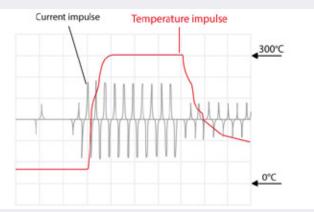
Technology

About ROPEX





Heat sealing bars with heat sealing bands

Our heat sealing bars are available in straight versions either with or without cooling, as well as for contoured (e.g. rings, corners, bends) or 3D (e.g. tubes, spouts) applications. Our application team performs sealing tests using your specific film and develops a customized tool together with you. Our CAD team designs a heat sealing bar based on your sealing application and machine dimensions.



System components

Any additional system components which are required for your heat sealing bars and temperature controllers are individually dimensioned by our support team and described in detail in the ROPEX application report. The ROPEX application report provides the foundation for all ROPEX sealing systems. It contains all important system parameters and connection diagrams as well as a bill of material for all of the components in your system.



Impulse sealing process

This process entails controlling the sealing temperature for a defined time. A constant heating impulse is generated during each cycle, depending on the rate at which the heat sealing band heats up and cools down. This process ensures a repeatable sealed seam quality and high machine output.



Heat sealing band

The heat sealing band is the main component in the sealing process. A heat sealing band which is optimally adapted to the carrier design and the film properties is vital to the success of your impulse sealing system. Like ROPEX heat sealing bars, our heat sealing bands can be supplied in straight versions or with 2D or 3D contours.



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With well-engineered solutions and dependable quality, we provide you with the security you need to make your project a success.

We unlock new technological potential

for our customers and generate added

value with groundbreaking products

and highly efficient solutions.

Know-how &

added value

Security &

success

Quality & Reliability

Our customers know they can count on us for support – with everyday tasks or highly specialized applications.

Speed & accuracy

Our customers value our ability to respond promptly but precisely to their inquiries.



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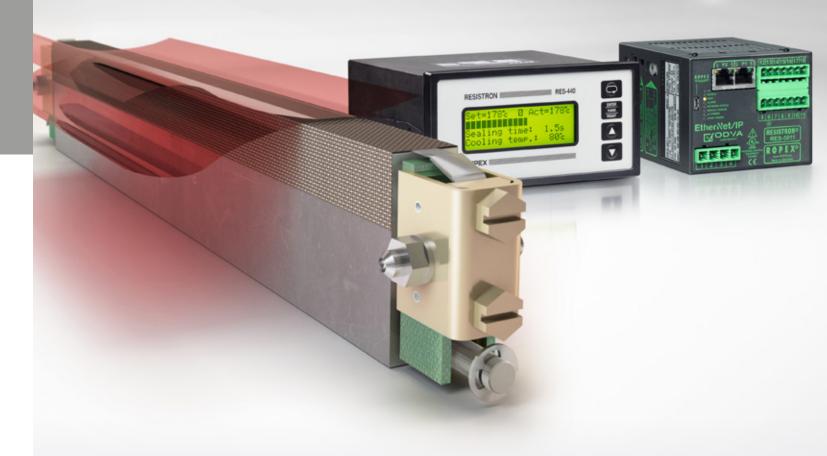
Customized solutions

No two heat sealing applications are the same, and our customers can be certain of getting a made-to-measure solution.

Partnership & service

Comprehensive consulting, short lines of communication and tailored system solutions add up to maximum customer focus.



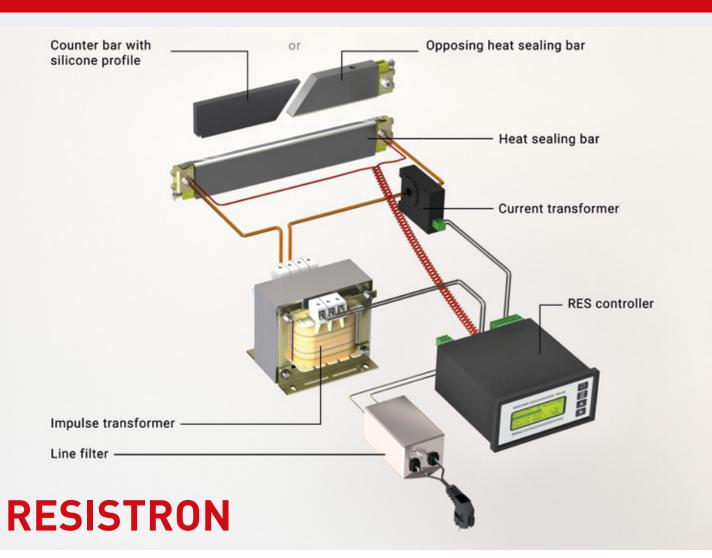


RESM-5 monitoring device

The RESM-5 is an optional add-on for the control loop that enables even greater reliability. It is connected to an existing control system and monitors the maximum temperature with a variable limit function. A exceedance will be registered via the alarm output. This creates a redundant system.

RESISTRON – Impulse sealing process with sensorless temperature control for optimal sealing results

RESISTRON temperature controllers



RESISTRON impulse sealing system for thermoplastics

Modern packaging has to meet increasingly high quality and visual requirements. Ever faster cycle rates must be reconciled with the thinner and hence more sensitive film types which are in use today. This makes it even more difficult to guarantee a repeatable sealing process.

The "RESISTRON sealing system" developed by ROPEX is a complete system comprised of several application-specific components, of which the RES temperature controller and the RES sealing tool are the two most important. The RES sealing tool is a heat sealing bar with a heat sealing band and a matching counter bar which are tailored to your individual sealing application. By combining it with the system components, you obtain a customized system configuration.

Five steps to your RESISTRON sealing system

Applications

RES temperature controllers are normally used together with a sealing tool. However, they are equally suitable for other sealing applications, for instance for controlling hot air systems.

Display and top-hat rail versions are available. The display versions are designed for installation in an operator panel and allow you to enter all relevant sealing parameters directly. The display also shows your current settings plus the ACTUAL temperature. The rail mounting version is intended for installation in an electrical cabinet and integrates various functions as well as interfaces to the higher-level machine control system.

Display versions

	Туре	Temperature Adjustment	Display	Diag- nostics	Terminals Alarm	Booster	Features/Applications
	RES-420	Display	● LCD ○ VFD	•	•	•	Simple applications
# # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # #	RES-440	Display	● LCD ○ VFD / ◆ ATR	•	•	•	Timer functions, preheat
	RES-445	Display / 010 V _{DC} / ◆ PD	● LCD O VFD / 010 V _{DC} / ◆ ATR	•	•	•	Timer functions, preheat, PLC interface

Special versions

	Туре	Temperature Adjustment	Display	Diag- nostics	Terminals Alarm	Booster	Features/Applications
,,,,,	RES-004	Display	Display	•	-	-	Low cost, very simple or restricted applications, LED display, timer functions, burst firing control
	RES-430	Display	LCD	•	_	_	Low cost, simple or restricted applications, closing pressure monitoring, timer functions, secondary control

How it works

Extremely precise and fast measurements are essential in order to accurately determine and control the temperature of a heat sealing band. In a heat sealing system with RESISTRON temperature controllers, this is achieved without sensors by measuring the voltage and current at the heat sealing band. The measurements are repeated fifty or sixty times a second. The ACTUAL temperature can then be calculated from the voltage and current values using the heat sealing band's resistance characteristic. It is subsequently compared with the SET temperature and corrected if the difference is not zero. Even very low thermal loads are instantly detected and can be corrected quickly and precisely.

Rail mounting versions

Туре	Temperature Adjustment	Display	Diag- nostics	Terminals Alarm	Booster	Features/Applications
RES-401	◆ PD	◆ ATR	-	-	-	Low cost
RES-402	010 V _{DC} / ◆ PD	010 V _{DC} / ◆ ATR	-	•	-	Low cost, simple applications, max. $U_2 = 80 V_{AC}$, PLC interface
RES-403	◆ PD	◆ ATR	•	•	0	Simple applications
RES-406	PROFIBUS	PROFIBUS / ◆ ATR	•	•	•	PROFIBUS interface
RES-407	010 V _{DC} / ◆ PD	010 V _{DC} / ◆ ATR	•	•	0	PLC interface
RES-408	Display	Display / ◆ ATR	•	•	0	Separate operator panel with LED display, preheat
RES-409	CAN-Bus	CAN-Bus / ◆ ATR	•	•	•	CAN bus interface, preheat
RES-5010	PROFINET	PROFINET / ◆ ATR	•	•	•	PROFINET interface
RES-5011	EtherNet/IP	EtherNet/IP / ◆ ATR	•	•	•	EtherNet/IP interface

LCD Liquid crystal display (green) VFD Vacuum flourescent display (blue) ATR Analogue temperaturemeter PD Potentiometer