

Company Brochure



Why Choose Us? Concept to Consumer Expertise

Understand that packaging is a critical touchpoint in your product's journey to the consumer, which is why we at DFC, are dedicated to providing innovative, sustainable, and effective packaging and machinery solutions that protect your products and elevate your brand.

With a focus on both aesthetics and functionality, our team of experts collaborate closely with you to turn your visions into reality.

From the initial design concept to the final delivery, we leverage the latest technologies and materials to ensure your packaging stands out in the marketplace and resonates with your customers.

At DFC, we are more than just a packaging and machinery supplier; we are your partner in bringing your products to the shelf.

Whether you are looking to launch a new product or seeking to reinvigorate an existing one, we are here to provide tailored solutions that meet your specific needs and challenges.

No idea is too big or too small for us to handle, ensuring that every concept is transformed into a successful packaging or machinery solution that adds value to your products and appeals to your customers.

Our Capabilities

Printing

DFC Packaging has several flexographic printing presses located in two facilities in the Melbourne Metro area that can print up to 8 colours. We aim to offer a seamless process with high-quality printed film delivered to customers promptly.

Lamination

We can laminate up to a width of 1200mm and have a team of experts who are extremely happy to work with our customers to develop new structures to assist them in today's changing environment.

Conversion and Slitting

Our internal conversion facility allows DFC the ability to offer die slitting and film perforation in both micro and macro formats. With an alliance through business directorship DFC also can locally manufacture a wide range of Doy, three-side seals and stand-up pouches with and without the inclusion of resealable zips.

Machinery supply, Service support and maintenance

DFC Packaging offers a wide range of machinery, including a full-service and maintenance division. We have a team of highly skilled engineers with many years of experience working with various packaging machines. If you combine this with the wide range of, off-the-shelf spare parts we hope we can fix any issues without delay and to your satisfaction.

Quality Assurance

We are committed to achieving quality excellence in everything we do, not only for our customers and consumers but also our employees and our community. DFC operations comply with and maintain a HACCP-based food safety and quality system, within the framework of the Global Food Safety Initiative, regulatory, and customer standards to produce safe, legal, and innovative products. Looking forward our operational landscape will include an ISO 9000 Quality Accreditation, and importantly an Environmental Management System compliant with ISO 14001.

Accreditations and Partners









Packaging Solutions

Printed Film

DFC Packaging can provide both surface and reverse-printed films. Our printing capability allows us to print in up to 8 colours using large web central impression flexographic printing units.

Our latest European gearless press has allowed us to produce a much higher-quality finish when customers look for a definition in photo-quality illustrations.





Locally Produced Laminated Film

DFC has always been able to supply a range of laminated materials through the use of external film lamination contractors. However, we recently purchased a 1300mm wide solventless lamination unit.

This introduction along with the employment of some very experienced operators now allows us to look to the future and the ability to develop better films for your products and the environment.

We also hope through this acquisition we can provide shorter lead times whilst looking toward the 2025 APCO-compliant materials.

Our lamination offerings include:

- Materials are laminated locally to specific applications based on customers' requirements.
- Available in various gauges.
- Available in lap and fin seal variants.
- High barrier and medium barrier for extended shelf life.
- Available in natural, coloured, printed, tinted, and metallised variants.
- Suitable for sauces/liquids, coffee, purees, grains, powders, and snack foods.











Packaging Solutions

Plain and Antifog BOPP Film

- Available in various gauges from 20um to 50um.
- Clear (white and metallised available upon request- volume confirmation required).
- Available in surface and laminated structures.
- Suitable for printing up to 8 colours.
- Plain, strip and full perforation including macro.

Polyolefin Shrink Film

We have a wide range of polyolefin shrink films, these include standard shrink, soft shrink, high-speed, and cross-linked films.

Non-Antifog Polyolefin Shrink Film

- Available in gauges of 15um, 19um and 25um.
- All food contact certified and Is a recyclable material.
- Suitable for pizza bases, fresh produce, meat, pharmaceuticals, stationery, confectionery, and general food production.

Antifog Polyolefin Shrink Film

- Offers high clarity and high shrink qualities.
- Low gauge 14um for high yield.
- A recyclable material that offers excellent machinability.

Polyolefin Stretch Film

- Available in gauges of 9um and 11um.
- Comes in widths of 350mm, 400mm, 450mm and 500mm.
- High clarity, and high tensile strength during product application.
- Replaces PVC.

Heat Sealable PET

- Available in gauges of 15um and 20um.
- Suitable for oven-able applications up to 200 degrees, 30 mins.
- Plain, strip and full perf. Printing available up to 8 colours.
- Suitable for bakery markets where horizontal flow wrapping is used.









Lidding Film Solutions

Our range of lidding films offers exceptional clarity, high barrier, anti-fog properties and varying seal strengths.

They are designed to suit specific tray materials and our lamination process allows us to customise materials that cover the demands of the convenience, fresh and frozen food markets.

Depending on your needs, our lidding films can be used in various sealing applications, but you can ensure the freshness and integrity of your product will be preserved.

LFOT---U60H European High Barrier Lidding Film

- Doesn't contain PVDC.
- A peel-able film that peels seals to a PP, PET and lock seals to PE-coated trays.
- Suitable for microwaveable applications (when pierced).
- Offers a long shelf life and is suitable for ready meals, antipasto, dairy, fish, meat and produce.

LFOT---U40HBG European/High Clarity Lidding Film

- Doesn't contain PVDC.
- Peel seals to CPET trays.
- Suitable for conventional oven and microwavable applications (when pierced).
- Offers a long shelf life and is suitable for ready meals, antipasto, dairy, fish, meat and produce.

LFOT---U45 European High Barrier/High Clarity Lidding Film

- Doesn't contain PVDC.
- Clean peel seals to aluminium trays.
- Microwavable applications (when pierced) must be removed before placing any trays in a conventional oven.
- Suitable for ready meals, fish, meat and produce.



Locally Produced Lidding Film Solutions

FMLM---U80MPP4

- Peelable and microwaveable (when pierced).
- Suitable for ready meals, antipasto, and dairy.

FMLM---U62 Low Barrier 62um

- A peel-able film that seals to PP trays.
- Moderate barrier for shorter shelf-life products.
- Suitable for antipasto, ready meals, and wet salads.

FMLM---U55 High Barrier 55um

- Lock seal to PP trays.
- Microwavable.
- Suitable for ready meals, antipasto, and dairy.

FMLM---U35 High Barrier

- Lock Seal to PET trays.
- Microwavable and oven-able.
- Suitable for ready meals, antipasto, dairy and bakery.

Pacmax 27um Medium Barrier Skin Lidding

- Seals to mono PP and PE laminated trays.
- Anti-fog, high clarity offering and excellent yield benefit.
- Presents excellent memory during shelf life. (remains tight)
- Suitable for ready meals, lasagna, meat, poultry, and fish.

Pacmax 25um Medium Barrier Skin Lidding Film

- Seals to PE laminated trays.
- Anti-fog, high clarity offering and excellent yield benefit.
- Present excellent memory during shelf life. (Remains Tight).
- Suitable for Lasagna, meat, poultry and fish.

Pacmax 100-125um High Barrier Skin Lidding Film

- Sticks to CPET, PP, PET and PE (lock seal to PE).
- Allows for vertical shelf-life presentation (holds the product in place).
- Suitable in a variety of applications allowing for deeper tray applications.
- High abuse applications, seafood, ready meals, meat, and poultry.





Tray Solutions

PP Trays

- Mono PP trays offer low barrier.
- Microwavable.
- Suitable for ready meals, poultry, or anything with a short shelf life.
- Can be skin packed, MAP or top seal.

PP/PE Barrier Trays

- Trays are made of PP/PE/EVOH high barrier.
- Suitable for fresh meats, pasta, poultry, seafood, and possibly ready meals but not always recommended.
- Can be skin packed, MAP, or top seal.

PET Trays

- APET or RPET medium natural barrier.
- Not microwavable.
- Suitable for salads, biscuits, cakes, and anything that doesn't require heat.

Smoothwall Aluminium Trays

- 100% recyclable and environmentally friendly.
- Heat resistant up to 400c
- Suitable for grilling, BBQ, oven cooking and the microwave.
- Suitable for gas flushing, vacuum packing, MAP and CAP.



Service Product Solutions

Pallet Stretch Wrap

- Stretchable plastic film made from linear low-density polyethylene.
- Available in gauges of 20um and 25um.

Hand Stretch Film

- Commonly known as hand stretch wrap.
- Available in 20um.

Packaging Tape

- High-grade packing tape for your cartons.
- We supply this tape in 48m x 1000m rolls.





Pouch and Bag Solutions

Pouches

Through cross-director ownership we can now offer a wide range of pouch designs and thicknesses, these are generally produced to a customer's product and requirements.

Our pouch offerings include:

- Stand up doy with and without reseal zip lock.
- Three side seal bags, these can be top or bottom film.
- 4 corner K-seal Bags.
- Large format block bottom bags with and without spout application.
- Printing is also available in up to 8 colours.





Vacuum Pouches

- We hold a wide range of imported and locally produced vacuum barrier bags.
- Gauge 70um (higher gauge films for high applications can be supplied upon request.
- Most common sizes are off-shelf, or we can custom-make locally upon request based on MOQ.
- Suitable for all proteins and processed veggies etc.





DFC has a partnership with Extreme Packaging who are a renowned manufacturer dedicated to producing high-quality shrink bags, PP trays, and PET trays.

With their state-of-the-art facility and advanced technologies, their comprehensive range meets the diverse needs of customers.

You can expect reliable and efficient manufacturing processes that result in top-notch shrink bags that offer:

- High barrier for fresh protein meats, seafood, and cheese.
- Low barrier for full chickens.
- Suitable for high abuse and can be used in large processing plants- poultry, abattoirs, cheese, and seafood plants.
- Excellent clarity, no purge and better shelf life.



Shrink Sleeve Solutions

Our Sleeves division is the market leader in supplying decorative shrink sleeves.

Evidently, in today's marketing strategy product promotion and shelf appeal are crucial as they provide the manufacturer with visible eye-catching total product coverage. Our department is fully equipped to ensure our shrink sleeve labels mould to the shape of bottles and packages to ensure you are given the perfect product finish.

Tamper Evident Sleeves

Is your product safe?

- Visible Method.
- Ensures your products reach the end user.
- Can supply printed or clear with perforations for ease of removal.

Multipack Shrink Sleeves

- Great for special promotions of products or selling products in bulk.
- Easy to transport and display.

Decorative Shrink Label- PVC, PET and OPS

- Print up to 8 colours plus adhesive.
- High Shrink Labels with up to 65% shrink rate available.
- Flexible for any kind of container/bottle
- Optional perforation, adhesive, tear tab, UV additives, matte finish.

Shrink Sleeve Dome Bags-PVC

- Specifically shaped to suit your product.
- Ideal for irregularly shaped products that require a tamper seal.
- Printing and perforation available.

Shrink Pre-Forms PVC

- Preformed to suit almost any shape.
- Simple to apply and great shrink ability.
- Optional tear tab, perforation, and UV additives.
- Freezer grade available.

Shrink Sleeve Tubing- PVC, PET and OPS

- Clear or colour-extruded tubing is available.
- Printing available.











Shrink Sleeve Equipment

NSV High-Speed Sleeve Applicator

Developed to meet the stringent standards of many highend users. Our sleeve applicator is capable of presenting roll-fed shrink sleeves cut to the correct length for square, round and irregularly shaped containers.

The units can run plain and printed sleeving materials in full body or tamper evident type formats.

The changeover from product to product is quite simple as 5 sets of parameters can be stored in the PLC with minor operator adjustments being made for the height and width of the product.

Shrink Sleeve Tunnel

We can supply a wide range of shrink tunnels to suit various applications be it steam-based or blown air.

The design and size of the tunnel are imperative to achieve a first-class finish on your glass or plastic container.







Entry Level Automatic Tray Sealers

Operate exclusively on electricity and don't require compressed air and/or water cooling systems.

These tray sealers can be configured to MAP and skin, can pack anywhere from 4 to 40 packs per minute and are suitable for PP, PE, PS, C-PET, A-PET, Cardboard, Alu, and others.



Mid-Range Automatic Tray Sealers

Designed to be fully customisable and offer maximum flexibility adapting perfectly to any production requirement.

These tray sealers can be configured for MAP and skin, can pack anywhere from 10 to 150 packs per minute and are suitable for PP, PE, PS, C-PET, A-PET, Cardboard, Alu, and others.



Semi Automatic Tray Sealers

Offer an output of up to 24 packs per minute and are capable of either sealing only or closure with a MAP (Vacuum and gas).

They are suitable for PP, PE, PS, C-PET, A-PET, EPP, EPET, Cardboard, Alu etc.







Reepack thermoforming machines are suitable for processing flexible and rigid film, with different thicknesses for several film widths, forming depth and cut-off length.

Features of the machines include user-friendly HMI controllers, stainless steel frames and sheetings for easy sanitation in wash-down environments and can be customised with different features to fulfil any packaging demand.

Reepack's thermoforming lines consist of two models the Ree-Form E-Series and the Reeform T-Series.

ReeForm E- Series

Flexible and compact thermoform, fill, seal packaging machines capable of processing flexible and rigid films.



ReeForm T- Series

High-performance customisable thermoforming machines capable of processing flexible and rigid film, with different thicknesses for several film widths, forming depths, and cut-off lengths.





Weighing and Dosing Equipment

DFC is excited to partner with Miele, who has been in the business of building high-quality packing machines for over 50 years.

Their systems are designed for small to larger size operations and are designed to meet the most varied market needs.



Vertical Form Fill Seal Machines

Their extensive range of VFFS machines offer a solution for most packing requirements such as pillow packs, gusset to stand-up Doy, Stabilo and block/double block bottom packs.

These machines provide turnkey solutions for dry foods, coffee, frozen foods, liquids, pharmaceuticals, biscuits, fresh-cut produce and many more.

Multi Weigh Head Systems

The Multihead weighers are completely integrated into the packaging line and offer extreme dosing precision.

Auger and Belt Weigh Dosers

The Auger and belt weight dosers are completely integrated into the packaging line and offer extreme dosing precision, elevated productivity and are easy to use with complete integration into the packing line.

They are known for their reliable performance and high-quality materials.





Flow Wrapping Equipment

DFC leverages years of experience and expertise in flow wrapping technology to deliver state-of-the-art flow wrappers that ensure efficient and precise packaging of a wide range of products.

These units we supply are capable of running both plain and printed film.



Pouch Filling Equipment

Our Pouch sealing machines deliver an automated packaging solution to your production line. Our units are capable of running most pouches and can run in conjunction with a vertical system or liquid filling unit.



Rotary Doy Pouch Machine

Our rotary doy machines that can pack at speeds of up to 60ppm.



Mini Doy Pouch Machine

Our entry-level mini rotary doy machines can pack at speeds of up to 8-10ppm.

Shrink Wrapping Equipment

We specialize in cutting-edge shrink-wrapping equipment designed to streamline your packaging processes, ensuring efficiency, durability, and offer superior protection for your products.



High-Speed Shrink Machines

These machines are designed for high-speed operation, capable of wrapping many products per minute, which helps increase productivity and throughput.

Automatic L-Bar Sealer

Our automatic L-bar sealers can reach up to 35 packs per minute. They are reliable, well-designed, and suitable for most packaging requirements.



Shrink Tunnels

Can be supplied in a variety of different setups and is available with roller conveyors or Teflon mesh belts depending on the product requirement. All units offer a fully adjustable airflow to all sides of your product.



One-Step Wrapping Unit

Well constructed and uses a simple but reliable electrical control system to ensure you keep running when needed.



Bundle Wrappers

Capable of either heat seal or lap seal type sealing machines.





Food Processing Equipment

DFC are the local agents for Quantum who pride themselves on their ability to provide innovative designs. Their mechanical engineers create and scrutinise every component in the system.



WS 100 Waterfall Sauce Applicator

The Waterfall sauce applicators are capable of evenly applying sauce in a continuous curtain onto products as they pass below. The sauce is automatically applied over the entire product as it passes below. The excess sauce is recirculated and reused.

TC-5 Waterfall Topping applicator

Deposits a variety of toppings such as cheese, IQF vegetables and meats onto the product at speeds up to 80 feet per minute. Portable and compact, the TC-5 reduces waste, increases productivity and ensures consistent coverage.



Conveyorised Target Pepperoni System

Utilises one independent target pepperoni head per lane. It's multiple lane, continuous motion conveyor uses state-of-the-art motor drive technology to precisely position the product under the target slicer allowing long product slicing area, consistent slice thickness, accurate pepperoni placement and simple touch screen controls.

Granular Applicator

Capable of evenly applying a variety of toppings to your product.



Material Handling Equipment

Our range of material handling equipment, are designed to optimise efficiency, ensure safety, and streamline operations in your packaging environment.



Carton Erectors

Automatically assembles cardboard and corrugated cartons/boxes. It offers ease of operation with quick and easy adjustment.

Carton Tapers

Various types such as side drive, top and side drive models. These units streamline the taping process and ensure consistent and secure tape application.



Rotary Tables

Dish or bowl-type format. One metre in length and are available in stainless steel.



Conveyors

Packing line conveyors are available in various lengths and belt widths. We also supply expandable/gravity roller conveyors that are available in carbon/stainless steel.

Pallet Wrappers

These units streamline the palletising and shipping process. Simple in design, easy to operate and maintain and are a fully automatic machine.

QA Equipment

Metal Detector

These units can be purpose-built for your product dimensions. Features include:

- LCD with simple operation.
- Multi-functional with HMI control panel and optional reject systems.





Check Weigher

Used to detect the weight of a product's "target weight" while auto-selecting and will detect unqualified products. Features include:

- Touch screen and PLC.
- Easy to operate.
- Stainless steel structure that ensures stable performance and precise weighing.

Metal Detectors/Check Weigher Combination

We offer combined units in metal/weight detection. Features include:

- High-speed and stable weighing.
- Powerful calculation function, which can record every checking data.



Labelling Equipment

Labelling Machines

We have labelling equipment to suit wide and varied applications – from wrap-around bottle labelling, to top and bottom packaging labelling for trays, bags or portioned products.

Our applications offer:

- Reliability and efficiency.
- Cost-effective.
- Tailored to your application requirements.



Pack Service Multipack Cartoning

DFC has partnered with Pack Service who specialise in the design and manufacture of machinery and materials for multipack, cartoning machines and overwrapping systems.

Features of their machinery include:

- High performance and reliability.
- Low maintenance costs.
- Low environmental impact.







Cartoning and Case Packing

DFC has partnered with Econcorp who are the leading manufacturers of case packing, cartoning and tray-forming equipment.

Features of their machinery include:

- Heavy-duty and sanitary stainless steel construction.
- Made from high-quality materials.
- Simple and reliable to increase volume and decrease labour hours.





Sacmi Packaging and its tray-forming division offer various machines for produce and industrial applications for primary and secondary packaging requirements.

Features of their machinery include:

- · High performance and quick changeovers
- Come equipped for applications such as fresh produce and many more.







Butter Wrapping Equipment

Vezzadini has been developing and manufacturing packaging machines for margarine, butter and fresh cheese.

Their range of machinery includes:

- Dosing and wrapping machines.
- Filling and sealing for preformed containers.
- Bulk filling machines.









At the Matias Group we use our skill, network and genuine passion for Commercial Finance to partner with our clients to make their business stronger.

MATIAS VENDOR

MATIAS Group provide all commercial finance options on behalf of DFC Packaging for their range of commercial equipment and machinery. Our flexible finance solutions allow DFC clients to purchase equipment whilst optimising their cash flow.

Without being restricted to up front investment, clients have more freedom to grow their businesses and access the equipment they need to thrive.



We utilise market leading LOGIC technology to digitally analyse your business and match you to the best commercial finance solution across the entire market.



Throughout the entire process we provide efficient, concierge style service, allowing you to maintain focus on business operations.



We work with your accountant to ensure your finance is structured correctly for your business.

FINANCE SOLUTIONS



ASSET & EQUIPMENT FINANCE

Purchase or upgrade the equipment and assets your business needs to operate efficiently and to grow, whatever your industry.



WORKING CAPITAL FINANCE

Unlock an abundance of new business opportunities or prevent decline with access to fast, flexible and convenient cash.



VEHICLE FINANCE

Whether you need a car or a fleet of cars, a truck, trailer or heavy vehicles, we make purchasing and financing commercial vehicles easy.



DEBTOR & INVOICE FINANCE

Unlock money tied up in your debtors ledger for immediate growth and cash flow into your business.



TRADE & SUPPLIER FINANCE

Access terms to pay your suppliers, giving you time to turn your product into revenue without affecting your cash flow.



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