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Revolutionize Battery Changing with Sackett's NorthStar System



NorthStar Battery Changing System

Perform battery changes in one minute or less and safely store up to 10 batteries high with the innovative, super-efficient fully-automated NorthStar Battery Changing System. [Click here to see the NorthStar System in action.](#)

The NorthStar System features a unique Super-Xchanger that automatically swaps out a battery in less than one minute and coordinates with an Integrated Battery Management System for

optimized battery rotation and improved battery performance. The system safely stores batteries to 10 high requiring less than 60' of ceiling height and, with its modular design, is easily configured to most building requirements.

For more information on the new NorthStar System contact Sackett, your battery management partner, at sales@sackett-systems.com or call 1-800-323-8332

“ A Word from One of Our Customers

“We, at Uline, pride ourselves on our superior customer service and, therefore, really appreciate the excellent customer service we have received from Sackett Systems.

“Uline is the leading distributor of shipping, industrial, and packing materials to businesses throughout North America. Our company has grown rapidly during its 28 year history.

“With our explosive growth, we realized we had to get more out of our equipment and, to increase the utilization of our lift trucks, we had to increase the battery fleet. That’s when we first turned to Sackett. Now 90% of the battery management equipment we buy is from Sackett. We have a wide variety of Sackett equipment from Hydra-Handlers to other equipment for battery storage, handling and charging.

“Chris Lareau, our Sackett salesman, has been an outstanding person to work with. He joined Sackett just after we installed our first Hydra-Handler, which required lots of electrical connections. We mentioned the difficulties associated with trying to make so many electrical connections for all the chargers. Chris worked with the Sackett engineers and developed a prewired panel the reduced our electrical

Company History

The Sackett tradition of durability, quality and reliability began in 1897, when the company was established in Chicago, IL as H.B. Sackett Screen and Chute Co. Serving the coal industry, we produced Hi Carbo steel chutes and screens. In 1913, our Loading and Screening Outfits were timed to empty, deliver and screen 3 to 5 tons of coal from silos in 1-1/2 to 3 minutes - a record that still stands.

From the coal industry, Sackett branched out to providing the paper mill and concrete distributing industries with material handling equipment.



Standard Loading Outfit

In the 1950's, Sackett Systems became an innovator in battery handling equipment, developing, among other systems, the first lifting beam, transfer cart, battery roller stand and battery changing system. Over the years, Sackett has developed many of the industry's most innovative products.

2007 saw the debut of Sackett's revolutionary super-efficient fully-automated Northstar System, an unmanned battery changing system which changes batteries in one minute or less and can safely store batteries up to 10 high.

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“ installation costs and time to a fraction of what it used to take. We now buy these panels on every new Hydra-Handler System and couldn't be more pleased with Sackett's cost saving ideas.

“I have tried other companies, but always come back to Sackett because their equipment is built to last – more rugged, sturdier, and beefier than their competitors. Holds up better in the real world.”

Ronn Cypher
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Keep Your Battery Room Safe, Clean, And Compliant

Sackett Systems' wide range of battery room accessories are designed to keep your battery room safe, clean, and compliant. Click on the links below for further information on our complete line of battery room accessories:

- [Pogo sticks](#)
- [Battery cable retractors](#)
- [Battery Spill Kits](#)
- [Safety Equipment Kits](#)
- [Shower and Eye Wash Units](#)
- [Power Distribution Panels](#)
- [Battery Watering Carts and Guns](#)



Battery Spill Kit