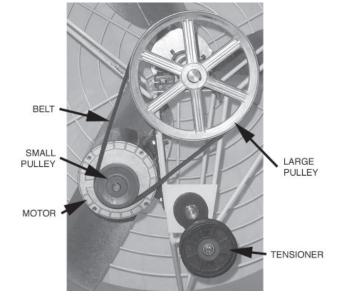


## H48 FAN BELT DRIVE

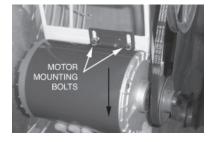
# **ADJUSTMENT PROCEDURES**

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#### 1. FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THE VARIOUS PARTS OF THE DRIVE SYSTEM.

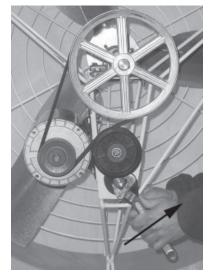
- The motor is bolted onto the large plate on the left hand side of the wire frame using four 5/16" bolts.
- The small pulley is installed on the motor and aligned with the large pulley. Alignment is very important so use a straight edge to make sure the pulleys are properly aligned.
- The large pulley is mounted on the shaft connected to the fan blade. Ensure the set screw is tight.
- The belt should be installed before the tensioner is adjusted as trying to install the belt with everything tight could stretch or damage the belt.
- The tensioner may already be set to apply approximately the right tension from factory. When installing a new belt, loosen off the tensioner and let it hang out of the way as shown. A single bolt on the back side holds it in place.



#### 2. ADJUST THE MOTOR TO REMOVE THE SLACK IN THE BELT.

- Loosen the 4 motor mounting bolts so that the motor can slide up and down.
- Drop the motor down until there is no slack in the belt.
- Tighten the four motor mounting bolts securely. Take care to make sure the motor shaft remains parallel to the fan shaft so that the pulley alignment remains true.





#### 3. ADJUST THE TENSIONER SUCH THAT A 4-5 LB. FORCE WILL DEFLECT THE BELT 5/32".

- Loosen the 3/8" bolt holding the tensioner on the back of the tensioner.
- Use a wrench on the large brass nut on the front of the tensioner to rotate the tensioner into the belt - temporarily tighten the bolt holding the tensioner on from the backside of the tensioner.
- Check the tension of the belt using a tension tester. On the H48 fan with 10" center distance a 4-5 lb force applied on the belt between the two pulleys should deflect the belt 5/32" (see photo on right).
- When proper tension is achieved, hold the tensioner with the large wrench while fully tightening the bolt on the backside (see photo on the left).

