## FLOW-TURN)®

#### The Next Generation of Turns

FLOW-TURN's **Square-Turn** belt curves utilize a row of cylindrical end rollers ("Pucks") that replace the tapered end rolls of traditional powered belt curves. Key benefits of this design are:

# Better Product Transfer & Safer Design Square-Turn curves have narrow, parallel belt-to-belt transitions to and from adjacent conveyors. In contrast, belt curves with tapered pulleys have an uneven, trapezoidal transfer gap which often requires the use of transfer plates for safety and functional reasons.

#### Reduced Noise

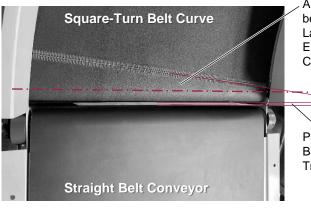
The cylindrical end roll design has the advantage that the belt lacing approaches the end rolls at a slight angle, reducing the slapping noise when lacing reaches a tapered pulley. In addition, the plastic puck material absorbs sound better than steel pulleys.

#### Lower Frame Height

The frame height of Square-Turn curves is less than with tapered pulley curves. This is beneficial for ceiling hung curves and curves mounted low on the floor.

- Easier Integration & Better Drive Arrangement
  The drive shaft is parallel to the shaft of the adjacent
  conveyor with tapered rollers, the shafts are at an
  angle. This avoids interference between drives mounted
  on the inner curve, and motors are parallel and
  perpendicular as on a straight belt conveyor.
- Simplified Parts Management

FLOW-TURN's pucks are the same size, no matter what curve radius or belt width – belt curves with tapered rollers require a different end roller for each variation of radius or width. For large facilities, the savings in spare parts are significant.

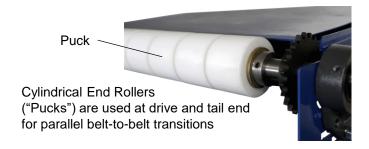


Angle between Lacing and End Roll Centerline

Parallel Belt-to-Belt Transition

# **Square-Turn**Power Belt Curves





Square-Turn belt curves are available in various sizes, arcs, and design options. Standard puck diameters are 4", 2.5" and 2" depending on curve size. Please refer to the **Square-Turn** Data Sheet.

### **SQUARE-TURN** Applications

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- □ Package & Parcel
- Baggage Handling
- Warehousing & Distribution
- Food Processing
- Packaging
- Industrial & Manufacturing



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#### Standard Specifications

#### FRAME CONSTRUCTION

- 4", 2.5" or 2" Puck diameter depending on curve size (please refer to Data Sheet)
- Load capacity 40 lbs per linear foot (standard)
- 10 Ga standard frame construction
- · Safety Guarding per OSHA
- Finger Guards and Safety Covers
- Arcs from 15 degrees to 270 degrees; also available as spiral with an elevation change
- Enamel paint or powder coating with color per RAL or paint chip request, or stainless steel

#### **DRIVE SYSTEM**

- Shaft-mounted gearmotors or reducers with flange mounts for C-Face motors
- Normal mounting at discharge end
- Number 50 Flex Chain with Attachment links
- · Hardened Steel Sprockets

#### **BELT**

- 2-ply PVC (standard) oil, heat, grease resistant
- Ruff Top and others upon request

#### **ACCESSORIES**

- Floor Supports, H-Style with welded constraint; +/- 2" adjustment; or ceiling hangers
- Side Guards 12 and 14 Ga Steel



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#### **Options**

#### **FRAME**

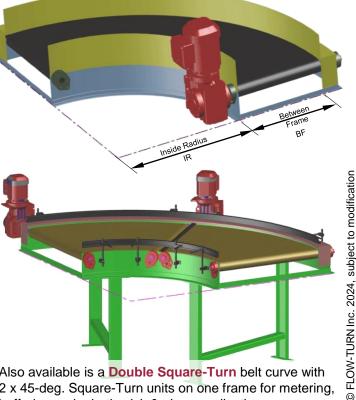
- Stainless steel, suitable for food applications
- Bed Relief Rollers for extra heavy loads
- Under Guards in Plastic or Steel Mesh or full Metal
- Removable Inside Radius Frame for Endless Belt Applications without Laced Splice
- Transfer Rolls for Small Item Applications
- Double Square-Turn with 2 x 45-degree curves (picture below)

#### **DRIVE**

- Integrated Gear Motors, with or without VFD's
- Inside radius mount (vertical only)
- Slave Drive between curves and adjacent conveyor

#### **BELT**

FDA & USDA approved belts available



Also available is a **Double Square-Turn** belt curve with 2 x 45-deg. Square-Turn units on one frame for metering, buffering and robotic pick & place applications.

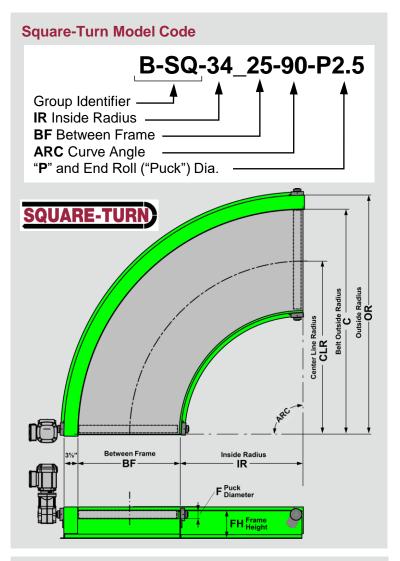


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# **Square-Turn**Data Sheet



Group Identifier	<b>OR</b> Outside Radius	C Belt Outside Radius	
AAA-SQ	30.625"	27"	
AA-SQ	40.625"	37"	
A-SQ	50.625"	47"	
B-SQ	62.625"	59"	
C-SQ	90.625"	87"	

F Puck Diameter	<b>X</b> Shaft Diameter	<b>FH</b> Inside Frame Height *			
2"	1"	5.5"			
2.5"	1-3/16" 1-7/16" **	<b>6"</b> 7.25" **			
4"	1-7/16"	7.25"			
* OR Frame is 0.5" shorter than IR Frame ** 2.5" available upon request with X=1-7/16"					

For **Square-Turn** Spiral applications, please refer to the corresponding **Spiral-Turn** Data Sheet.

		С	IR	BF	CLR	F
Group	Model	Belt Outside	Inside	Between	Centerline	Puck
Identifier	No.	Radius	Radius	Frame	Radius	Diameter
	22 5		22"	5"	24.5"	2"
AAA-SQ	20_7 27"	27"	20"	7"	23.5"	2"
	18 9		18"	9"	22.5"	2"
	16_11	1	16"	11"	21.5"	2"
	14 13	1	14"	13"	20.5"	2"
	12_15	1	12"	15"	19.5"	2"
	30 7		30"	7"	33.5"	2.5" (2")
AA-SQ	28 9	37"	28"	9"	32.5"	2.5" (2")
	26 11	1	26"	11"	31.5"	2.5" (2")
	24_13	1	24"	13"	30.5"	2.5" (2")
	22 15	1 1	22"	15"	29.5"	2.5" (2")
	20_17	1	20"	17"	28.5"	2.5" (2")
	40 7		40"	7"	43.5"	2.5" (2")
A-SQ	38 9	47"	38"	9"	42.5"	2.5" (2")
ļ	36_11	1 1	36"	11"	41.5"	2.5" (2")
	34_13	1	34"	13"	40.5"	2.5" (2")
	32 15	1	32"	15"	39.5"	2.5" (2")
	30 17	1	30"	17"	38.5"	2.5" (2")
	28 19	1 1	28"	19"	37.5"	2.5" (2")
	26 21	1	26"	21"	36.5"	2.5" (2")
	24 23	1	24"	23"	35.5"	2.5" (2")
	22 25		22"	25"	34.5"	2.5" (2")
	44_15		44"	15"	51.5"	2.5" (2")
B-SQ	42 17	59"	42"	17"	50.5"	2.5" (2")
	40 19	1	40"	19"	49.5"	2.5" (2")
	38 21	1	38"	21"	48.5"	2.5" (2")
	36 23	1	36"	23"	47.5"	2.5" (2")
	34_25	1	34"	25"	46.5"	2.5" (2")
	32_27		32"	27"	45.5"	2.5" (2")
	30_29		30"	29"	44.5"	2.5" (2")
	28_31		28"	31"	43.5"	2.5" (2")
	26_33	1	26"	33"	42.5"	2.5" (2")
	24_35	1 1	24"	35"	41.5"	2.5" (2")
	22 37	1	22"	37"	40.5"	2.5" (2")
	20_39	1	20"	39"	39.5"	2.5" (2")
	62 25		62"	25"	74.5"	4" (2.5")
C-SQ	60 27	87"	60"	27"	73.5'	4" (2.5")
	58 29		58"	29"	72.5"	4" (2.5")
	56_31	1	56"	31"	71.5"	4" (2.5")
	54_33	1 1	54"	33"	70.5"	4" (2.5")
	52_35	1 1	52"	35"	69.5"	4" (2.5")
ļ	50_37	1 1	50"	37"	68.5"	4" (2.5")
	48_39	1 1	48"	39"	67.5"	4" (2.5")
Ì	46_41	1 1	46"	41"	66.5"	4" (2.5")
-	44_43	1	44"	43"	65.5"	4" (2.5")
	42_45	1 1	42"	45"	64.5"	4" (2.5")
	40_47	1	40"	47"	63.5"	4" (2.5")
ļ	38_49	1	38"	49"	62.5"	4" (2.5")
	Special and in-between curve sizes are available,					
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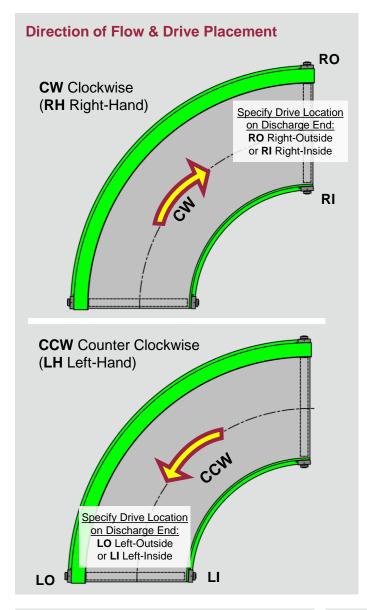
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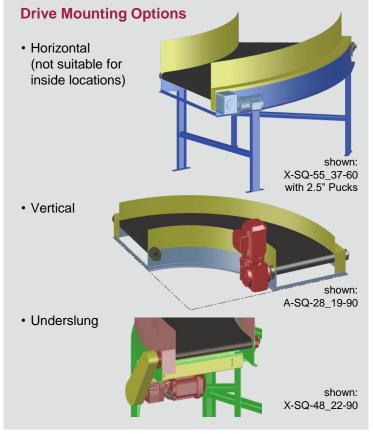
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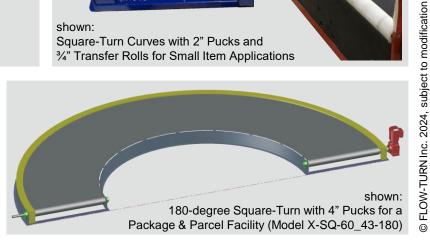






Sizes and options given are only a small example of the power belt curves made by Flow-Turn.

Please inquire if your project requires other sizes or has special requirements.





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