



# NEWS RELEASE

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## Simple, durable: The new DPE Series Gripper

Auburn Hills, Mich.—DE-STA-CO, a worldwide leader in robotic tooling, workholding and flexible industrial automation solutions, announces the release of a new Electric Parallel Gripper that incorporates the economy and simplicity of brushed motor technology without sacrificing durability.

The DPE Series Electric Parallel Gripper is designed for any application currently using pneumatic grippers. The DPE Series requires no programming, tuning or adjusting on site—it is truly “plug and play” technology. The simple “light switch” operation requires only a 24 VDC power supply. And even with its 100-percent duty cycle, the new gripper generates very little heat.

Durability is another benefit of the new DPE Series Electric Parallel Gripper. Because of its simple design, it requires no maintenance—ever. It has the lowest cost of ownership when compared to either pneumatic grippers or other electric models. And its rugged rack-and-pinion synchronization and drive are designed to achieve a 25-million-parts grip life.

The DPE Series Electric Parallel Gripper can handle up to 120 parts per minute and can achieve grip force of 20 lbs (90N). The fully sealed motor housing protects against contaminants and moisture in the toughest applications.

The new DPE Series Electric Parallel Gripper is fast, energy efficient, and its lightweight, compact design makes it ideal for use in crowded assembly or laboratory settings.

### About DE-STA-CO

DE-STA-CO, a Dover Company, is a worldwide leader in the innovation, design, manufacture and support of clamping, gripping, indexing, transfer and robotic tooling solutions for workplace and automation needs.

The company has two major business units: Automation and Workholding, and has operations in all major continents.

The company is committed to the Team DE-STA-CO philosophy, a progressive approach to doing business that focuses on providing consistent, standard-setting service and products to every customer, regardless of geographic location.

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