A high-performance register control system is the main requirement for high-quality printing, reduced make ready times and reduced cost of material.

Siemens sets new standards in this field.

We combine innovative camera technology with the SIMOTION control unit and set the stage for fast data communication and less hardware. The process data for the register control algorithm is used directly from the drive control and the control signals are handed over to the drive via internal interface without any delay.

The register control is suitable for all types of printing methods and printing presses. It can be perfectly adapted to any special requirement, thanks to the flexible programming of SIMOTION. An example for this is the dynamic register decoupling (DRD), which was developed for rotogravure printing presses and increases the stability of the register, especially in presses with a high number of print units.

Operation and visualization of the register control is handled by the HMI system with WinCC flexible. The register control can be monitored and operated by every machine control panel. Live pictures from the camera enable the user to adjust and monitor the print marks at difficult lighting conditions, materials and marks.

Highlights
- Register control is integrated into Motion Control drive system, so no additional control cabinet is required.
- High control dynamic
- For use in rotogravure-, offset-, screen- and flexo printing presses
- Operation of the register control can be integrated into existing machine operating panel
- Adjustable print mark dimensions and print mark shapes
- Parameters for special productions can be stored and recalled.
### Technical Data

#### SIMOTION – Integrated register control

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<th>WinCC flexible based and standardized mask for operation, the operator interface can be adjusted individually</th>
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|     | Functions integrated in operating interface | • Administration of production parameters  
• Camera diagnostics  
• Register status display  
• Camera live picture  
• Register fine adjustment  
• Input of print mark geometry  
• Trend display  
• Measured value archive |
| Display | MP 277, MP 377, PC |

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|        | Circuit points | • Supply voltage 24 V  
• Standard Ethernet for data communication  
• Control signals |
|        | Dimensions L x H x W | 145 x 104 x 73 mm |
|        | Form and size of print marks | • Dot mark ≥ 1 mm (Flexo- and rotogravure printing)  
• Dot mark ≥ 0,2 mm (Offset printing) |
|        | Maximum web speed | 1000 m/min |
|        | Accuracy of measurement | ±10 µm |
|        | Printed material | Paper, cardboard, plastic film, metal, compound |
|        | Size of measuring window | • Flexo/rotogravure printing: 40 x 60 mm  
• Offset printing: 8 x 12 mm  
• Other: on enquiry |
|        | Size of expectation window | 6 x 6 mm ≤ expectation window ≤ 30 x 50 mm |
|        | Distance between print mark and print image | 2,5 mm |
|        | Measuring cycle per second | ≤ 22 |
|        | Position of print mark: Print mark geometry is fully parameterizable and the position can be selected at any place within print image |
|        | Searching for print mark | Automatically |

#### Control: SIMOTION D

| Software package | Control library for SIMOTION standard device, flexible expandable by user |
| Control accuracy | ≥ ±20 µm |
| Operation mode | • Web to web  
• Web to cylinder  
• Optimized register control algorithm for printing process |
| Number of printing units | ≤ 30 |
| Functions | • Longitudinal- and side register  
• Cut register  
• Inserter  
• Face to backside printing |

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