



# Singing from the HEIDELBERG hymn sheet

packwise-africa and HEIDELBERG Southern Africa announce collaboration on Gallus range of products.

**PACKWISE-AFRICA – together with HEIDELBERG – is poised to transform the industry by opening significant business diversification and growth opportunities for local converters.**

Cape Town-based consulting, equipment sales and service agency for label and flexible packaging converters packwise-africa is proud to announce that it has partnered with HEIDELBERG Southern Africa on the Gallus range of products in a move that will inevitably increase its product portfolio for the label and flexible packaging industry in South Africa.

At the beginning of August, packwise-africa managing director Uwe Bögl officially entered into a collaboration agreement with HEIDELBERG Southern Africa on the prestigious Gallus agency. Gallus being a subsidiary of the HEIDELBERG Group. 'We're extremely excited and dedicated to growing the footprint of Gallus in Southern Africa together with Marc Lotter's team at HEIDELBERG Southern Africa,' Uwe comments.

Uwe, who attended the Gallus' centenary celebrations and launch of the new 'Experience Centre' in St. Gallen, Switzerland in June, believes the new co-operation with HEIDELBERG will provide maximum productivity and cost-efficiency for label printers in South Africa.



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Driven by the brand-new and market-leading Gallus One digital inkjet press, the well-established Gallus ECS and Labelmaster as well as the flagship Gallus RCS, Uwe has identified massive opportunities for label converters to boost their efficiency, productivity and print quality both in digital as well as conventional flexographic printing.

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Gallus One's automatic ultrasonic cleaning systems are another feature that's almost unheard of in the industry. 'From the Vision system, the Gallus ONE will automatically determine whether the printheads require cleaning. The ultrasonic technology will clean and purge the printheads in under a minute. The



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