COMPARING MULTIPLE STAND-ALONE PLATFORM AUTOMATICS WITH ONE OFF-LINE CONVEYORIZED SYSTEM

Are you considering purchasing an off-line conveyorized automatic system? “Off-line” meaning a conveyorized automatic that is a standalone system and not “in-line” with other equipment such as a palletizer. A cost effective alternative is to purchase multiple stand-alone platform automatics.

Photo shows (3) Cousins LP-SWA installed in pits at a major beer distribution center. The pit installation allows the machines to be used with all types of material handling equipment.

BENEFITS:
❖ Machines can be positioned at a strategic location throughout the plant to reduce forklift travel time.
❖ You are not dependent on one wrapper. You have 3 or more wrappers available
❖ Can be used with all types of material handling equipment including manual or powered pallet jacks, Forklifts, etc.
❖ Easier to maintain and since you have more than one wrapper you can continue to wrap while performing maintenance on one of the machines.
❖ Portable – can be repositioned according to product flow if not installed in pits.
❖ Average floor space per machine is 6’ x 10’.
❖ Average price per machine is $12,000 to $15,000. You can purchase 3 or more machines for the same price as an off-line conveyorized automatic system.

This photo shows three (3) Cousins A-Arm platform automatics installed in a strategic location at a major beverage distribution center. The layout allows the operator to place a pallet on a machine that is empty and then pick a wrapped pallet from another machine. They are installed in pits so they can be used with all types of material handling equipment.