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# Air Tucking In (ATI)

## Working principle

Air tuckers, compatible with continuous reeds in case of airjet, can be a value-adding replacement for mechanical tuckers in applications where higher machine speeds can be achieved. Users can achieve cost-effective tucked selvedges, also with one or more center tuckers (multi-panel weaving). Switching between tucking-in and leno selvedges is easy, making your looms more flexible and versatile.

The air tucker uses a suction device to hold the filling-end during beat-up, a cutter for constant tip length and an air nozzle to insert the tip of the filling-end back into the fabric guaranteeing a short and smooth selvedge for your airjet or rapier weaving machine.

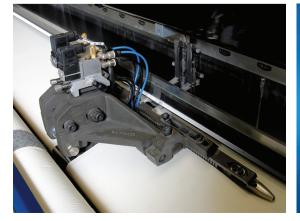
#### **Advantages**

- No lubrication, no risk of staining the fabric
- · No moving mechanicanical parts, low maintenance
- · Easy transformation from leno to tucker and vice versa
- No speed limitation compared to mechanical tucking-in
- Available on cut (rapier) and continuous (airjet) reed execution
- The tucked selvedge is excellent to go through finishing processes
- Multi-panel weaving with air-tucked selvedges without cutting the reed

### Application

The air tuckers can be installed on weaving machines currently equipped with leno selvedge systems or with mechanical tucking-in. Left, center and right air tuckers are available on cut and continuous reed.

### PATENTED





#### AVAILABLE ON AIRJET:

- OMNIplus
- OMNI*plus* 800
- OMNI*plus* 800 TC
- OMNI*plus* Summum
- OmniPlus-*i*
- OmniPlus-i Connect
- OmniPlus-i TC Connect

#### AVAILABLE ON RAPIER:

- OptiMax
- OptiMax-i
- OptiMax-*i Connect*

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