



*To ensure that the sheet lies completely flat before it enters the printing zone it is pressed down with the aid of blown air. In small and medium format machines this is effected by a hollow body. The contours of this body and the position of the holes were carefully determined so that all printing formats and any format can be handled without need to re-set the device.*

*In large format machines it is desirable to adapt the press-down effect to the individual requirements of the sheet and forme. For this reason the blow device has adjustable tube segments. Such a tube segment effects the currents shown in the above illustration. A strong uniform blow effect can be seen.*