

# Technical Bulletin

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**Mettler-Toledo, Inc.**  
**Scales & Systems**

**Number: MTFW-17-00**  
**Date: 7-07-00**  
**Model: 645**  
**Subject: Motor Drive Belts**

645 motor drive belts with the brand name OPTIBELT have proven to be unreliable. These belts can stretch and not fit properly against the drive pulleys if belt tension is set too tight. This condition can be exhibited by the motors stalling and in extreme cases can cause the motor shafts to break off.

It is recommended that during the next visit, the motor drive belts should be inspected, if found to be OPTIBELT brand they should be replaced with belts with brand name of MEGADYNE.

All truck stock and parts depots should be inspected and return any of the OPTIBELT brands to MTAM for replacement.