



Increasing Web Throughput with Core and Roll Centering Shafts

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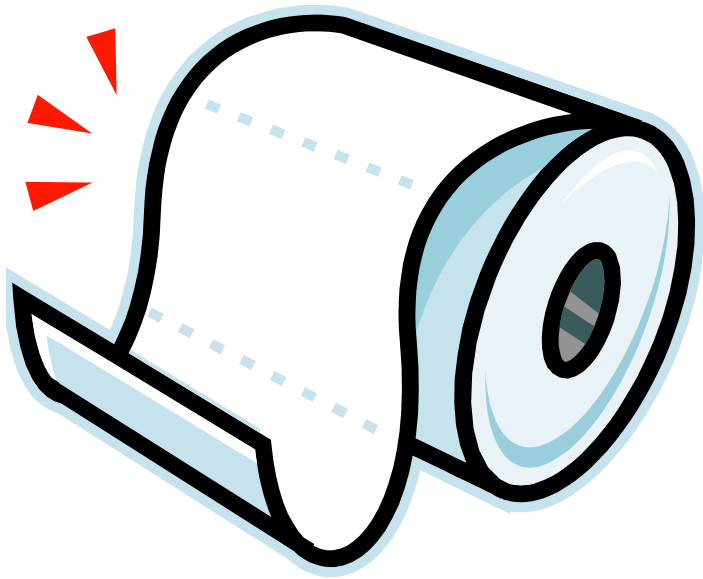
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Winding has existed almost as long as
writing

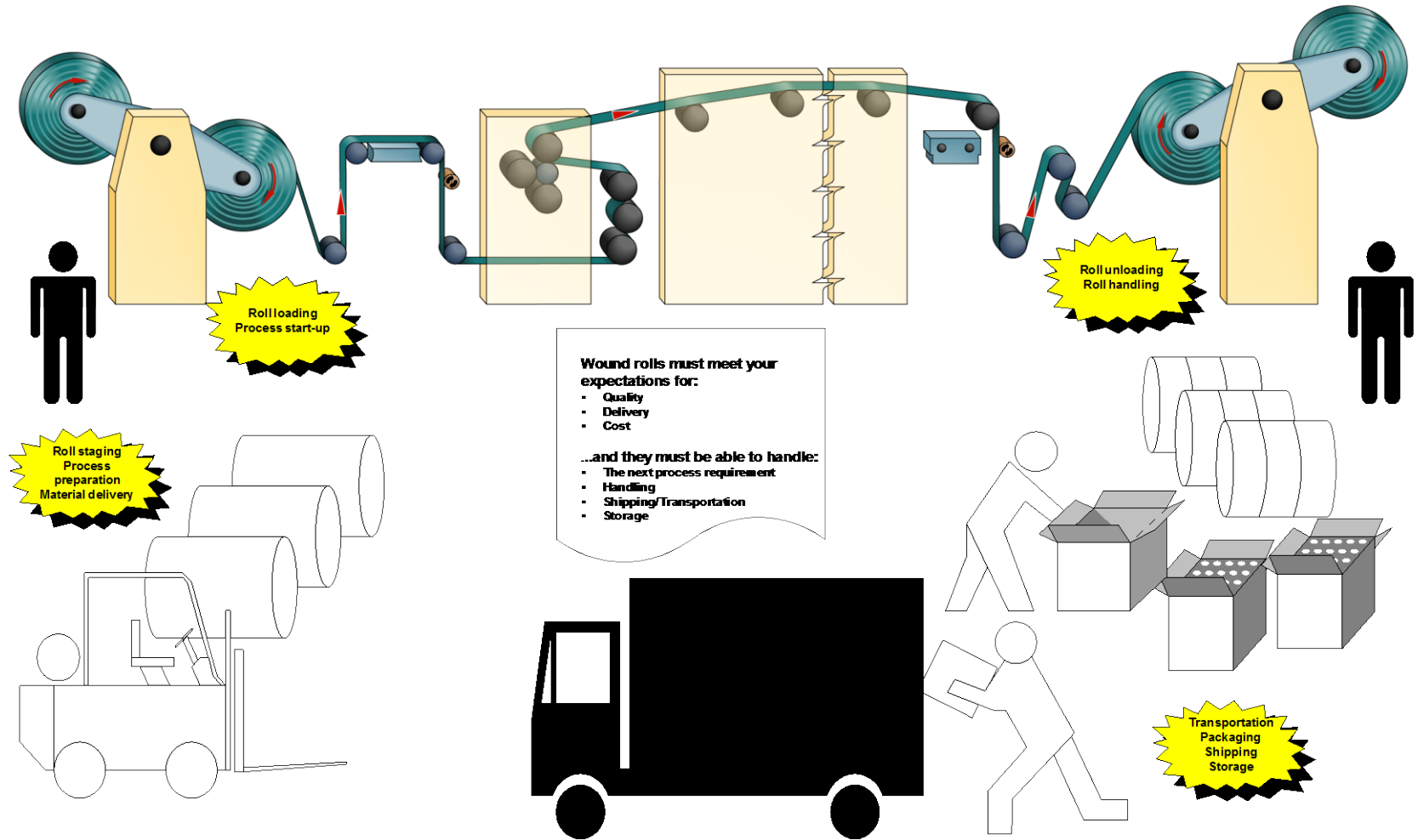


What's the worst part about celebrating
National Toilet Paper Day?



August 26th – National Toilet Paper Day

The roll as a package



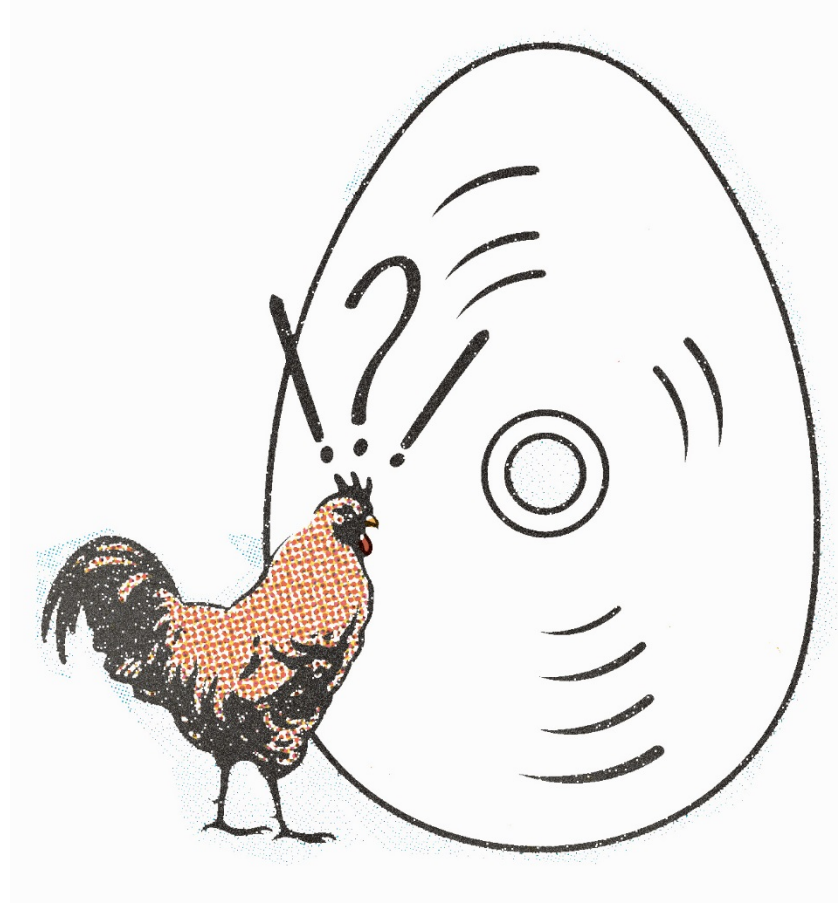
Wound rolls need to survive transportation



The first challenge is to find a usable roll...



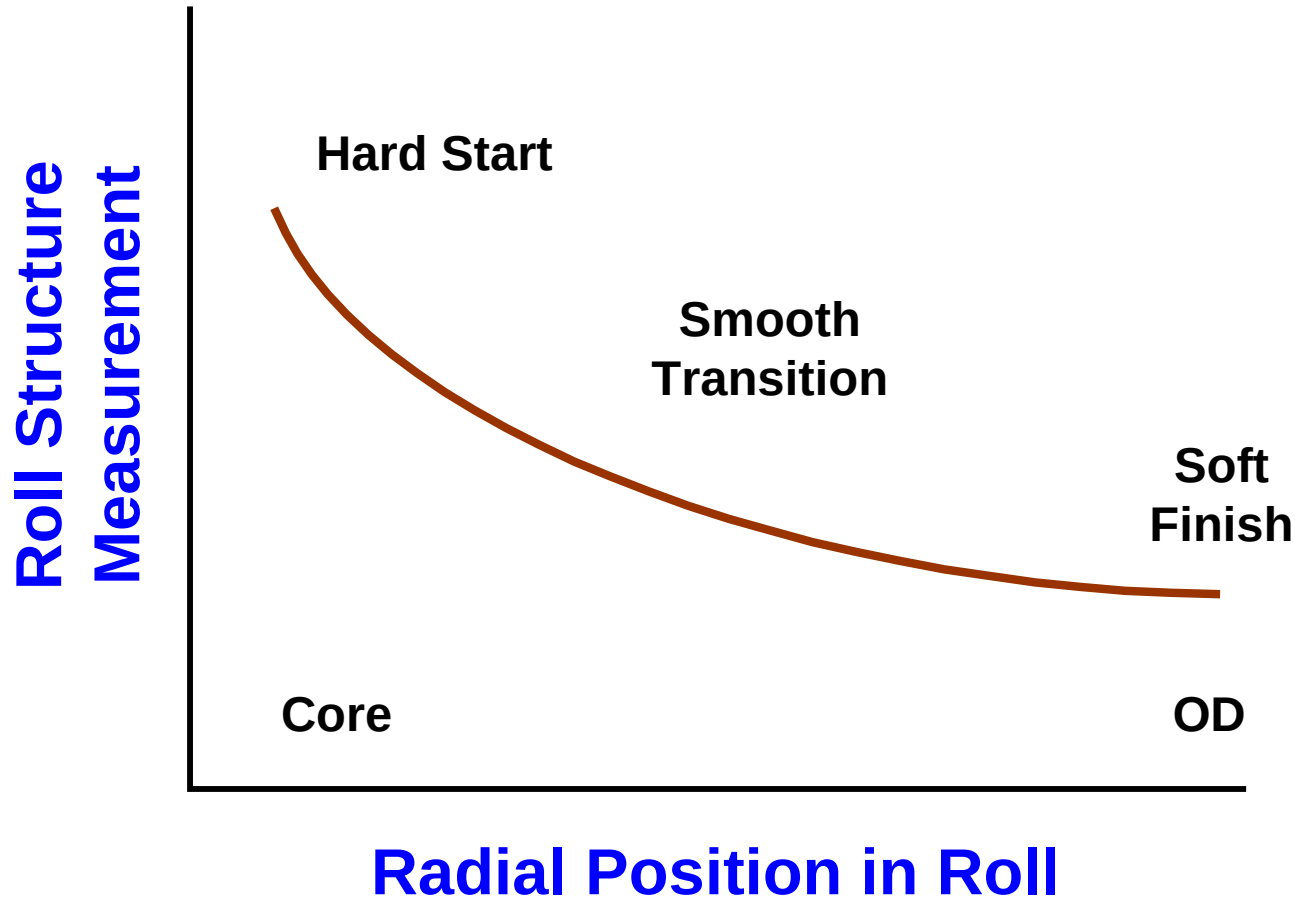
...or at least roll that you can load into your machine



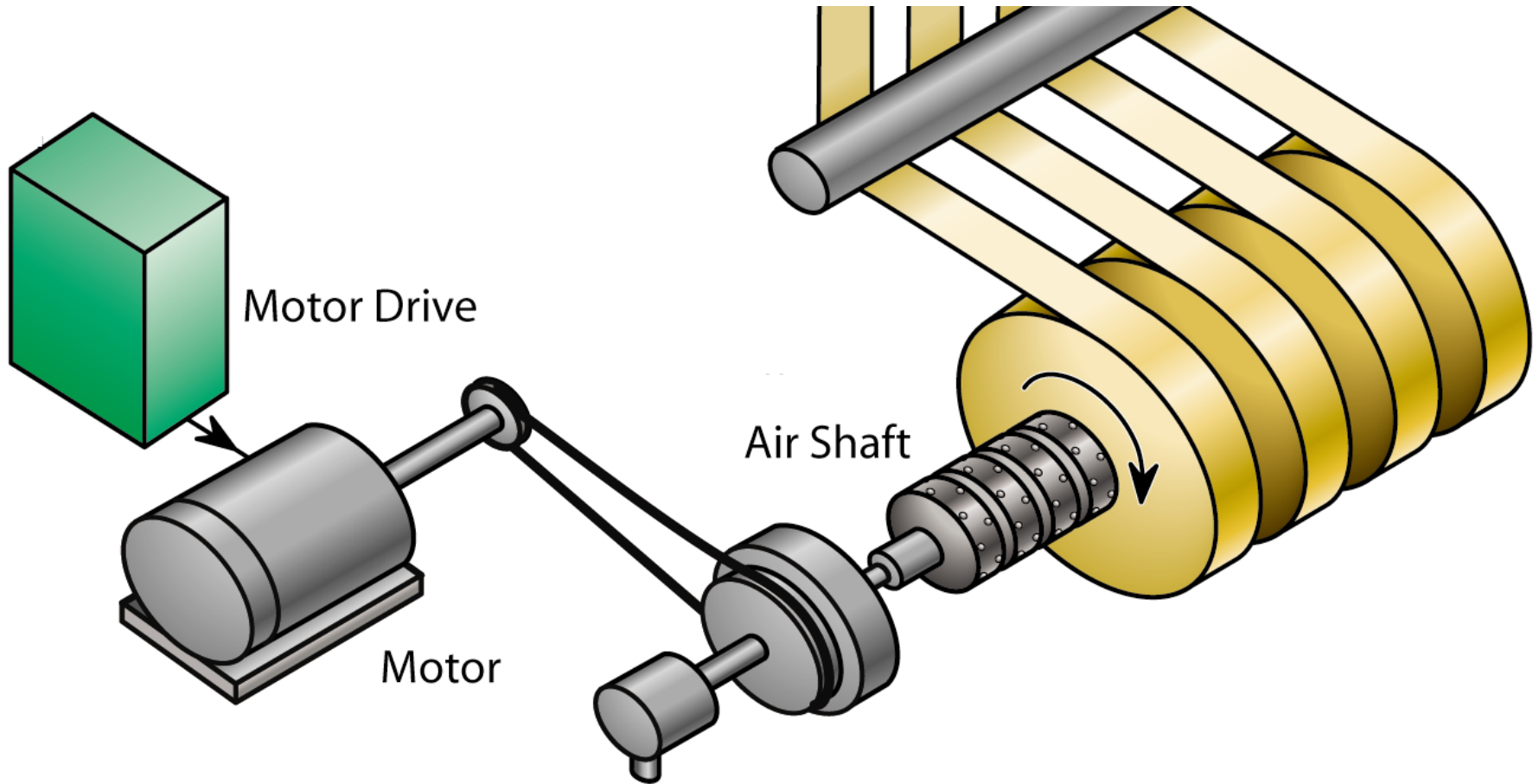
TNT's of Winding



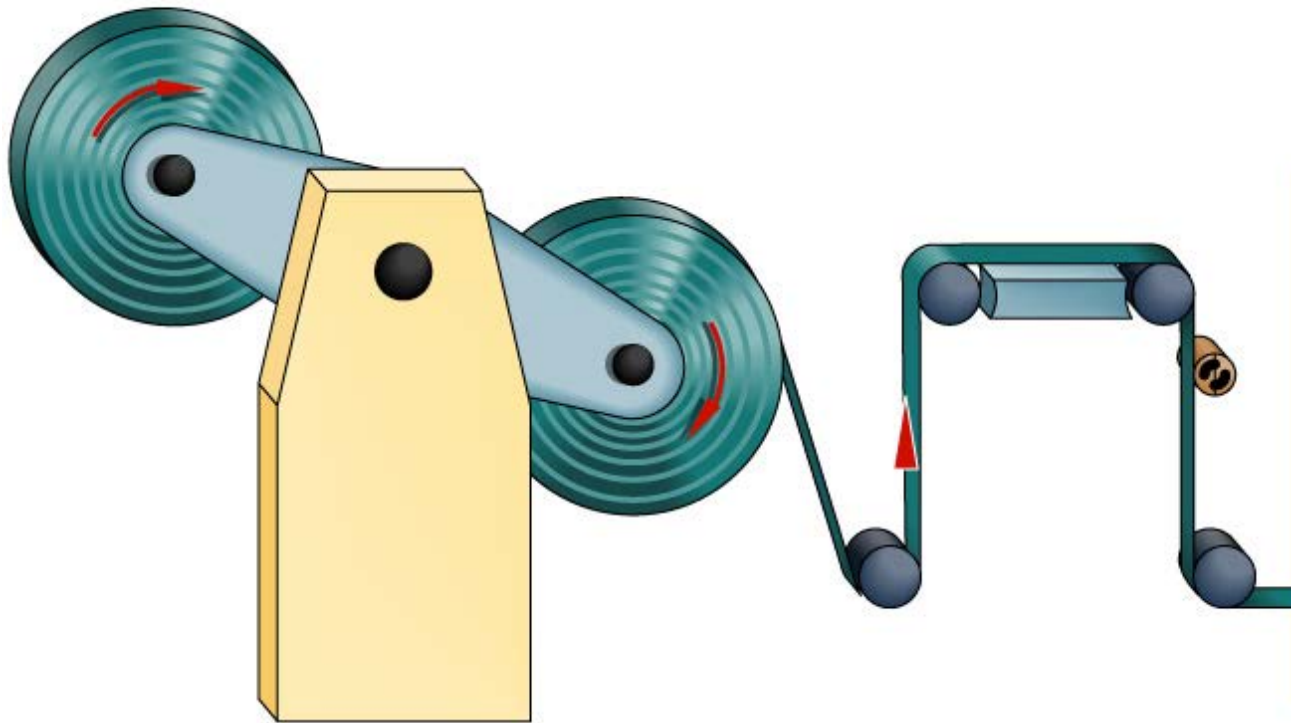
The Jack Daniel's™ Principle of Winding



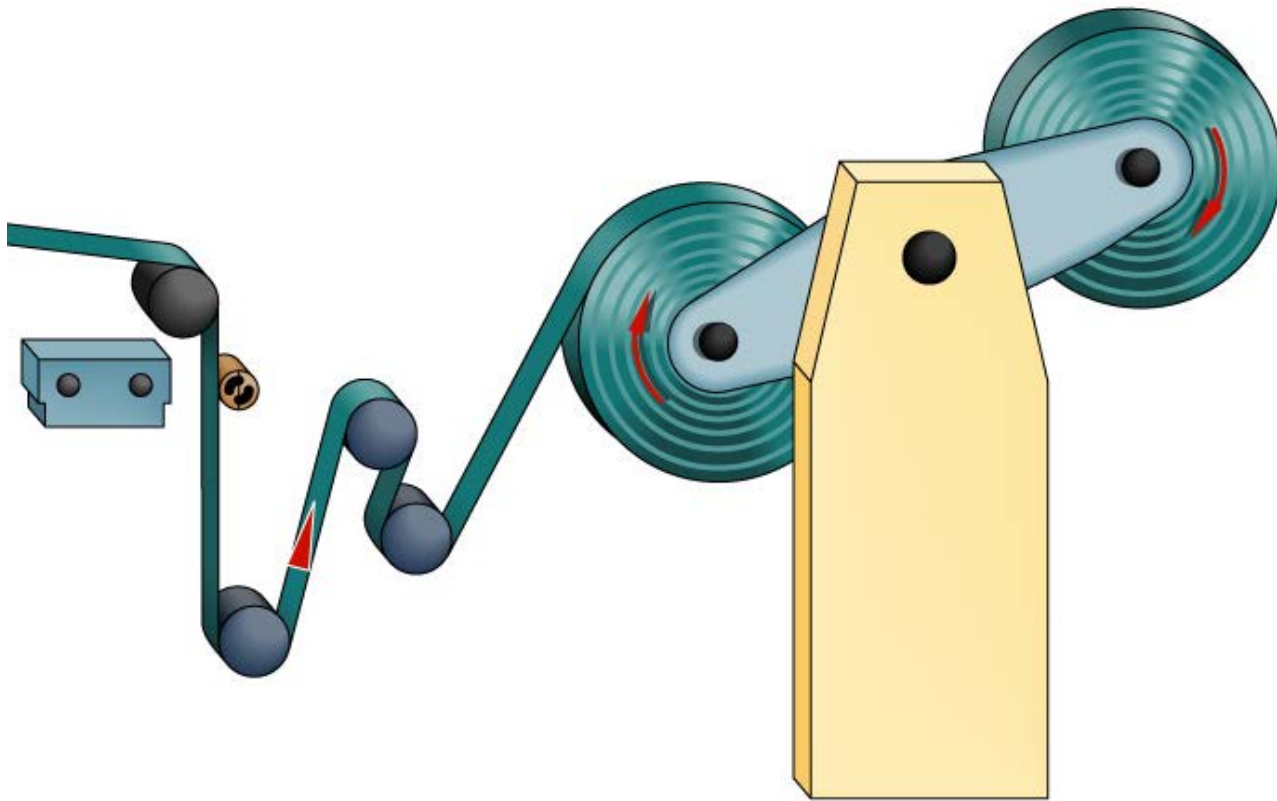
Winding is a series of torque transfers.



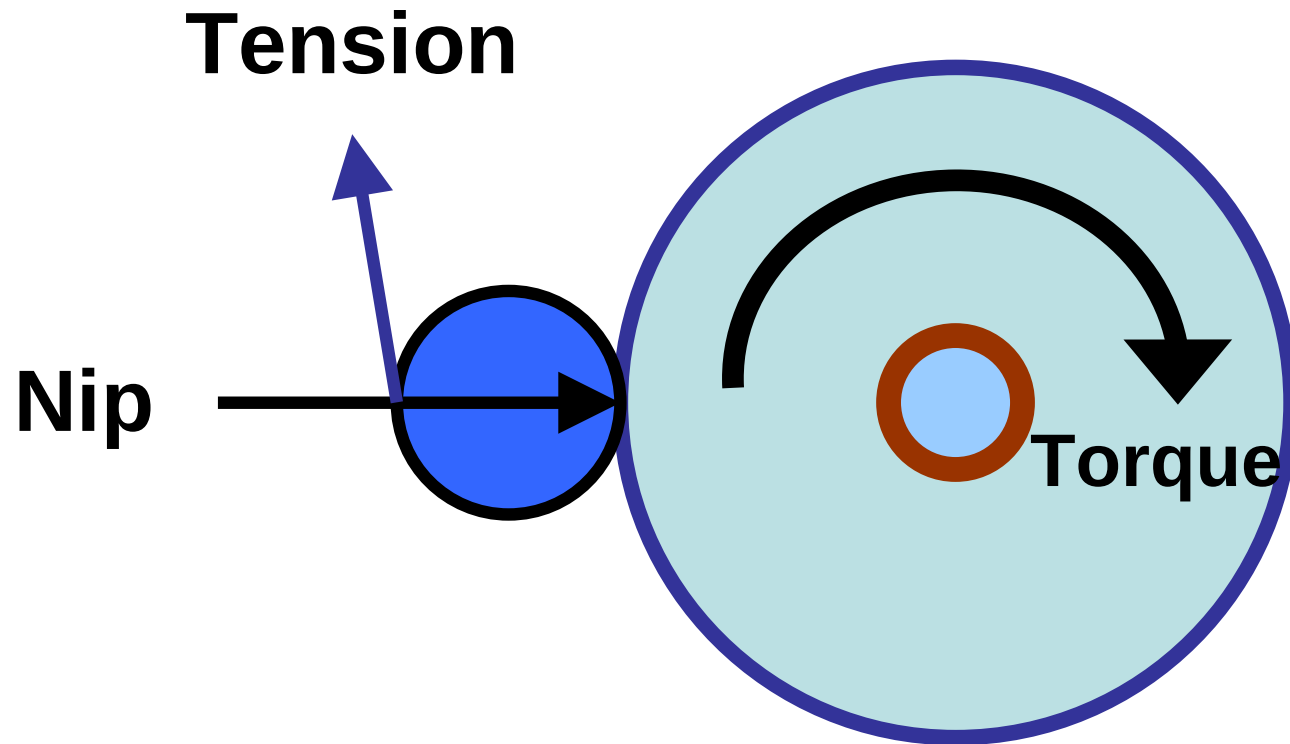
Unwind



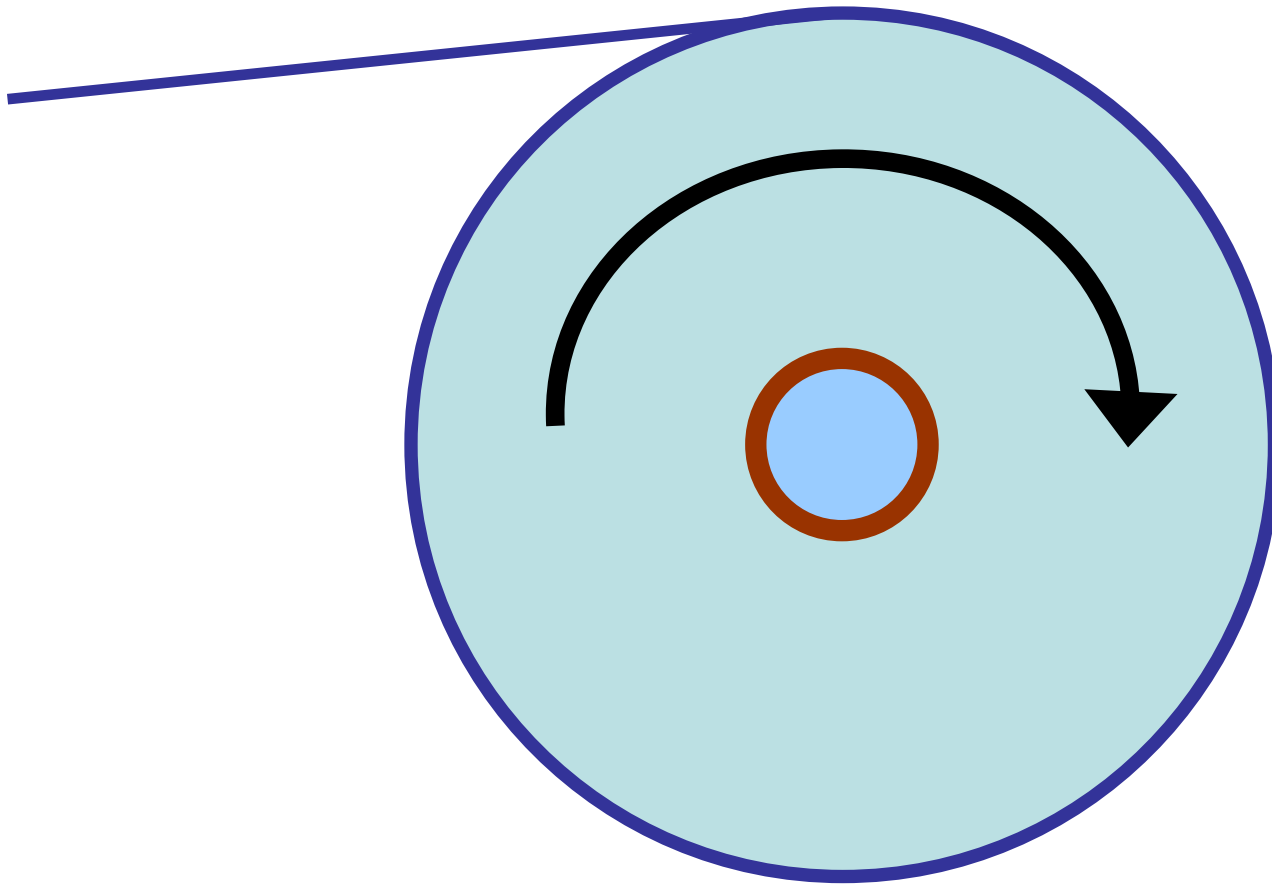
Rewind



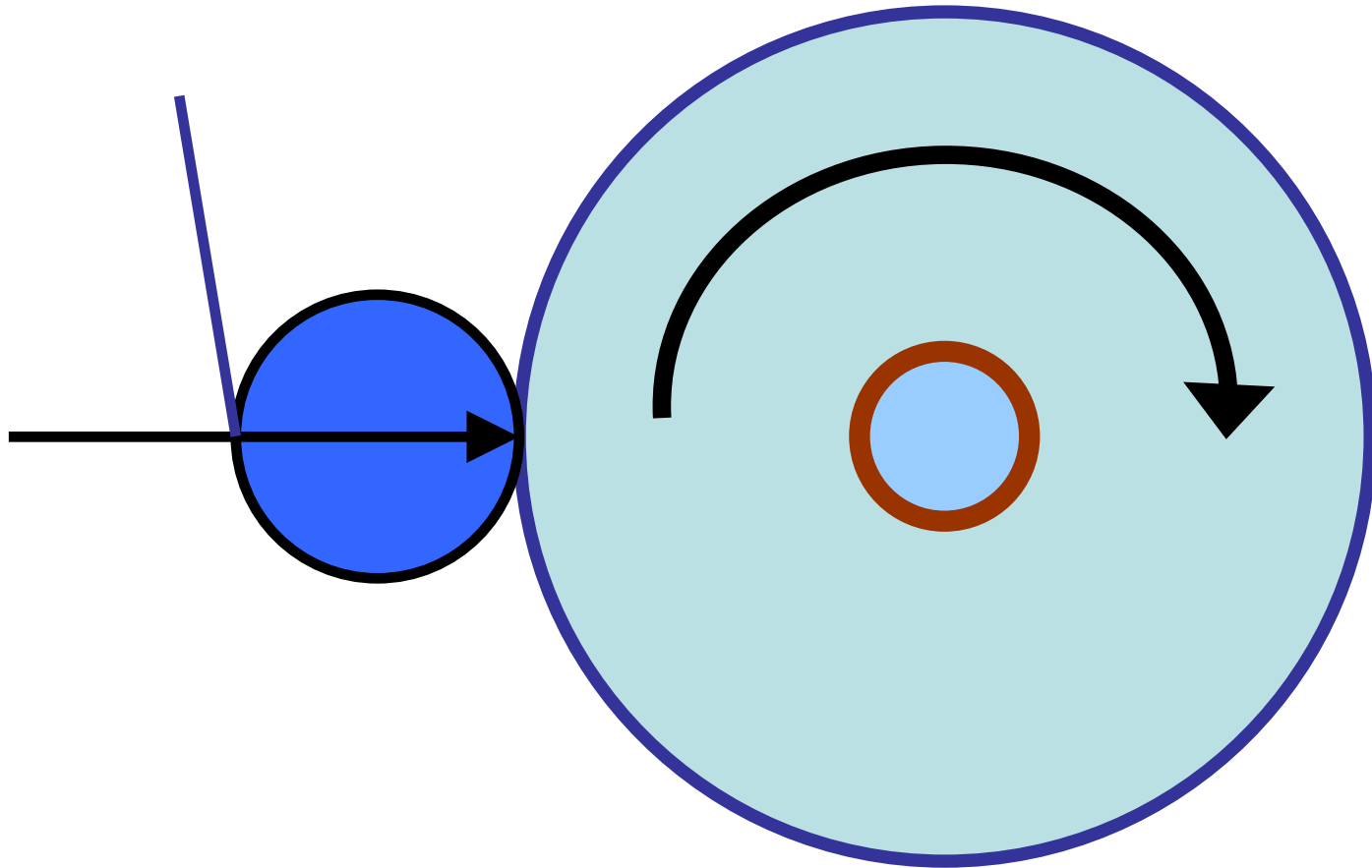
The TNT's of Winding – Tension, Nip and Torque



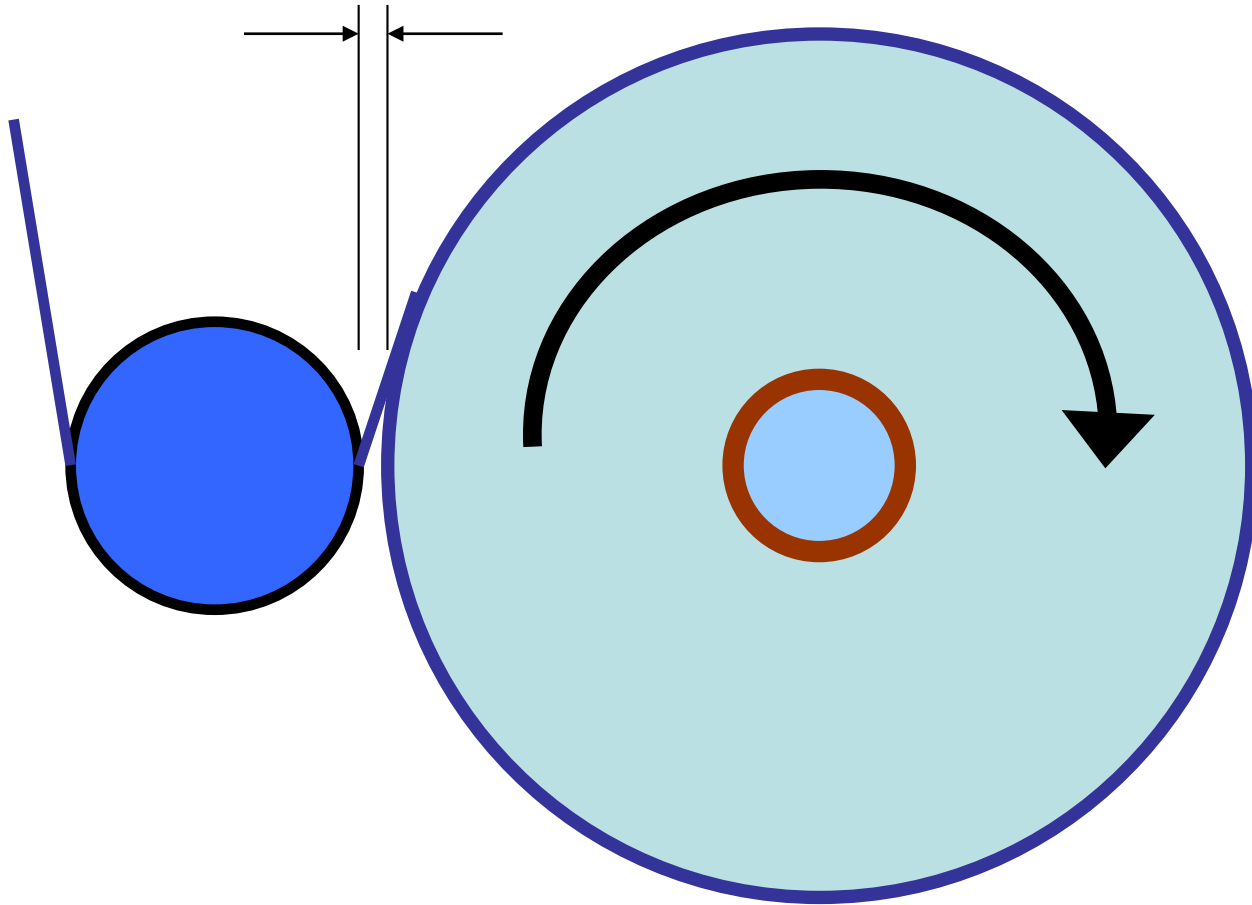
Free span winding is simple yet prone to torque capacity defects



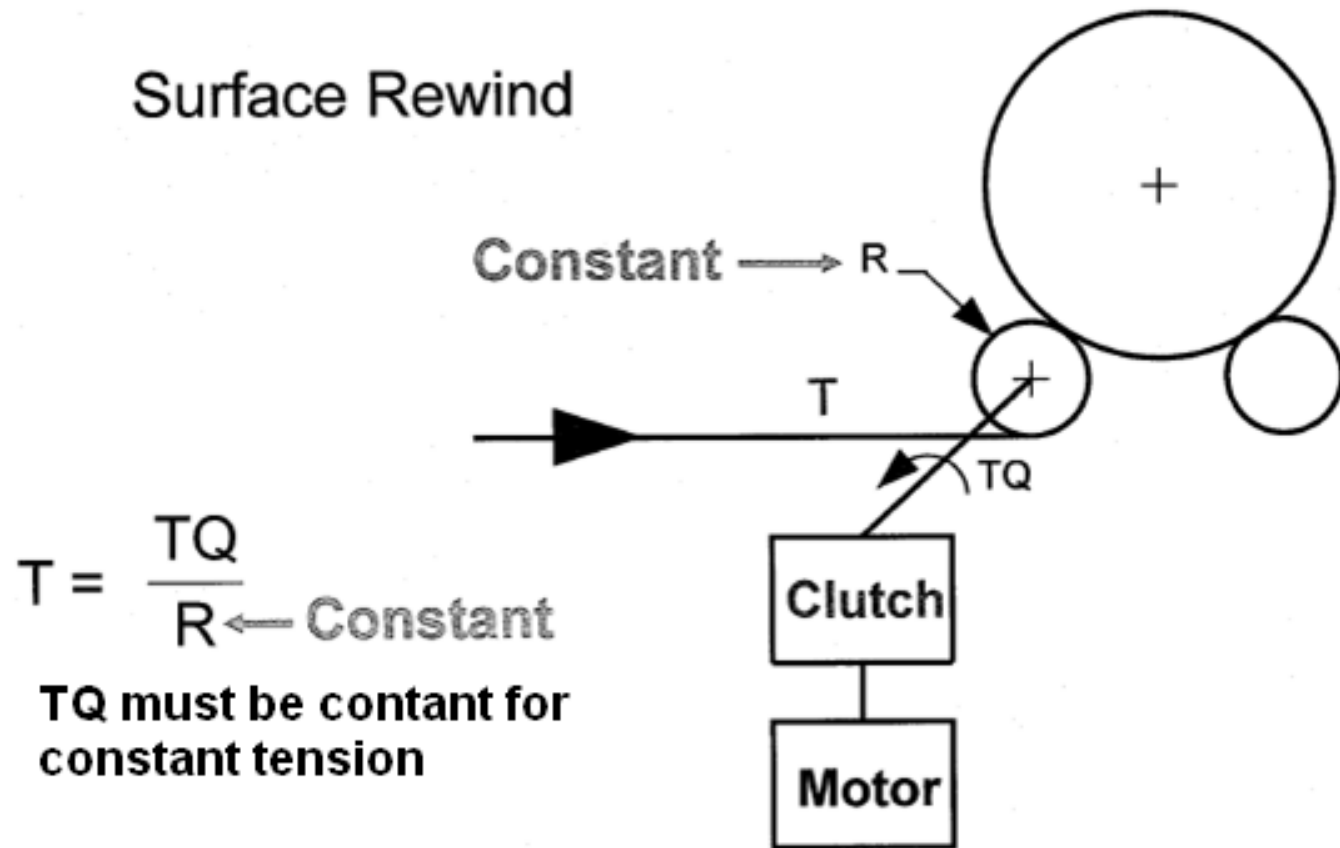
Nip winding increases roll tightness
but may compress web



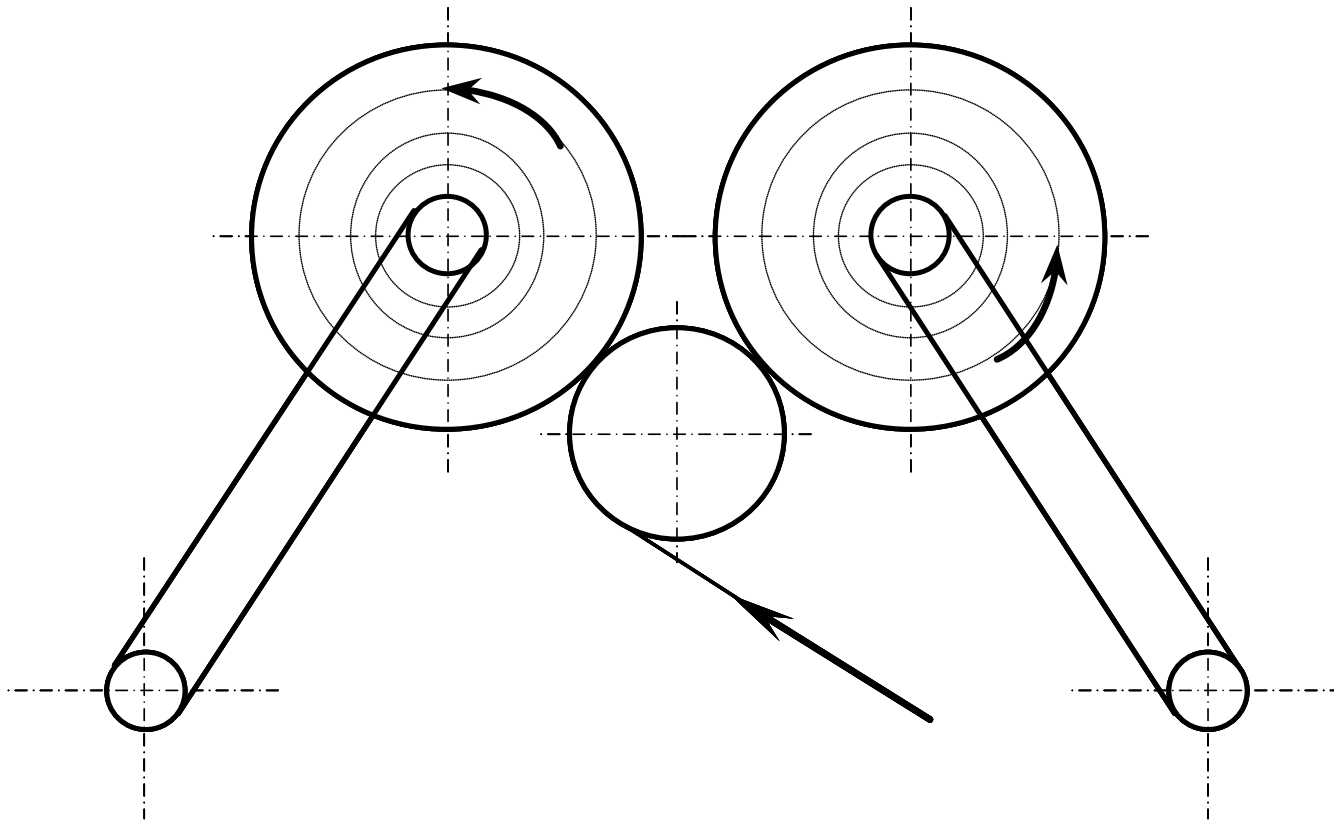
Gap winding prevents damage to
product but requires sensing
equipment



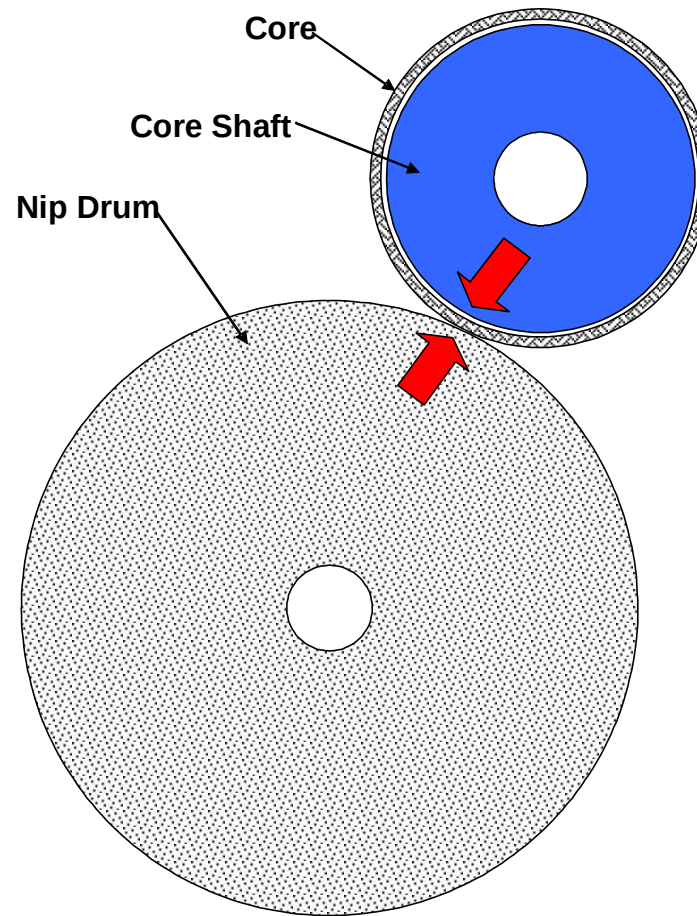
Surface wind torque model



Center-surface winding gives you the advantage of both nip and center torque.



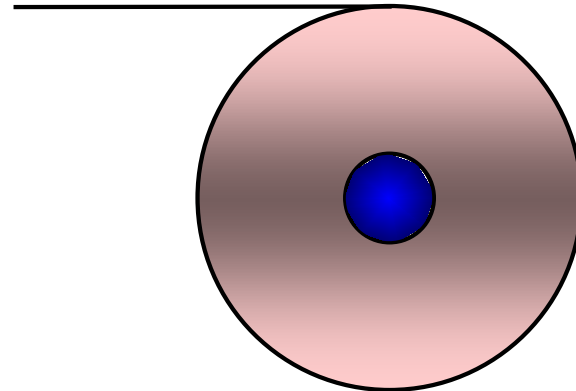
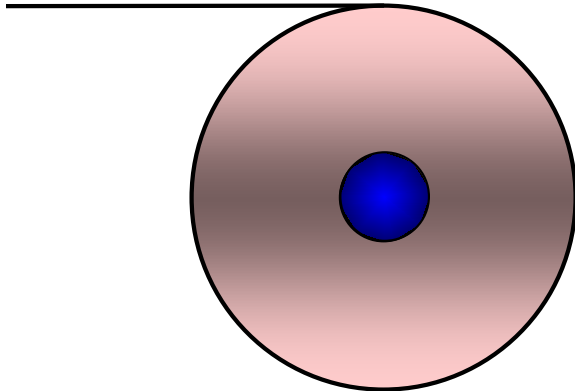
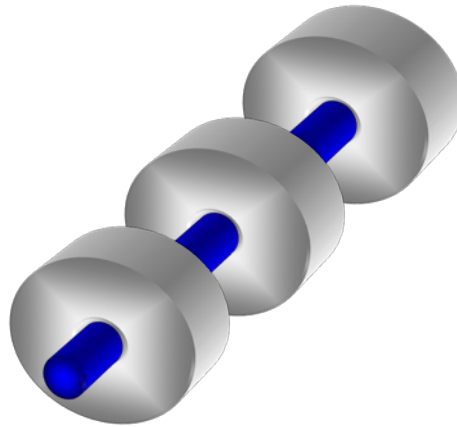
Nip Pressure Dynamics



Center-Surface Winding



Putting everything together
enables you to build good rolls.



So what is slowing you down?

Unbalance

Unbalance hinders throughput

Unbalance - to distribute a mass unequally **causing** the mass axis to differ from the bearing axis.

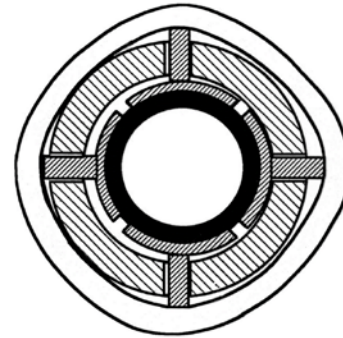
The common **cause** of **vibration** within **rotating machinery** equipment.

What unbalances and creates vibration at the winders?

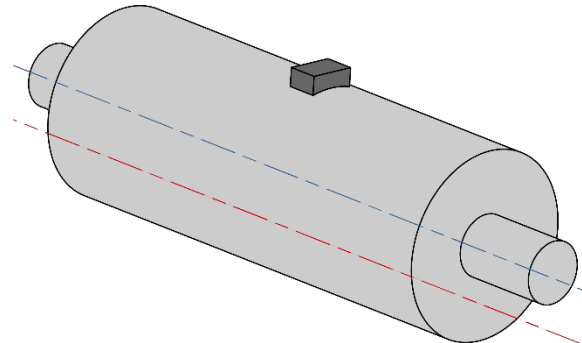
Critical Speed

$$N_{\text{critical}} = \frac{211}{\sqrt{\Delta_{\text{defl}}}}$$

Core Deformation



Eccentric Rotating Mass



Speed and Vibration

Critical Speed:

Rotational speed combined with deflection at which the winding product exceeds its natural resonant frequency

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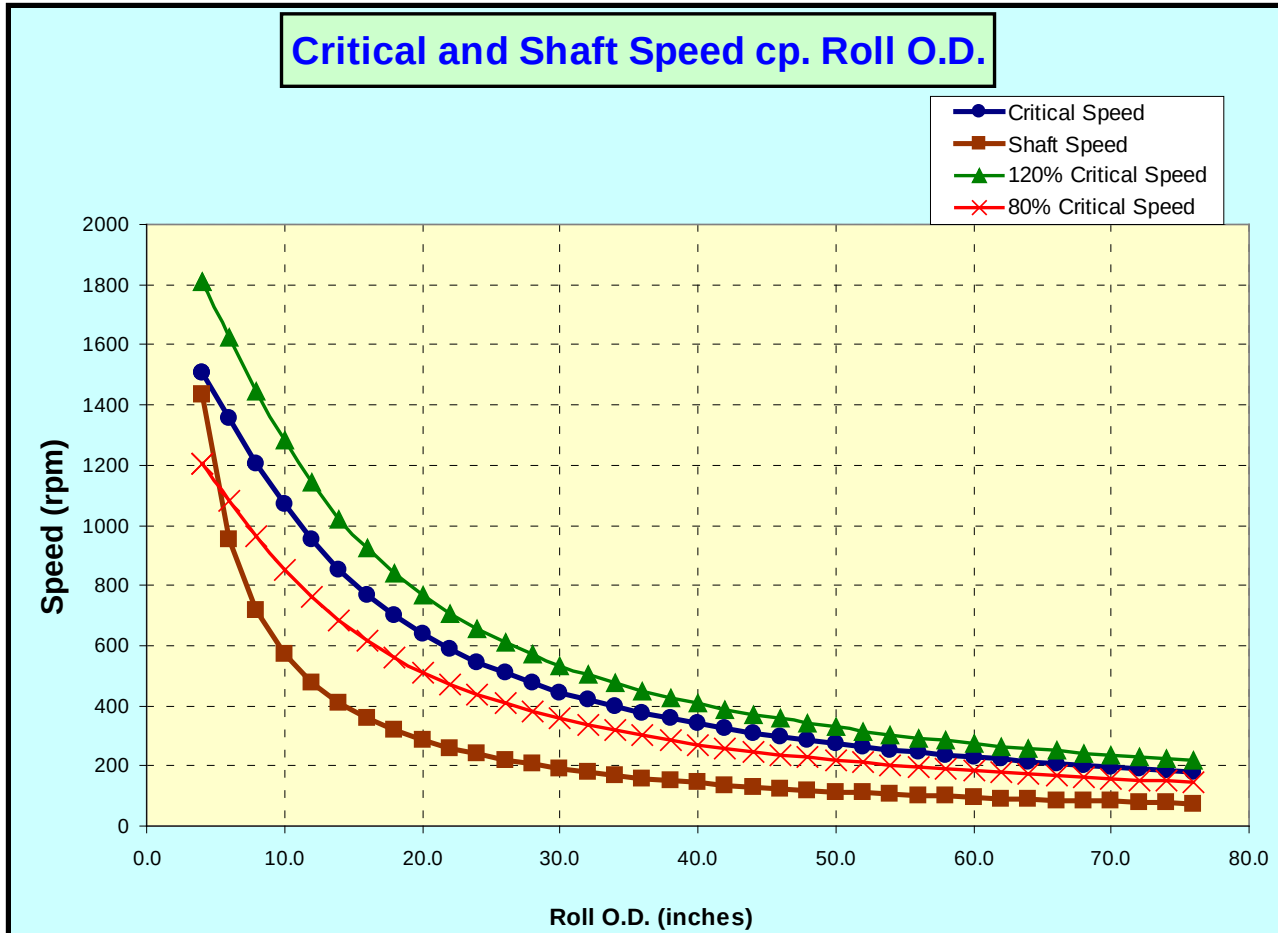
211 = Constant

N = Shaft Speed (RPM)

Δ = Shaft Deflection, in.

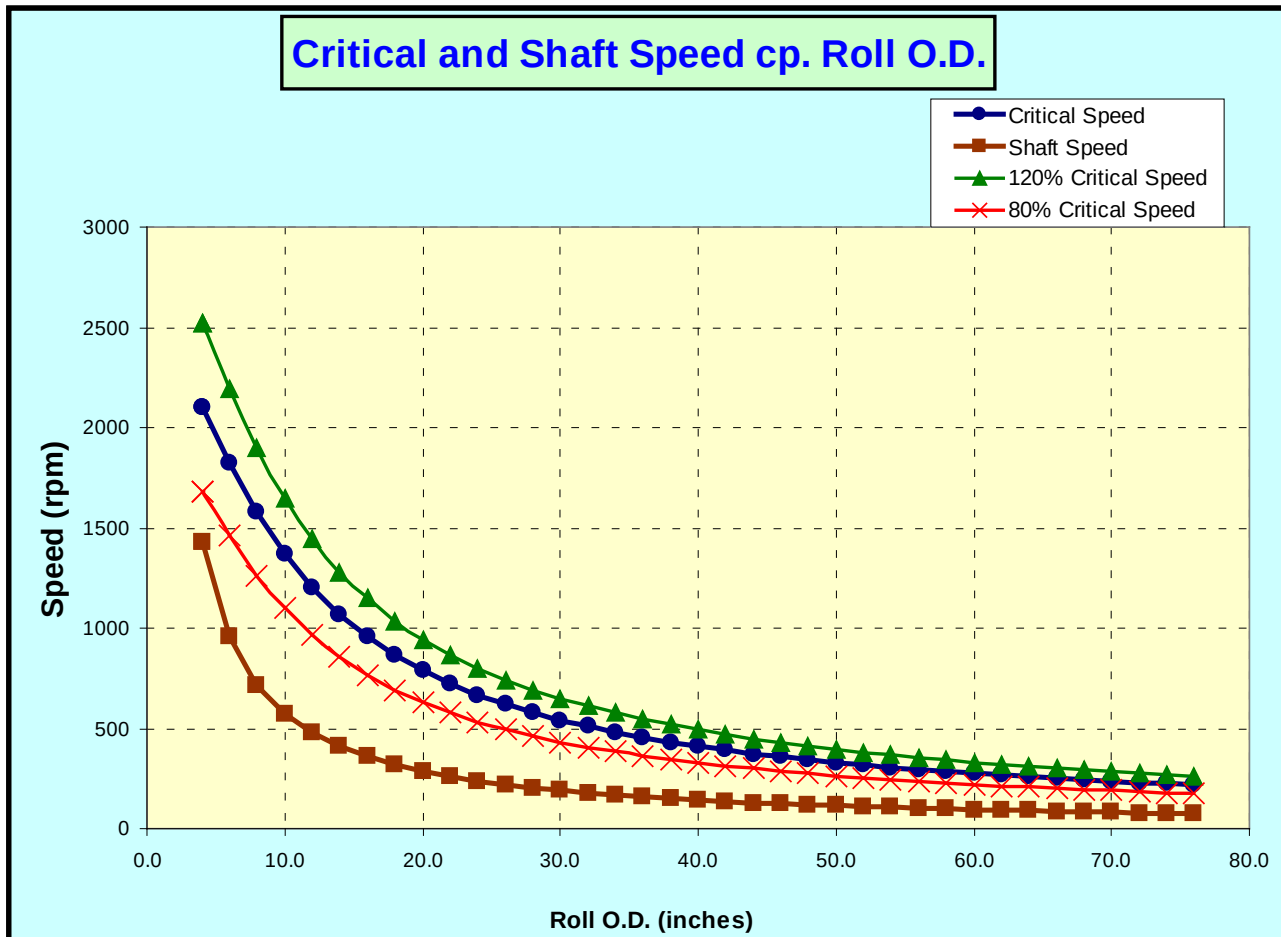
Affecting Critical Speed

Steel shaft critical speed curve

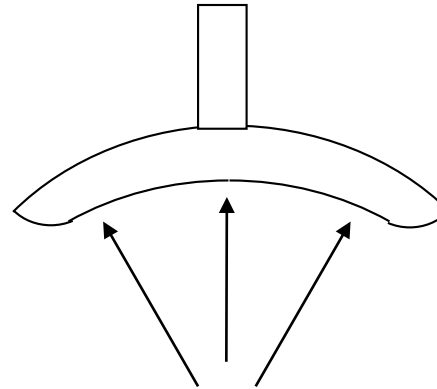
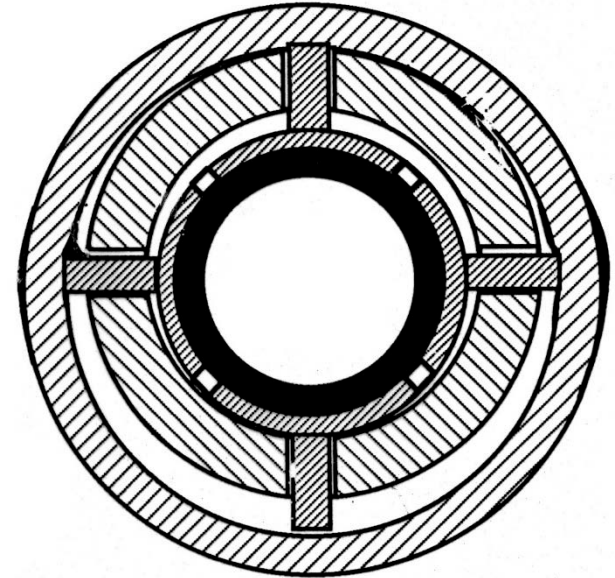
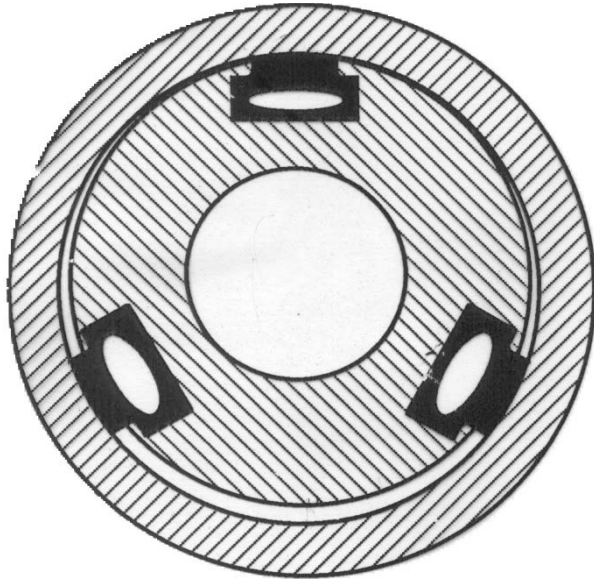


Affecting Critical Speed

Carbon fiber shaft critical speed curve

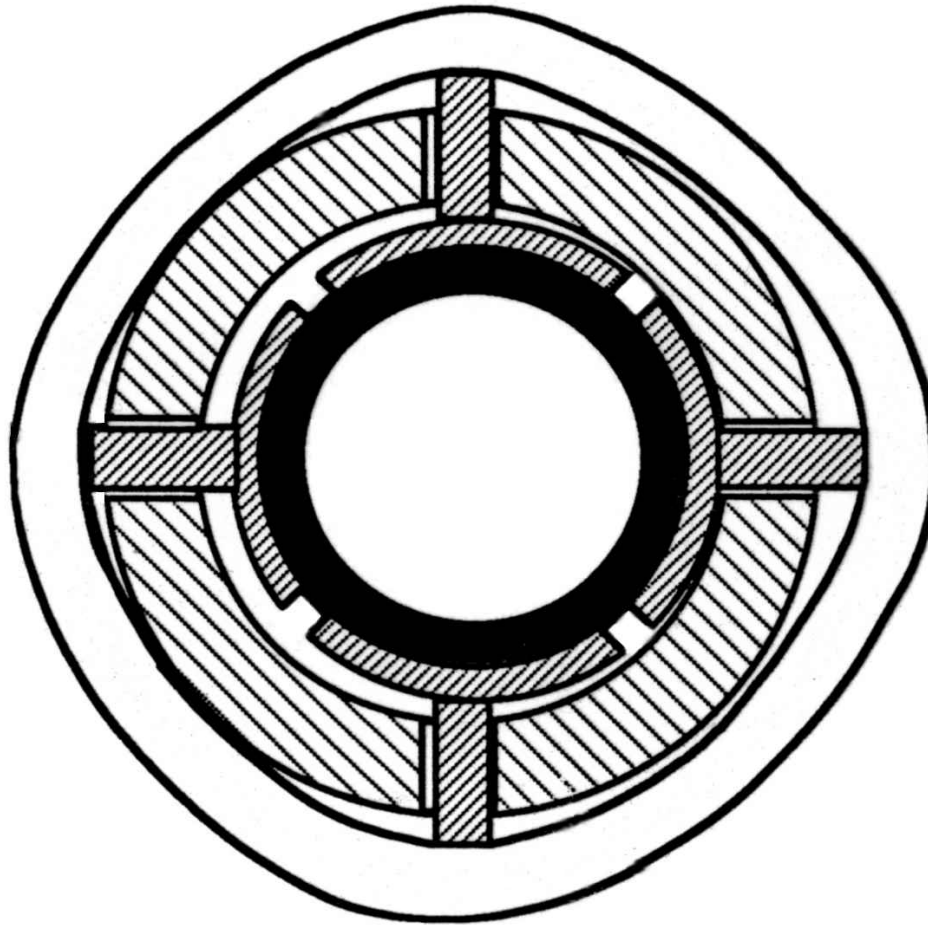


Shaft or chuck torque is created by
pneumatic or mechanical force

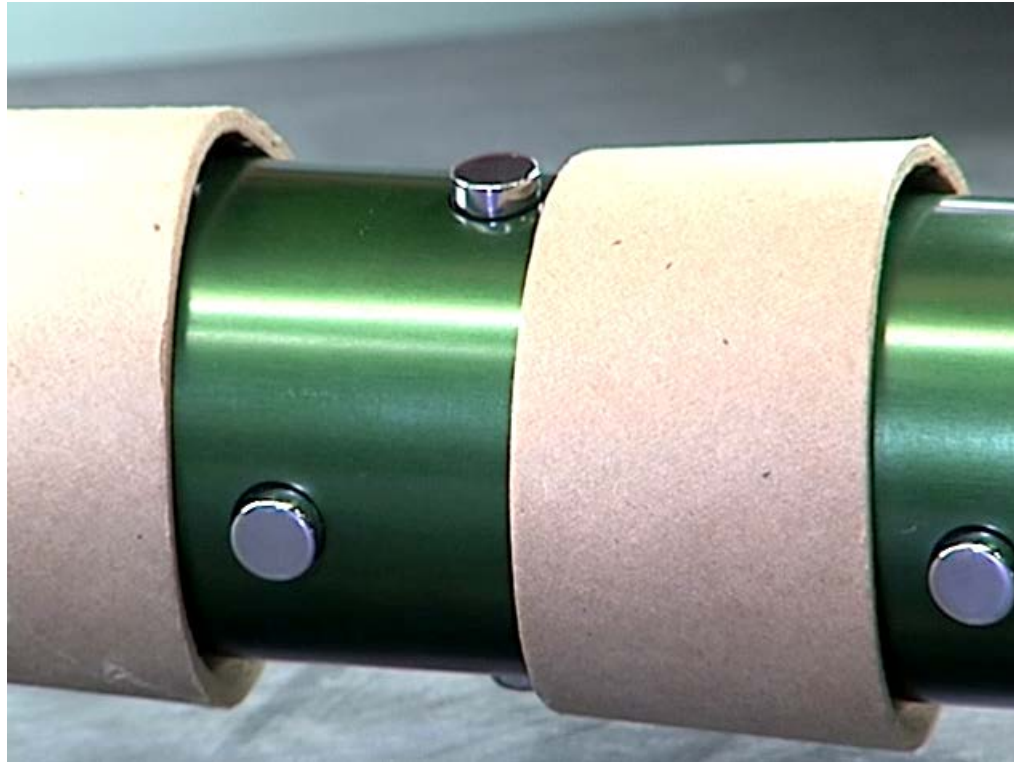


Pneumatic/Mechanical
Tangential Force

This can result in significant
core deformation



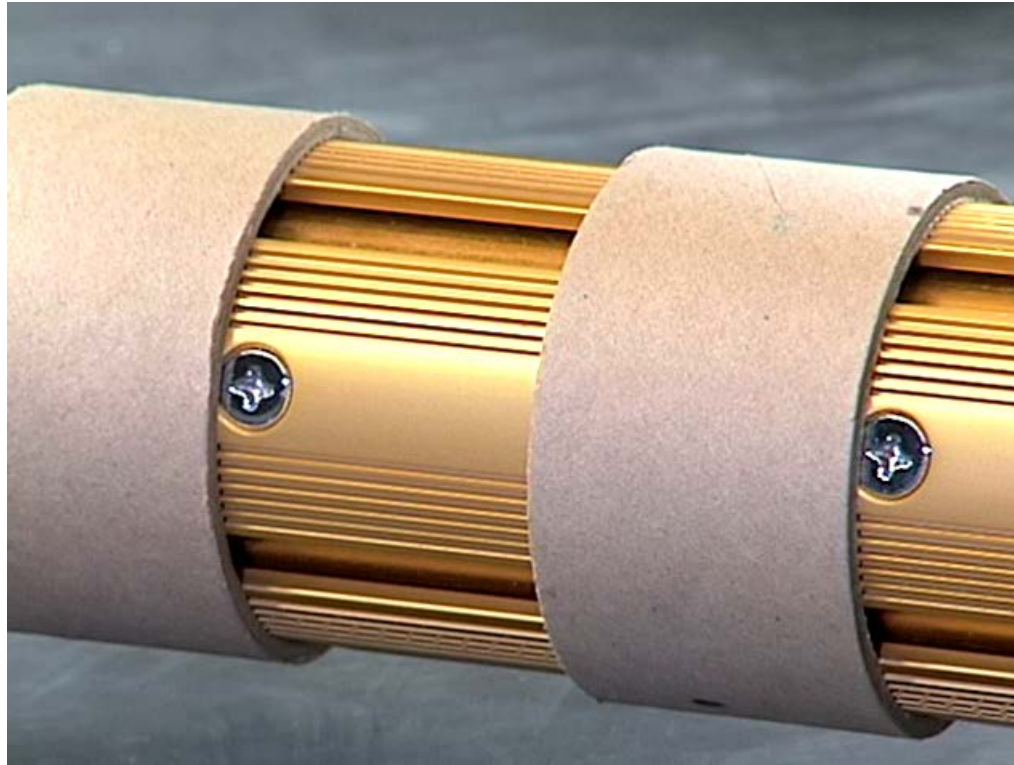
Core deformation can lead to vibration



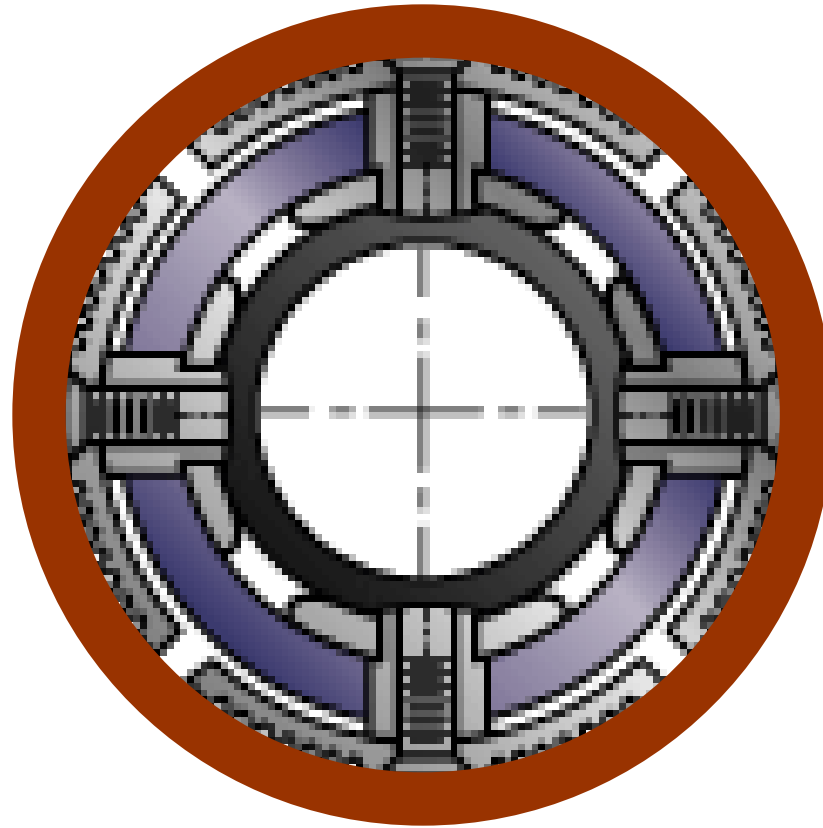
Core deformation can lead to tension defects



360° support minimizes core deformation



Minimize core deformation by
supporting more surface of the roll/core



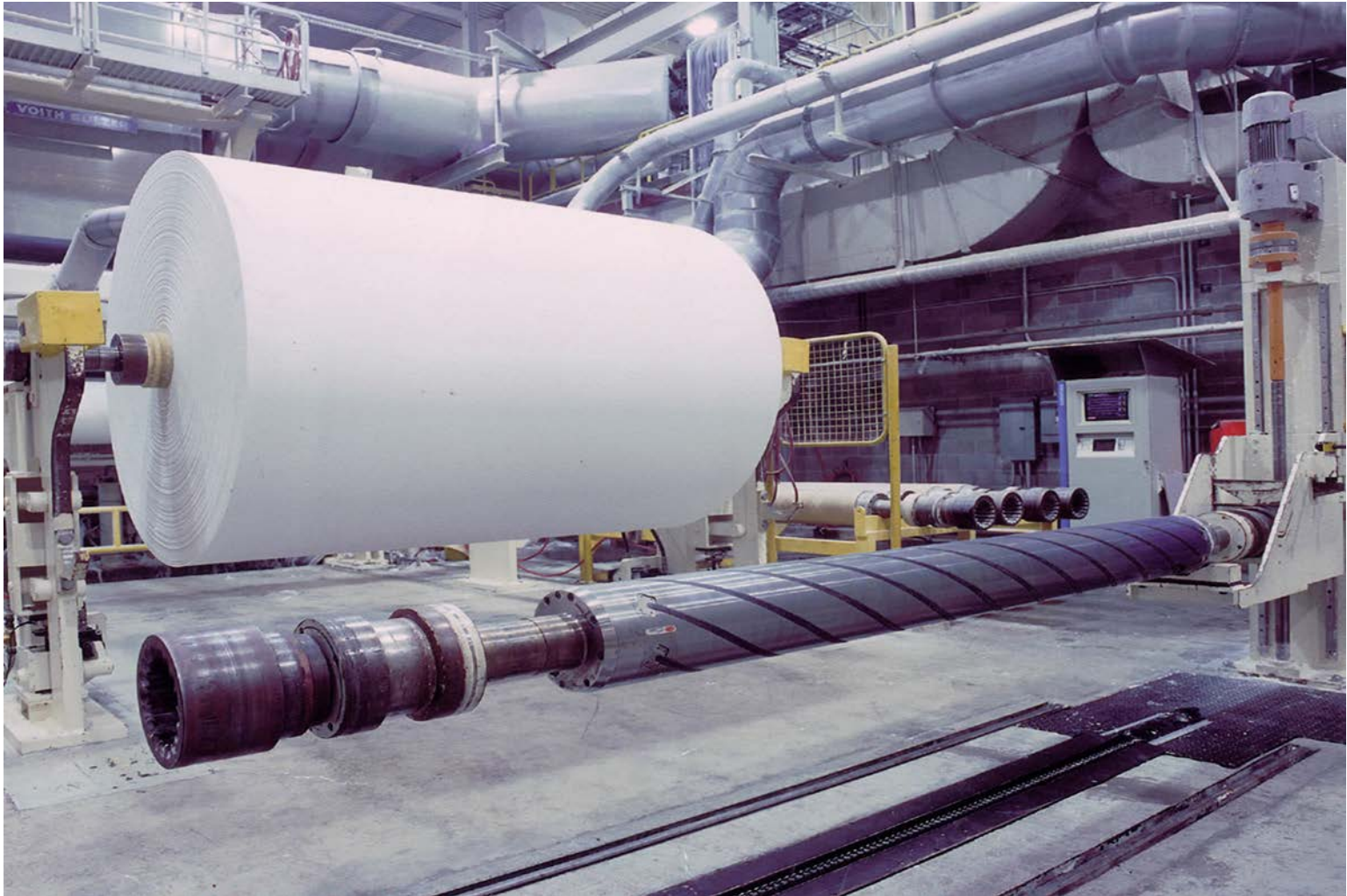
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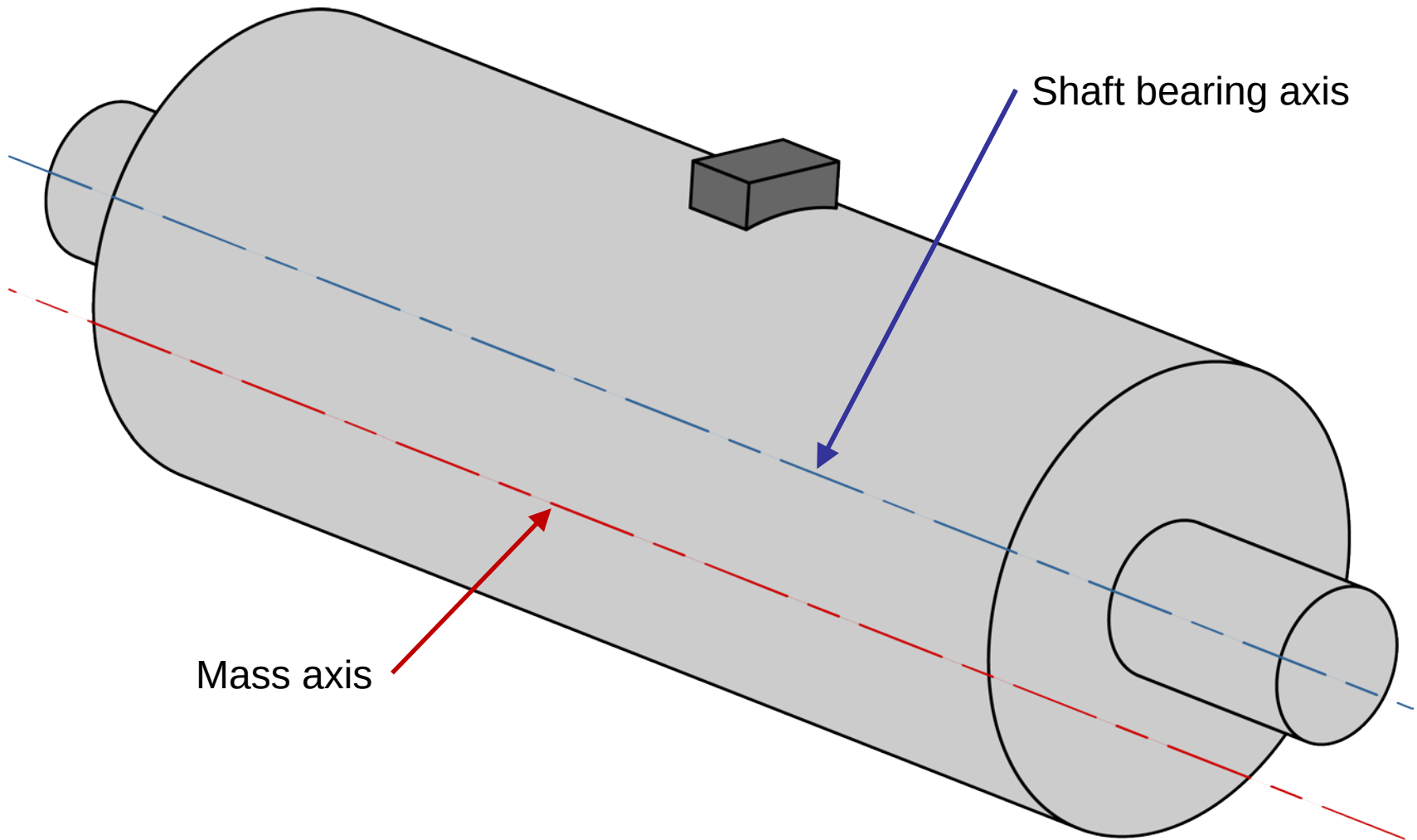
Spiral Air Shafts for surface winders
provide 360 degree support to the core



Spiral Air Shaft for surface winders



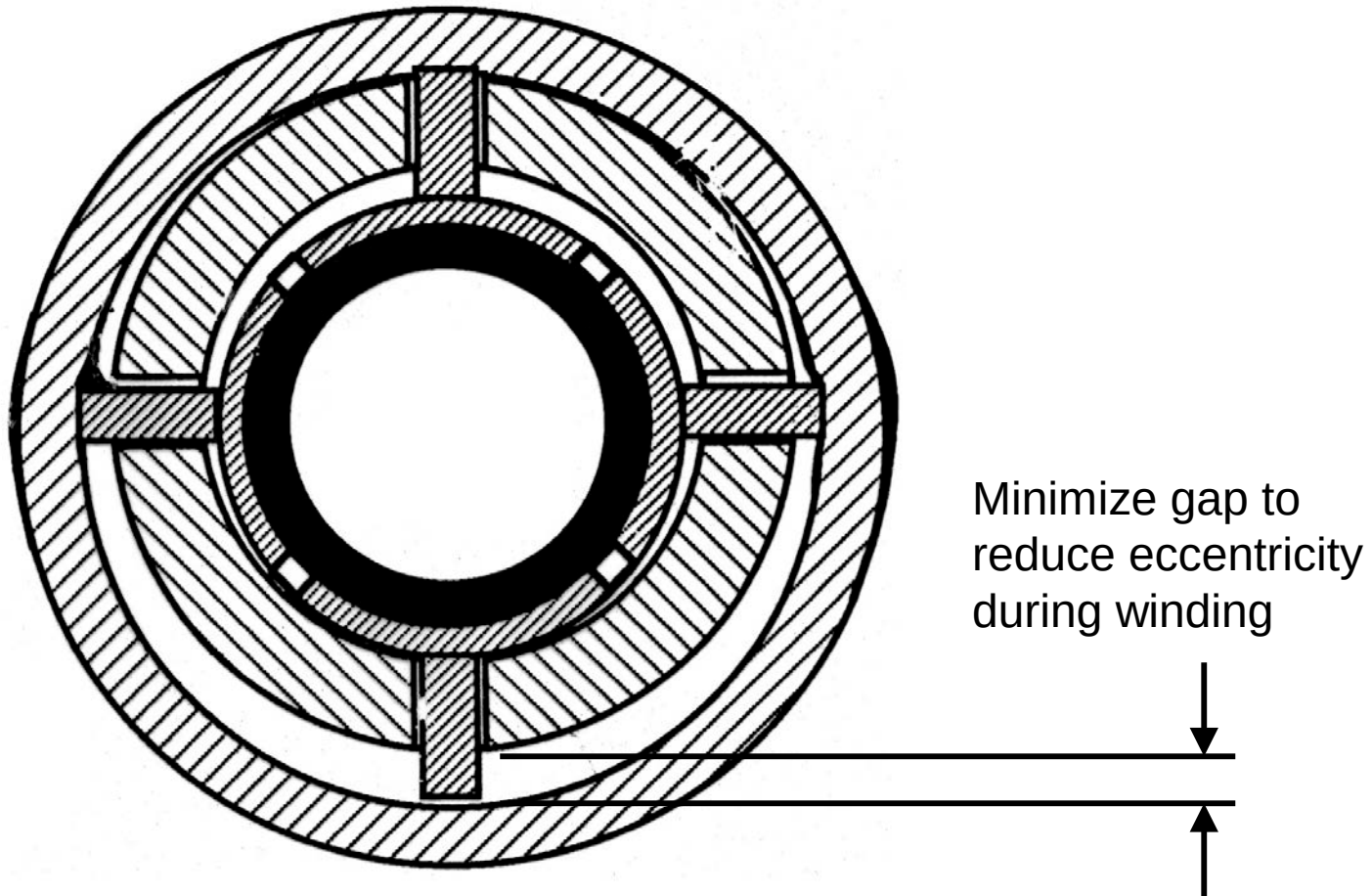
Eccentric Rotating Mass



The key is the manage or eliminate
the eccentricity

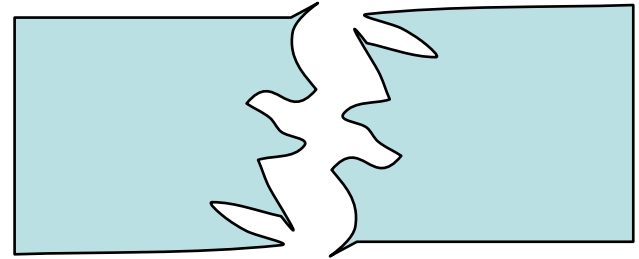


Unbalance created by shaft/core clearance

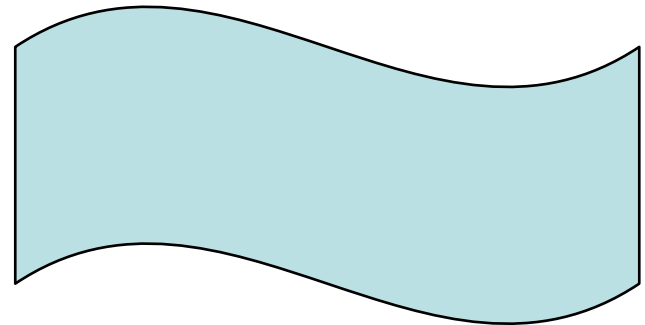


Tension effects in the web

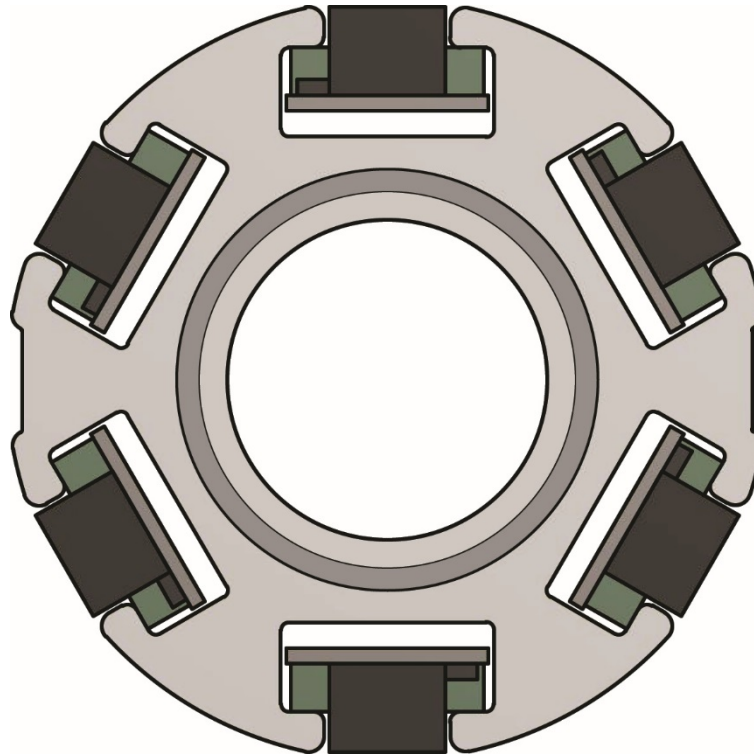
Web tension increases and breaks or roll will wind tight causing radial stress leading to telescoping



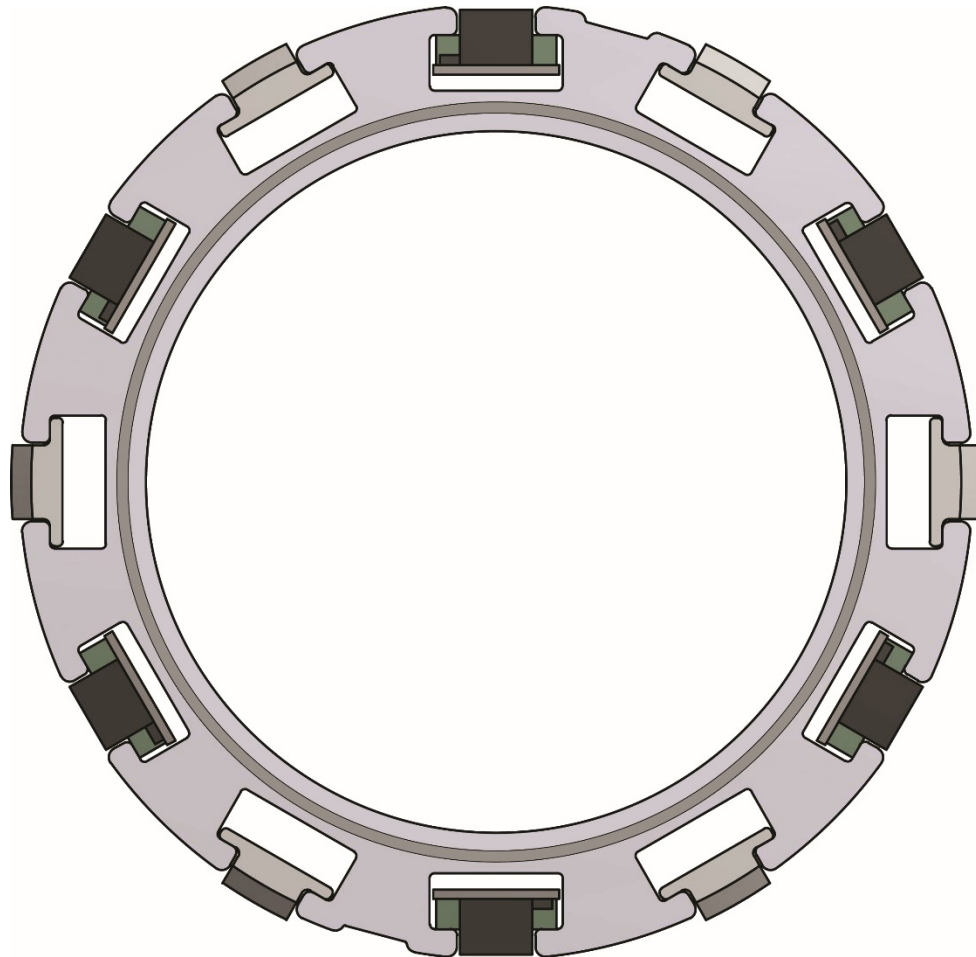
Web tension decreases causing slack roll resulting in loose wind leading to telescoping or dishing



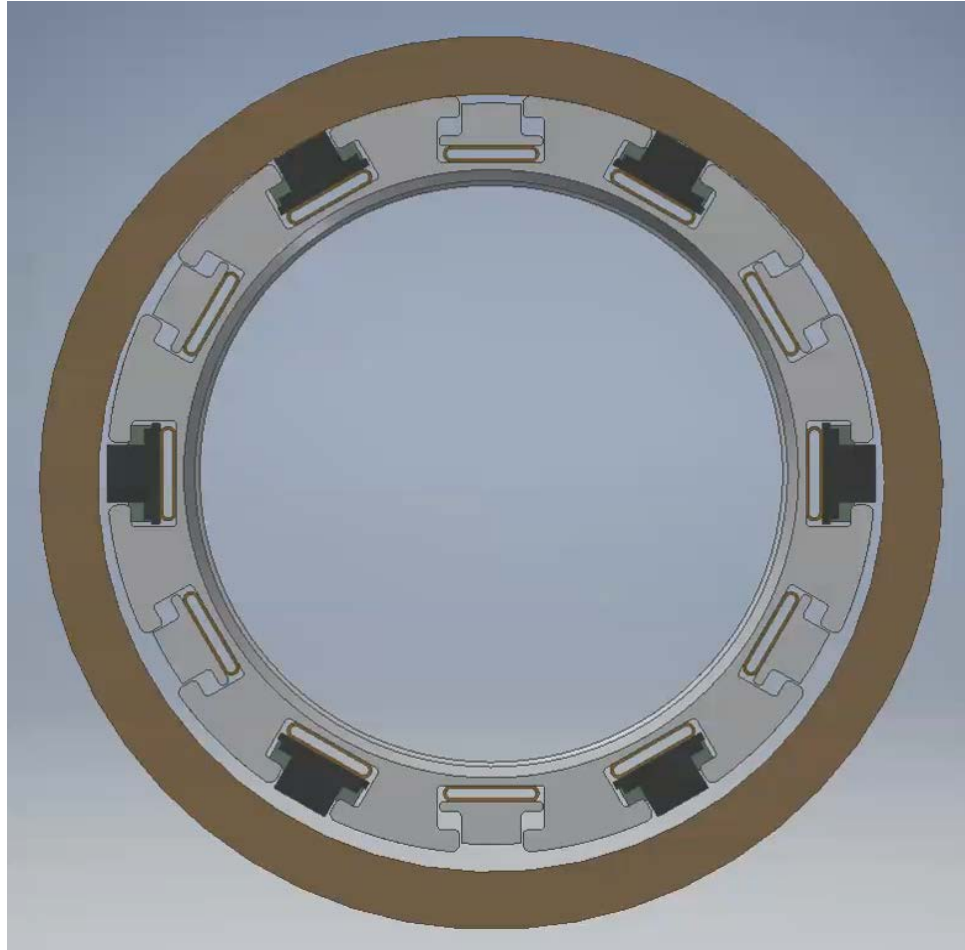
Multiple support points to the roll or core
can significantly reduce eccentricity



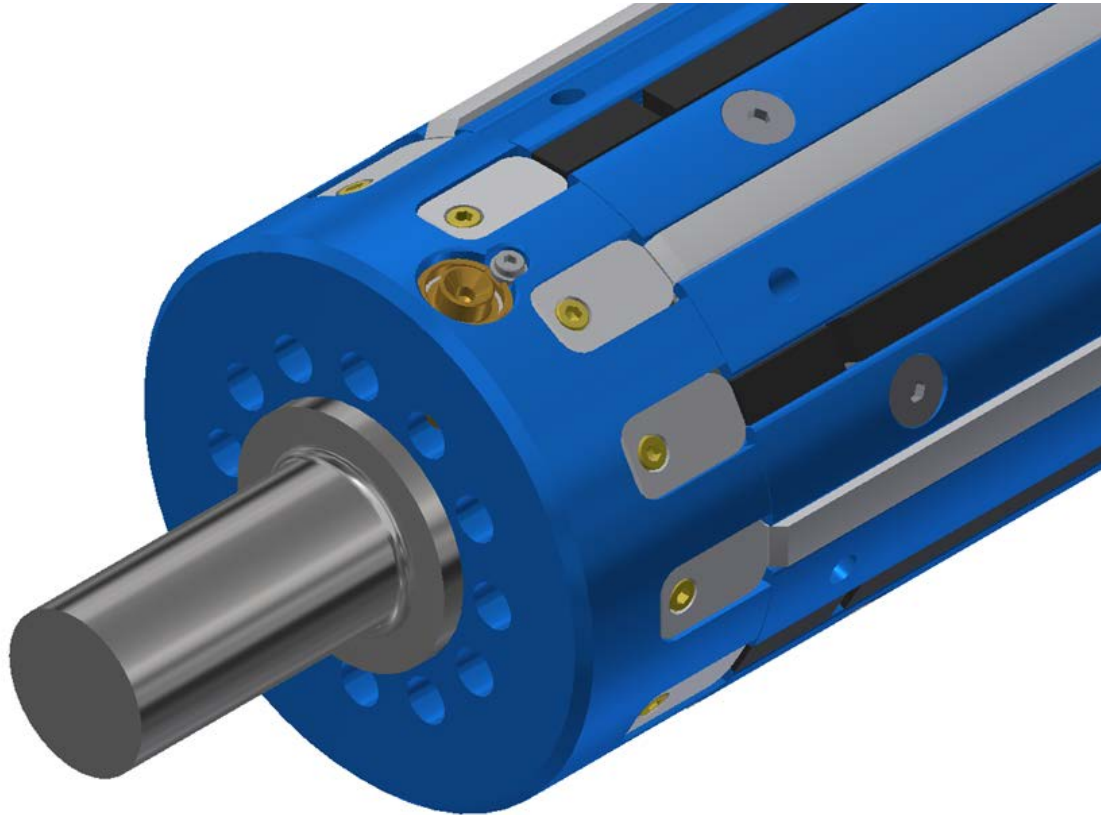
Centering shafts position the core or
roll concentric to the axis of the shaft
before applying torque



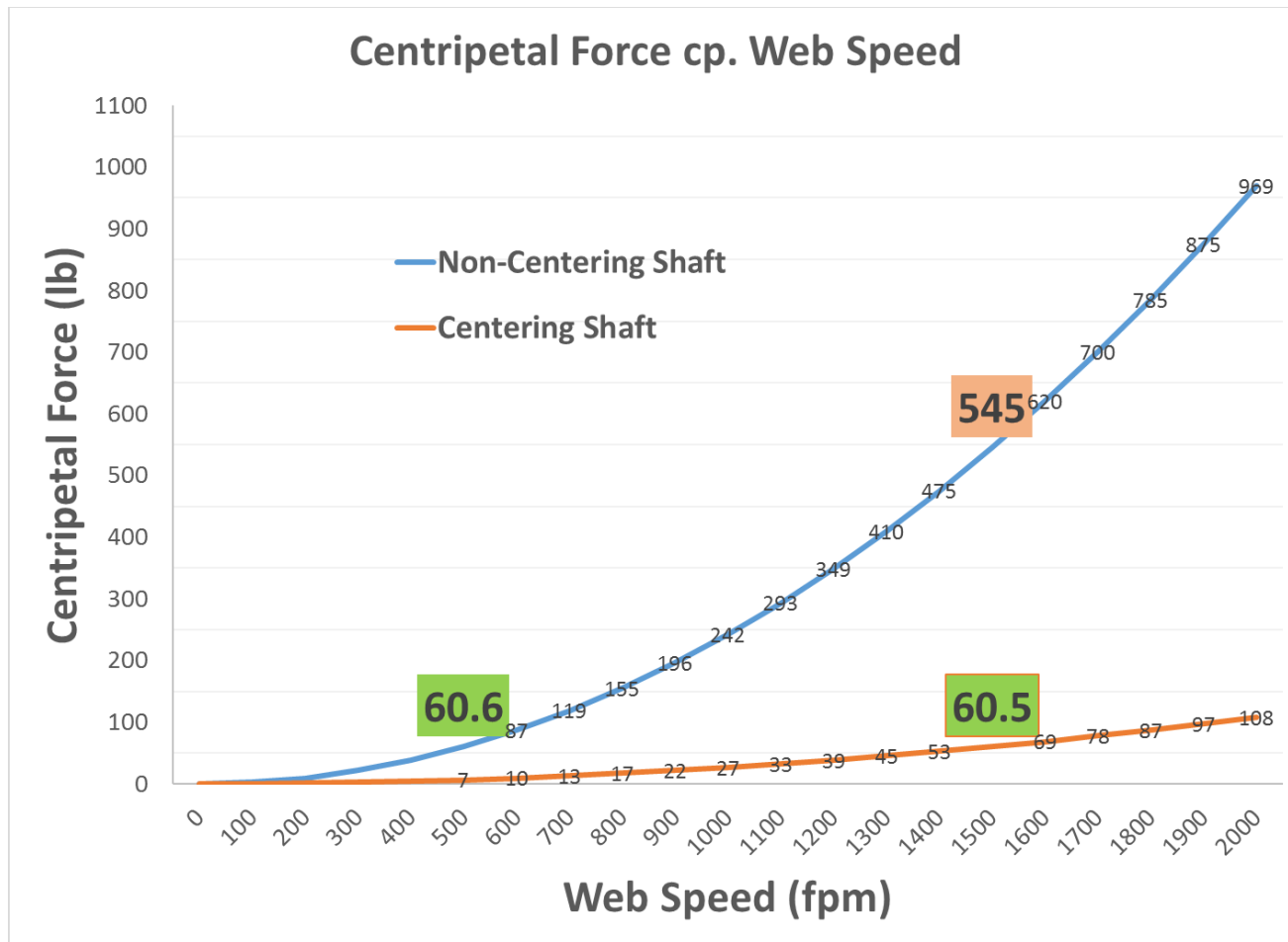
Roll/Core Centering



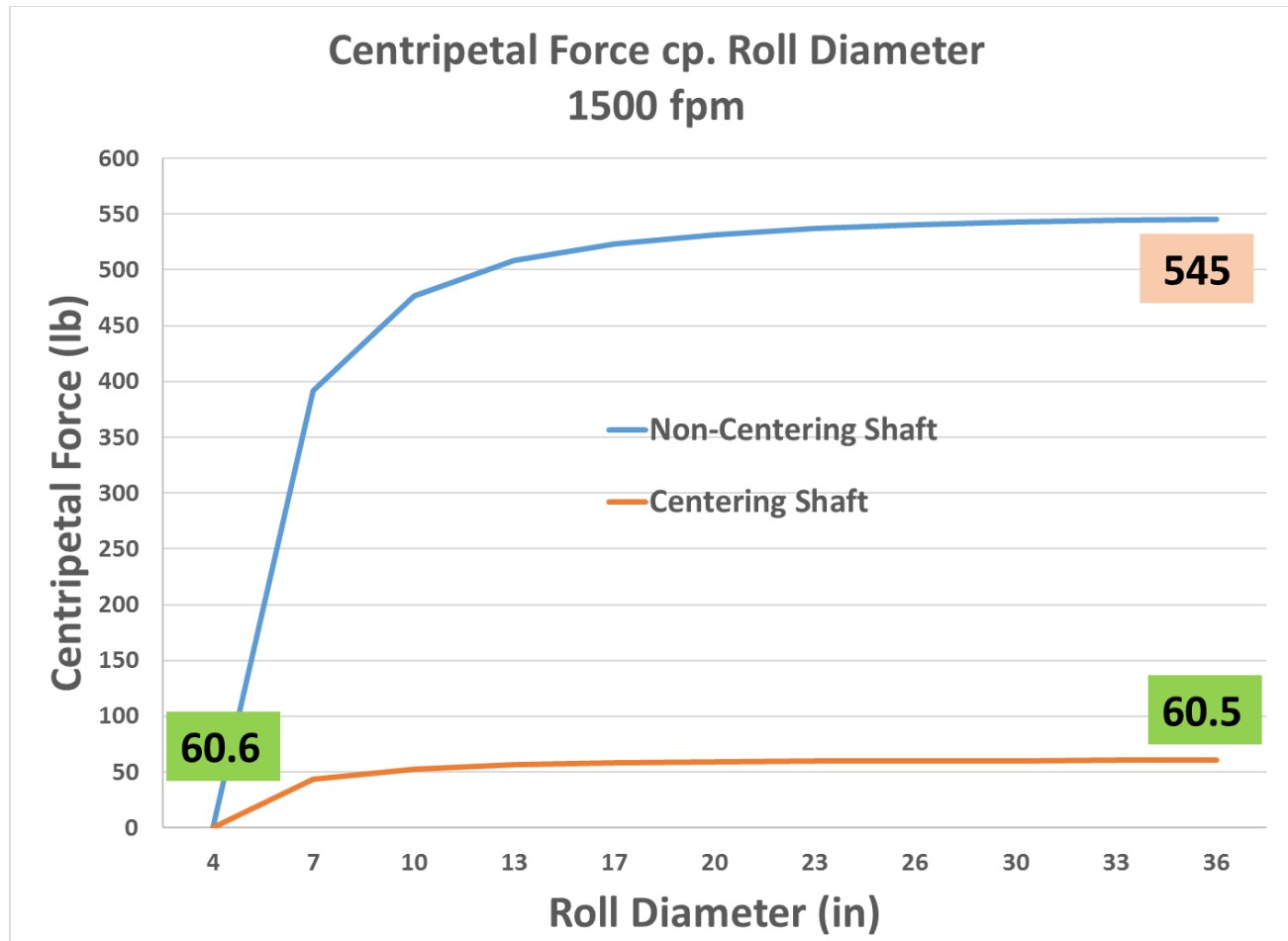
Centering shafts reduce imbalance
enabling higher line speeds



Centripetal force due to imbalance requires lower operating speeds



Centripetal force due to imbalance reduces throughput



Applying the TNTs of Winding with shafts that manage the gap between the core and the shaft results in good quality rolls run at optimal production speeds.

