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The Mimaki UjV-160 UV was shown at VISCOM Germany '07 as a prototype. An alpha stage or beta stage of this printer will be shown at additional trade shows during 2008.

This is the first serious roll-to-roll UV printer under 3-meters in width. As soon as access is facilitated, we will be able to study this printer and issue an actual report. But in the meantime we at least wanted to let people know that this kind of printer is in preparation.

FLAAR Reports are already available on the two NUR roll-to-roll UV printers, based on two trips to their demo center, factory, R&D facilities and international headquarters in Israel.

FLAAR Reports will be available shortly on the Durst Rho 351R, based on three days in their demo center, factory and international headquarters in Brixen, northern Italy, during February 2008.

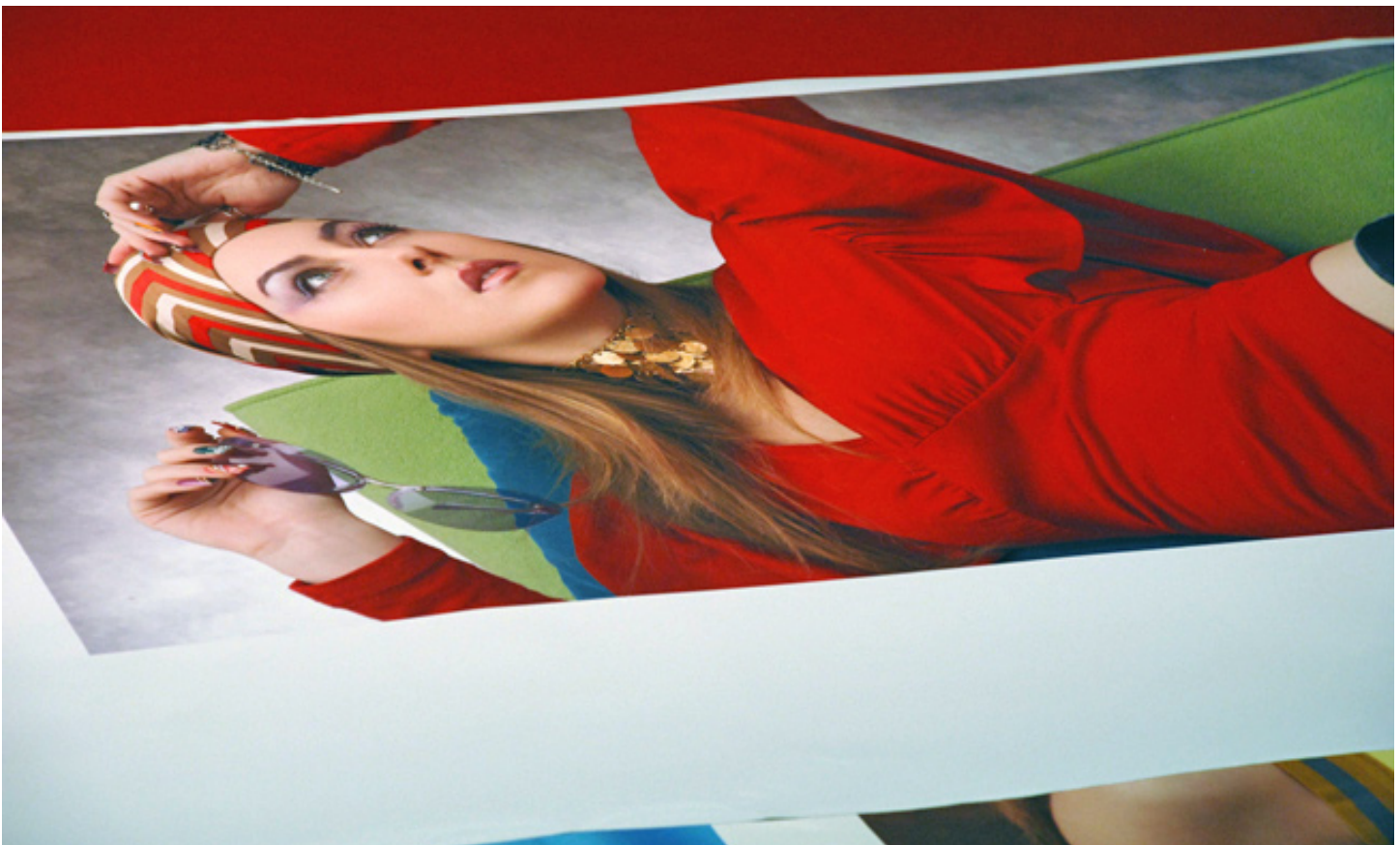
There is a short FLAAR Report on the roll-to-roll Gandinnovations UV printer based on a site-visit case study to a digital printshop in Lisbon, Portugal.

The next most likely roll-to-roll UV printer report would be on the Matan Barak if it is possible to test this in their factory and demo room.

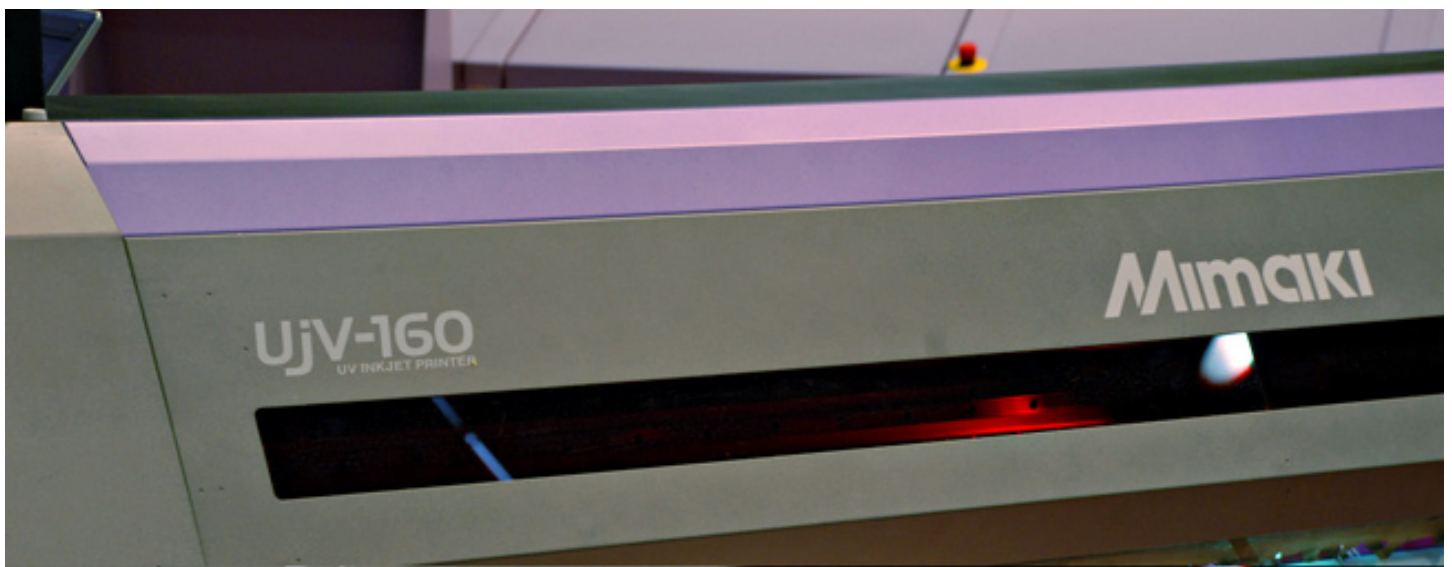
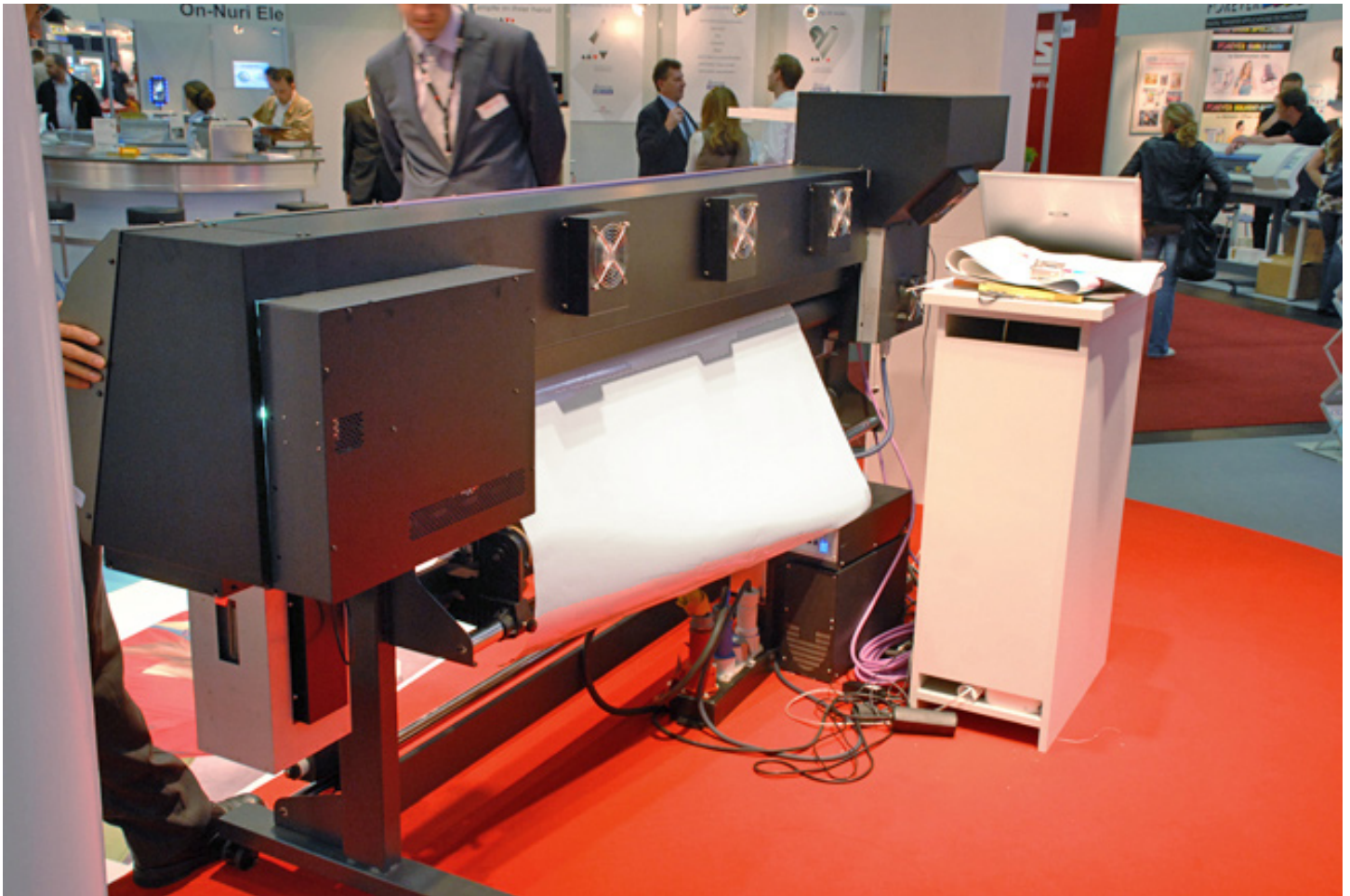
No FLAAR Reports are available on the VUTEK QS roll-to-roll printer because there has not yet been an opportunity to test this in their demo room.

There is no FLAAR Report on the HP Scitex roll-to-roll printer because of issues with it's X2 printheads. This we discuss in our report on UV printers at SGIA '07. Now that HP has purchased NUR, it is unsure whether the earlier HP Scitex roll-to-roll printers will be released with X2 printheads. This will become clearer after ISA '08 and especially after FESPA Digital in Geneva and DRUPA '08 in Duesseldorf.

The FLAAR Report on the GRAPO Octopus has been available for two years and has recently been updated. Although this can, in theory, take rigid materials, it is really best only for roll-fed materials.









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