

**Printware**

Red and White Belts

Purpose: iJetColor offers replacements for the feeder belts on the 1175 series of machines. This document is intended to provide a brief comparison between the two different models of replacement belts available for the feeder.



As seen above, there are two different types of belt available for the iJetColor 1175 series feeder. On the left is the white belt, which is the default belt that the unit comes with. It is smooth and made of a soft, grippy rubber material designed to generally handle all types of media. On the right is the red belt, which is an optional upgrade which can be purchased and used to replace the two center belts on the feeder. The red belt is made of a thicker, tougher material and has a tread pattern.

The primary difference in performance between the two is that the red belt will have a longer lifespan and have a stronger grip on the media passing through the machine. **For multi-ply media such as envelopes and packets, the red belts are the superior choice. However, if your normal business is primarily comprised of single-ply media, such as postcards or letterhead, you would be better served by choosing the white belts for your feeder.** The reason for this is that the red belts tend to have stronger traction across all media types. For envelopes, this is a universal good, and it ensures smoother feeding, but for letterhead or postcards, this can be a bit too much and can cause tearing.