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If you are a small, medium or large scale food manufacturer seeking a high quality system to accurately fill jars, bottles, pots, tubs, ready meal trays, foils, cake tins, buckets, jerry cans, pouches or bags, then Riggs Autopack could have the right solution for you.

For more information on our range of equipment, please visit our website. Alternatively, to discuss your specific requirements or to book a no-obligation machine trial don't hesitate to contact us.

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Riggs Autopack is an award winning, British manufacturer of high quality volumetric depositors and filling machines, transfer pumps and conveyor filling lines

We are a UK market leader with an excellent reputation and supply our equipment primarily to the food production industry.

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We are fully committed to providing high quality bespoke depositors and filling machinery that meets our customer's needs and production requirements

"We take great pride in the machines we manufacture. We recognise that the quality of our machines has a powerful impact on their own operation and reputation. Therefore, we strive to continuously improve our manufacturing operations in order to deliver safe, effective and timely products, that meets the high quality expectations of our customers."

We continually strive to provide a rewarding work environment for our staff that recognises individual achievement and promotes the skills of teamwork, communication, excellence and endeavour."

Nigel Matthews
General Manager

Recent Awards

Business and Industry Today
Company Of The Year 2011/2012

Business and Industry Today
Industry Excellence 2012

Pendle Business Awards
Manufacturer Of The Year 2014



Nigel Matthews / General Manager





Our depositors, filling machines, transfer pumps and automatic filling lines, are designed and built in-house at our modern Lancashire factory by our team of highly skilled engineers

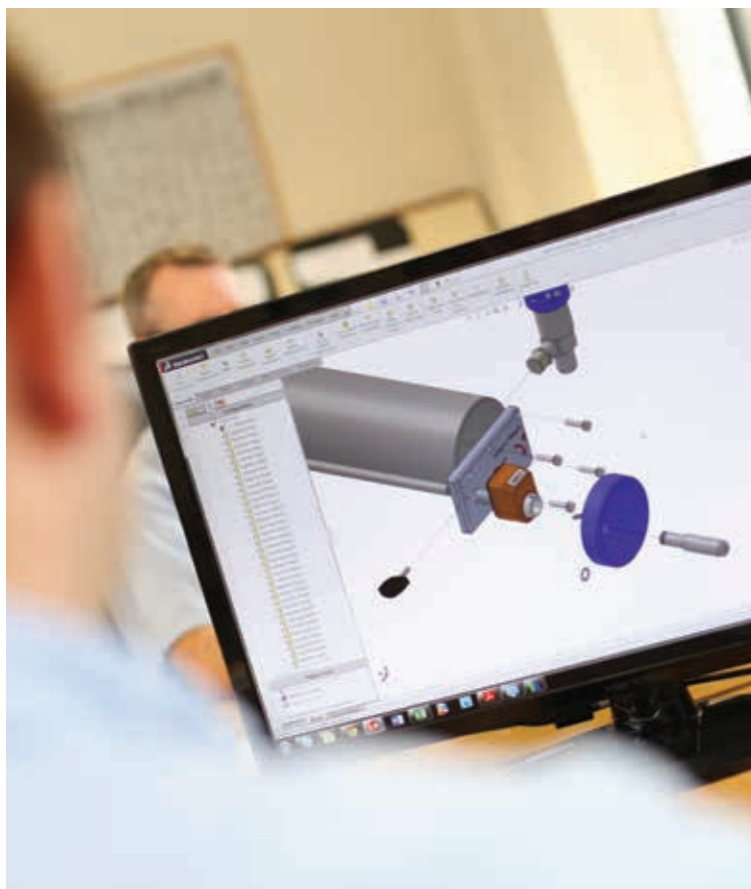
Our company dates back to the early 1930's when the founding business Autopack Ltd was based in the West Midlands. Upon acquisition by the Fort Vale Group in 1991, the company re-located to Nelson, Lancashire.

The main stay of the company is our Model 1000, 1001, 1002 range of semi or fully automatic, single or multi-head depositors and filling machines, automatic filling lines and transfer pumps. We take great pride in supplying our equipment to a huge variety of food manufacturers throughout the UK and overseas.

Our machines are one of the most precise and hygienic on the market with exceptional performance, reliability and build quality. They effectively dispense hot or cold liquid, semi-liquid and suspended solid products on a damage free basis, and accurately fill most container types or size.

Capabilities:

- + Decades of design and build experience
- + 50,000 sq ft manufacturing facility and offices
- + In-house manufacturing offering total control over all processes
- + Modern computer technology incorporated within production
- + High quality materials and components
- + 2D and 3D design
- + Bespoke build service
- + Design, engineering, product research and development departments
- + Experienced, highly trained and professional staff



Product Range

Model 1000

Series One to Six

Our Model 1000 range includes standard single head depositors and filling machines, and low or high level transfer pumps, suitable for small, medium or large scale food producers.

Our depositors and filling machines, namely the Series One to Five accurately fill most types or size of container with hot or cold liquid, semi-liquid and suspended solid products.

These machines are also available in a bespoke design which constitutes our Model 1002 range.

Our Series Six transfer pumps, eradicates manual loading of hoppers by providing damage free continuous production. They efficiently pump products direct from tote bins, palletcons, cooking kettles or mixing vessels via a drop tube or direct connection to an outlet, and transfer into hoppers and holding tanks.

The Model 1000 range includes the following:

Depositors and Filling Machines

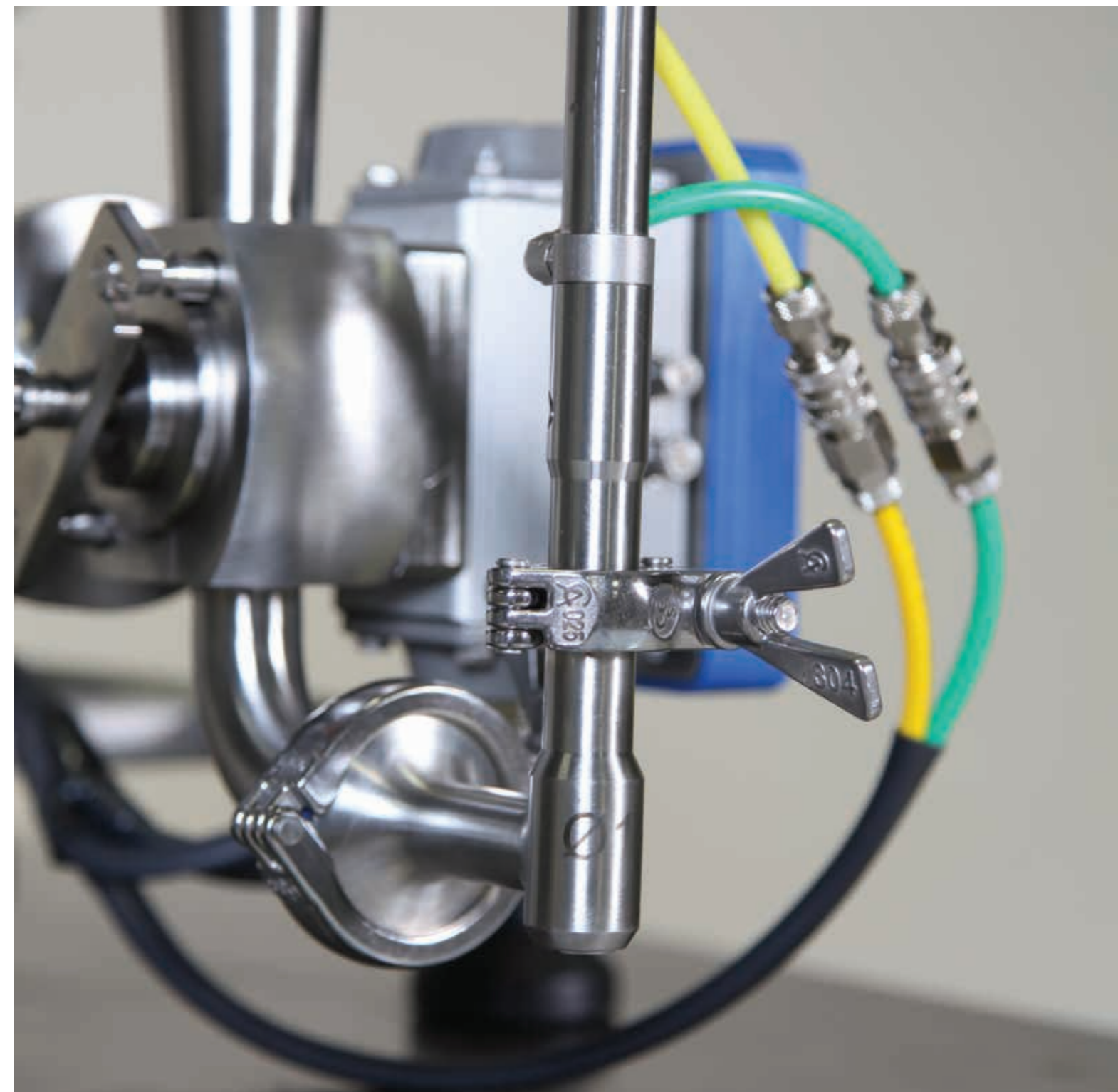
- + Series One
- + Series Two
- + Series Three
- + Series Four
- + Series Five

Transfer Pumps

- + Series Six

Suitable applications typically include:

- + Jam, Honey & Preserves
- + Condiments, Dressings & Sauces
- + Pate, Dips & Spreads
- + Coleslaw & Pasta Salads
- + Sandwich & Pie Fillings
- + Soup & Ready Meals
- + Cakes, Puddings & Desserts
- + Dairy Goods
- + Seafood Products
- + Non-Food Industry Goods



Model 1001 Bespoke Depositors

Our Model 1001 range of volumetric depositors and filling machines are bespoke designed and built to meet each client's specific food production demands.

Suitable applications typically include:

- + Jam, Preserves & Honey
- + Condiments & Sauces
- + Pate, Dips & Spreads
- + Coleslaw & Pasta Salads
- + Sandwich & Pie Fillings
- + Soup & Ready Meals
- + Cakes, Puddings & Desserts
- + Dairy Goods
- + Seafood Products
- + Non-Food Industry

Suitable containers typically include:

- + Jars & Bottles
- + Pots & Tubs
- + Buckets
- + Jerry Cans
- + Plastic Pouches, Bags & Sacks
- + Single or Multi-Portion Ready Meal Trays
- + Shaped Moulds
- + Cake Tins

Typical machine options:

- + Semi or Fully Automatic
- + Single or Multi-Head
- + High or Low Level
- + Pneumatic or PLC
- + Multi-Cycle & Multi-Lane
- + For use with 3rd Party Conveyors, Tray Sealing Systems & VFFS Applications
- + Free, professional bespoke design service



Model 1002 Automatic Filling Lines and Ancillary Equipment

Our Model 1002 range incorporates automatic filling lines, bespoke designed and built to meet your specific production requirements. They provide damage free depositing of hot or cold liquid, semi-liquid and suspended solid products, and accurately fill most types or size of container.

Suitable applications typically include:

- + Jam, Preserves & Honey
- + Condiments & Sauces
- + Pate, Dips & Spreads
- + Coleslaw & Pasta Salads
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To complement our depositing and filling machinery, we manufacture and supply a range of high quality ancillary equipment.

- + Capping Machines (Automatic & Semi-Automatic)
- + Decorating Heads & Depositing Nozzles
- + Hoppers - Heated & Agitation Systems
- + Lid Press Machines
- + Pouch Opening Devices
- + Rotary In-Feed & Out-Feed Tables
- + Shadow Boards



The industries that Riggs Autopack supply

We supply our depositors and filling equipment to a wide variety of food manufacturers and other industry producers throughout the UK and overseas. We take great pride in developing long term working relationships with our customers, a large number of which have been with us for many years.

Our food manufacturing client's typically include:

- + Start-Up Companies
- + Artisan Producers
- + Restaurants
- + Food Research Facilities
- + NHS Hospital Trusts
- + University & College Innovation Centres
- + Country Estates
- + Farms & Dairies
- + Contract Packers
- + Medium & Large Scale Independents
- + Multi-National Groups & International Factories

Other industries we supply:

We also supply our depositors and filling equipment to several other industries. These typically include manufacturers of the following products:

- + Adhesives
- + Grout & Sealant
- + Coatings, Resin & Membranes
- + Cosmetic Cream
- + Oils & Lotions
- + Liquid Fish Bait
- + Grease & Lubricant
- + Screen Wash
- + Cleaning Goods
- + Paint
- + Pet Food
- + Pharmaceutical Gel
- + Saline Solution
- + Toiletries
- + Wax

Overseas Markets:

We export direct to many countries throughout the world. To further support our overseas markets, we've also appointed reputable sales agents in strategic locations such as Ireland, Holland, Benelux Countries, South Africa and Australia for example, to promote and distribute our machinery.



What customers think about Riggs Autopack

“As one of the main suppliers to major UK supermarkets, it’s paramount that the equipment we use is reliable, easy to use and efficient. Riggs Autopack has never let us down and we’ve built a fantastic relationship with them over the years. The depth of knowledge and capabilities of the company has been a huge asset to the projects that we’ve worked on together.”

**Chris Nash / Managing Director
Zorba Delicacies Ltd**

“The depth of knowledge displayed by Riggs Autopack was outstanding. Their filling machinery is first class and I would have no hesitation in recommending them to others. We look forward to working with them again in the future on further food production projects.”

**John Davis / Managing Director
BD Foods**

Our additional services

Sales

We employ an internal sales team to aid in the customer's initial enquiry. We also employ a team of Technical Sales Engineers covering the UK; they are able to carry out site surveys, provide technical advice, on-site machine trials and product testing, formal quotation and machine specification, assistance with installation and staff training.

Demonstration & Product Trials

Within our factory, we have a fully equipped demonstration room containing a selection of depositors, filling machines, transfer pumps, depositing nozzles and decorating heads for customer product trials.

Prior to receipt of an order, we will conduct no-obligation product trials either at our factory or the customer's premises. This is to ensure the machine we supply will meet each client's expectations and specific production requirements.

Factory Acceptance Test

Prior to delivery of machine orders, customers are invited to our premises for factory acceptance test and sign-off. We provide this service to ensure the client is fully satisfied with all aspects of the equipment ordered.



Delivery & On-Site Service Support

Riggs Autopack service engineers provide comprehensive on-site customer support. This includes machine delivery, installation and commissioning, staff training, planned maintenance and engineer call-out.

Training

During machine installation and commissioning, a Riggs Autopack service engineer will provide on-site staff training in all aspects of the equipment. Additional staff training can also be arranged upon request; please contact the after sales department at our Lancashire office for details.

Service

Riggs Autopack service engineers provide on-site support for customers based in the UK and Republic of Ireland. This includes machine installation and commissioning, planned maintenance and engineer call-out. Annual maintenance agreements can be ordered by contacting the after sales department at our Lancashire office.

Spare Parts Supply

As our depositors and filling equipment is built in-house at our Lancashire factory, we have complete control over parts quality and supply. We stock a full complement of quality assured replacement parts for our machine range, and are able to dispatch at short notice to national and international customers.

