

**TECHNICAL MODEL DATASHEET** 

# WSB 460 Gravimetric Blender



# Color and additive control

Save typically 30% on masterbatch and additive usage compared to volumetric dosing.

# Wide range of settings

Each material is dosed by a stainless steel slide gate. The slide gate is capable of dosing a wide range of settings, from as little as 1% to 100%, based on an average density free flowing material (0.65).

# Slide gate restrictor

For low percentage settings (1% - 4%) a slide gate restrictor (SGR-1) is recommended to restrict the opening of the gate by 50%. This reduces flow and enhances control.

### **WSB 400 Series**

The WSB 460 has 1 hopper with 6 material compartments with throughputs up to 1,100 lb/hr (500 kg/hr).

# **Market applications**

For small to medium extruders, large injection machines and central blending systems.

#### **Batch size**

The hoppers are mounted above the weigh bin with a default 8.8 lb (4 kg) batch size.

# **High consistent accuracy**

On every material within ± 0.1% on a 1% setting.

# Sequential dispensing

The system tares the weight of the weigh bin and then each material is dispensed – Regrind, Natural, Color and Additive – in sequence to ensure accurate dispenses of every material within the blend.

# Homogenous mix

A complete batch is released into the mixing chamber and mixed with the previous batch to ensure a homogenous mix.

#### Control of the mix

Material blending is controlled by a level sensor mounted in the upper part of the mix chamber to retain accurate mixing. When the sensor is covered, the blender will not dispense any further batches.

#### Easy set up

Settings are made easily by either user friendly thumbwheels or entering settings directly on the keypad / optional touchscreen.

### **Password protection**

Special functions can be easily accessed and set via the password protect key.



# **Audible and visual alarms**

An audible and visual alarm sounds should a batch be incomplete.

# Reporting

Setup and operation reports can be printed direct to a USB key. Alternatively, data is also available via Ethernet or serial ports allowing remote access and monitoring.

# Integration

Integration to other control or ERP systems can be made via leading fieldbus or OPC interfaces.

# **Quick cleanout**

A compressed air gun is provided for quick cleanout.

# Rapid color change

Easy access to all material contact surfaces of the machine including hoppers, weigh bin and mixing chamber allows for rapid color changes without the use of tools.

#### Controller

The Maguire controller monitors and confirms the weight of each ingredient and comes with an optional touchscreen.

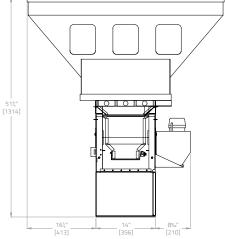


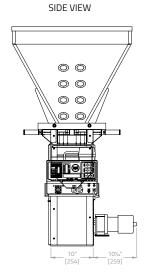


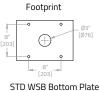
# WSB 460 Gravimetric Blender Dimensions

Compartments 1,3,4,8 - 1.5 cu ft [42 Litres] Compartments 2 & 7 - 1 cu ft [28 Litres]

FRONT VIEW

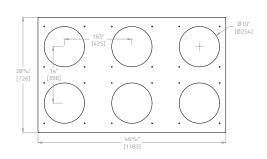






1/4" [6.4] Steel Plate

#### LID TOP VIEW



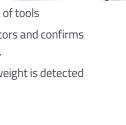
# **Technical data**

Model WSB 460	
Maximum Throughput*	375kg/h to 500kg/h 825lb/h to 1,100lb/h
Number of Materials	6
Material Dispense Systems	6-2"x3" Slide Gate
Weight	134kg 295b
Power Supply	120vac - 4.8 Amp 230vac - 2.7 Amp
Operating Air Pressure	4-6 Bar 60-90psi
Air Consumption	0.3 m³/hr 0.17cfm
Shipping Weight	180Kg 400b
H x W x D	147 x 140 x 82cm 58 x 55 x 32.5in

<sup>\*</sup>Throughput achieved is influenced by number of materials, how well they flow, vibration and loading consistency - each can effect maximum output of a blender, which in turn effects sizing the correct blender required for an application.

# **Key features**

- Ideal for large processing machines
- Reduced weight and footprint
- Overall precision of ±0.1% of specified blend
- Compressed air gun for quick cleanout included
- Easy access to all material contact surfaces of the machine including hoppers, weigh bin, and mixing chamber permits rapid colour change without the use of tools
- Proprietary microprocessor-control technology monitors and confirms the weight of each ingredient / touch-screen optional.
- Compensation is made when a variation in dispense weight is detected
- Vibration Weighing management
- Improved documentation capabilities
- 5 Year Warranty





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