMPANY

When you invest in any new mailing equipment for your company, you have several objectives in mind. You expect savings on running costs, allied to improvements in productivity, efficiency and professionalism. How do you achieve this?

With the aid of totally independent, expert advice. From a company who knows you and your individual needs, and can prescribe the optimum solutions from all the options the market offers. In other words, from **The Franking Machine Company.**

As an ISO 9002 company, we pride ourselves on the quality of service we provide for all our clients, irrespective of their size. For a professional comprehensive, independent service covering the purchase, supply and maintenance of all mailing equipment, we are without rival in the UK.

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