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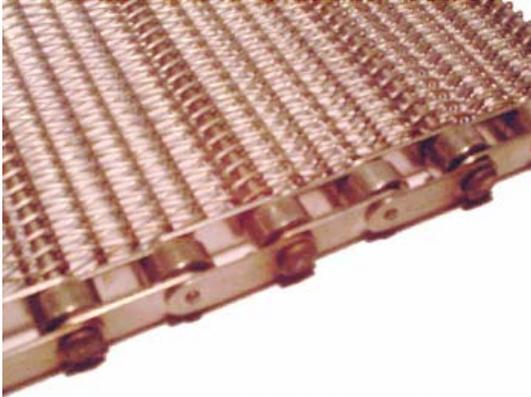
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UNCRATING WOVEN BELTS

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**READ THIS
BEFORE UNCRATING OR
INSTALLING YOUR BELT**

On wide mesh belts or belts with long spirals, extreme care must be taken during uncrating and installation, to prevent permanent damage to the mesh.

Pull on the belt with uniform tension across the full width to prevent unseating of the spirals from the crimped connectors. A section that has become unseated will create a waviness (pockets, bulges, or spirals standing up on end) in the mesh surface when tension is applied. **THIS CAN CAUSE PERMANENT MESH DISTORTION IF NOT CORRECTED IMMEDIATELY.** Keep the belt under tension whenever possible. Avoid undue handling while joining sections, uncrating, etc. If waviness appears, remove all tension in that local area and smooth out (reseat) the spirals by hand. Recheck under tension. Repeat the process as necessary. "Pockets" not removed may cause accelerated wear on the mesh surface in that area or mistracking of the belt.

REMEMBER TO WATCH THE BELT FOR UNSEATED SPIRALS CAREFULLY DURING UNCRATING AND INSTALLATION TO GET THE BEST SERVICE FROM YOUR NEW BELT.

If you have any problems or concerns consult Ashworth's Product Engineering.

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