



Summary

Industry:	Printing and Publishing
Application:	Magazine Insertion Machine
Actual Saving:	£800
Payback Period:	1 day

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Reduced Downtime with Fenner PowerTwist Belts

The ideal problem solving belt

ISSUE

A newspaper printing company in Manchester were experiencing reliability problems on one of their magazine insertion machines.

Due to the shaft design of the machine, the only way to replace the failing belts would be to remove the full side of the machine and the drive gear - which would mean the customer losing the machine for a full two shifts while the work was carried out by two engineers.

SOLUTION

The local ERIKS service centre visited the site with one of their Drives Technical Specialists to provide a quick, reliable solution. Following initial inspection of the application it was suggested that the failing belt drives should be replaced with Fenner PowerTwist vee belts.

PowerTwist vee belts save time on installation because no special tools are required, all that is needed is a quick twist both to couple and uncouple the belt.

The customers engineers could now simply thread the new Fenner PowerTwist belting around the drive pulleys and join the two ends together. The maintenance was carried out on-site within 15 minutes, instead of the 16-hour machine strip down the customer was expecting to carry out.

OTHER BENEFITS

- Can be made to any length in minutes
- No special tools required
- Adaptable to any drive
- Water, chemical and oil resistant

FURTHER COMMENTS...

The customer had his machine back working to full production in a very short space of time, saving time and money.

MORE INFORMATION

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