

# OPERATING MANUAL Gfp 663TH



### Please read this manual carefully before operating!

Unpacking, assembly, and operating videos are available at <a href="https://www.gfpartnersllc.com">www.gfpartnersllc.com</a>

Do NOT make changes to or reproduce this manual without express written consent from Gfp

# Table of Contents

		Page
1.	Introduction	4
2.	Important Safety Instructions	
3.	Installation Safeguards	
4.	Regulatory Compliant Statements	
5.	General Safeguards	
6.	Operating Conditions	
7.	Packing List	
8.	Installation	
	A. Lowering the Ramp	
	B. Removing the Retainer Board and End Cap	
	C. Remove the Packaging and Accessories	
9.	Additional Installation Items	
10.	System Components	
11.	Control Panel.	
	A. Home	13
	B. Help Screens (Tutorial)	14
	i. Webbing	
	ii. Brakes and Clutches	
	iii. Gap 1	16
	iv. Gap 2	
	v. Counter 1	17
	vi. Counter 2	17
	C. Operational Screens	18
	i. Speed	18
	ii. Temperature	18
	iii. Gap	19
	iv. Pressure	19
	v. Top Tension	20
	vi. Bottom Tension	20
	vii. End of Roll	21
	viii. Warning	21
	ix. Counter	22
	x. Printer	22

	D. Service		
	i.	Main Service Screen	23
	ii.	Gap Adjustment	24
	iii.	Pressure Adjustment	24
	iv.	Top Tension Adjustment	. 25
	v.	Bottom Tension Adjustment	25
	vi.	Temperature Adjustment	26
	vii.	Speed Adjustment	26
	viii.	Factory Settings Reset Request	. 27
	ix.	Confirming the Reset	27
	х.	Factory Reset Confirmation	28
12.	Operatio	n	. 28
13.	Loading	Film	. 29
14.	Threadin	ng Film	. 30
15.	Brake Te	ension Adjustment	. 31
16.	Top Rew	vind Shaft Clutch Adjustment	. 33
17.	Inserting	Rewind Shafts	. 33
18.	Feed Tra	y Safety Latch	. 34
19.	Removir	ng the Press Roller Assembly	. 34
20.	Rewind A	Assemblies	. 34
21.			35
22.	Supply Shaft Adjustment		35
23.	Troubles	hooting	36
24.	Specifica	ations	. 37
25.	Warranty	7	. 38

#### 1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Gfp 663TH laminator. It has been designed and manufactured to provide years of continuous service. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating. Please inspect the box and the laminator for shipping damage. Damage should be brought to the attention of the delivering carrier immediately.

We reserve the right to make changes to this publication and to the products described in it without notice. The details given in this manual are based on the most recent information available to us. They may be subject to change in the future. We retain the right to make changes to the construction or the design of our products without accepting any responsibility for modifying earlier versions.

WARNING! Any unauthorized changes or modifications to this unit without our prior written approval will void the user's warranty and will transfer health and safety obligations to the end user.

CAUTION! Please pay attention to all passages with these symbols. This information is vital to preventing user injury and/or damage to the unit. Failure to follow this information could void the user's warranties and transfer all safety obligations to the user.

# 2. Important Safety Instructions



In this operating manual, you will find important safety messages regarding the product. Read these instructions carefully, failure to comply with the following safety procedures could result in serious injury.

- **WARNING** Do not attempt to service or repair the laminator. Only authorized maintenance and service technicians should make repairs.
- **WARNING** Do not connect the laminator to an electrical supply or attempt to operate the laminator until you have completely read these instructions. Maintain these instructions in a convenient location for future reference.
- **WARNING** To guard against injury, the following safety precautions must be observed in the installation and use of the laminator.

# 3. Installation Safeguards 🛆

- Shipping damage should be brought to the immediate attention of the delivering carrier.
- Avoid locating the laminator near sources of heat or cold. Avoid locating the laminator in the direct path of forced, heated or cooled air.
- For pluggable equipment, the socket-outlet shall be easily accessible.
- Connect the attachment plug provided with the laminator to a suitably grounded outlet only. This machine must have reliable earth ground to ensure the safety of the machine during operations.

- Contact an electrician should the attachment plug provided with the laminator not match the receptacles at your location.
- Ensure that the voltages of the power supply you are using match the rated working voltages before operations. Do not use incorrect power supply.
- Do not use damaged wires or sockets. If abnormal conditions occur, switch off the power supply first.
- Only a licensed electrician should install wiring and outlet for the laminator.
- Do not defeat or remove electrical and mechanical safety equipment such as interlocks, shields and guards.

### 4. Regulatory Compliance Statements



#### cTUVus Certification

This test mark, also referred to as the "cTUVus mark", serves as proof of compliance with US national standards from UL adopted by OSHA and the Canadian national standards of CSA adopted by the Standards Council of Canada (SCC). US Authorities having Jurisdiction (AHJs) and Provincial Regulators across Canada recognize the cTUVus mark as proof of product compliance to published national standards and code requirements. The cTUVus mark is officially recognized as an equivalent and direct replacement of the UL and CSA marks.



#### Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Compliance Statement

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be

determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

### CAN ICES-3(B)/NMB-3(B)

#### **Industry Canada Emission Compliance Statement**

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian, CAN ICES-3(B)/NMB-3(B), interference-causing equipment regulation.

Changes or modifications made to this device that are not expressly approved by Gfp, may void the user's authority granted by the FCC and/or by Industry Canada to operate the equipment.

# 5. General Safeguards



- Keep hands, long hair, loose clothing, and articles such as neckties away from rollers to avoid entanglement and entrapment. The rollers have pinch points that can trap body parts or clothing and cause serious injury.
- Do not use the machines for purposes other than lamination and mounting, otherwise damages to the machine or accidents may occur.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Keep flammable and wet objects away from the machine.
- Do not use flammable sprays or materials when cleaning the machine.
- Do not leave the machine unattended during operations.
- Do not mount metal materials or other hard objects.
- Do not put burrs, sharp blades or rigid materials in between the two rubber rollers.
- Do not attempt to laminate items that exceed total recommended material thickness of the unit.
- Do not touch the rollers when they are hot or place foreign object inside the machine.
- Do not cut adhesive films directly on the surface of the rollers to avoid damaging the rubber coating.
- Shut down the machine after laminating to avoid misuse by others.
- Shut down the power before moving the machine.
- Note the locations of castors while moving or operating this machine to avoid injuries to your feet.



Disconnect from the power supply before repair or maintenance.

- Disconnect from the power supply when the machine is not in use for a long time.
- When the machine lies idle for a long period of time, raise the top rubber roller to avoid flat spots on the rubber surface.
- Do not cover the surface of the machine until the machine has completely cooled.
- Perform only the routine maintenance procedures referred to in these instructions.

### **6.** Operating Conditions

- Place machine on level surface
- Environment requirements:
- Ambient temperature: 50° F 104° F
- Humidity: 30%—80%; ideal humidity: 55%
- Due to the static on film rolls, you should try to keep the environment clean.
- Provide enough space around machine to ensure the safe and effective operation. The minimum area covered is 8 ft. x 10 ft.
- Do not directly cut the films on the surfaces of the rubber rollers to avoid damages to the rollers.
- Do not put burrs, sharp knives or extra thick and hard materials in between the rollers. Do not leave objects like tools, rulers, knives, etc. on the working panels or the side cabinets to avoid their being rolled into the machine accidentally and damaging the rollers.
- For repairs and replacements, please contact your local distributor. Unauthorized repairs and dismantling will affect future maintenances of the machines.
- The machine can laminate continuously objects less than ½" thick.
- For objects over ½" but less than 1" thick, use the foot pedal switch.
- Operator should be present while machine is in operation.

Warning: Do not keep the machines in direct sunshine or near it.

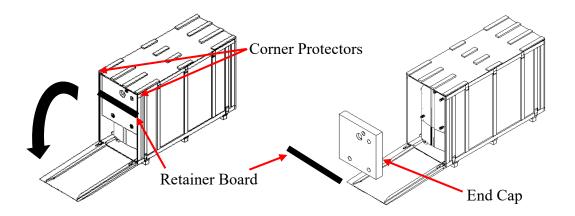
Do not keep the machine in dusty places or places with strong vibrations.

### 7. Packing List

Remove all parts from shipping create and boxes. Inspect parts and the machine carefully. Any missing parts should be reported to the shipper upon receipt of shipment.

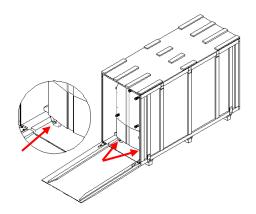
Main Machine Crate	
Part	Quantity
Main Machine	1
Foot Pedal	1
Rewind Tube	2
Control Panel Boom	1
Operation Manual	1
Film Cutter	1
Storage Box	1
Alignment Disk	2
Fuse 2 Amp	2
Rotary Side Slitters	2
Spanner Wrenches	2

# 8. Installation 8A.

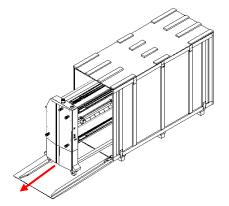


Remove the corner protectors and screws from the top and sides of the crate and swing the ramp down.

Remove the retainer board and end cap.



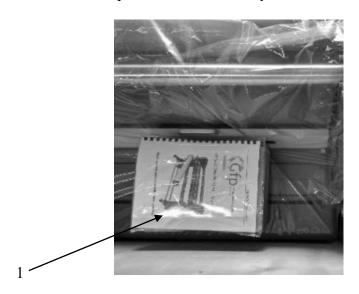
Rotate the castors so they are facing out.



Roll the laminator out of the crate onto the ramp.

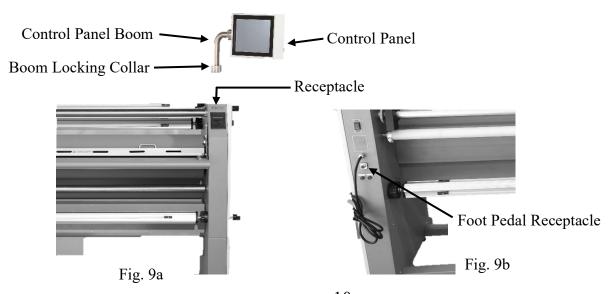
#### 8B. Remove the Accessories

1. Remove plastic cover, accessory boxes, toolbox and Operator's Manual.

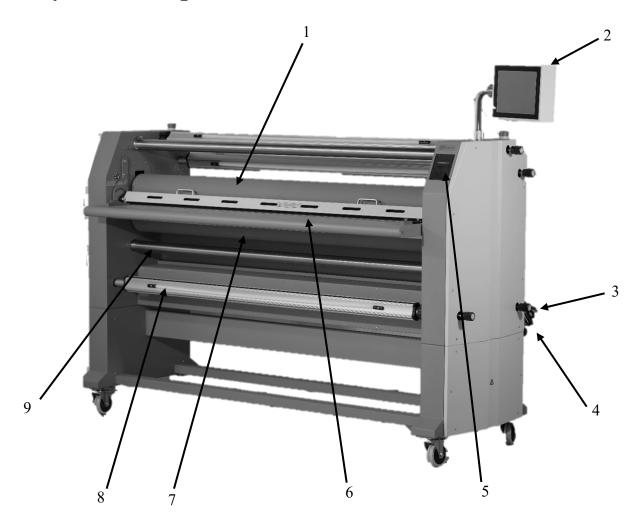


#### 9. Additional Installation Items

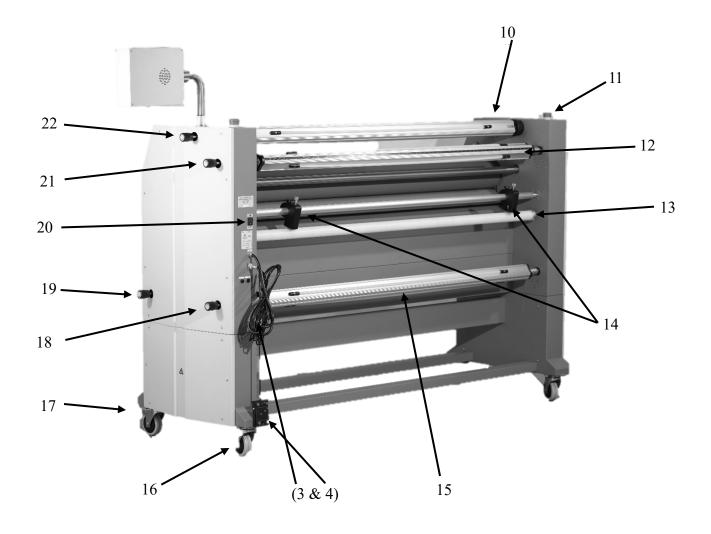
- 1. Remove the shipping blocks and wire ties from the ends of the rollers before attempting to raise the top roller!
- 2. Slide the Control Panel boom into the receptacle and tighten the knurled locking collar, Fig. 9a. **NOTE:** Make sure the Control Panel is facing the front of the laminator before inserting the boom and tightening the locking collar.
- 3. Install the foot pedal, Fig. 9b.
- 4. Check drive chains for tightness.
- 5. Check all drive set screws for tightness.
- 6. Check all electrical connections and input power and test for proper operation.



### 10. System Components

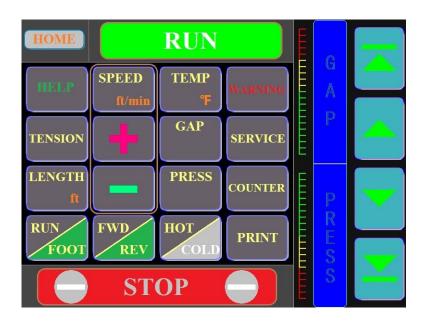


- 1 Top Main Roller
- 2 Control Panel
- 3 Power Cord
- 4 Foot Pedal
- 5 Printer
- 6 Feed Table w/Print Roller
- 7 Bottom Main Roller (under the Feed Table)
- 8 Lower Front Unwind
- 9 Lower Front Idler Bar



- 10 Upper Release Liner Rewind
- 11 E-Stop
- 12 Upper Rear Unwind
- 13 Side Slitter Guide Bar
- 14 Side Slitters
- 15 Lower Rear Rewind
- 16 Castor
- 17 Castor w/Brake
- 18 Lower Rear Rewind Clutch
- 19 Lower Front Brake
- 20 Main ON/OFF Switch
- 21 Upper Unwind Brake
- 22 Upper Rewind Clutch

### 11A. Control Panel Main Screen, (HOME)



The Main Screen consist of all the keys used to perform normal operations and adjustments. These keys are:

**RUN:** Starts the main drive motor **STOP:** Stops the main drive motor

**HELP:** Takes you to the TUTORIAL Screens. You may toggle through each screen by pressing Next then Home to return to the Main Screen:

WEBBING (8Bi)
BRAKES (8Bii)
GAP 1 (8Biii)
GAP 2 (8Biv)
COUNTER 1 (8Bv)
COUNTER 2 (8Bvi)

**SPEED:** Takes you to the Operational Speed screen where you can select preset speeds or input or any desired speed.

**TEMP:** Takes you to the Operational Temperature screen where you can select preset temperatures or input any desired temperature up to 140F.

**GAP:** Takes you to the Operational Gap screen where you can select preset gaps or input any desired gap by using the +/- keys or using the Finger Slide.

**GAP**  $\blacksquare$ : When pressed, raises the top roller all the way to the top opening.

**GAP**  $\triangle$ : When pressed, raises the top roller incrementally.

PRESS: Takes you to the Operational Pressure screen where you can select preset

pressures or input any desired pressure by using the +/- keys or using the Finger Slide.

**PRESS**  $\blacksquare$ : When pressed, lowers the top roller incrementally.

**PRESS**  $\blacksquare$ : When pressed, lowers the top roller all the way to the closed position.

**WARNING:** When flashing, alerts the operator to unsafe or out of parameter conditions. When pressed, takes you to the screen identifying the condition(s) for correction.

**TOP TENSION:** Allows the operator to input desired over/under tension warnings for the product being run.

**LENGTH:** Allows the operator to input a desired run length.

**SERVICE:** Takes you to the Service screens. Inside these screens, operators can make changes to factory parameter settings for the following operations:

(8Dii)
(8Diii)
(8Div)
(8Dv)
(8Dvi)
(8Dvii)
(8Dviii)

**COUNTER:** The operator can input starting lengths. It allows the operator to see total film usage for the job just run as well as daily and overall usage.

**PRINT:** Imports the length of film used in the current job. The operator can create and store types of film and then choose any of the different types of film to printed on the label. This screen also allows the operator to input the Month, Day Year as well as the time of day.

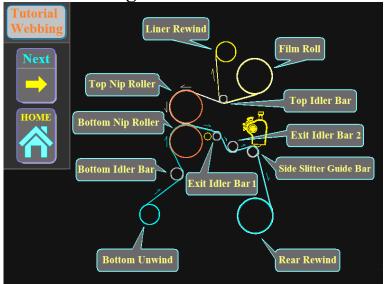
**RUN/FOOT:** Allows the operator to choose between running continuously or using the foot pedal.

**FWD/REV:** Allows the laminator to run in either forward or reverse mode. Reverse only runs with the foot pedal.

**HOT/COLD:** Allows the operator to choose between no heat or top heat assist.

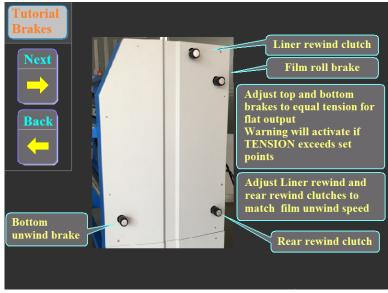
### 11B. HELP Screens (TUTORIAL)

11Bi. Webbing



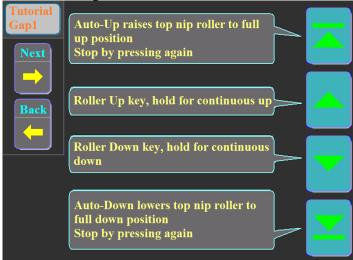
This screen shows the path for running a PSA overlaminate on the top and a printed media on the bottom. It identifies all the rollers and idler bars.

#### 11Bii. Brakes and Clutches



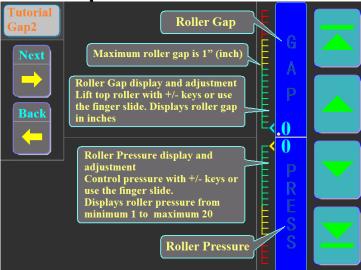
This screen identifies the various brakes and clutches on the laminator.

11Biii. Gap 1



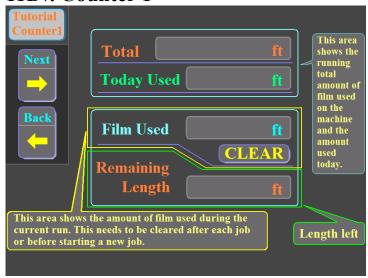
This screen identifies the auto-up/auto-down keys as well as the incremental keys.

11Biv. Gap 2



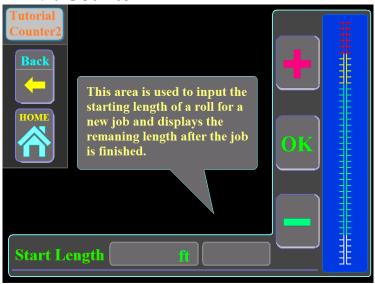
This screen explains how you can use the +/- keys or the finger slide keys to adjust the position of the top roller.

#### 11Bv. Counter 1



This screen explains the different fields for the total film usage as well as daily and current job usage.

#### 11Bvi. Counter 2



This screen is a continuation of Counter 1 and explains the Start Length input for each new job. You will see these two screens combined in the Operation Counter screen.

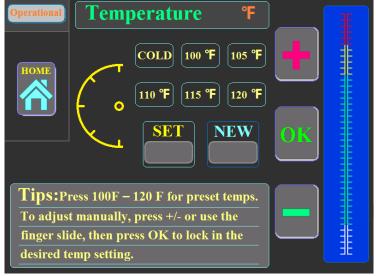
### 11C. Operational

11Ci. Speed



When SPEED is pressed on the HOME screen, it takes you to this screen. You may select any of the presets by pressing that key, then pressing OK. You may also change the speed by using the +/- keys or the finger slide then pressing OK. Press HOME to return to the Main screen.

11Cii. Temperature



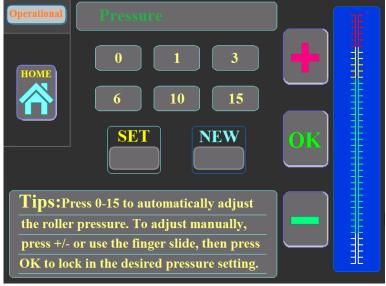
When TEMP is pressed on the HOME screen, it takes you to this screen. You may select any of the presets by pressing that key, then pressing OK. You may also change the temperature by using the +/- keys or the finger slide then pressing OK. Press HOME to return to the Main screen.

11Ciii. Gap



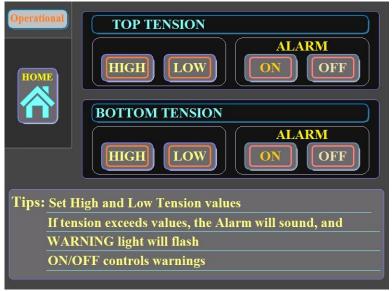
When GAP is pressed on the HOME screen, it takes you to this screen. You may select any of the presets by pressing that key, then pressing OK. You may also change the gap by using the +/- keys or the finger slide then pressing OK. If the auto up function is turned on, the machine will raise the rollers after one hour of no use. Press HOME to return to the Main screen.

#### 11Civ. Pressure



When PRESS is pressed on the HOME screen, it takes you to this screen. You may select any of the presets by pressing that key, then pressing OK. You may also change the pressure by using the +/- keys or the finger slide then pressing OK. Press HOME to return to the Main screen.

#### 11Cv. Tension



If the alarm is set and either of the parameters are exceeded, the TENSION key will start flashing. To correct, pressing TENSION on the HOME screen, will take you to this screen. You will have to add tension or release tension according to the alarm displayed.

You may arm or disarm the alarm by pressing ON or OFF. If you choose to disarm the alarm you must choose which mode by pressing the HIGH and/or LOW keys. Press HOME to return to the Main screen.

11Cvi. Length



press the LENGTH key on the Home screen to jump from the Home screen to the length setting interface. Set the length between 0-500ft or use the shortcut keys for 100ft, 200ft, 300ft, 400ft, and 500ft. The machine will count down from the set distance while running and stop once it reaches zero.

#### 11Cvii. End of Roll



#### 11Cviii WARNING



The flashing WARNING alerts the operator to an unwanted condition. Pressing the WARNING key will take you to this screen. If an E-Stop is depressed, the corresponding E-Stop on the screen will flash telling you which one it is. If the safety photo-eye was blocked, you will see a red flashing triangle on the screen. To correct, clear the condition that caused the warning or release the E-Stop, then press RESET. If you are near the end of the roll of film, the End of Roll Warning will be displayed. Press HOME to return to the main screen.

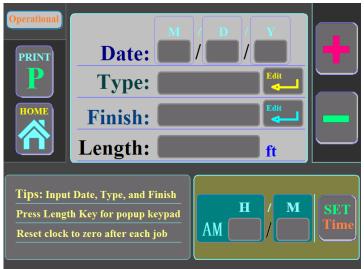
#### 11Cix. Counter



Pressing COUNTER will take you to this screen. The TOTAL number of feet run through the machine will be displayed as well as the total number of feet run that day in Today Used. That number will be cleared out at midnight every day, starting the new day at zero (0). Press CLEAR each time you start a new job. Film Used displays the number of feet used on the current job if the prior job is cleared first. Failure to do so will only add the previous job to the current one.

To input the starting length press, Start Length and use the Finger Slide starting at the bottom and sliding up. You may use the +/- keys to fine tune the number, then press OK to confirm.

#### 11Cx. Printer



Pressing PRINT brings you to this screen. You can set the date, type of film, finish of the film and the time of day. The amount of film used on the current job will be displayed in

#### Length.

To set the date: Press each key, one at a time, then toggle between +/- to the desired number. To set the time: Press each key, one at a time, then toggle between +/- to the desired number, press SET.

To input the different types of films and finishes, press the corresponding Edit key. A keyboard will pop up allowing you to create what you want. You can create up to 10 different types of films and finishes.

Once you have the types you need, to choose between them , press that key and us the +/-keys for the desired type.

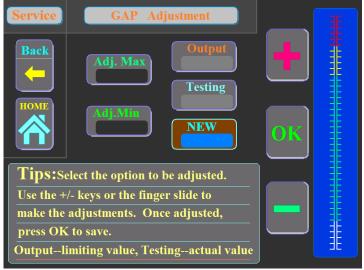
#### 11D. Service

#### 11Di. Main Service Screen



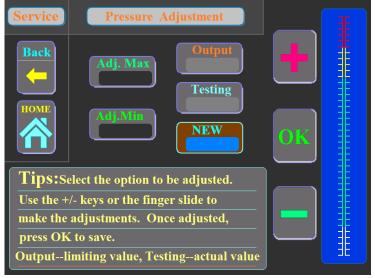
This screen allows the operator to make changes to various functions, calibrate settings and reset to factory settings. Factory settings will be supplied in a separate supplement.

11Dii. Gap Adjustment



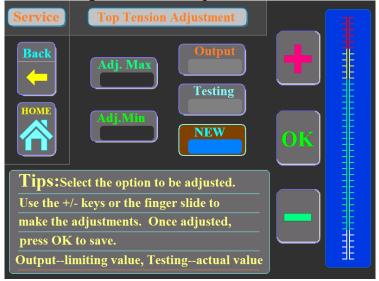
This screen allows the operator to change the factory gap settings should the unit every become out of calibration.

11Diii. Pressure Adjustment



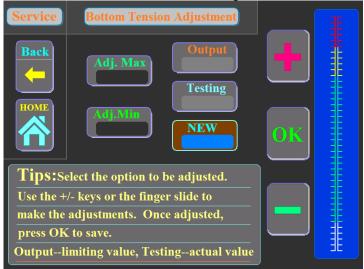
This screen allows the operator to change the factory pressure settings should the unit every become out of calibration.

11Div. Top tension Adjustment



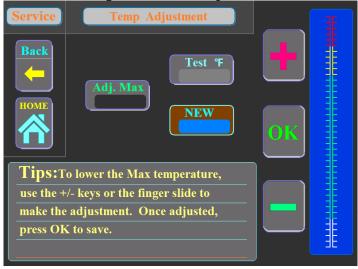
This screen allows the operator to set the top tension ranges for the products they run daily.

11Dv. Bottom Tension Adjustment



This screen allows the operator to set the bottom tension ranges for the products they run daily.

11Dvi. Temperature Adjustment



This screen allows the operator to calibrate the heat settings should the sensor ever become out of calibration.

11Dvii. Speed Adjustment



This screen allows the operator to set the maximum speed the laminator will be allowed to run, up to 30 fpm.

11Dviii. Factory Settings



This screen as well as the next two allow the operator to reset all the settings back to the factory settings. If requested, the operator is prompted to confirm and verify the request. NOTE: Any and all previous settings will be lost.

11Dix. Confirming the Request



#### 11Dx. Reset Request Confirmed



**NOTE:** Once the reset is confirmed, you must turn the unit off then back on for it to be effective.

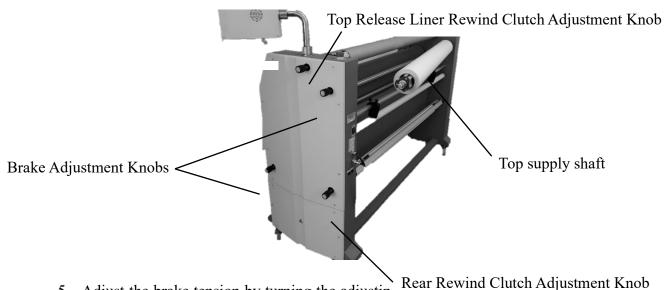
### 12. Operation

- 1. Plug power cord into a proper receptacle.
- Connect the attachment plug provided with the laminator to a suitably grounded outlet only. This machine must have reliable earth ground to ensure the safety of the machine during operations.
- Contact an electrician should the attachment plug provided with the laminator not match the receptacles at your location.
- Ensure that the voltage of the power supply you are using match the rated working voltage before operating the unit. Do not use incorrect power supply.
- Do not use damaged wires or sockets. If abnormal conditions occur, switch off the power supply first.
- 2. Use the LCD Touch Panel for all functions of the laminator.
- 3. Important note. When using the foot pedal to operate the laminator, the photo eye will be by passed. Use extreme caution.

### 13. Loading Film

- 1. Rotate the locking outer sleeve in the direction of the arrow to the open position, aligned with the inner sleeve, Fig. 13a.
- 2. Swing the supply shaft out to load position and slide the film roll onto the shaft. Note: If using Liner-in film, the web should come off the bottom of the roll, for Liner-out

- film, the web should come off the top of the roll (see treading diagram in section 11Bi).
- 3. Swing shaft back into position and rotate locking outer sleeve to the closed position, Fig 13a.
- 4. Align film roll with a number on the supply shaft, positioning the roll in the middle of the supply shaft.



5. Adjust the brake tension by turning the adjustin Fig 13b (see Brake tension adjustment section #15)



Fig.



Fig. 13b

- 6. Repeat process with bottom supply shaft using Mounting adhesive or printed media roll.
- 7. Position bottom supply roll using the same number position used on the top supply roll to align top and bottom rolls.
  - i. When using printed media, position one Media Alignment Disk on each side of the roll to keep edges lined up, Fig. 12c.
  - ii. Media rolls can be very slippery and 'telescope' when loading on the supply shaft and running (see picture below)



Fig. 13c Media alignment disks

Bottom supply shaft with Media Alignment Disks

**NOTE:** Printed media can be very slippery and can 'telescope' when loading on the supply shaft. Use the alignment disks, Fig 13c, to keep the edges properly lined up.

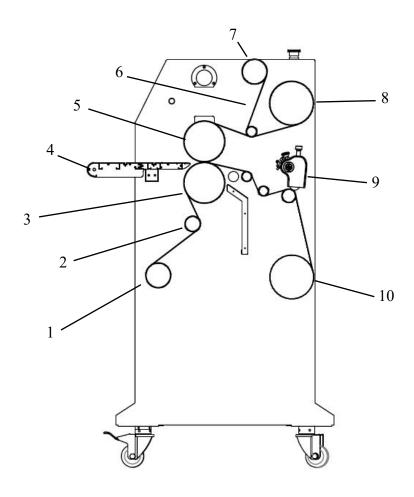
### 14. Threading Film

- 1. Pull the top film web under the rewind shaft, making sure there is proper resistance. The resistance can be adjusted with the adjusting knob on top of the supply shaft assembly.
- 2. Raise the top rubber roller by pressing the GAP \(\bigsigma\) key on the Control Panel.
- 3. Pass the film through the two rollers and let it rest on the rear panel.
- 4. Pull the film flat then press the PRESS **▼** to lower the upper rubber roller.
- 5. Separate the release liner from the film web to allow enough liner to be taped to the paper rewind tube on the top rewind shaft.

NOTE: Slide film cutter between the release liner and film to cut liner only. Be careful not to cut the top heat roller

- 6. Use foot pedal to advance the film web until the adhesive is exposed on the front of the heat roller.
- 7. Raise the feed tray assembly.
- 8. Bring the mounting adhesive up to the nip area of the rollers, or the media up and behind the idler bar then tack to the exposed film web adhesive.
- 9. Lower the feed tray assembly.
- 10. Use foot pedal to advance both webs until they clear the nip rollers.

NOTE: The film/media/mount adhesive should be wrinkleless and tight to the surface of the rollers. If wrinkles appear in the film web, adjust the brake tension knobs on both supply rolls. If separation occurs between the web and the rollers, raise the top roller and pull the web tight from the rear of the machine.

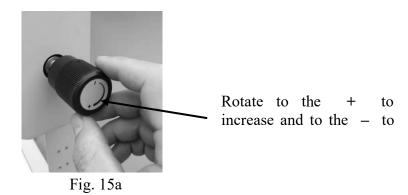


- 1. Bottom supply roll
- 2. Bottom idler bar
- 3. Bottom nip roller
- 4. Front in-feed table
- 5. Top heat roller
- 6. Release liner
- 7. Release liner rewind tube
- 8. PSA film supply roll
- 9. Rotary side slitter
- 10. Lower rear rewind

### 15. Brake Tension Adjustment

- 1. Adjust brake tension by turning the Tension Adjustment Knobs on top of each supply shaft assembly, Fig 15a.
- 2. Apply only enough brake tension to remove wrinkles from the vinyl web before it enters the nip rollers.
- 3. Brake tension should not prevent roll from turning.

Note: Excessive brake tension will cause waves, wrinkles or curl in vinyl



### 16. Top Rewind Shaft Clutch Adjustment

- 1. Adjust top liner rewind shaft clutch by turning the Clutch Adjustment Knob on the right-side cabinet, Fig 16a.
- 2. Apply only enough clutch tension to keep the liner rewind shaft turning with the supply roll.

Note: Excessive clutch tension will cause rewind shaft to turn harder than the supply roll pulling the film onto the rewind shaft

Top Release Liner Rewind Clutch Adjustment Knob

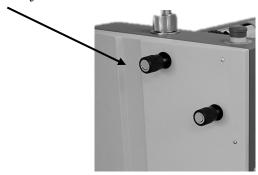


Fig. 16a

### 17. Inserting Rewind Shafts

- 1. Slide a cardboard core onto the rewind shaft, Fig. 17a.
- 2. Set one end of the rewind shaft into the open side support bracket.
- 3. Align the arrow and shaft tongue with the slot in the opposite side support bracket Fig. 17b.
- 4. Rotate both locking outer sleeves to the closed position on the support brackets, Fig. 17c.



Fig.17a



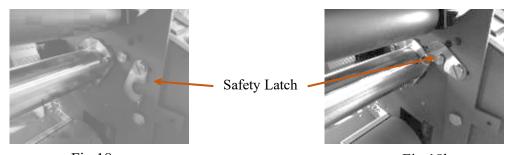
Fig.17b



Fig.17c

### 18. Feed Tray Safety Latch

- 1. Feed Tray Safety latches rotate freely with the feed tray, Fig 18a.
- 2. Ensure latches are in the locked position whenever the feed tray is rotated to the up position, Fig.18b.



### Fig.18a Fig.18b

### 19. Removing the Press Roller Assembly

- 1. Unscrew the knurled thumbscrews securing the left/right sides of the Press Roller Assembly, Fig.19a.
- 2. Lift off and remove Press Roller assembly, Fig 19b.



Fig.19a

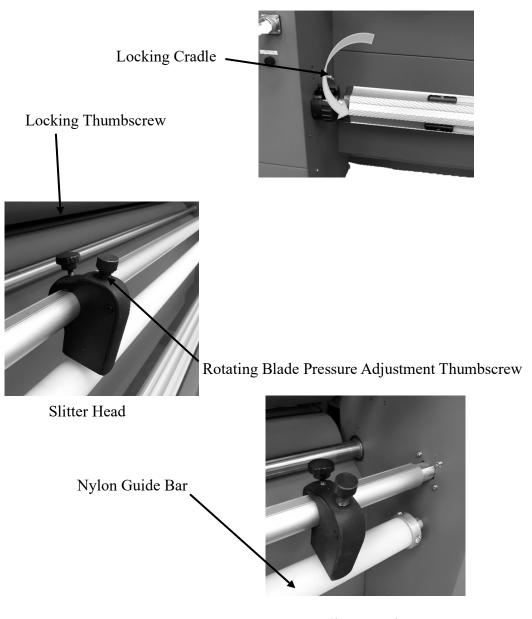


Fig.19b

### 20. Rewind Assembly

The unit comes with two rewinds: one upper and one lower rear rewind.

- 1. The rewind shaft described in Sect 17 above, is a drop-in shaft and is used to take up the release liner of the overlaminate.
- 2. The lower rear rewind, seen below, is a swingout shaft and is used to rewind the web for roll-to-roll applications. This rewind also contains two side slitters for trimming the sides of the web. Extra side slitters can be added for multiple side slitting.

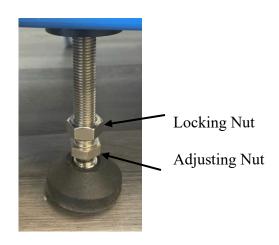


Slitter Head

#### 21. Web Skew

During transit of the machine, the roller gap may change. This can be adjusted two different ways.

- 1. If the nip is visibly off, perform a nip adjustment per the video: <a href="https://www.gfpartnersllc.com/servicevideos">www.gfpartnersllc.com/servicevideos</a> 663TH Nip Adjustment
- 2. If the nip looks good but still skewing, you can adjust it by the two adjustable leveling pads at the front of the machine. Use a wrench to make the adjustment. The top nut is the locking nut, and the bottom nut is the adjustment nut. You must spin the locking nut down first before you can make any adjustments.
  - a. If the web skews to the left, lower the left caster.
  - b. If the web skews to the right, lower the right caster.



Front leveling pads

### 22. Supply Shaft Adjustment

If it is ever necessary to adjust or replace the supply shafts, use the supplied spanner wrenches to loosen/tighten the locking collars on the inward side of the shafts.



# 23. Troubleshooting

Problems	Causes	Solutions
Machine does not turn on	<ol> <li>No power supply</li> <li>Main power switch is OFF</li> <li>Circuit breaker has tripped</li> <li>Blown main power fuse</li> <li>Motor has failed</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Plug in power cord</li> <li>Place power switch to ON</li> <li>Reset circuit breaker</li> <li>Replace fuse on rear panel</li> <li>Change the electric motor</li> </ol>
Rollers do not turn after "RUN" key is pressed	<ol> <li>Emergency switch is engaged</li> <li>Excess roller nip pressure</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Disengage emergency switch</li> <li>Reduce the nip pressure of the rubber rollers</li> </ol>
Heat roller not heating	1. Heater not turned on	Switch heater on, adjust temperature setting
Poor film adhesion or cloudy prints	<ol> <li>Nip roller pressure too low.</li> <li>Dust on the surface of the print</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Increase nip roller pressure</li> <li>Clean print surface before lamination</li> </ol>
Poor film adhesion on one side	Nip roller pressure on the two sides is not even	1. See "Roller Gap Adjustment"
Lamination output is curled	<ol> <li>Sheet is curled upward</li> <li>Sheet is curled downward</li> </ol>	Reduce top roll tension     Reduce bottom roll tension
Film supply roll gets loose during operation	Not enough brake tension on supply roll	Increase brake tension on supply roll
Release liner gets loose when being rolled up	Not enough clutch tension on the release liner rewind shaft	Increase clutch tension on release liner rewind shaft
Wrinkles in film both on top and bottom	1. Too much nip roller pressure	Reduce nip pressure on the control panel

# 24. Specifications

Description	663TH
Laminating Width	63"
Roller Diameter	5"
Roller Gap	1"
Main Rollers	Silicone
Supply Roll Diameter(Max)	8" OD (top)/ 16" OD (bottom)
Finished Product Rewind Diameter(Max)	11.8"
Supply Shafts	Two Swing-out
Swing-out Shaft Maximum Weight	115lbs
Max Temperature	140° F
Film core size	3"
Laminating Speed	0-20 Ft/min
Pressure Adjustment	Servo Motor
Heat Method	Metal alloy tube
Power Supply	120VAC 60HZ
Power Consumption	1440W/12A
Net weight	675 lbs.
Output height	38"
Dimensions (WxLxH)	83 x 30.7 x 63"
Shipping weight Machine	908 lbs.
Shipping dimensions machine	89 x 35 x 58"



### 25. Warranty

### **EQUIPMENT WARRANTY**

June 2023

Graphic Finishing Partners, LLC warrants each new Gfp Laminator is free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the date of installation. A machine which proves defective in materials or workmanship within the warranty period will be repaired or, at Gfp's option, replaced without charge. This warranty is extended only to the original purchaser.

This warranty is the only warranty made by Gfp and cannot be modified or amended. Gfp's sole and exclusive liability and the customer's sole and exclusive remedy under this warranty shall be, at Gfp's option, to repair or replace any such defective part or product. These remedies are only available if Gfp's examination of the product discloses to Gfp's satisfaction that such defects actually exist and were not caused by misuse, neglect, attempt to repair, unauthorized alteration or modification, incorrect line voltage, fire, accident, flood or other hazards.

The warranty made herein is in lieu of all other warranties, expressed or implied, including any warranty or merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose. Gfp will not be liable for personal damage or personal injury (unless primarily caused by its negligence), loss of profit, or other incidental or consequential damages arising out of the use or inability to use this equipment.

This warranty specifically does not cover damage to laminating rollers caused by knives, razor blades, or any sharp objects or abrasives, or failure caused by adhesives, or damage caused by lifting, tilting and/or any attempt to position the machine other than rolling on the installed castors or feet on even surfaces, or improper use of the machine. Warranty repair or replacement by Gfp or its authorized reseller(s) does not extend the warranty beyond the initial period from the date of installation. Unauthorized customer alterations will void this warranty.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE:**

Graphic Finishing Partners LLC PO Box 1097
Maryland Heights, MO. 63043
800-986-2005
sales@gfpartnersllc.com
www.gfpartnersllc.com

#### **SHIPPING:**

Graphic Finishing Partners, LLC 13878 Parks Steed Drive Earth City, MO. 63045

service@gfpartnersllc.com parts@gfpartnersllc.com