PickMaster® Twin
Vision-guided random flow packaging software for the digital factory of the future

PickMaster® Twin features digital twin technology, which increases productivity by dramatically shortening commissioning times from days to hours and changeover times from hours to minutes while maximizing overall line efficiency.

Digital twin enabled by PickMaster® PowerPac
PickMaster® is the market leading robotic software for vision-guided random flow picking and packing applications. When using digital twin technology, the simulated station can be directly connected to the running production, allowing simultaneous optimization of the picking process in the virtual world in real time while the real process acts accordingly.

PickMaster® Operator offers state-of-the-art user interface
ABB also condenses and enhances the advanced application experience with the introduction of the new PickMaster® Operator presenting intuitive interfaces built on ABB Ability™ Zenon data management software, providing colorful dashboards for easy data visualization and production control. Its modern user interface gives operators and plant managers full insight and control of the production result. These easy-to-use user interfaces include a touch tile home screen, production screen, and digital production dashboard.

Maximizes output while increasing OEE
PickMaster® complies with the OMAC PackML standard making PickMaster® an integrated part of modern packaging machineries and factory planning and reporting systems.

The latest version also enables visual online tuning of the robot operating area in both X and Y directions, helping maximize output and increasing overall equipment effectiveness (OEE).

The software features a powerful color vision system that can support up to 10 cameras for accurate position guidance and feature inspection. Circular conveyor tracking capability enables picking of random products from circulation tables. Designed to fit small single-robot cells as well as complex production lines with up to 10 robots.

Key Benefits
- **Speed**: Reduces commissioning and change-over times
- **Flexibility**: Supports all ABB robots, linear and circular conveyor configurations, and virtual and physical machines
- **Simplified**: Streamlines hardware/software setup and configuration
- **Cost**: Reduces total integration costs
- **Unique**: Digital twin visual tuning and emulation
- **Domain expertise**: Simulates future production operations
- **Productivity**: Operational efficiency, PackML enabled
**Features**

**Vision**
- Search tools PatMax™/Blob
- Inspection (multiple feature evaluations: size, shape, rel. positions, histogram, color, e.a.)
- Vision result recording and playback
- External Model and Sensor SDK
- Linear and non-linear calibration with perspective compensation
- Supported cameras: Basler Scout and acA series, color and monochrome, global shutter
- Offline vision simulation

**Conveyor Tracking**
- Up to 6 Linear or circular variable speed conveyors per robot
- Up to 25 indexing work areas per robot
- Supports DCQC377B and DSQC2000 conveyor tracking hardware

**Flow management/process**
- Supports up to 10 robots
- Item distribution: Load Balancing, Adaptive Task Completion for progressive picking and case filling
- Sizable work area windows in x/y

**PowerPac**
- Digital twin technology
- 3D graphical station and recipe designer
- Full offline picking process simulation
- Online 3D graphics picking process emulation
- Ghost picking with recorded flows
- Flow optimization through visual operating windows tuning
- Online tuning
- Pack&Go solution sharing

**Operator**
- ABB Ability™ Zenon Scada platform
- User Authentication management
- Recipe selector
- Operations Dashboard
- PackML ready
- Control and status information for Line PLC through Packtags and Transparency tags
- PackML execution logics
- Integrated SoftPLC
- Modbus and Profinet connectivity
- Error Logs and event handling
- Process speed indicators with limit values
- Runtime Process tuning

**Options**
- Runtime License
- GigE Cell kit, max 2 cameras
- GigE Line kit, max 8 cameras
- Additional camera kit
- Offline vision demo dongle

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**Technical data**

**Product content**
- PickMaster® PowerPac
- PickMaster® Operator
- PickMaster® Runtime
- Vision Hardware

**Hardware**
- Gigabit Ethernet Vision:
  - Cognex CVL dongle, color vision enabled: for max 2 cameras or 8 cameras (expandable to 10)
  - Basler acA1440-73gc color camera with 1440 x 1080 resolution, including cables
- 4 port GigE network interface

**Required equipment**
- IRC5 robot controller (all IRB types) with RobotWare 6 with related options PickMaster Cell Ready / PickMaster Robot Ready and PickMaster Vision Ready
- Engineering, commissioning and maintenance: Windows 10 (64 bit) PC, performance according to RobotStudio recommendation
- Runtime operation: Windows 10 (64 bit) IPC, 2GHz with recommended 17” 1920x1080 multi-touch screen, minimum one Ethernet port and one free PCI Express slot
- Unmanaged Ethernet switch (robot network)

**Required software**
- Engineering: RobotStudio 2019
- Runtime operation: ABB Ability™ Zenon.
01 FlexPicker® in TAGO Confectionery plant in Warsaw, Poland

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State-of-the-art user interface
Home screen with windows tile style navigation tiles.

Operation Screen
PackML state machine with two-handed operation feature.

Production dashboard
The Production dashboard is showing performance trends and status.

Visual tuning
Real time tuning with digital twin technology.

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