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Suitable for spot, multi and process color printing, the ABDick 9985 is a true two-color offset press equipped with an array of features that simplify operation and consistently deliver high quality output. Excellent reproduction can be achieved with a minimum of operator skills.

A built-in micro-computer provides centralized push-button control of many press functions. A single lever controls dampening, inking, image transfer and paper feed. At the end of a specified run length, all machine functions are automatically returned to the start position to maximize productivity.

Fine adjustments can make a noticeable difference in print quality. The 9985 allows precise adjustment of the vertical image. Blanket cleaning is not required after vertical adjustment reducing make-ready time. Lateral image adjustments can be made 'on the fly'—another time-saving feature.

The printing heads feature a unique V-shaped, five-cylinder design that incorporates two plate cylinders and two blanket cylinders. Separate blanket cylinders ensure there's no ink migration for consistent color throughout the run.

A double surface impression cylinder allows two colors to be printed without a gripper change to ensure tight registration. A separate transfer cylinder promotes accurate paper registration.



The alternate side-to-side push guide allows paper to be registered to a common edge when printing on both sides of the sheet—perfect for work-and-turn jobs.

Twelve suction feet combined with air blowers on the paper pile ensure accurate feeding at low to high speeds with stock ranging from onionskin to cover weight.

Double sheet detection/elimination automatically diverts doubles to a receiving tray without interrupting the press run.

The 9985 accepts sheets up to 13-3/8" x 17-3/4" (340 x 451 mm) with an image area of 13" x 17-1/4" (330 x 438 mm). Print full-bleed 11" x 17" (279 x 432 mm) jobs with plenty of room for registration marks.



The 9985 comes with a handoperated punch. Upgrade to the high-precision optical punch (shown) for highly accurate results. This unit lets the operator line up the image optically to the targets on a plate.



Consider the video plate punch for further efficiency and precision. The plate image is magnified 40x and displayed on video monitors making it easy to perfectly align register targets in a fraction of the time.



The 9985 press features two easily accessible individual printing heads. Each one can be operated independently for producing single-color work or simultaneously for two-color applications.



Dampening, inking, image transfer and paper feed are controlled by a single lever which automatically returns to the initial position and stops the press at the preset number of sheets.



Pre-piling enhances productivity by allowing the operator to preload paper on the lower table while the machine continues to run.



Straight-edge plate clamps with positioning pins are featured. Cylinder safety bars and covers protect fingers.



Segmented Lever Actuated Ink Fountains add a great deal of automation for increased productivity and fewer wasted sheets.



For added convenience, the 9985's chain delivery has an automatically receding paper platform that can be wheeled-away.

INKING SYSTEM DELIVERS EXCELLENT RESULTS WITH LESS EFFORT

9985 presses are equipped with segmented lever-actuated ink fountains. Split segments are laser cut into the ink blade so that each region operates independently against the fountain roll. This results in more precise ink control in each zone.

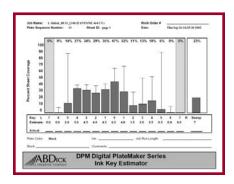
Calibrated setting numbers provide a good starting place for ink densities. Graduated levers make it possible to quickly profile the current ink supply; and by raising or lowering the levers, an operator can easily make adjustments to the flow of ink for better color control and image consistency.

This system interfaces seamlessly with the optional IKE software for ABDick DPM digital platesetters.

Ink Key Estimator (IKE) significantly reduces make-ready time by estimating ink fountain key settings for first-run print jobs—before a single sheet has been run through the press. It allows you to get the best coverage using the least amount of ink which promotes a high quality image with less set-off and faster drying times.

IKE analyzes the light and dark areas in each process color separation of a job, and based on the image data, estimates the appropriate fountain settings for each ink key region.

The data is delivered on a print-out (right), which the operator uses as a guide while manually setting ink keys on the segmented

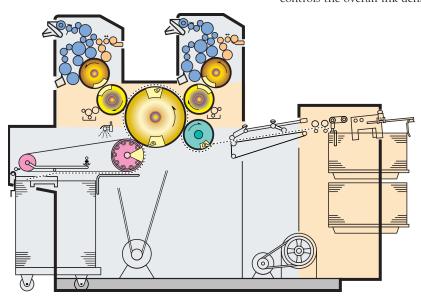


lever-actuated ink fountain. If adjustments are made during the run, the new values can be noted and saved with the job information for quick, consistent re-runs.

IKE, which works only on a DPM RIP, also determines the optimal ink fountain roller sweep (duration ink is applied) that controls the overall ink densities.



Each printing head has 16 inking rollers including 3 form rollers of differing diameters. The 'stepless' inking and 5-roller molleton dampening system allows maximum control of the printed image.



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ABDICK 9985 OFFSET PRESS SPECIFICATIONS

MAXIMUM PAPER SIZE	13-3/8" x 17-3/4" (340 x 451 mm)		
MINIMUM PAPER SIZE	3-1/2" x 5" (89 x 127 mm)		
MAXIMUM IMAGE AREA	13" x 17-1/4" (330 x 438 mm)		
PAPER THICKNESS	.0016"012" (.043 mm)		
PLATE SIZE	13-3/16" x 19-3/32" (335 x 485 mm)		
PLATE CLAMP TYPE	Straight edge plate clamp with register pins		
GRIPPER MARGIN	5/16" (8 mm)		
PRINTING SPEED	3,000–10,000 Sheets per hour		
PAPER FEED SYSTEM	Universal feeder (12 suction feet)		
FEEDER PILE SYSTEM	Pre-pile, capacity 17.3" (440 mm)		
PAPER DELIVERY SYSTEM	Chain delivery, capacity 20" (508 mm)		
REGISTRATION SYSTEM	Push side guide		
IMAGE ADJUSTMENT	Vertical (precise): ± 0.75 " (± 19 mm) Lateral (on-the-fly): ± 0.08 " (± 2 mm)		
DAMPENING SYSTEM	Molleton, segregated		
ROLLERS	16 Ink rollers (3 form) (each tower) 5 Dampening rollers (1 form) (each tower)		
DIMENSIONS (LxWxH)	86-3/4" x 38" x 61-1/2" (220 x 96.5 x 156 cm)		
WEIGHT	2780 lbs. (1260 kg)		
ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS	Single Phase, 220V, 12 Amp; 50/60Hz		

STANDARD FEATURES

- Impression cylinder pressure control
- Ink roller cleaning attachment
- Register punch with pre-register system (manual hand punch)
- Automatic ink ductor control
- Ink volume stepless sweep adjustment
- Plate cylinder predetermined position stop
- Centralized microprocessor control
- Double sheet detector/eliminator
- Jam detection (feeder, blanket and delivery sections)
- Alternate side-to-side push guide for work-and-turn applications
- On-the-fly lateral image adjustment
- Precise vertical image adjustment
- Pre-pile capability w/2 paper tables

- Chain delivery with 2 dollies
- Delivery pile automatic receding stacker and lower limit switch
- Static eliminator on feeder
- Anti-offset powder spray unit
- Preset repeat counter with batch function (electronic, 5 digits)
- Machine counter (total number of rotations, 8 digits, non-resettable)
- Emergency stop buttons (at each printing unit and delivery sections)
- Safety covers
- Cylinder safety bars
- Centralized lubrication system
- Oil pans (2)
- Standard tool kit
- Work organizer
- $\bullet\,$ Blanket wash plunger can

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

1-3891	Infrared/powder spray	43296	Register marking device
	220V, 50/60Hz	42006	Print counter (total number
1-3887	Powder spray 110V		of printed sheets, 8 digits,
42004	High precision optical punch		non-resettable)
49001	Video register punch	P0500	Kompac dampener with Kolormate (2 units)
43277	Card guide	D0101	
42005	Multi-size paper pile board	P0191	Crestline dampener (2 units)
43297	Quick release blanket holders	43293	Tape inserter
		43362	Super Blue cylinder
43294	Automatic blanket cleaner	43281	Oil pan
	(2 units)	43261	On pan

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SUPPLIES

57527	Matte Blue 5mil 13-3/16" x 19-3/32" (335 x 485 mm)	Pkg	50/Pkg
59614	Itek 6mil Grained 13-3/16" x 19-3/32" (335 x 485 mm)	Pkg	100/Pkg
83-8-108561	Triton Blue SC XLR-1 8mil 13-3/16" x 19-3/32" (335 x 485 mm)	Pkg	60/Pkg
CHEMISTR	RY FOR SUBTRACTIVE PLATES		
58184	Itek Subtractive Plate Developer for Grained Plates	Gal	4/Cs
57183	Itek Subtractive Plate Finisher	Gal	4/Cs
57184	Itek 2-in-1 Developer	Gal	4/Cs
59184	Itek 2-in-1 Developer for Grained Plates	Gal	4/Cs
K1TCZ000	Triton Blue Developer/Finisher	5 Liter Btl.	4/Cs
4-1320	ABDick Subtractive Plate Gum	Gal	4/Cs
4-9970	Metal Plate Image Remover Pen	Each	12/Cs
4-8014	Presensitized Plate Cleaner	Quart	6/Cs

MEGAPro, MegaPrint or QuickSilver Next Generation. Contact your ABDick representative or visit					
shop.abdick.com for the correct plate product to fit your platemaking system and	printing requi	rements.			
SBF-330440 MEGA Slip-back Film 13" x 17.32" x .0039" (330 x 440 x .1 mm)	2/Pkg	Pkg			
43493 Masking Paper 13-1/2" x 19-1/2" (343 x 495 mm)	100/Box	5/Cs			
PRESS BLANKETS					

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43297	Quick Release Blanket Holder (order 1 set per tower)	Each	Each
43298-P	Conventional Quick Release Blanket w/Aluminum Bar	Case	2/Cs
43456-P	Compressible Blanket (.098) 13" x 19-1/2" (330 x 495 mm)	Case	2/Cs
43457-P	Hard Blanket (.065)	Case	2/Cs
43458	Mylar Packer (.035)	Each	2/Cs
43461-P	Quick Release Packer	Case	2/Cs
4-6010	Blanket Fix Gel	Bottle	12/Cs

FOUNTAIN CONCENTRATE / ADDITIVES

4-1185	PROformace Fountain Concentrate pH 4.3-4.5	Gal	4/Cs
4-1195	Universal Fountain Concentrate pH 5.6-6.0	Gal	4/Cs
38778	MEGA CMS+ Fountain Concentrate pH 4.0	Gal	1/Cs
38704	Silver-Wet Fountain Wetting Additive for MEGA Plates	Case	6/Cs

ALCOHOL / REPLACEMENT

4-1172	Isopropyl Alcohol	Gal	1/Cs
4-1177	Isopropyl Alcohol Substitute	Gal	4/Cs
4-1275	SureDot Alcohol Replacement	Gal	4/Cs
38702	Silver-Sub Alcohol Replacement	Liter	6/Cs

4-1015 Blue Etch 38766 MEGA Etch BLANKET / ROLLER WASH

ETCH

4-1235	Automatic Blanket Wash	Gal	4/Cs
4-1200	Safety Zone Blanket Wash	Gal	4/Cs
4-1238	SureDot Watermiscible Blanket Wash (Pre-Diluted)	(2) 2.5Gal	Case
4-1248	SureDot Watermiscible Blanket Wash (Concentrated)	5 Gal	Each
4-4315	Blanket Wash	Gal	4/Ce

ROLLER MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES

36797	Cleaner Sheets 13-5/8" x 19-3/8" (346 x 492 mm)	100/Pkg	5/Cs
4-1249	SureDot Meter Water Roll Cleaner	Quart	4/Cs
83-5-101395	Chrome Cylinder Cleaner	Pint	12/Cs
4-4968	Glaze Remover	Pint	2/Cs
4-4970	Ink Roller Desensitizer	Pint	12/Cs
4-4976	Ink Roller Conditioner	16 oz/Btl	4/Cs
4-4978	Ink Roller Paste Deglazer	17 oz/Btl	6/Cs
4-4983	Ink Roller Cleaner	7 oz/Btl	6/Cs

MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES

3-3598	Roller Lube	Quart	Each
4-4931	Cotton Pads 4" x 4" (101 x 101 mm)	100/Pkg	20/Cs
4-4940	Heavy Duty Shop Towel Bundles	375/Cs	Case
4-4945	Heavy Duty Shop Towel Rolls	2 Roll/Cs	Case
4-4991	Vinyl Glove (Medium)	100/Box	10/Cs
4-4992	Vinyl Glove (Large)	100/Box	10/Cs
4-4938	Hand Cleaner	12 oz/Btl	12/Cs
4-4939	Hand Cleaner With Pump	1/2 Gal/Btl	6/Cs
4-4988	Grit Hand Cleaner	17 oz/Btl	6/Cs
4-1362	Kresto EF Hand Cleaner (250ml)	Tube	24/Cs
4-1363	Kresto Kwik Wipes	130/Bucket	4/Cs
4-4943	HandyKlnz Moist Wipes 9.8" x 11.8" (249 x 300 mm)	70/Bucket	6/Cs
4-1370	Scrubs in a Bucket (3 lb. Bucket)	72/Bucket	6/Cs
4-3800	Offset Spray Powder/25 Micron	5 lb.	Box
9-1003-EA	Squeeze Bottle	Bottle	24/Cs
9-2255	Stouffer Gray Scale	Each	Each
5601	Super Blue Replacement Net	Kit	6/Kit

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