

LABEL & NARROW WEB PRINT INSPECTION

PRINTING QUALITY INSPECTION AND MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS





Towards the starry sky of industrial artificial intelligence!



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WHO IS LUSTER?

LUSTER LightTech Co., Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "LUSTER") takes innovation in optical technology as its foundation to develop businesses of vision imaging and fiber optics, with the aim of becoming a global leader in the fields of vision AI and opto-electronic information.

Focusing on vision imaging technology, LUSTER insists on "Implant Eyes and Brains in Machines", and provides customers with leading products and solutions such as configurable vision system, intelligent vision equipment and vision components.

LUSTER has always adhered to the business philosophy of customer-orientation to promote intelligent "manufacturing" in different industries such as Electronic Manufacturing, Display, Printing, Packaging, New Energy, Plastic Web, Television, Animation, Scientific Imaging, Rail Transportation. With over 20 years' experiences of optical imaging, vision software and algorithms, innovative vision components etc., LUSTER continues to innovate its products and strives to be the optimal, strategic, trusted and honorable choice for its customers. In the field of fiber optics, LUSTER is a solution provider of high-end optical devices and instruments, and it also provides independent broadband optical access and smart home networking solutions for the radio and television industry.

LUSTER currently has over 500 patents and property rights, and won one first prize of National Technological Invention Award and two second prize of National Awards for Science and Technology Progress which are the highest awards for technology innovation.

LUSTER has undertaken numerous major national science and technology projects to help promote the national science and technology level and industrial development. 2012 First prize of National Technology Invention Award

MISSION

To implant eyes and brains in machines, to empower optical inter-connection, to create and realize customer's dream. 2016 Second prize of National Award for Science and Technology Progress 2019 Second prize of National Award for Science and Technology Progress

VISION

To become the world leader in vision artificial intelligence and optoelectronic information fields!

VALUE

To take the responsibility of promoting industry development and strive together.

To transform knowledge into fortune, and to let the fortune belongs to its own creators!

MILESTONES

2000

Established the vision imaging R&D center to develop online RMB gravure quality inspection system

2006

Developed

the large sheet

for RMB offset

printing

inspection system

2008

Successfully developed the first unit of label inspection system

2012

Developed PackRoll-T series tobacco package offline quality inspection equipment

2015

LabelMaster-P series inline label printing quality inspection equipment

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2004

Developed the AOI inline inspection system for color Renminbi gravure printing

2007

Successfully developed the first inline inspection system for tipping paper

2014

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PackHERO series flexible packaging printing quality inspection system and workflow system

2011

Successfully developed the second generation of label inspection system

2019

PackSheet series offset inline inspection system BNOS-2000/BNOS-4000 offset printing online/offline quality proofing equipment

2021

CartonTANK-650S carton offline quality inspection equipment CartonTANK-650B folder gluer inline quality inspection equipment ScanTANK Proofing system with non-contact scanner solution

2017

PrintMan series of carton box packaging printing quality solution

2016

Successfully developed the third generation of label inspection system LabelMaster-LT series low tension offline printing quality inspection equipment LabelMaster-R series high-

2020

CartonTANK folder gluer full connected inspection equipment LabelMan-220T tabletop label inspection rewinder SmartFAB management system

2022

IPO of A-STAR Share Market PackHERO Intelligent Printing Quality Inspection System Released

2018

PrintMan-650S inkjet printing and quality inspection all-in-one machine PrintMan-650S folder gluer inline quality inspection equipment PrintMan-200 tag inspection machine PrintingProof inspection system

PRINTING QUALITY INSPECTION AND MAN

COMPLETE PRINTING QUALITY INSPECTION SOLUTIONS



AGEMENT SOLUTIONS

Printing Quality Inspection and Management Solutions



Carton Packaging Inspection Products

- CartonHERO Offset Inline Printing Inspection System
- CartonTANK-650B Folder Gluer Inline Quality
 Inspection Equipment
- CartonTANK-650S Offline Quality Inspection & Ink-jet
 Equipment
- CartonTANK-430S Tobacco Printing Qaulity Inspection
 Equipment
- ScanTANK Proofing System with Non-contact Scanner
 Solution
- TagTANK-200 Tag Quality Inspection Equipment



Flexible Packaging Inspection Products

- PackHERO-P Inline Inspection System
- PackHERO-F Offline Inspection System
- SlitTANK series Slitting Machine
- RewindTANK series Inspection Rewinding Machine



Narrow-web Inspection Products

- LabelHERO-P Inline Inspection System
- LabelHERO-F Offline Inspection System
- LabelTANK-220T Table Top Inspection Rewinder
- LabelRoll-LT series Low Tension Offline Inspection
 Equipment
- LabelRoll-RS series Roll-to-sheet Offline Inspection
 Equipment

$2^{\text{NARROW-WEB & LABEL INSPECTION}}$

The LabelHERO series are specifically developed for quality inspection of narrow web applications and labels such as beauty & personal care label, food label, healthcare label, beverage, wine and premium drink label, pharmaceutical label and other narrow web applications. Being able to be applied on the whole label printing workflow, the LabelHERO products not only can help users to reduce production cost, but also optimize production efficiency and quality management level, which means more profit and competitiveness for business.

2.1 Inspection Overview



2.2 Sample Products



2.3 Sample Defects

• Printing Defects



Broken substrate



Foreign Object



White spot



Glue mark







Mis-registration



Crease



Die-cutting positioning error



Ink stain







Crease of lamination



Black spot



Image blur



Dirty Spot



Color variation





Bubble



Varnishing Error



Bubble





Scratch



Embossing



Wrinkle



Excessive glue









QR Code





Barcode









PDF417











3 PRINTING INSPECTION SOFTWARE FEATURES AND FUNCTIONS



Main Features



- Simply one-click extraction of background area, diecutting area, text area, and variable code area.
- Automatic parameter setting, no manual adjustment required.
- Template setup time in 30 seconds only.

03. New features

- Multiple screen viewing display-still image function: Especially for online inspection systems, it helps customers to focus on multiple important areas, such as logo, color, and other important areas.
- Defect map: It helps customers clearly understand the defect distribution on current printing job.
- Detection stop reminder: The stop detection sign blinks to help operator to notice the system stop status during inspection.



02. Easy Parameter modification

- Template parameters can be modified without stopping the machine, and the current detection is not affected. The detection efficiency and software usability are greatly improved.
- One-click resolution switching between code detection and standard printing detection.

04. Super intelligent software

- The Defect Viewer software can be opened directly from the main menu of inspection software, making it convenient and quick.
- The unified UI interface combines new functions of Defect Map and Analysis Diagram, which are visually appealing.
- The machine control program is integrated into the software.

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Optional Modules

CodeHERO Variable Code Reading and Inspection

- Barcode, 2D code, Sequence number, OCR and other variable date type accurate reading and inspection.
- Achieves decoding speed of 400 codes per second.
- Automatically recognition of variable data when setup.



ColorHERO Color Monitoring and Inspection

- Live monitor of max. 20 color zones for color control.
- Color fluctuation curve monitoring and real- time visual, light and sound alarm.
- Color variation detection accuracy of $\triangle E \ge 2$.
- Real time demonstration of Delta E value, and L.a.b. value.

ProofHERO PDF Proof and Job Verification

- Support printing jobs proofing against PDF, JPEG, TIFF, BMP etc.
- Supported different PDF layer setup.
- Avoid loading errors before job start.
- All master templates can be saved in the system, for repeated jobs.



GradingHERO

- Special alarm and handling process of severe or continuous quality issues to prevent any human-caused errors.
- Intelligent and precise defects classification.
- Traceable of every quality issue.



4NARROW-WEB & LABEL INSPECTION SOLUTIONS

4.1 Product Application

Application	Applied Model
Flexo graphic, digital, letter printing, offset printing press: Inline Inspection	LabelHERO-P Inspection System
Slitter Rewinder: Offline Inspection, automatic stop on defects	LabelHERO-F Inspection System
Workflow Solution: Inline Inspection and Rewinder/Doctor Machine	LabelHERO Inspection System, Workflow system LabelTANK Rewinder/Doctor Machine

Inline Inspection Solution



- Installed on printing machine, to effectively control print quality, avoid large amount of waste and save production cost, and also control color consistency.
- Real-time light and sound alarm, as well as visual alarm
- High-speed and accurate inspection performance to optimize production efficiency, and relief dependence on human experiences.

Offline Inspection Solution



 Mainly installed on slitting rewinder/rewinder for final quality check before delivery.
 System will control rewinder to automatic stop on the defect position to remove and replace the defected label.
 The operator can also control and skip the defects that do not need to stop to enhance working efficiency.

Inline Inspection and Waste Removal Workflows

 Inline Inspection and Waste Removal Workflows combines both inline inspection process control and offline waste removal into one cost-effective, automatic and efficient solutions for defect material handling. Inline inspection system is installed on printing machine to monitor real-time quality, prevent continuous waste and record all defect data into database. After defect reviewing and editing, all the selected date will be transferred and downloaded to rewinder which will automatically stop on defect position for removal. Customer can choose for 1- to-1 workflow or N-to-N workflows on actual conditions.



4.2 LabelHERO-P Inline Inspection System

Installed on printing machine like flexo press, letter press and digital press, the LabelHERO-P series inline quality inspection system can 100% control print quality for all narrow web applications and labels to reduce waste, production cost and improve efficiency. It is able to inspect defects like incomplete/missing print, dirty spot, ink spot, mis-registration, color variation, improper stamping& die-cutting, variable code etc. Integrated optical system into one box, different camera and light source options to satisfy ALL kinds of needs.

Main features

Strong Inspection Performance

 Wide-adaptive optical design and illumination modules enables LUSTER's system to stably detect all kinds of defects on different substrates, including high-reflective, transparent, clear on clear and opaque substrates. Compact and modular design can fit different integration requirements and easy to maintain.

Only need one master image as reference for job

Easy-to-change Optical System

setup, no "template training/learning" process of multiple labels, zero meter to start. Support auto job setup, wand auto selection, tolerance recipes and other features for smarter and automatic operation, to greatly reduce setup time to have quick start. Wizard and simple user interface enable operators to easily understand and

Quality Report and Analysis for Production ImprovementIntegrated

 After every inspection job, a quality report can be generated with detailed inspection statistical analysis, defect images, distribution map and other results to provide tools and evidences for future production improvement. Up to 6 months of defects data will be saved for customer to track historical quality issues at any time.

"All in One" Quality Control

 Not only will the system provide alarm and realtime defects control of print quality, the system also integrates live web monitoring function to zoom and monitor real-time printing quality in pixel level to save cost for additional investment and enhance inspection result.







Specifications

Model	LabelHERO-P
Application	Beauty & personal care label, food label, healthcare label, beverage label, wine label, pharmaceutical label and other selfadhesive labels.
Material Type	Opaque, transparent, reflective, high-reflective, clear on clear materials
Web Width	330mm, 450mm, 520mm (Other width can be provided under request)
Max. Speed	200m/min
Defect Type	 Common defects: Dirty spot, ink spot, white spot, missing print, mis-registration, improper die-cutting & stamping, broken writing, color variation, foreign objects etc. 3D defects (optional): bubble, scratch, excessive glue, varnishing and coating errors etc.
Camera Options	4K resolution, 8K resolution color line-scan camera; 4K & 8K resolution mono line-scan camera
Other Modules	 Light and sound alarm Quality report and analysis Dual monitor: Live web monitoring + inspection control Variable data inspection (optional) Color monitoring and Variation Inspection (optional) PDF job proof (optional) Workflow system (optional)

4.3 LabelHERO-F Offline Inspection System

Integrated with rewinder/slitting rewinder, LabelHERO-F offers 100% quality control on finished rolls for final quality check to reduce customer rejection and complaints. Up to 300m/min speed, the production efficiency is optimized meanwhile to achieve 100% quality inspection of printing defects, 3D defects and variable data defects like missing print, dirty spot, mis-registration, broken writing, color variation, bubble, scratch and excessive glue etc. In addition, LUSTER also supply slitting rewinder to provide all-in-one platform for better performance and customer support.

Main features

Strong Inspection Performance

• Real 100% quality inspection of all sorts of printing defects and 3D defects like varnishing, coating and lamination defects. Also effectively inspect clear on clear labels, high reflective labels and other label type.

Easy-to-change Optical System

• Unique "drawer" design enables customer to easily switch different light source and cameras to adapt to different product and substrates, improves system adaptability and utilization.

More Functions Integrated

 In addition to detecting normal printing defects, it also has functions such as defect classification, color management, variable data inspection, PDF job proof etc.

Easy to Use

 Only one master image is required for job setup for quick and easy start. Inspection can start from meter zero. Various automatic setup functions during job setup to make operator much easier to learn and use. All previous job will be saved and can be re-used for repeat jobs.



Specifications

Model	LabelHERO-F			
Application	Beauty & personal care label, food label, healthcare label, beverage, wine and premium drink label, pharmaceutical label and other narrow web applications and labels			
Material Type	Opaque, transparent, reflective materials, also clear on clear labels			
Defect Type	 Common defects: dirty spot, ink spot, white spot, missing print, misregistration, improper die-cutting & stamping, broken writing, color variation, foreign objects etc. 3D defects: bubble, scratch, excessive glue, varnishing and coating errors etc. 			
Web Width	330mm	370mm	450mm	520mm
Camera Options	4K resolution, 8K resolution color line-scan camera; 4K & 8K resolution mono line-scan camera			
Variable Data Type (Optional)	Barcode (CODE128, CODE39, CODE93, EAN8, EAN13, UPCA, UPCE, ITF, CODABAR), 2D code (QR code, DM code, PDF417 code), OCR, OCV, Sequence number			
Other Modules	 Light and sound alarm Quality report and analysis Variable data inspection (optional) Color monitoring and Variation Inspection (optional) PDF job proof (optional) Workflow system (optional) 			

Standard Slitting Rewinder Configuration (330mm)

Web Width	40-330mm
Max. Machine Speed	200m/min or 300m/min
Unwind Diameter	700mm
Rewind Diameter	700mm Single Rewind450mm Dual Rewind (Turret optional)
Web Guider	Two
Slitting	10 slitting knifes
Shaft Size	3" air shaft
Counting	Meter count and label count
Motor	Full servo motors

4.4 LabelTANK-220T Series Table Top Inspection Rewinder

Developed and manufactured by LUSTER, LabelTANK-220T series table top inspection rewinder is an innovative all-in-one label inspection solution specially designed for short run narrow web labels and electronic label inspection. It is featured by easy operation, accurate quality control, short web path and small-in-size. It can significantly replace manual check, increase production efficiency and decrease waste of materials during roll changing and machine adjustment. Rewinder is full servo driven, and assured of high accuracy, long lifecycle and easy maintenance. The machine is highly integrated with LUSTER's inspection system with touch screen, to guaranty easy operation, precise defect stop and simpler inspection experience.

Main features

Short Web Path And Small-In-Size

 The dimension of the machine is about 1×1×1m, which is easy to install, convenient to adjust and space saving. The web path is approximately 2m, which significantly decrease operation time and waste of products.

Full Integration Inspection Solution

 Guarantee of full quality control with 100% LUSTER inspection system to check printing defects such as dirty spots, registration, color variation, missing print, and also variable code defects.

Intuitive Operation

• The machine is equipped with touch screen HMI. Both the inspection software and machine control are operated in one screen, which is easy to control and use.

Multifunction Rewinding Solution

 Precise machine stop on defects; Bi-directional web path; Label and meter counting function.
 "Rewinding- Inspection- Defect Removal- Delivery" can be done in one time to significantly increases the production efficiency, reduce labor cost and improved quality control.



Specifications

Model	LabelTANK-220T	
Application	Beauty & personal care label, food label, healthcare label, beverage, wine and premium drink label, pharmaceutical label and other narrow web applications and labels	
Defect Type	Missing print, dirty spot, ink spot, deckle edge, mis-registration, improper stamping and die cutting, color variation etc.	
Max. inspection width	220mm	
Max. inspection Speed	50m/min	
Min. defect accuracy (as a dot)	0.1mm ²	
Registration accuracy	0.1mm	
Operation System	Windows 10, 64-bit, English version	
Table Top Rewinder Configuration		
Width	25-220mm (min roll core size ≥ 25mm)	
Max. Mechanical Speed (Without inspection)	200m/min	
Max. Unwind Diameter	Φ400mm	
Max. Rewind Diameter	Φ400mm	
Unwind & Rewind Mandrel	Air expanding mandrel 3" (Ф76mm)	
Web Path	2m	

Dimensions (L×W×H)	1100×1100×1200mm
Motors	Full Servo Motors
Counting	Label count and meter count
Operation Direction	Bi-directional, forward and reverse winding

4.5 LabelRoll-LT Series Offline Quality Inspection

LabelRoll-LT series is specially developed for printing quality inspection of electronic label, textile label, irregular die cutting label and other label type with high sensitivity of tension. Our innovative hardware and structure design simulate manual rewinding action to achieve low tension, neat edge and zero excessive glue issue.

Main features

Strong inspection performance

- It can detect min. 0.03mm2 size of defects to achieve extraordinary inspection results and less false alarm, especially for defects like broken writing, missing print often occurs on intermittent rotary letter press and PS plate press.
- Customers can also add variable data inspection module for accurate barcode, 2D code inspection and verification. 3D defect inspection is also available for defects like bubble, crease, scratch and excessive glue.

Full Integration Inspection Solution

- Quick and easy to finish job setup. Support tolerance setup on different region of interest and different defect type. The operator can save the job template of same product and re-use it for quick start.
- For inspection of different batch of same products, you can also quickly replace reference image by clicking one button to start the whole inspection

Low Tension Control

 Innovative hardware and structure design that simulate manual rewinding action to achieve low tension, neat edge and zero excessive glue issue during inspection.



Specifications

Model	LabelRoll-LT		
Application	Electronic label, textile label, irregular die-cutting label and other label type with high sensitivity of tension		
Material Type	Opaque, transparent, reflective materials, and clear on clear labels		
Defect Type	 Common defects: Dirty spot, ink spot, white spot, missing print, mis-registration, improper die-cutting & stamping, broken writing, color variation, foreign objects etc. 3D defects: bubble, scratch, excessive glue, varnishing and coating errors etc. 		
Variable Data(Optional)	1D-Codes	CODE128, CODE39, CODE93, EAN8, EAN13, UPCA, UPCE, ITF, CODABAR	
	2D-Codes	QR, DM, PDF 417	
	SN Codes	SN Code that contains numbers and capital letters	
	S e q u e n c e Inspection	Sequence mistake, repeated number, wrong number	
Web Width	20-330mm		
Speed	60-80m/min		

Mechanical Platform Specifications (330mm)

Max. web width	330mm
Max. operation speed	Manual mode:40m/min; Auto mode: 60m/min
Max. unwinding dia.	Φ450mm
Max. rewinding dia.	Φ450mm
Web guider	One
Rewinding accuracy	±0.35mm
Size of rewinding/unwinding	Unwinding: Ф75 mm air shaft; Rewinding:75 mm slip shaft
Defect stop precision	±20mm
Rewinding/unwinding tension	0-30N
Air pressure	0.4-0.6MPa clean compressed air
External dimensions (L×W×H)	2200×1200×1350mm
Weight	About 0.8 tons

4.6 LabelRoll-RS Series Roll-to-Sheet Offline Quality Inspection

LabelRoll-RS has the same function with LabelRoll-F, but added sheet cutting unit in the end. It integrates function of printing quality inspection, sheet cutting, eliminating defect sheet and stacking of good sheets.

Mechanical Platform Specifications (330mm)		
Material thickness	100-300µm	
Material width	40-330mm	
Platform speed	200m/min (rewinding) 60m/min (sheetcutting)	
Max. unwinding dia.	Ф800mm	
Max. rewinding dia.	Φ800mm	



Mechanical Platform Specifications (330mm)		
Sheet cutting length	100-450mm	
Stacking height	100mm	
Air pressure	0.4-0.6MPa clean compressed air	
Dimensions (L×W×H)	5815×1200×1500mm	
Weight	About 1.8 tons	



4.7 PrintingProof Inspection

The PrintingProof Inspection System can effectively proof digital files, printing samples, and sample files to control the quality in pre-press stage. It can be used to detect the errors in the pre-printing process, such as mis-registration, dirty spots, missing content, color variation, text/graphics/print errors, etc. The system is applicable throughout the whole process of printing, such as proofreading for the original sample and film assembly, initial printing, random printing sample inspection, etc. The system features high inspection efficiency and accuracy, which can significantly improve your work efficiency.





Scanner Options



Flatbed Scanner A3 Sheet



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