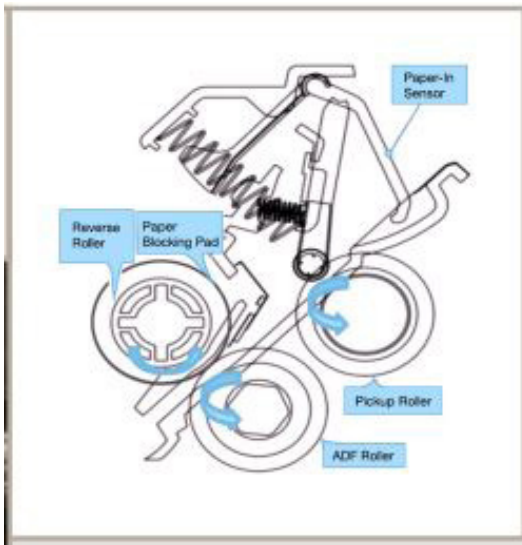


Xerox Corp. Active Reversing Rollers

Outstanding Achievement in Innovation



The Active Reversing Rollers feature, which has been honored with an Outstanding Achievement in Innovation award by the analysts at BLI, offers...

- Dual motor design to drive the feed and reverse rollers independently
- The ability to accurately pick and feed one page at a time without sacrificing speed
- Improved reliability, with fewer misfeeds and paper jams and a lower chance that originals will be damaged

“When engineering a document scanner, there’s a trade-off between speed and reliability. The image sensors and processors can handle greater throughput, but feeding pages through at ever-faster rates taxes the mechanical limits of the feed system,” explained Jamie Bsales, Director of Software Analysis for Keypoint Intelligence - Buyers Lab. “Manufacturers have designed ingenious ways to pick and feed single sheets quickly, and one of the most innovative solutions BLI technicians have seen is the Active Reversing Rollers feature.”

Tested in the Xerox DocuMate 6460 and 6480 scanners, the design has two sets of rollers that are being driven independently by two separate motors, rather than using friction or spring-loaded mechanisms to separate pages. This means the devices can be more precise when separating pages.

“When we tested the scanners in the lab, we were impressed by their reliability: The two machines scanned a combined 100,000 pages with only one misfeed,” said Joe Ellerman, U.S. Manager of Lab Operations for Keypoint Intelligence - Buyers Lab. “When we looked deeper into the Active Reversing Rollers technology in the scanners, it was immediately clear why these devices were so reliable. The innovation helps the devices pick and feed a single page while maintaining fast scan speeds.”

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