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Soft Touch Infeed (STI) -- All CC93 Model Trimmers

Belvac has introduced a Quality Improved Infeed Design "**Soft Touch Infeed" (STI)** for all CC93 Model Trimmers to virtually eliminate scuffing and scratches. This design offers advanced technology in response to changes in the industry's metal thickness and line speeds.

Belvac's new design, referred to as the "**Soft Touch Infeed" (STI)** accommodates the industry's lighter-weight 2-piece beer and beverage cans, and higher line speeds. It offers significantly greater control throughout the infeed path, and a gentler trimming transition into the main turret of the CC93 Trimmer.

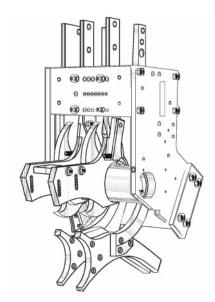
Other features and benefits for the STI are:

- " Maintained existing drive & pulley ratios
- " Non-adjusting rails eliminate operator guesswork
- " Economically viable CC93 half tower retrofits available
- " Utilizes the existing lower rails, scrap duct, jam detection, guarding, and side plate spacers
- " Field-tested results over 90% reduction of "scuffing" and "scratching"
- Field-testing with aluminum and steel cans at speeds of 350-400 CPM

NOTE: Existing infeed height change parts will not be applicable to the STI design. Additionally, older era CC93 Trimmers will require upgrades to latest technology (e.g., pin stop mechanism).

The **STI** will be standard on all new Belvac CC93 Trimmers shipped after December 1, 2001. The unit requires approximately 6 hours to install when purchased as a half tower.

Please contact Belvac Technical Service Representatives or email info@belvac.com with existing Trimmer serial numbers, for retrofit quotations or additional information.



Half Tower Retrofit

