UHLMANN GROUP beyond packaging

Solutions contributing to the safety of sensitive products and to improved quality of life.



UHLMANN GROUP BEYOND PACKAGING

For 70 years, the name Uhlmann has stood for pioneering solutions in pharmaceutical packaging – this is our 'nucleus'. As the Uhlmann Group, we are now expanding our activities to other sectors – from food and agriculture to health care and consumer goods. We strive to offer innovative solutions, services and technologies that contribute to the safety of sensitive products and to improved quality of life. We are also using our technological expertise outside the packaging sector and are focused on the digitisation of production processes.

Our roots lie in pronounced engineering competence and service orientation. We are always working to provide the best solutions for our customers and for the future of our industry. We do this with dedication and passion, at each and every one of our company locations. We are shaped by the entrepreneurial approach and actions typical of family businesses. With our four current brands – Uhlmann, Koch, Cremer and Wonder – we are opening up new markets outside of the pharmaceutical sector, addressing the specific requirements and market segments of emerging markets, expanding our technological leadership in counting systems, and delivering top performance in content and quality control of packaged sensitive products.

Reason enough to present in a brochure in which direction we want to go with the Uhlmann Group and which traditions we will remain true to: in other words, the consistent alignment of all our activities to the requirements and success of our customers.



FROM UHLMANN TO THE UHLMANN GROUP

Through the Uhlmann Group, we are developing from a supplier of pharmaceutical packaging solutions to a group of companies offering a broad range of machines, software products, services and innovative solutions for the pharmaceutical, health care, consumer goods, food and agricultural markets.

Launched in Laupheim as a mechanical engineering company for the pharmaceutical market, the members of the Uhlmann Group are now represented at 19 locations in 14 countries worldwide. In the Group, we pool our combined expertise, expand the leading role of our brands and exploit the synergies of our individual companies in their international markets. The aim is to generate attractive growth potential by expanding our portfolio in a market-specific manner and systematically using our resources in the respective regions and sub-markets.

Our strategy on this path is to strike a balance between uniformity and diversity. Holistic leadership enables us to manage opportunities and risks across the Group. In developing our brands, we pool our resources and expertise for the common benefit of all operating units and customers. The decision-making freedom of our individual companies allows us to meet the different requirements of international markets and technologies in a differentiated manner.

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UHLMANN PAC-SYSTEME is a leading international systems supplier for the packaging of pharmaceuticals in blisters, cartons and bottles. Its comprehensive range of machines, services and support covers all packaging process steps. As a partner to the pharmaceutical industry, the company sets standards with high-end products that meet the most stringent requirements for quality and reliability. Innovative digital technologies open up new options for process optimisation, plant operation and employee training. A global service network ensures high availability and efficient operation of the packaging units throughout their entire service life.

Uhlmann Pac-Systeme is represented all over the world. The company is also a member of Excellence United, a strategic alliance of leading family-owned German manufacturers of special machines and systems. As chairman of the supervisory board, Tobias Uhlmann has led the Group in the third generation since 2007. He is driving forward the expansion of the Uhlmann Group and the internationalisation of its companies and is also placing new emphasis on the development of innovative digital business models.



UHLMANN PAC-SYSTEME GMBH & CO. KG

Founded Employees Headquarter 1948 approx. 1,650 Laupheim (Germany)

12 international subsidiaries and representative offices: Brazil, China, France, the United Kingdom, India, Russia, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland, Singapore, Spain, USA



KOCH PAC-SYSTEME offers customer-specific solutions for complex packaging requirements. The market-leading company operates in the fields of consumer goods, e.g. cosmetics, baby products, household and office supplies, in contact lenses, medical technology and service.

As a system partner to international customers, Koch stands for packaging solutions of the highest quality, flexibility and efficiency. Its modular product range comprises all components for the implementation of complex packaging solutions – from intelligent individual solutions to fully automated packaging lines. Koch offers blister design and packaging technology from a single source, precisely fitting for small batches as well as for large systems.

Founded as a family business, the corporate culture of Koch fits harmoniously into the philosophy of the Uhlmann Group. With its focus outside of the pharmaceutical market, the company perfectly complements the existing portfolio of the Group.

KOCH PAC-SYSTEME GMBH Member of the Uhlmann Group since 2006

Founded	1969
Employees	approx. 400
Headquarter	Pfalzgrafenweiler (Germany)



Subsidiaries and representative offices: France, China, Singapore, India, USA



CREMER SPECIAALMACHINES is a globally active company which specialises in counting and packaging solutions for the pharmaceutical, food, consumer goods and agricultural industries.

Wherever products vary in weight or are difficult to separate - flower bulbs, for example, or bakery goods or frozen products - counting makes more sense than weighing. With nearly seven decades of experience and expertise under its belt, Cremer provides counting solutions with unparalleled precision. The company also has great experience in developing individual packaging solutions for sophisticated technical components such as screws, parts for medical devices, fragile products such as lamps, or elaborate snacks and convenience foods. The portfolio of services ranges from designing an initial strategy to handing over the finished machine.

With Cremer, another family-owned business with a strong focus on quality has now been integrated into the Uhlmann Group. Moreover, their products can be used directly by the other companies in the Group thus, already today, Cremer counting systems enable Uhlmann to offer machine solutions under one roof.

CREMER SPECIAALMACHINES B.V. Member of the Uhlmann Group since 2017

Founded 1949 approx. 150 Employees Headquarter

Lisse (The Netherlands)





WONDER PACKING MACHINERY specialises in the development, manufacture, sale and service of packaging machines for the pharmaceutical industry. The company's portfolio of products ranges from blister machines to cartoners to sachet bags and strip packaging machines.

Wonder combines German quality standards with the cost advantages of production in China. The result is a portfolio of products answering the demands of the fast-growing but cost-sensitive global pharmaceutical markets by offering quality products at attractive prices, with potential for growth not only in China but also in markets far beyond the borders of Asia.

Wonder's product portfolio complements the products offered by the Uhlmann Group and caters to further segments of the international pharmaceutical packaging industry.

JINZHOU WONDER PACKING MACHINERY CO., LTD, Member of the Uhlmann Group since 2011

Founded Employees Headquarter

1998 approx. 210 Jinzhou, Liaoning Province (China)



INSPIRING OUR CUSTOMERS

Each of our brands has become increasingly international over time. With the founding of the Uhlmann Group, we now extend our activities far beyond the field of pharmaceutical packaging. But one thing has always remained unchanged: our customers are and will remain the focus of all our actions.

Strong, open-minded, reliable – that's how we want our customers to experience us. We are strong with solutions that offer our customers worldwide the highest quality, reliability and cost-effectiveness. We are open to the individual wishes of our customers and to the innovative technologies of the future. We are reliable with business relationships that cover the entire lifecycle of a product. All members of the Uhlmann Group share these basic values.

Each of our brands develops tailor-made products and services in close cooperation with our customers. As a group, we are even better positioned for this task – with offerings for new industries, a broader product range for all market segments and cross-company solutions from a single source. In this way, our customers benefit from our comprehensive spectrum of competence and experience and our futureoriented positioning. And we can always give our customers a decisive competitive advantage in their markets.



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