

# HUDSON'S imprints

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Customer Newsletter - December 2004

## Seasons Greetings

We thank all our many customers for your valued support over the past year and extend best wishes to everyone for the festive season. Hudson's management and staff hope that 2005 will be a happy and prosperous year for you and your family.



### Christmas Closing

Hudson's will be closed over the Christmas/New Year break from 12 noon on Friday 24 December 2004 and will reopen at 8.30 am on Tuesday 4 January 2005.

## HOW TO SOLVE INK DRYING AND SET-OFF PROBLEMS.

### Ink Drying Problems

X + Y = Dry is an ink drying additive that is popular with large press users for mixing into oil based inks.

It works by creating and spreading a source of oxygen throughout the ink. This oxygen is formed and released when the treated ink comes into contact with water, which promotes rapid drying.

- Rapid curing of ink
- No loss of gloss
- Reduces the use of spray powder
- Works with all metallic inks
- Works with all oil based inks
- Speeds up ink drying



X + Y = Dry comes in a two-tube package that when mixed together will treat approximately 110 kg of ink.

Mix equal quantities of X + Y together and blend into the ink (not suitable for rubber base, U.V. or flexo inks). A 50 mm stripe of both X and Y will treat half a kilo of oil base ink to = Dry. Two part pack.

Code: 244-10163.

### Set-Off Problems

Van Son Smooth-Lith can save many a headache! It is a smooth lay and anti-offset compound which, being liquid, mixes easily with all brands of ink.

Being almost colourless it will not alter the colour of the ink.

Smooth-Lith will lower the viscosity of the ink so it is an ideal additive when printing large solids.

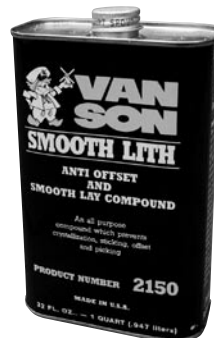
#### Smooth Lith will:

- Reduce tack
- Improve ink flow
- Aid drying
- Prevent picking

It reduces tack, which will prevent picking, and helps to reduce set-off while ensuring that there is a smooth lay down of the ink on the sheet.

Van Son Smooth-Lith also assists in keeping halftones and reverse type open, and will prevent sheets sticking to the blanket.

Code: 294-2150



## Still Available from Hudson's...

### Wax

For both hand and desk model waxing machines.

Code: cat 250

### Opaque

Plumtree red opaque jars.

Code 238-003

### Quoins

Letterpress quoins. Single double and triple.

Code: cat 260

### Tympan Manilla

Original oiled tympan manilla for cylinder packing.

Code: 260-TYM-HQ

### Bone folders

Shaped cattle bone for hand folding and scoring. 2 sizes of 15 cm and 20 cm.

Code: 216-B06/8

### Bright-Boy Erasers

For deleting image on metal plates. These sticks are for wet or dry plates.

Code: 244-001

# STAPLING = STAGO

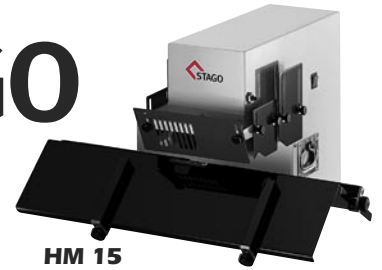


**UH 25**  
Staple to 25 mm up to 4 heads.

## Automatic models all operated by foot pedal

- From 1 to 4 staple heads
- Flat & saddle stapling
- Paper up to A3
- Normal and/or loop stapling
- Fast and easy depth and lateral stop settings

## Bench or height-adjustable stand options



**HM 15**  
up to 15 mm



**HM 6**  
up to 6 mm



**HM 6** - showing 2 heads option.

**STAGO = Rugged Germany Quality and Reliability**

## STAPLERS MANUAL • HEAVY DUTY



**Model H18**  
Manual stapling machine with one stapling head for flat staples. Will staple from 2 to 180 sheets (=0.2 - 18 mm thick)

### Skrebba SKR - Super Staple Pliers

Max sheet capacity of 40 sheets/4 mm.  
Throat depth: 55 mm.



**Model 120 Short**  
Max sheet capacity of 200 sheets/16 mm.  
Throat depth: 100 mm.

### Model Block 23 Extra H/Duty

Metal base platform 30x20 cm.  
Max sheet capacity 220 sheets/19 mm.  
Throat depth: 100 mm.



**skrebba®**



**Model 120 Long**  
Max sheet capacity 200 sheets/16 mm.  
Throat depth: 250 mm.

### Model Block 17/20 Heavy Duty

Metal base platform 30x20 cm.  
Max sheet capacity 250 sheets/20 mm.  
Throat depth: 100 mm.



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