OPTAGLIO®

OPTICAL MICROSTRUCTURE TECHNOLOGIES

BRING UNIQUE

HOLOGRAM

APPLICATION

MACHINES

INTO YOUR

FACILITY



OPTAGLIO
HAS BEEN
IN THE
FOREFRONT OF
DEVELOPMENT OF
TECHNOLOGIES
OF OPTICAL
SECURITY
FOR MORE THAN

20 YEARS

OPTAGLIO

OPTAGLIO is a leading global provider of advanced optical security devices and the market leader in e-beam lithography. During 25 years of our history, we have delivered hundreds of millions of holograms to governments, financial institutions and other organizations in more than 50 countries around the world. Our unique technology has been broadly recognized as the industry standard for optical security.

OPTAGLIO, certified to relevant international standards, operates under strict 24/7 security supervision. Our comprehensive security system covers people, processes, data, and facilities. The company is a member of International Hologram Manufacturers Association (IHMA) through which it registers all its security devices and holograms in the central security register, in London. OPTAGLIO technologies have been used for protection of hundreds of millions of paper-based documents including banknotes, stamps, revenue stamps, certificates, coupons, and securities. We are a proven partner of those who wants to keep their technological advantage and make sure that any falsifying attempt is just wasting time and resources.



e-beam lithography is the most advanced technology for creating optical security elements. Optical holographic structures are generated through sophisticated mathematic algorithms which can be brought together neither through reverse engineering nor any other method. Therefore no unauthorized person can produce the same hologram. Thanks to the unrivaled mastering of e-beam lithography, we produce holograms with visual effects that cannot be imitated in a comparable quality. Illusions of gleaming 3D reliefs with changing colors, emerging objects invisible under normal lighting as well as objects optimized for viewing under low light conditions are on the list. Our graphical tools also include animations, fluent moving of objects in different directions, emerging QR codes, bright colors, a dim and a gleaming surface of illusionary objects and many other items.



IN-HOUSE APPLICATION OF SECURITY ELEMENTS

Although applied holograms and other security elements are often delivered to the document producers for integration into their products, the own in-house application brings nonnegligible benefits like:

Security enhancement through consistent control over the entire production process.

Cost decrease (material, transport, and logistics).

Seamless process management.

 $\label{thm:lighter} \mbox{Higher flexibility of production timing with independence on delivery scheduling.}$

Building own machinery center and thus independence on providers.

IN-HOUSE APPLICATION WITH OPTAGLIO TECHNOLOGIES

Technological advantage and decades of practical experience enables OPTAGLIO to be an exceptionally good partner for in-house application of security elements.

Unique techniques that are not offered by anybody else.

Tailoring application machines to particular clients.

Easy instalment.

Undiscerning operation, operators fill feeders and take output away.

Support from OPTAGLIO during the initiate phase of production.

Easy reconfiguration for other documents after finishing the production.

No additional license /mandatory support fees.

Opportunity to implement OPTAGLIO advanced optical security devices.



HOLOGRAM

APPLICATOR

IS THE MOST

APPLICATION

MACHINE

HIGH-POWERED

AVAILABLE IN THE

GLOBAL MARKET.





Covering both anti-counterfeit protection and individual documents identification by a single product is something that has been desired by virtually every card manufacturer with a visionary *Image*ination. OPTAGLIO is bringing a unique innovative application technology to meet this requirement.

- Joining of anti-counterfeit protection and making each individual document unique into a single production step.
- Implementing an element which can be never ever repeated or reproduced into each document.
- > Implementing high-security holographic microparticles.
- > Creating an ability to identify each individual document during its entire lifecycle, including after handing to its holder.
- > The possibility of **installment in any production facility** as the machine is broadly customizable and easy to operate.

The architecture of MF-ID Card Hologram Applicator is based on a platform for precise rewinding and positioning of polycarbonate foil equipped with a both-side cleaning system to ensure meeting industrial standards on clean and dust-free production environment.

The application part itself works over the controlled moving polycarbonate film. It consists of vibration containers with holographic microparticles and a number of application heads. Vibrations assure dosing as well as a random distribution of microparticles which are transported and applied on polycarbonate sheet into small predefined areas. The attaching of them is done by special liquid.

INPUT:

Holographic microparticles and roll of polycarbonate film.

OUTPUT:

The polycarbonate film in roll with particles randomly scattered in predefined areas.

Each individual document has its own unique **easy readable and unrepeatable** "fingerprint" created by a random holographic microparticles positioning.

- **Adhesive-free application** technology based on special liquid which incorporates microparticles into polycarbonate surface and then disappears.
 - A final polycarbonate document contains **microparticles only no adhesives** or other chemicals are present.
 - A **clever application** technology satisfying all requirements for polycarbonate documents production.
 - **Full customization** of the machine according to particular customer requirements.
 - The machine operated by **one operator**.



Production capacity: Up to 8.000 per hour (8 heads option) 40 μm - 1000 μm Microparticles size: Number of application heads: Optional (typically 8 heads) Web width range: Optional (typically 300 mm - 600 mm) 30 μm - 200 μm Web thickness range: Maximal roll diameter: 600 mm Dimensions (w x l x h): 2,3 m x 1,4 m x 2,3 m (typically) Weight: 850 kg (typically) 3 N PE 400 / 230 V / 50 Hz Electrical requirements:

PARAMETERS OF MF-ID CARD HOLOGRAM APPLICATOR:

MF-ID Card Hologram Applicator enables to introduce OPTAGLIO OVImage technology into polycarbonate documents

- > The most advanced protection against counterfeiting based on *Microholograms*
- > Each individual document identification
- > Various levels of inspection. From document user basic inspection by a naked eye up to **forensic methods**.
- > Technology proved by using on **IDs and Passports** in many countries



Electrical requirements:



For *Smart* manufacturers of polycarbonate documents, OPTAGLIO has developed a **unique adhesive-free high capacity technology** for application of polycarbonate-based holographic security elements into polycarbonate substrate. The applicator brings significant **advantages in managing large government projects** for national ID cards, passports, driving licenses etc. as well as considerable **cost reductions**.

- > Effective adhesive-free implementation of polycarbonate-based holographic security elements into polycarbonate documents.
- > Full control over entire production process with only a negligible dependence on subcontractors.
- > A significant decrease in costs for production of huge batches of documents.
- > Ability to apply the most advanced anti-counterfeit holographic protection in-house.

PARAMETERS OF PP-ID CARD HOLOGRAM APPLICATOR:

Up to 3000 holograms/hour (8 heads option) Production capacity: Up to 50.000 pcs per roll Feeding tape capacity: Number of application heads: Optional (typically 8 heads) Optional (typically up to 600 mm x 600 mm) Polycarbonate sheet dimensions: Maximal size of applied elements: 35 mm x 35 mm Polycarbonate sheet thickness range: 100 um - 250 um 800 sheets Sheet feeder capacity: Dimensions (w x l x h): 1,6 m x 2,6 m x 1,8 m (typically)

230 V / 50 Hz/ 16 A

Polycarbonate sheets and

holograms on rolls.

INPUT:

documents. The technology is based on lamination properties of polycarbonate itself, no heterogeneous element is added.

Our adhesive-free welding technology guarantees the seamless quality of laminated

Full control over application process enhances **flexibility in managing** new production batches. Dependence on an element supplier is mitigated.

Delivery of applied elements in rolls instead of the whole polycarbonate stacks results in a **significant saving** in transportation costs.

Just one operator required.

PP-ID Card Hologram Applicator enables to introduce

OPTAGLIO OVMesh Smart technology into polycarbonate documents

- > The most advanced holographic security features
- Excellent incorporating into document body to make sure that removing is absolutely impossible
- > Extensive graphical options



Polycarbonate sheets with security holograms applied on the predefined positions.







For *Exclusive* producers of polycarbonate documents such as ID cards, driving licenses and passports, OPTAGLIO developed technology enables producers to integrate **metallic security holograms** into their products in-house. This technology ensures a seamless **adhesive-free** integration of security holograms into the card.

- > In-house adhesive-free application of advanced security holograms.
- > Cost cutting solution even for small production batches.
- > Full in-house control over the production process.
- > Sustaining standard card lamination process.
- > Full customization of the applicator in line with the customers' existing production line.

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The MP-ID Card Hologram Applicator comprises four main parts: a sheet feeder, a hologram feeder, an application table and a final sheets container. The application table is equipped with a robotic application head.

The machine puts polycarbonate sheets on the application table. Robotic application heads take holograms from the feeders and apply them on the sheets according to the predefined layout. As soon as all holograms are applied to the required positions, the sheet is moved to the final sheets container.

INPUT:

Metallic holograms and polycarbonate sheets.

OUTPUT:

The polycarbonate sheets with holograms applied at the predefined positions.



Adhesive-free application – metallic holograms are attached with a special liquid which disappears before subsequent production processes.

The adhesion of polycarbonate layers in the final product is based on **polycarbonate lamination properties only**.

There are **no limitations for hologram positions** on the sheet as robotic application head cover the whole sheet area.

The application machine can be **easily reconfigured** to another card layout after the previous project is finished.

The operating of the machine itself is done by **one operator** who can satisfy all necessary actions like material feeding, quality control, evidence, packing of final sheets etc.

The applicator requires **initial setting done by technologist only** when new project start.

PARAMETERS OF MP-ID CARD HOLOGRAM APPLICATOR:

Production capacity:

Up to 1000 holograms per hour

Size of applied holograms:

Up to 30 mm x 30 mm

Optional (typically 500 mm x 600 mm)

Polycarbonate sheet thickness range:

Sheet feeder capacity:

Dimensions (w x | x h):

Electrical requirements:

230 V / 50 Hz / 16 A

MP-ID Card Hologram Applicator enables to introduce

OPTAGLIO OVMesh Exclusive technology into
polycarbonate documents

- > The most advanced holographic anti-counterfeit features
- > High brightness metallic holograms
- > Ultimate coalescence with polycarbonate documents
- > High durability and aging resistance



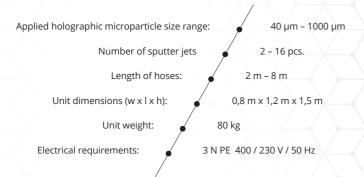
MM Security Substrate Hologram Applicator

Supplementing the base substrate with security elements is the easiest and most effective way of securing documents. OPTAGLIO developed technology enables manufacturers in security industry to produce various high-security substrates protected even at a microscopic level.

- > In-house production of substrates secured by **security holographic microparticles**.
- > Technology applicable in various segments of security industry:
- > Security paper mills
- > Security printing houses
- > Security labels and foils producers
- > Polymer foil production facilities
- > Technology offers improvement for all current security products









MECHANISM OF FIRM FASTENING OF MICROPARTICLES TO THE SUBSTRATE IS DEPENDENT ON PARTICULAR WEB SUBSTRATE.

Paper production

Security labels or hot stamping foils production

Polymer foil production

The particles are sputtered onto wet pulp and rolled into paper surface.

Particles stick to web foil within an adhesive coating.

The particles stick to foil before foil become solid.

- > EASY TO OPERATE AND WITHOUT AN IMPACT ON THE CURRENT PRODUCTION.
- > ABILITY TO IMPLEMENT THE MOST ADVANCED SECURITY ELEMENTS INTO CURRENT PRODUCTS.

MM Security Substrate Hologram Applicator enables to enhance current product portfolio by Microholograms

- Microscopic holographic security elements patented by OPTAGLIO.
- > The most advanced security solution satisfying the highest protection requirements for **government documents/ banknotes production**.
- > Various levels of inspection from a user basic inspection up to forensic methods.





ARE YOUR REQUIRED TO DELIVER

ULTIMATE PROTECTION AND PRODUCTION FLEXIBILITY?

OUR TECHNOLOGY IS A PROVEN WAY TO ACHIEVE IT.

IS IT POSSIBLE TO BE ALWAYS

STEP AHEAD IN TECHNOLOGY

AND PERFORM A STRICT IN-HOUSE CONTROL?

YES, WITH OPTAGLIO APPLICATORS IT IS POSSIBLE AND ATTAINABLE.





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