



## **NEWS RELEASE**

### **Alpine Announces Availability of SpeedSet Table Retrofit System**

**Glenview, IL., August 22, 2016** – Alpine announces immediate availability of its SpeedSet Table Retrofit System August 22, 2016, enabling owners of Alpine’s most popular version of plastic topped truss assembly tables to upgrade to an automated table system.

“Upgrading to the Alpine SpeedSet automated table system will substantially increase table productivity. Labor spent setting up the assembly table can now be focused on building trusses, thus increasing efficiency and profits,” said Elizabeth Lisiecki, Business Manager, Equipment at Alpine.

#### **Positive Customer Impact**

Customers will benefit from installing the system in several ways. The system will automate all pucks, allowing set-up within 60 seconds. All new software provides intuitive operation, simplifies trouble shooting and provides snap features to move both pucks and trusses on the table. New plastic table tops still allow for manual blocking when necessary.

The optional SmartView package allows the truss builder to view the truss on a screen or TV, showing all of the information that is typically found on a print. The builder can see plate information and location, lumber size and truss dimensions. A zoom feature and snap dimensions enhance the viewing experience.

Power liftouts and walkway bridges are available to complete the system.

Updating a table with the Alpine SpeedSet provides the customer with a modern, automated system at approximately half the cost of a new table system. The design of the Alpine SpeedSet was driven by customer feedback and is part of Alpine’s commitment to deliver the latest products to increase plant efficiency and productivity.

## **About Alpine**

Recognized for its engineering excellence, productivity-enhancing software and equipment solutions, and the industry's best service, Alpine is a leading provider of building component software, metal connector products and equipment to component manufacturers. Since 1966, the company has partnered closely with customers to enhance their business and productivity. Alpine is also a leader in delivering software solutions that increase homebuilder productivity and profitability. The company is a division of Illinois Tool Works Inc., a Fortune 250 global multi-industrial manufacturing leader with revenues totaling \$13.4 billion in 2015. For additional information, visit [alpineitw.com](http://alpineitw.com).

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