

Filter Belts

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Dewatering Press Belt Start Up Tip

We would like to help eliminate the creasing of a brand new press belt with a few rules to follow. You may see similar instructions in your OEM manual. These instructions came from the dewatering experts in the field with many years of experience.

Check for sludge build up on the rollers and remove. You now have your new belt installed and ready to tension it up.

- (1) Before tensioning make sure to wet the belts and rollers to help lubricate.
- (2) Add tension to 50% of normal pressure and run the belts for 10 to 15 minutes with **wash water running**.
- (3) Add more tension to 75% and repeat for 10 to 15 minutes.
- (4) Bring tension to your normal settings and run for another 10 to 15 minutes and you have now properly seated your dewatering press belt for smooth operating.

There will be more tips to come that will help get the longevity and performance required for optimal performance. Thanks for what you folks do to keep our environment clean and safe. Please feel free to call or email with your questions.

“We cannot direct the wind, but we can adjust the sails”

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