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Continental Adds Two Stack Drying Tumblers to Pro-Series II Line

Oshkosh, Wis.—Continental Girbau recently added two stack drying tumblers to its Pro-Series II line. The SuperStack90 (two 45-pound capacity pockets) and Stack60 (two 30-pound capacity pockets) deliver more basket capacity and productivity per square foot than most other stack tumblers on the market, according to Joel Jorgensen, Continental vice president of sales and customer services. Designed to pack more capacity into a smaller footprint, the tumblers are Continental's most energy-efficient stacks ever – delivering superior programmability, simple installation and ease of use.

The SuperStack90 and Stack60 deliver 20 percent more capacity, respectively, when compared to 75- and 50-pound capacity single-pocket models. "With more basket capacity per square foot, laundries improve productivity without sacrificing elbowroom, workflow and machine accessibility," said Jorgensen. "Additionally, both units fit through a standard 34.5-inch doorway, adding to ease of installation, and save valuable space." When compared to a 75-pound capacity single-pocket dryer, the SuperStack90 takes up 18.1 percent less space. Similarly, the Stack 60 takes up 25.8 percent less space than a 50-pound capacity unit. Greater production in less space spells operational savings for your laundry!

The tumblers' superior energy-efficiency is achieved through axial airflow – an advanced drying technology in which heated air is directed through the load from back to front. Perforated cylinders and lifting ribs on the inside of the drum maximize tumbling action and airflow. The result is fast, efficient drying to improve productivity and energy-efficiency, according to Jorgensen. "Independent laboratory testing confirms that the Pro-Series II Stack Dryers are Continental's fastest drying and most efficient on-premise stack drying tumblers ever," he said.

“The test data also shows that they are more efficient than other like models on the market – requiring fewer BTUs per load.”

The Microprocessor Control on the SuperStack90 and Stack60 allows on-premise laundries to customize temperature and time according to the types of items being dried. The programmable control also features a digital display with cycle countdown, cool-down, rapid advance option, cycle cancel option, auditing feature and electronic diagnostics. It offers three temperature options, including “High,” “Medium” and “Low,” which are programmable from 100-190°F; and a “Delicates” option programmable from 0-160°F. There are three methods for programming heated drying, including a fixed time/dry in minutes and seconds; fixed time/dry with top-off (minutes added at the end of the cycle); and timed programmed per use. The control is simple to program and easy to use, according to Jorgensen. “Both Pro-Series II stack models feature a separate microprocessor control for each tumbler pocket. That’s good news, because each pocket can be programmed to dry different items simultaneously.”

Durability characterizes Pro-Series II Drying Tumblers. They feature rugged cylinders, dual motors to provide separate power for basket rotation and airflow, and kick-plates, cart bumpers and door bars to protect tumblers from outside impacts. Their oversized doors are constructed of premium steel and secured with heavy-duty hinges. To ensure durability and reduce linen wear, each cylinder also features an annealed stainless steel backplate, which reduces friction against tumbling laundry. For safety, an automatic high-limit thermostat only allows the dryer to achieve a set temperature.

To find out more about Continental’s new Pro-Series II SuperStack90 and Stack60 Drying Tumblers, backed by a 3-year factory warranty, visit www.continentalgirbau.com, or call 800-256-1073.

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