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PRODUCT APPLICATION GUIDE

Your Solution in
POWER FACTOR CORRECTION
and
POWER QUALITY CORRECTION



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The new generation of low voltage capacitors

Nokian Capacitors has manufactured self healing dry typed low voltage capacitors since 1980. Today Nokian Capacitors manufactures low voltage units having rated voltages from 200V to 1000V for both frequencies 50Hz and 60Hz. For example, they can have the following applications:

- Delta or star connected 3-phase units to be used for power factor correction in all kind of capacitor banks including detuned and tuned filters
- 1-phase units to be used e.g. in heating installations
- Capacitors units for special applications (trains etc.)

In the design and manufacturing of the new cool type capacitor unit (L- and N-Series) the latest knowledge in raw materials and processing has been utilised. While choosing raw materials and manufacturing processes the quality of the end product has been the first priority. As a proof of our continuous commitment to quality, Nokian Capacitors was awarded the Quality Certificate ISO 9001 in December 1993 which is followed-up with twice yearly audits. Capacitor units have been type tested according to IEC 831-1 and IEC 831-2 and they have CE-conformity marking and UL and CSA approval.

Because the high temperature of the plastic insulation material is known to lead to its premature ageing, one of the main targets in the design of the new cool type capacitor unit was to find a construction having a low temperature rise which has been reached by the following means:

EXCLUSIVE HEAT TRANSFER PACKAGE:

- A - Losses of the elements have been minimised using by mean of winding design and using short solid copper terminals.
- B - Losses of the wiring have been minimised using solid copper bus bars and thick copper wires with low current density for internal connection in the capacitor unit.
- C - Elements assembled in the steel container using a spacer to separate elements from each other.
- D - The split design of the container allows much better cooling due to 40% increase in the cooling surface.

Safety has been also an important guideline in the design the main safety features being:

- E- The capacitor is completely encased in the steel container.

- F- The capacitor unit has been provided with two level protection comprised of individually fused elements and non-flammable filling around the elements in larger capacitor units which displaces oxygen and absorbs energy in failure situations.

- G- Over 10 cooling surfaces.

The new arrangement of the terminals allows easy connection and the design of the discharge resistors (discharge time to 50V is less than 60 sec.) allows the capacitor units to be easily used in automatically controlled capacitor banks.

LOW VOLTAGE POWER CAPACITORS:

Low voltage power capacitors are manufactured by using the latest methods. Capacitor elements of metallized polypropylene film are self-healing and dry without impregnation liquid. Each capacitor element is individually protected with patented internal protection.

Capacitors have low losses, and are constructed to be light in weight. The low voltage power capacitors comply with most national and international standards.

CONSTRUCTION

The DSHI capacitor consists of a number of low loss capacitor cells connected to provide the required three phase output. These cells are wound from metallized polypropylene film. After winding, the cell ends are zinc sprayed to provide the best electrical contact between the turns of the winding, and connection wires are soldered to the zinc end surfaces. The winding is then placed in a thermoplastic resin case which is filled with a polyurethane resin and allowed to harden. The finished cells are wired for the required three phase output and assembled in a steel enclosure.

HOUSING

All capacitor units are supplied in a powder epoxy painted steel case. Solderless terminal connectors and discharge resistors are enclosed in an indoor/outdoor terminal compartment.

Because DSHI Serie capacitors contain no liquid there is no danger of a spill in the unlikely event of a rupture.

FEATURES

ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE

Although the elements used in the DSHI capacitor are treated with silicon oil there is no free liquid. Hence in the extremely unlikely event of an element rupture there is no risk of leaks or pollution.

SELF-PROTECTING

Extensive testing on DSHI capacitors with elements purposely short circuited by driving a nail through the element case has shown that the impedance of the lead connections and the element itself will limit the fault current to a value within the self-healing capabilities of the elements. The energy discharged into the puncture causes the very thin layer of metal deposited on the polypropylene film to vaporize around the area of the fault creating an open circuit and clearing the fault (See Figure 1). This self-healing action is completed in ten micro seconds. The capacitors are also protected by an internal fuse element within the cell (See Figure 2). This combination of self-healing action and internal fusing eliminates the need for additional fuses to protect the capacitor cells. NEC article 460-8B, however, may dictate the need for external overcurrent protection to protect the conductors leading to the capacitors.

TEMPERATURE

The DSHI capacitor is designed to operate over an ambient temperature range of -40 degrees C to +50 degrees C.

OVERVOLTAGE

All DSHI capacitors are suitable for continuous operation at 110 percent of the nameplate voltage (RMS including harmonics).

OVERCURRENT

All DSHI capacitors are suitable for continuous operation at 135 percent of the rated nameplate current (including harmonics).

DISCHARGE RESISTORS

All power capacitors are equipped with discharge resistors to discharge the capacitor when de-energized. For 600 volts and below, the residual voltage is reduced to 50 volts or less within one minute of de-energization. For units above 600 volts, the residual voltage is reduced to 50 volts or less within 5 minutes.

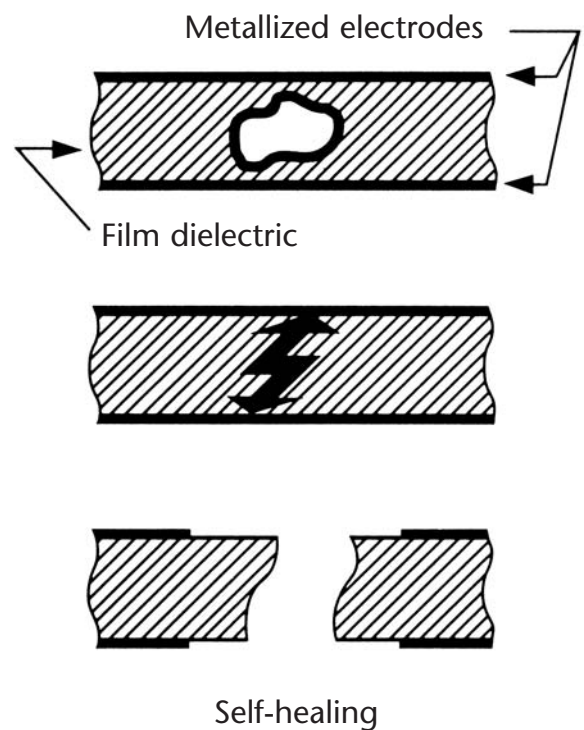


Figure 1

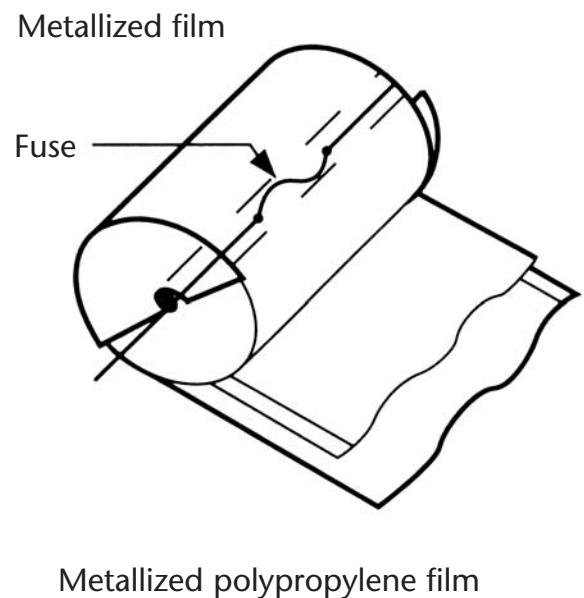


Figure 2

DSHI Low Voltage Capacitors Units

Type DSHI capacitors consist of dry self-protecting metallized internally fused cells assembled in an epoxy painted steel enclosure. Solderless terminal connectors and discharge resistors are enclosed in an indoor/outdoor terminal compartment.

FEATURES

- Dry self-healing metallized polypropylene cells
- Internally protected cells
- Discharge resistors
- NEMA 1, 12, & 3R enclosures available
- Optional fuses (200 KA interrupting capacity) and blown fuse indicating lights
- UL Listed and CSA Approved

RATINGS

| | |
|-------|--------------------------------|
| 240 V | 5-50 kVAR |
| 480 V | 2-100 kVAR |
| 600 V | 3-100 kVAR |
| 660 V | 3-100 kVAR (750V CONSTRUCTION) |

MOUNTING & CONNECTION

Type DSHI units can be mounted in an upright position using the integral floor mounting brackets. Wall mounting can be accomplished by using the optional wall mounting brackets. Connections can be made from either end to the enclosed solderless terminal connectors.

EXTERNAL FUSING

The combination of the self-healing action and internal fusing eliminates the need for additional fuses to protect the capacitor cells. NEC article 460-8B, however, may dictate the need for external overcurrent protection to protect the conductors leading to the capacitors.

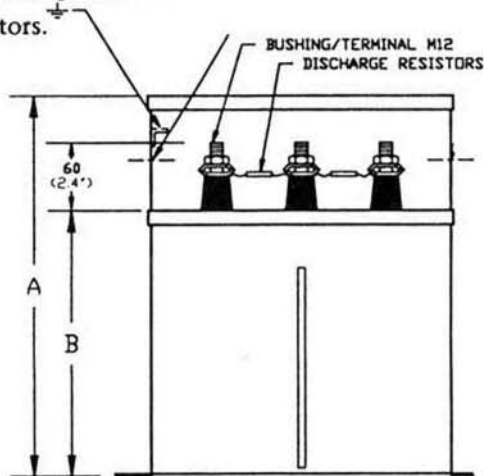
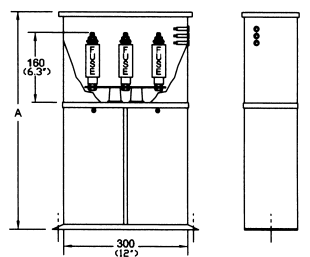
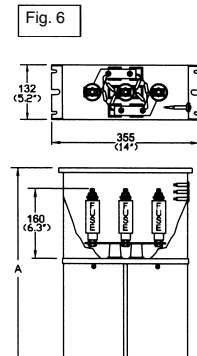
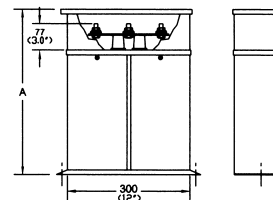
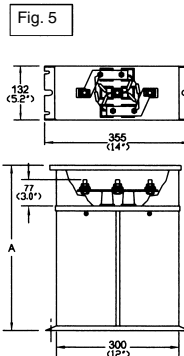
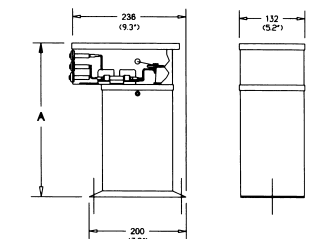
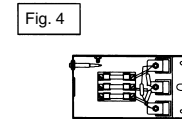
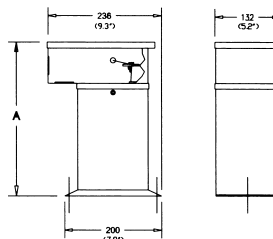
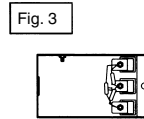
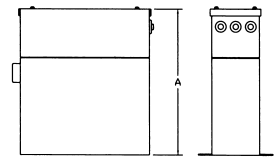
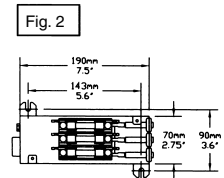
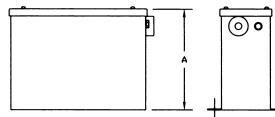
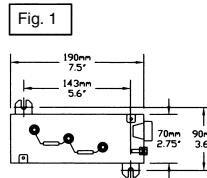


FIGURE 1



DSHI SERIE



| DSHI series | | | | | | | " A " | 3 Fus. | 3 lights | Nema | | | | " A " |
|--------------------|-------|-------|--------|----|-------|------------|------------|--------|----------|---------|-----|-------|------------|------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | Weight | | fig # | Dimension | 4 | 5 | 6 | Weight | | fig # | Dimension | |
| kVAR | cat # | Style | Lbs | kg | | | | | | 1,12,3R | Lbs | | | Lbs |
| 240 Volts. | 5 | 21357 | ML1D | 19 | 8 | 3 | 9 (228) | F | BFI | 1 | 21 | 9 | 4 | 9 (228) |
| | 7,5 | 21358 | ML1D | 19 | 8 | 3 | 9 (228) | F | BFI | 1 | 21 | 9 | 4 | 9 (228) |
| | 10 | 21359 | FL1D | 21 | 9 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 23 | 10 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 15 | 21360 | FL1D | 22 | 10 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 24 | 11 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 20 | 21361 | FL2D | 25 | 11 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 27 | 12 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 25 | 21362 | FL2D | 27 | 12 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 29 | 13 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 30 | 9947 | FL2D | 27 | 12 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 29 | 13 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 40 | 9953 | SL2D | 33 | 15 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 35 | 16 | 6 | 22.0 (560) |
| 50 | 21687 | AL2D | 36 | 16 | 5 | 21.0 (535) | F | BFI | 1 | 38 | 17 | 6 | 25.8 (655) | |
| 480 Volts 3 phases | 3 | 22202 | N3D | 6 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 5 | 21686 | N3D | 6 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 6 | 22203 | N3D | 6 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 7,5 | 21368 | N3D | 7 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 10 | 21369 | N3D | 7 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 12,5 | 31237 | N3D | 8 | 4 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 15 | 21370 | FL1D | 19 | 8 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 20 | 9 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 17,5 | 31238 | FL1D | 19 | 8 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 20 | 9 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 20 | 21371 | FL1D | 21 | 9 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 23 | 10 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 25 | 21372 | FL1D | 23 | 10 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 25 | 11 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 30 | 21373 | FL2D | 25 | 11 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 27 | 12 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 35 | 31239 | FL2D | 24 | 11 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 26 | 12 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 40 | 21374 | FL2D | 24 | 11 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 26 | 12 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 45 | 31240 | FL2D | 29 | 13 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 31 | 14 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 50 | 21375 | FL2D | 29 | 13 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 31 | 14 | 6 | 18.1 (460) |
| | 60 | 21376 | SL2D | 31 | 14 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 33 | 15 | 6 | 22.0 (560) |
| 70 | 22652 | SL2D | 33 | 15 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 35 | 16 | 6 | 22.0 (560) | |
| 75 | 21377 | SL2D | 33 | 15 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 35 | 16 | 6 | 22.0 (560) | |
| 80 | 22653 | SL2D | 37 | 17 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 39 | 18 | 6 | 22.0 (560) | |
| 90 | 22654 | AL2D | 42 | 19 | 5 | 21.0 (535) | F | BFI | 1 | 44 | 20 | 6 | 25.8 (655) | |
| 100 | 21378 | AL2D | 44 | 20 | 5 | 21.0 (535) | F | BFI | 1 | 42 | 21 | 6 | 25.8 (655) | |
| 600 V. 110% En | 3 | 21555 | N3D | 6 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 6 | 21556 | N3D | 6 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 7,5 | 21363 | N3D | 6 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 10 | 9932 | N3D | 7 | 3 | 1 | 7.5 (190) | F | BFI | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 10,3 (260) |
| | 12,5 | 21364 | FL1D | 16 | 8 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 18 | 9 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 15 | 9935 | FL1D | 16 | 8 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 19 | 9 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 20 | 9938 | FL1D | 17 | 9 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 19 | 10 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 25 | 9941 | SL1D | 20 | 9 | 3 | 16.7 (425) | F | BFI | 1 | 20 | 10 | 4 | 16.7 (425) |
| | 30 | 9944 | SL1D | 21 | 10 | 3 | 16.7 (425) | F | BFI | 1 | 23 | 11 | 4 | 16.7 (425) |
| | 40 | 9950 | FL2D | 28 | 13 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 18.1 (461) |
| | 50 | 9956 | SL2D | 33 | 15 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 35 | 17 | 6 | 22.0 (560) |
| | 60 | 9959 | SL2D | 35 | 16 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 37 | 18 | 6 | 22.0 (560) |
| 75 | 21365 | AL2D | 37 | 17 | 5 | 21.0 (535) | F | BFI | 1 | 39 | 19 | 6 | 25.8 (655) | |
| 100 | 21366 | TL2D | 48 | 22 | 5 | 25.0 (635) | F | BFI | 1 | 50 | 24 | 6 | 29.7 (755) | |
| ** 660 V. 125% En | 3 | 31248 | ML1Y | 15 | 7 | 3 | 9.0 (228) | F | BFI | 1 | 17 | 8 | 4 | 14,3 (363) |
| | 6 | 31249 | ML1Y | 15 | 7 | 3 | 9.0 (228) | F | BFI | 1 | 17 | 8 | 4 | 14,3 (363) |
| | 7,5 | 31250 | ML1Y | 15 | 7 | 3 | 9.0 (228) | F | BFI | 1 | 17 | 8 | 4 | 14,3 (363) |
| | 10 | 31251 | ML1Y | 16 | 7 | 3 | 9.0 (228) | F | BFI | 1 | 18 | 8 | 4 | 14,3 (363) |
| | 12,5 | 31252 | FL1Y | 17 | 8 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 19 | 9 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 15 | 31253 | FL1Y | 17 | 8 | 3 | 12.8 (326) | F | BFI | 1 | 19 | 9 | 4 | 12.8 (326) |
| | 20 | 31254 | SL1Y | 17 | 8 | 3 | 16.7 (423) | F | BFI | 1 | 19 | 9 | 4 | 16,7 (423) |
| | 25 | 31256 | SL1Y | 18 | 8 | 3 | 16,7 (423) | F | BFI | 1 | 20 | 9 | 4 | 16,7 (423) |
| | 30 | 31257 | FL2Y | 28 | 13 | 5 | 13.4 (340) | F | BFI | 1 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 18 (461) |
| | 40 | 31258 | SL2Y | 35 | 16 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 37 | 17 | 6 | 22 (558) |
| | 50 | 31259 | SL2Y | 36 | 16 | 5 | 17.4 (440) | F | BFI | 1 | 38 | 17 | 6 | 22 (558) |
| | 60 | 31260 | AL2Y | 40 | 18 | 5 | 21.0 (535) | F | BFI | 1 | 42 | 19 | 6 | 25.8 (655) |
| 75 | 31261 | TL2Y | 47 | 21 | 5 | 25.0 (635) | F | BFI | 1 | 49 | 22 | 6 | 29.7 (755) | |
| 100 | 31255 | RL2Y | 56 | 26 | 5 | 28.7 (730) | F | BFI | 1 | 58 | 27 | 6 | 33,5 (851) | |

** 750 Volts construction

Exemple / Model # : DSHI - 31255 - RL2Y - F - BFI - 1
 Suffix = 1 2 3 4 5 6

DSHM Low Voltage Capacitor Bank

Comprised of Type DSHI units, the Type DSHM banks offer the same totally dry self-healing metallized polypropylene design with individually internally fuse protected capacitor elements with special heat transfer.

Each unit in the bank can be externally fused to protect the wiring to each unit. Optional blown fuse indicating lights are also available. All banks are UL Listed and CSA Approved, and are available in NEMA 1, 12, and 3R enclosures.



DSHM SERIES

FEATURES

- Dry self-healing metallized polypropylene cells
- Internally protected cells
- Discharge resistors
- NEMA 1, 12, & 3R enclosures available
- Optional fuses (200 KA interrupting capacity) and blown fuse indicating lights
- UL Listed and CSA Approved

RATINGS

| | |
|-------|--------------|
| 240 V | 60-300 kVAR |
| 480 V | 120-600 kVAR |
| 600 V | 120-600 kVAR |

MOUNTING & CONNECTION

Type DSHI units can be mounted in an upright position using the integral floor mounting brackets. Wall mounting can be accomplished by using the optional wall mounting brackets. Connections can be made from either end to the enclosed solderless terminal connectors.

EXTERNAL FUSING

The combination of the self-healing action and internal fusing eliminates the need for additional fuses to protect the capacitor cells. NEC article 460-8B, however, may dictate the need for external overcurrent protection to protect the conductors leading to the capacitors.

Fig. 1

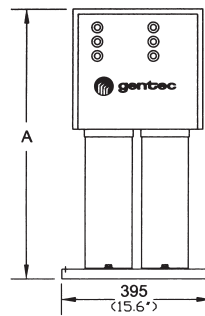


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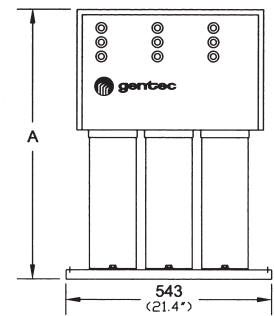


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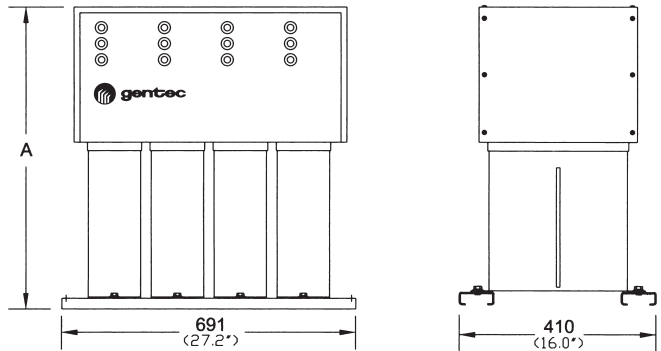
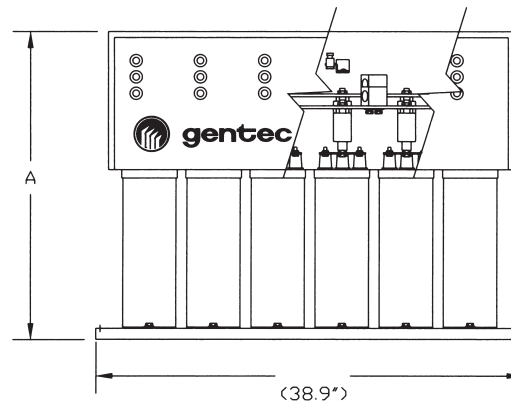


Fig. 4



| | | Model no.. | | option | option | Option | DIMENSION | | | |
|-------------|-----------|------------|--------------------|---------|----------|---------|------------|------------|-----|-----|
| DSHM series | | style | Type .. 1,12,3R | 3 Fuses | 3 Lights | | " A " | Weight | | |
| | kVAR | cat # | Suffixe | Suffixe | Suffixe | Suffixe | fig # | pouce (mm) | Lbs | kg |
| 240 Volts | 60 | 2-9947 | FL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 23.0 (583) | 55 | 25 |
| | 80 | 2-9953 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 68 | 31 |
| | 100 | 2-21687 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 30.6 (778) | 73 | 33 |
| | 120 | 3-9953 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 26.9 (683) | 109 | 49 |
| | 150 | 3-21687 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 115 | 52 |
| | 200 | 4-21687 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 30.6 (778) | 187 | 85 |
| | 225 | 4-21687-2 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 200 | 91 |
| | 250 | 5-21687 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 218 | 99 |
| | 300 | 6-21687 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 231 | 105 |
| 480 Volts | 120 | 2-21376 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 73 | 33 |
| | 125 | 2-21377-5 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 73 | 33 |
| | 130 | 2-22652-6 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 73 | 33 |
| | 140 | 2-22652 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 74 | 34 |
| | 150 | 2-21377 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 76 | 35 |
| | 160 | 2-22653 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 83 | 38 |
| | 175 | 2-21378-7 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 30.6 (778) | 96 | 43 |
| | 180 | 2-22654 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 30.6 (778) | 97 | 44 |
| | 200 | 2-21378 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 30.6 (778) | 99 | 45 |
| | 210 | 3-22652 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 26.9 (683) | 115 | 52 |
| | 225 | 3-21377 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 26.9 (683) | 118 | 53 |
| | 240 | 3-22653 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 26.9 (683) | 128 | 58 |
| | 250 | 3-22654-2 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 142 | 68 |
| | 270 | 3-22654 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 145 | 65 |
| | 275 | 3-21378-7 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 148 | 66 |
| | 290 | 3-21378-4 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 157 | 71 |
| | 300 | 3-21378 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 168 | 77 |
| | 320 | 4-22653 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 26.9 (683) | 174 | 79 |
| | 360 | 4-22654 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 30.6 (778) | 192 | 87 |
| | 400 | 4-21378 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 30.6 (778) | 200 | 91 |
| 430 | 4-21378-3 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 30.6 (778) | 231 | 105 | |
| 450 | 5-22654 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 257 | 117 | |
| 475 | 5-21378-7 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 284 | 129 | |
| 500 | 5-21378 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 288 | 131 | |
| 540 | 6-22654 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 290 | 132 | |
| 600 | 6-21378 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 30.6 (778) | 299 | 135 | |
| 600 Volts | 120 | 2-9959 | SL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 26.9 (683) | 69 | 31 |
| | 150 | 2-21365 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 30.6 (778) | 73 | 33 |
| | 175 | 2-21366-5 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 34.6 (878) | 109 | 49 |
| | 200 | 2-21366 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 1 | 34.6 (878) | 110 | 52 |
| | 225 | 3-21365 | AL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 30.6 (778) | 115 | 53 |
| | 250 | 3-21366-6 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 34.6 (878) | 148 | 67 |
| | 275 | 3-21366-5 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 34.6 (878) | 148 | 69 |
| | 300 | 3-21366 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 2 | 34.6 (878) | 150 | 71 |
| | 350 | 4-21366-6 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 34.6 (878) | 200 | 91 |
| | 375 | 4-21366-5 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 34.6 (878) | 210 | 93 |
| | 400 | 4-21366 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 3 | 34.6 (878) | 225 | 95 |
| | 450 | 5-21366-6 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 34.6 (878) | 230 | 104 |
| | 500 | 5-21366 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 34.6 (878) | 235 | 114 |
| | 550 | 6-21366-6 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 34.6 (878) | 255 | 120 |
| 600 | 6-21366 | TL2D | 1 | F | BFI | 4 | 34.6 (878) | 300 | 135 | |

Model # = DSHM -6-21366 - AL2D - 12 - F - BFI

Others Power are available on request Contact Gentec factory

Type = 1, 12 or 3R

C100 Series Low Voltage Auto Capacitor Bank

Comprised of Type DSHI units, the C100 series Automatic Switched Banks offer the same totally dry seal-healing metallized polypropylene design with individually internally fuse protected capacitor elements.

The installation of a C100 Automatic Switched Bank on the main bus can often meet the varying power factor correction needs of an entire industrial plant. It can also reduce installation and maintenance costs compared to individual capacitors. A PT (included) and a CT, provided by the user, provide the signal necessary for the DPFR Automatic Switched Bank's controller to bring on the required kVAR in steps to maintain the customer's pre-determined power factor level.

FEATURES

- Dry self-healing metallized polypropylene cells
- Internally protected cells
- Discharge resistors
- CSA, UL Approved
- 200 KA interrupting capacity fuses on all 3 phases of each capacitor
- NEMA rated contactors
- Air core reactors to limit inrush current
- Optional main breaker with door interlock
- Optional blown fuse indicating lights

ENCLOSURE

- 14 gauge steel
- NEMA 1, NEMA 3R & Dustproof enclosures available
- Top lifting eyes
- Key lockable doors
- Top entry (bottom, back or side entry available)

CONTROLLER

(More details page 24)

- 12 step solid state
- Digital display of power factor (capacitive/inductive)
- Digital display of user adjustable control settings
- Capacitor step indication
- Automatic polarity correction if connected in reverse
- No volt release of capacitors on power failure
- Field adjustable time delay settings for capacitor switching
- When heavy compensation is required, time delays are automatically reduced for quicker response times
- Insufficient kVAR alarm contacts

RATINGS :

| | |
|-------|--------------|
| 240 V | 10-300 kVAR |
| 480 V | 10-2000 kVAR |
| 600 V | 10-2000 kVAR |
| 660 V | 10-2000 kVAR |

UNIT CONFIGURATIONS :

| | |
|----------|------------|
| 4 units | fig. 1 |
| 6 units | fig. 1 & 2 |
| 12 units | fig. 3 |

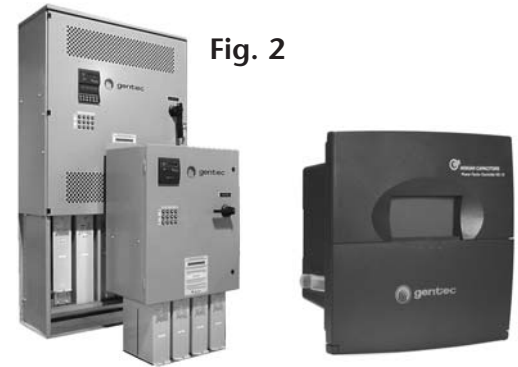


Fig. 2

Fig. 1



Fig. 3



Fig. 4



Fig. 5

C100 series Automatic Low Voltage Power Factor Correction / Selection Guide

| | Total kVAR | MODEL # # | | | # of step | Option (s) | | | Binary Switched kVAR | Enclose Fig. # | Approx. Weight | |
|------------------|------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|-----------|------------|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|-----|
| | | series | System Volts | Reactive Power | | Lights BFI | Breaker or F.Disconnect | Nema 1,12,3R | | | Lbs | Kg |
| 240 Volts | 50 | C100 | 240 | 50 | 5 | BFI | B or FD | 1 | 10 | 1 | 280 | 127 |
| | 75 | C100 | 240 | 75 | 3 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 390 | 177 |
| | 100 | C100 | 240 | 100 | 4 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 415 | 189 |
| | 120 | C100 | 240 | 120 | 3 | BFI | -- | 1 | 40 | 1 | 420 | 191 |
| | 125 | C100 | 240 | 125 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 435 | 198 |
| | 150 | C100 | 240 | 150 | 6 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 457 | 208 |
| | 160 | C100 | 240 | 160 | 4 | BFI | -- | 1 | 40 | 1 | 445 | 202 |
| | 175 | C100 | 240 | 175 | 7 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 2 - 3 | 955 | 434 |
| | 200 | C100 | 240 | 200 | 4 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 965 | 439 |
| | 225 | C100 | 240 | 225 | 9 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 2 - 3 | 975 | 443 |
| 250 | C100 | 240 | 250 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 980 | 445 | |
| 300 | C100 | 240 | 300 | 6 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1000 | 455 | |
| 480 Volts | 50 | C100 | 480 | 50 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 10 | 1 | 268 | 122 |
| | 75 | C100 | 480 | 75 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 15 | 1 | 268 | 122 |
| | 100 | C100 | 480 | 100 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 20 | 1 | 278 | 126 |
| | 125 | C100 | 480 | 125 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 379 | 172 |
| | 150 | C100 | 480 | 150 | 3 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 1 | 406 | 185 |
| | 175 | C100 | 480 | 175 | 7 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 425 | 193 |
| | 200 | C100 | 480 | 200 | 4 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 1 | 435 | 198 |
| | 225 | C100 | 480 | 225 | 9 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 2 - 3 | 650 | 295 |
| | 250 | C100 | 480 | 250 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 660 | 300 |
| | 275 | C100 | 480 | 275 | 11 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 2 - 3 | 695 | 316 |
| | 300 | C100 | 480 | 300 | 6 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 789 | 359 |
| | 350 | C100 | 480 | 350 | 7 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1125 | 511 |
| | 400 | C100 | 480 | 400 | 8 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1149 | 522 |
| | 450 | C100 | 480 | 450 | 9 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1165 | 530 |
| | 500 | C100 | 480 | 500 | 10 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1275 | 580 |
| | 550 | C100 | 480 | 550 | 11 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1290 | 586 |
| | 600 | C100 | 480 | 600 | 12 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1435 | 652 |
| | 700 | C100 | 480 | 700 | 14 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1535 | 698 |
| 800 | C100 | 480 | 800 | 16 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1640 | 745 | |
| 900 | C100 | 480 | 900 | 18 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1725 | 784 | |
| 1000 | C100 | 480 | 1000 | 20 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1800 | 818 | |
| 1100 | C100 | 480 | 1100 | 22 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 5 | 2000 | 864 | |
| 1200 | C100 | 480 | 1200 | 24 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 5 | 2100 | 909 | |
| 600 Volts | 50 | C100 | 600 | 50 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 10 | 1 | 268 | 122 |
| | 75 | C100 | 600 | 75 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 15 | 1 | 268 | 122 |
| | 100 | C100 | 600 | 100 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 20 | 1 | 278 | 126 |
| | 125 | C100 | 600 | 125 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 1 | 379 | 172 |
| | 150 | C100 | 600 | 150 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 30 | 1 | 406 | 185 |
| | 200 | C100 | 600 | 200 | 4 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 1 | 435 | 198 |
| | 225 | C100 | 600 | 225 | 9 | BFI | -- | 1 | 25 | 2 - 3 | 450 | 205 |
| | 250 | C100 | 600 | 250 | 5 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 560 | 255 |
| | 300 | C100 | 600 | 300 | 6 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 789 | 359 |
| | 350 | C100 | 600 | 350 | 7 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1125 | 511 |
| | 400 | C100 | 600 | 400 | 8 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1149 | 522 |
| | 450 | C100 | 600 | 450 | 9 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1165 | 530 |
| | 500 | C100 | 600 | 500 | 10 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1275 | 580 |
| | 550 | C100 | 600 | 550 | 11 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 2 - 3 | 1290 | 586 |
| | 600 | C100 | 600 | 600 | 12 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1435 | 652 |
| | 700 | C100 | 600 | 700 | 14 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1535 | 698 |
| | 800 | C100 | 600 | 800 | 16 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1640 | 745 |
| | 900 | C100 | 600 | 900 | 18 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1725 | 784 |
| 1000 | C100 | 600 | 1000 | 20 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 4 | 1800 | 818 | |
| 1100 | C100 | 600 | 1100 | 22 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 5 | 2000 | 910 | |
| 1200 | C100 | 600 | 1200 | 24 | BFI | -- | 1 | 50 | 5 | 2100 | 955 | |

Suffix = 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Example / Model # : **C100 - 480 - 600 - 6 - BFI - B - 12**

*** Call factory for other ratings

| Enclose Fig. # | Height | | Wide | | Deep | |
|----------------|--------|------|------|------|------|-----|
| | Inch | Mm | Inch | Mm | Inch | Mm |
| 1 | 48 | 1220 | 28 | 710 | 16 | 406 |
| 2 | 78 | 1980 | 42 | 1067 | 16 | 406 |
| 3 | 90 | 2290 | 36 | 915 | 24 | 610 |
| 4 | 90 | 2290 | 72 | 1830 | 24 | 610 |
| 5 | 90 | 2290 | 108 | 2745 | 24 | 610 |

Power Quality Solution in Low Voltage Harmonic Filters



Due to the many non-linear loads today, modern power systems generate harmonics. They are typically caused by adjustable speed drives, programmable controllers, induction furnaces, UPS, and any other loads with semiconductors. Nuisance fuse blowings, capacitor failures, overheated wiring and transformers, circuit breaker tripping, telephone interference, and motor burnouts are often signs of system harmonics. These harmonics need to be considered when applying capacitors.

Although capacitors do not cause harmonics, improperly applying them can aggravate harmonics. Capacitors act as a low impedance path for harmonics. This can cause two problems. The increased current through the capacitor can cause it to fail. Also the increased current can create a resonant condition in which harmonic currents are magnified.

Gentec FT100, FT200, FT300 and FT400 Series offers four solutions when harmonics are present in a power system: Harmonic Detuned Filter and Reactive & Active Filters.

LOW VOLTAGE HARMONIC DETUNE FILTER BANKS

Power factor correction by means of conventional capacitor banks is not always possible in systems affected by harmonics.

The Gentec FT100 Series Harmonic Detuned Filter Bank provides power factor correction in harmonic rich environ-

ments by combining harmonic duty capable capacitors with iron core reactors. This combination forms a series resonant circuit tuned to the 4.08th harmonic. This blocking bank also acts as a detuned filter removing up to 50% of the lower order harmonic currents from the system.

They are CSA and UL Approved and are available in both fixed and automatic switched configurations at 240, 480, and 600 volts in indoor (NEMA 1), outdoor (NEMA 3R), and dustproof enclosures.

LOW VOLTAGE HARMONIC FILTERS

Gentec FT200 and FT400 Series Harmonic Filters are the best way to target and eliminate harmonic distortion from your power system, while still improving your power factor.

The Reactive filter FT200 are sized to provide power factor correction while the iron core reactors are tuned to the 4.7th so the filter forms a very low impedance series resonant circuit at the harmonic frequency or FT400 Active filter for a total filtration from 3th to 52 th. These harmonic filters are custom designed for each application using standard components to ensure the best possible power factor correction at an affordable price.

The power quality serie solution are available in both fixed and automatic switched configurations at 240, 480, and 600 volts in indoor (NEMA 1), outdoor (NEMA 3R), and dust-proof enclosures.

Drive Saver



DS100 & D200 SERIES

FEATURES

Fixed Harmonic Filters (DS200) and Detuned Filter Banks (DS100)

- UL and CSA Listed Harmonic duty capable dry self-healing internally protected metallized polypropylene capacitors
- Tuned iron core reactors (to the 4.7th for Harmonic Filters and to the 4.08th for Detuned Banks)
- 200 KA interrupting capacity fuses
- Optional blown fuse indicating lights
- NEMA 1, 12, & 3R enclosures available

Automatic Switched Multi-Step Harmonic Filters FT200 and Detuned Banks FT100

- UL and CSA Listed harmonic duty capable dry self-healing internally protected metallized polypropylene capacitors
- Tuned iron core reactors (to the 4.7th for Harmonic Filters and to the 4.08th for Detuned Banks)
- NEMA rated contactors
- 12 step solid state control (see page for details)
- 200 KA interrupting capacity fuses on all 3 phases of each capacitor
- NEMA 1, 3R, & Dustproof enclosures available
- Top lifting eyes
- Key lockable doors
- Optional main breaker with door interlock
- Optional blown fuse indicating lights
- CSA and UL Approved

DYNAMIC COMPENSATION SYSTEM FT300 and ACTIVE FILTER FT400

Those systems are also available for special application like:
- FT300 Quick reactive power requirement and phase balancing
- FT400 Total harmonic filtration on the 3 phases and neutral.
(contact factory for your application)

RATINGS

Because of Gentec's "custom approach" using standard components, any size fixed or switched capacitor bank can be supplied as a Harmonic Detuned, Filter Bank or Active filter

SYSTEM HARMONIC INFORMATION

Reactive filter or Active filter should not be applied without first performing an analysis to determine the specific needs of your power system. To properly do this, certain information is needed.

Network Characteristics (include a one line diagram)

- Main power distribution transformer KVA, voltage, impedance, and frequency
- Total system load
- Existing and target power factor
- Drive and rectifier information
- Existing reactive power on the system
- Reactive power to be added



FT100 De-tuned Filter
Automatic Switched Bank



FT200 Tuned Filter
Automatic Switched Bank



FT300 Dynamic Compensation
Automatic Dynamic System



FT400 Active Filter
Total Harmonic Filtration

Medium Voltage 3 Phase Capacitors

These low loss all-film dielectric capacitors are internally fused to offer the most reliable power factor correction available. They are available for use on 2400, 4160, 4800 up to 6900 volts motors from 50 to 900 kVAR in both indoor and outdoor enclosures.

FEATURES

- All film dielectric
- Internally fused units
- Weld-sealed porcelain bushings
- Discharge resistors
- TYPE 1, 12, & 3R enclosures available
- CSA Approved, UL listed

RATINGS

| | |
|---|-------------|
| 2400 V | 50-900 kVAR |
| 4160 V | 50-900 kVAR |
| 4800 V | 50-900 kVAR |
| other voltage / reactive Power on request | |

MOUNTING & CONNECTION

These Medium Voltage equipments can be mounted in an upright position. Connections can be made from either end to the enclosed solderless connectors.

EXTERNAL FUSING

The internal fusing eliminates the need for additional fuses to protect the capacitors. NEC article 460-8B, however, may dictate the need for external overcurrent protection to protect the conductors leading to the capacitors.

OPTION (S)

- Blown fuses indications
- Damping reactions
- Current Measurement
- Auto Bank
- Detuned filter bank

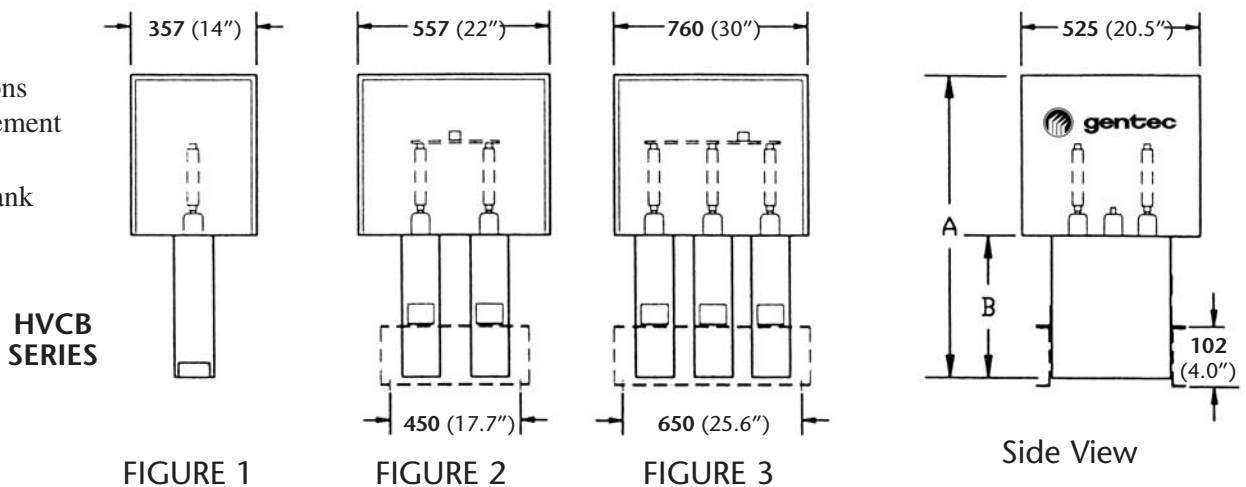


**HVCE
SERIES**

**HVCB
SERIES**



**C1000 Fixed or Auto Bank
c/w Ground Switch**



HVCB & HVCE Medium Voltage Capacitors / SELECTION GUIDE

| | Kvar | MODEL # # | | | | | Fig. # | Dimensions | | | | Weight | |
|----------------------|------|-----------|---------|------|------|--------|--------|------------|------|------|------|--------|----|
| | | Style | Cat.# | Fuse | Type | Option | | A | | B | | Lbs | kg |
| | | | | | | | | inch | mm | Inch | Mm | | |
| 2400 Volts / 3 Phase | 25 | HVCE | 31167 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 13,2 | 29 |
| | 50 | HVCE | 31168 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 13,2 | 29 |
| | 75 | HVCE | 31169 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 14,1 | 31 |
| | 100 | HVCE | 31170 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 29,1 | 740 | 9,4 | 240 | 14,1 | 31 |
| | 125 | HVCE | 31171 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 29,9 | 760 | 10,2 | 260 | 15,9 | 35 |
| | 150 | HVCE | 31172 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 32,3 | 820 | 12,6 | 320 | 16,8 | 37 |
| | 175 | HVCE | 31173 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 33,1 | 840 | 13,4 | 340 | 17,7 | 39 |
| | 200 | HVCE | 31174 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 33,1 | 840 | 13,4 | 340 | 19,1 | 42 |
| | 225 | HVCE | 31316 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 35,4 | 900 | 15,7 | 400 | 21,4 | 47 |
| | 250 | HVCE | 31317 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 35,4 | 900 | 15,7 | 400 | 21,8 | 48 |
| | 275 | HVCE | 31318 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 23,6 | 52 |
| | 400 | HVCE | 2-31174 | F | 12 | - | 2 | 33,1 | 840 | 13,4 | 340 | 35,5 | 78 |
| | 500 | HVCE | 2-31317 | F | 12 | - | 2 | 35,4 | 900 | 15,7 | 400 | 38,2 | 84 |
| 750 | HVCE | 3-31317 | F | 12 | - | 3 | 35,4 | 900 | 15,7 | 400 | 54,5 | 120 | |
| 4160 Volts / 3 Phase | 25 | HVCE | 31151 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 13,2 | 29 |
| | 50 | HVCE | 31152 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 13,2 | 29 |
| | 75 | HVCE | 31153 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 14,1 | 31 |
| | 100 | HVCE | 31154 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 29,1 | 740 | 9,4 | 240 | 14,1 | 31 |
| | 125 | HVCE | 31155 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 29,9 | 760 | 10,2 | 260 | 15,9 | 35 |
| | 150 | HVCE | 31156 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 32,3 | 820 | 12,6 | 320 | 16,8 | 37 |
| | 175 | HVCE | 31157 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 32,9 | 835 | 13,4 | 340 | 17,7 | 39 |
| | 200 | HVCE | 31158 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 32,9 | 835 | 13,4 | 340 | 19,1 | 42 |
| | 225 | HVCE | 31319 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 35,6 | 905 | 15,9 | 405 | 20,5 | 45 |
| | 250 | HVCE | 31320 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 35,4 | 900 | 15,9 | 405 | 22,7 | 50 |
| | 275 | HVCE | 31321 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 22,7 | 50 |
| | 300 | HVCE | 31322 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 23,6 | 52 |
| | 400 | HVCE | 2-31158 | F | 12 | - | 2 | 32,9 | 835 | 13,4 | 340 | 30,9 | 68 |
| 500 | HVCE | 2-31320 | F | 12 | - | 2 | 35,6 | 905 | 15,9 | 405 | 38,6 | 85 | |
| 600 | HVCE | 2-31322 | F | 12 | - | 2 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 40,0 | 88 | |
| 900 | HVCE | 3-31322 | F | 12 | - | 3 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 56,4 | 124 | |
| 4800 Volts / 3 Phase | 25 | HVCE | 31159 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 13,2 | 29 |
| | 50 | HVCE | 31160 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 13,2 | 29 |
| | 75 | HVCE | 31161 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 27,2 | 690 | 7,5 | 190 | 14,1 | 31 |
| | 100 | HVCE | 31162 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 29,1 | 740 | 9,4 | 240 | 14,1 | 31 |
| | 125 | HVCE | 31163 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 29,9 | 760 | 10,2 | 260 | 15,9 | 35 |
| | 150 | HVCE | 31164 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 32,3 | 820 | 12,6 | 320 | 16,8 | 37 |
| | 175 | HVCE | 31165 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 33,1 | 840 | 13,4 | 340 | 17,7 | 39 |
| | 200 | HVCE | 31166 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 33,1 | 840 | 13,4 | 340 | 19,1 | 42 |
| | 225 | HVCE | 31323 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 35,6 | 905 | 15,9 | 405 | 21,4 | 47 |
| | 250 | HVCE | 31324 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 35,6 | 905 | 15,9 | 405 | 21,4 | 47 |
| | 275 | HVCE | 31325 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 23,6 | 52 |
| | 300 | HVCE | 31326 | F | 12 | - | 1 | 38,6 | 980 | 18,9 | 480 | 23,6 | 52 |
| | 600 | HVCE | 2-31326 | F | 12 | - | 2 | 32,9 | 835 | 18,9 | 480 | 42,7 | 94 |
| 900 | HVCE | 3-31326 | F | 12 | - | 3 | 35,6 | 905 | 18,9 | 480 | 62,3 | 137 | |

* For other Capacity Contact Factory

Model # : **HVCE -3-31326 - F -12 - OPTION**

HVCB : Open Bare Unit

HVCE : Enclose Unit in TYPE-1, 12, 3R

Fuse Configuration : F=3 Fuses 2F = 2 Fuses

| Option(s) | Available on request |
|-----------|------------------------------|
| DR | Damping Reactor |
| DS2000 | Tuned Reactor |
| DS1000 | Detuned Reactor |
| BFI | Blown Fuse Indication |
| CM | Current Monitoring (Phase) |

- 3300, 6600, and 6900 Volts are also available (contact factory for details)
- See page 21 IEEE Table Selecting Guide per Motors size vs Capacitors (kVAR)

Application and Installation of Power Factor Correction Capacitors

Understanding Power Factor

Power factor is a measure of an electrical system's efficiency. In order to understand how this efficiency is measured it is important to understand a few terms first.

- Real, or active power, measured in watts, performs the actual work in an industrial plant, such as creating heat or light or producing machine output.
- Reactive, or magnetizing power, measured in vars, provides the magnetizing power to create the flux needed for inductive devices such as induction motors or transformers.
- Apparent power, measured in volt amps, is made up of real and reactive power.

The relationship of these three is best illustrated using a right angle

The equation that expresses the relationship between these three is:

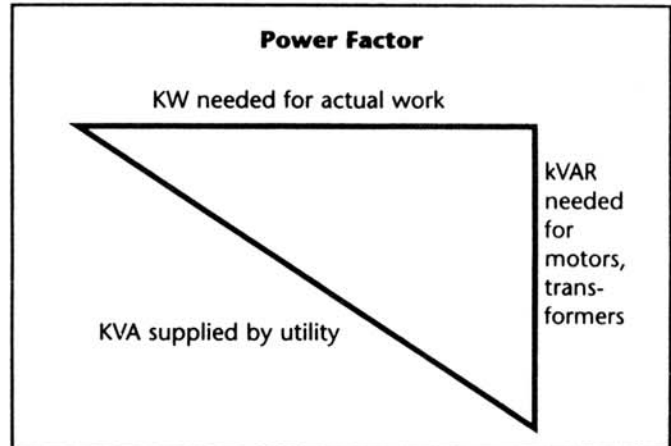
$$KVA^2 = KW^2 + kVAR^2$$

Electrical systems require both watts and kVAR and it is the relationship between them that determines the power factor.

Power factor is the ratio of real (working) power to apparent power. Expressed as an equation this is:

$$\text{Power factor} = \frac{KW}{KVA}$$

Looking at the right angle, you can see that by using capacitors to supply the kVARs, you can reduce the amount of KVA needed from the utility. By reducing the KVA required you can often reduce your electric bill.

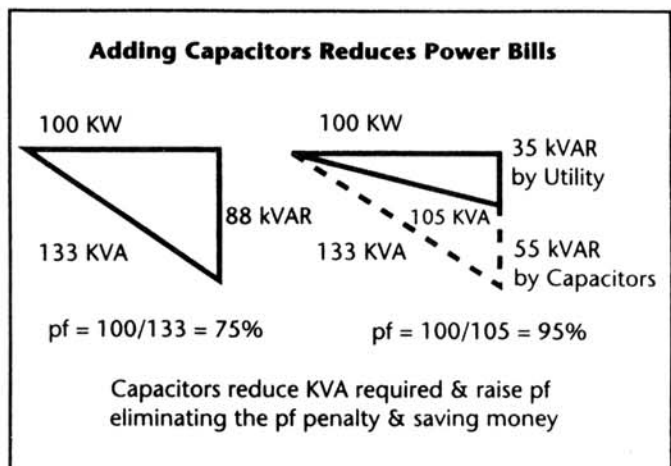


BENEFITS OF POWER FACTOR CORRECTION CAPACITORS

There are several benefits associated with applying power factor correction capacitors. These are:

- Reduced electric bills because of higher power factor
- Increased system capacity
- Reduced line losses
- Improved system voltage

Let's take a look at each of these benefits and see how you can take advantage of them.



Reduced Electric Bills

Since utilities have to supply the kVAR for a plant's inductive loads they usually include a charge for this in their electric bills. This charge can take several different forms.

KVA DEMAND CHARGE

The Situation A plant uses 1000 KVA and 800 KW, giving it a power factor of 80%.
The desired power factor is 95%.
The utility charges \$2.50/KVA of demand.

The Solution Determine the amount of kVAR needed to increase the power factor from 80% to 95%. Using the Power Factor Table (See page 17) find the factor .421.
Multiply this factor times the KW to determine the kVAR needed to correct to this power factor.
 $800 \text{ KW} \times .421 = 337 \text{ kVAR}$ (The nearest available size is 320 kVAR).

The Savings Determine the reduced KVA at 95% power factor.

$$\frac{800 \text{ KW}}{.95} = 842 \text{ KVA}$$

$$(1000 \text{ KVA} - 842 \text{ KVA}) \times \$2.50/\text{KVA} \times 12 \text{ months} = \$4740.$$

The annual savings for applying 320 kVAR is almost \$5000.

KW DEMAND CHARGE

The Situation A plant uses 1000 KW at 75% power factor. The utility charges \$10/KW and has a target power factor of 85%.

Therefore the present Demand Charge is:

$$1000 \text{ KW} \times 85/75 \times \$10/\text{KW}$$

Demand Charge is \$11333 per month.

The Solution Determine the amount of kVAR needed to increase the power factor from 75% to 85%. Using the Power Factor Table (See page 17) find the factor .262.

Multiply this factor times the KW to determine the kVAR needed to correct to this power factor.

$$1000 \text{ KW} \times .262 = 262 \text{ kVAR} \text{ (The nearest available size is 250 kVAR)}$$

The Savings After capacitors are installed the new Demand Charge will be reduced to:

$$1000 \text{ KW} \times .85/.75 \times \$10/\text{KW} = \$11333 \text{ per month.}$$

This represents a savings of \$1333 per month or an annual savings of \$16000.

kVAR DEMAND CHARGE

The Situation A plant presently has a Demand of 1500 KW and 1200 kVAR.

The utility charges \$1.50/kVAR Demand in excess of 1/3 of the KW Demand.

The Solution Calculate the kVAR in excess of 1/3 of the KW Demand

$$1200 - \left(\frac{1500}{3}\right) = 700 \text{ kVAR}$$

This results in a monthly charge of
 $700 \text{ kVAR} \times \$1.50/\text{kVAR} = \$1050.$

700 kVAR is needed to eliminate the kVAR Demand penalty.

The Savings By applying 700 kVAR of capacitors, \$12600 in annual Demand Charges can be eliminated.

Increased System Capacity

The application of capacitors releases system capacity by reducing the current drawn from the power supply. This takes some of the load off transformers and cable. In systems that are already overloaded or near the limit, the addition of capacitors can eliminate the need to purchase transformers, switchgear and cable, often saving many times the price of the capacitors.

The Situation An individual plant, operating near capacity, uses 1000 KVA at 75% power factor for a real working power load of 750 KW. It is planning an expansion that will require 950 KW, which is beyond their transformer's capacity at 75% power factor. Rather than buying a new transformer they can accommodate this additional load by adding capacitors.

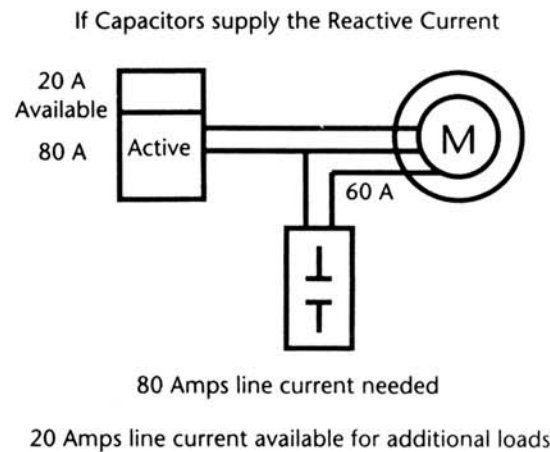
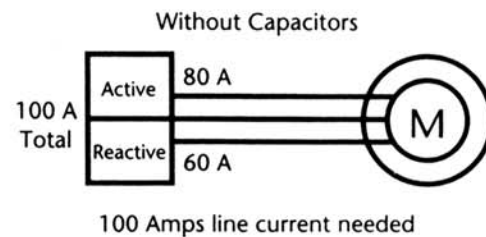
The Solution The new power factor required for a 950 KW load at 1000 KVA is:
 $950 \text{ KW} / 1000 \text{ KVA} = 95\% \text{ power factor}$.
 Determine the amount of the kVAR needed to increase the power factor from 75% to 95%. Using the Power Factor Table (See page 17) find factor .553. Multiply this factor times the KW to determine the kVAR needed to correct to this power factor.
 $750 \text{ KW} \times .553 = 415 \text{ kVAR}$ (the nearest available size is 400 kVAR.)

The Savings By applying capacitors, the need for a new transformer is eliminated.

Reduced Line Losses

When an industrial plant has a poor power factor, additional reactive current must be carried through the distribution system to the inductive loads. This creates additional I^2R losses that must be paid for through the purchase of additional kilowatt hours.

Capacitors Increase System Capacity



By placing capacitors at the inductive loads, and thereby raising the power factor, these losses are eliminated and fewer kilowatt hours need to be purchased. This reduction in the system losses can be calculated by the following:

$$\% \text{ line loss reduction} = 100 - 100 \left(\frac{\text{original power factor}}{\text{corrected power factor}} \right)^2$$

Improved System Voltage

The addition of capacitors also helps improve system voltage. Excessive voltage drops cause poor motor performance and overheating which can shorten the motor's life. It also interferes with lighting and electronic controls. Adding capacitors will boost the system voltage, especially on long distribution lines, providing more efficient motor performance, longer motor life and overall improved plant productivity. This expected voltage rise can be calculated by:

$$\% \text{ voltage rise} = \frac{\% \text{ transformer impedance} \times \text{kVAR of capacitors}}{\text{transformer KVA}}$$

Installing Capacitors in the Plant

The most efficient method of applying capacitors is to use a combination of individual units, fixed banks, and automatic switched banks. It is most important to remember that in applying capacitors, the power factor must not exceed 100%. This can best be accomplished by properly applying the different types of capacitors.

Individual units usually can be applied on larger motors in the plant. Fixed and automatic switched banks can be applied on the distribution system to supply kVAR to several motor loads. If the kVAR requirement is fairly constant a fixed bank can be used. If the kVAR requirement varies considerably, an automatic switched bank may provide a better solution. The automatic bank will supply the proper amount of kVAR to the loads when it is called on to do so, up to its maximum output rating.

CAPACITOR A is installed at the motor on the secondary side of the thermal overload. Usually this location is used for new motor installations. This is an excellent application for individual units.

Advantages

- Can be switched on and off with the motor eliminating the need for a separate switch
- No additional overcurrent protection is required
- kVAR is produced at the location where it is needed
- Line losses and voltage drop are minimized
- A smaller thermal overload may be able to be used

Disadvantages

- Small individual kVAR units are usually more expensive per kVAR than larger units serving several motors
- Installation costs are higher due to the multiple installations
- If there is an existing thermal overload, it may have to be replaced with a smaller one

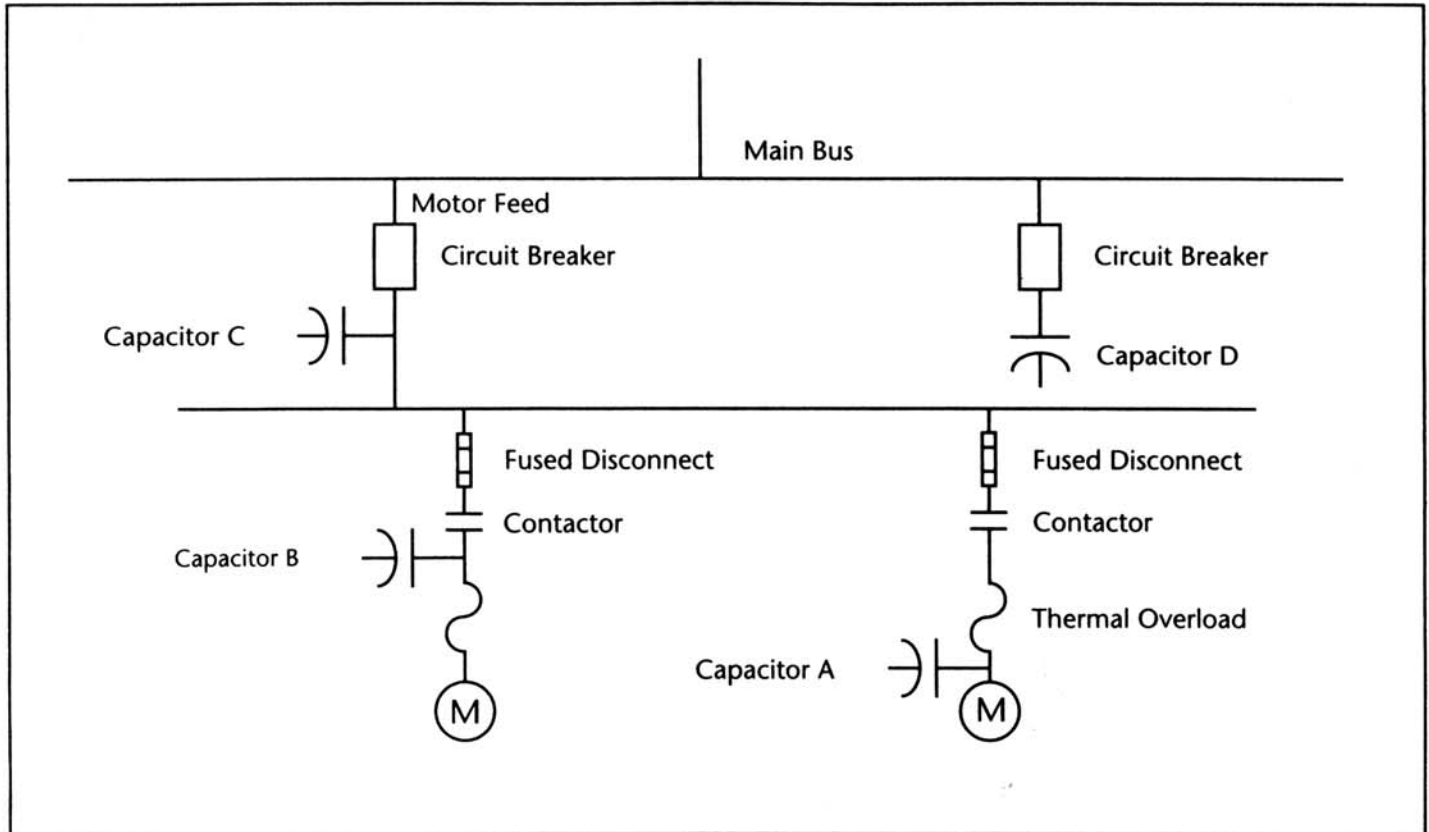
CAPACITOR B is installed at the motor between the contactor and thermal overload. Usually this location is used for existing motor installations. This is an excellent application for individual units.

Advantages

- Can be switched on and off with the motor eliminating the need for a separate switch
- No additional overcurrent protection is required
- kVAR is produced at the location where it is needed
- Line losses and voltage drop are minimized
- The thermal overload can be set for the full load current rating of the motor

Disadvantages

- Small individual kVAR units are usually more expensive per kVAR than larger units serving several motors
- Installation costs are higher due to the multiple installations



CAPACITOR C is installed between the circuit breaker and contactors. This is a good application for large fixed or automatic switched banks.

Advantages

- Since the capacitor is feeding several motors, a larger, more cost-effective size capacitor can be applied
- This location is recommended for jogging motors, multi-speed motors, and reversing motors

Disadvantages

- Higher line losses, bigger voltage drops, and less released system capacity will be realized since the capacitors are further away from where they are needed
- Because the capacitors are not switched with the motors and all motors may not be running all the time, there is more of a chance of overcorrecting, resulting in leading power factor

CAPACITOR D is installed at the main bus. This is an excellent application for an automatic switched bank or possibly a large fixed bank.

Advantages

- The lowest cost per kVAR and lowest maintenance costs are realized
- An automatic switched bank will monitor the system power factor and provide the proper amount of kVAR to reach the plant's targeted power factor

Disadvantages

- A separate means of disconnect and overcurrent protection must be provided
- Higher line losses, bigger voltage drops, and less released system capacity will be realized since the capacitors are further away from where they are needed
- If a fixed bank is used, there is more of a chance of overcorrecting, resulting in leading power factor

SELECTING CAPACITORS FOR MOTORS / SUGGESTED MAXIMUM CAPACITOR RATINGS

| | | NOMINAL MOTOR SPEED (IN RPM) AND NO. OF POLES | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------|---|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----|------|-----|------|
| | | INDUCTION MOTOR RATING(hp) | 3600 | | 1800 | | 1200 | | 900 | | 720 | | 600 | |
| | | | 2 | % AR | 4 | % AR | 6 | % AR | 8 | % AR | 10 | % AR | 12 | % AR |
| PRE-U-FRAME NEMA DESIGN B 230 V, 460 V, 575 V Squirrel-Cage Motors | 3 | 1.5 | 14 | 1.5 | 15 | 1.5 | 20 | 2 | 27 | 2.5 | 35 | 3.5 | 41 | |
| | 5 | 2 | 12 | 2 | 13 | 2 | 17 | 3 | 25 | 4 | 32 | 4.5 | 37 | |
| | 7.5 | 2.5 | 11 | 2.5 | 12 | 3 | 15 | 4 | 22 | 5.5 | 30 | 6 | 34 | |
| | 10 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 11 | 3.5 | 14 | 5 | 21 | 6.5 | 27 | 7.5 | 31 | |
| | 15 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 10 | 5 | 13 | 6.5 | 18 | 8 | 23 | 9.5 | 27 | |
| | 20 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 10 | 6.5 | 12 | 7.5 | 16 | 9 | 21 | 12 | 25 | |
| | 25 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 10 | 7.5 | 11 | 9 | 15 | 11 | 20 | 14 | 23 | |
| | 30 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 14 | 12 | 18 | 16 | 22 | |
| | 40 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 16 | 20 | 20 | |
| | 50 | 12 | 8 | 11 | 9 | 13 | 10 | 15 | 12 | 19 | 15 | 24 | 19 | |
| | 60 | 14 | 8 | 14 | 8 | 15 | 10 | 18 | 11 | 22 | 15 | 27 | 19 | |
| | 75 | 17 | 8 | 16 | 8 | 18 | 10 | 21 | 10 | 26 | 14 | 32.5 | 18 | |
| | 100 | 22 | 8 | 21 | 8 | 25 | 9 | 27 | 10 | 32.5 | 13 | 40 | 17 | |
| | 125 | 27 | 8 | 26 | 8 | 30 | 9 | 32.5 | 10 | 40 | 13 | 47.5 | 16 | |
| | 150 | 32.5 | 8 | 30 | 8 | 35 | 9 | 37.5 | 10 | 47.5 | 12 | 52.5 | 15 | |
| | 200 | 40 | 8 | 37.5 | 8 | 42.5 | 9 | 47.5 | 10 | 60 | 12 | 65 | 14 | |
| | 250 | 50 | 8 | 45 | 7 | 52.5 | 8 | 57.5 | 9 | 70 | 11 | 77.5 | 13 | |
| | 300 | 57.5 | 8 | 52.5 | 7 | 60 | 8 | 65 | 9 | 80 | 11 | 87.5 | 12 | |
| | 350 | 65 | 8 | 50 | 7 | 67.5 | 8 | 75 | 9 | 87.5 | 10 | 95 | 11 | |
| | 400 | 70 | 8 | 65 | 6 | 75 | 8 | 85 | 9 | 95 | 10 | 105 | 11 | |
| 450 | 75 | 8 | 67.5 | 6 | 80 | 8 | 92.5 | 9 | 100 | 9 | 110 | 11 | | |
| 500 | 77.5 | 8 | 72.5 | 6 | 82.5 | 8 | 97.5 | 9 | 107.5 | 9 | 115 | 10 | | |
| U-FRAME NEMA DESIGN B 230 V, 460 V, 575 V Squirrel-Cage Motors (to 1956) | 2 | 1 | 17 | 1 | 20 | 1 | 23 | 1 | 24 | - | - | - | - | |
| | 3 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 19 | 2 | 24 | - | - | - | - | |
| | 5 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 15 | 2 | 19 | 2 | 20 | - | - | - | - | |
| | 7.5 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 13 | 4 | 19 | 4 | 20 | - | - | - | - | |
| | 10 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 11 | 4 | 16 | 5 | 15 | 5 | 17 | 5 | 21 | |
| | 15 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 11 | 4 | 13 | 5 | 15 | 5 | 17 | 5 | 21 | |
| | 20 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 13 | 5 | 15 | 10 | 17 | 5 | 21 | |
| | 25 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 15 | 10 | 17 | 10 | 18 | |
| | 30 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 9 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 18 | |
| | 40 | 5 | 6 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 17 | |
| | 50 | 5 | 6 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 15 | 12 | 15 | 12 | 20 | 17 | |
| | 60 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 15 | 12 | 20 | 12 | 25 | 17 | |
| | 75 | 15 | 6 | 15 | 8 | 15 | 9 | 20 | 11 | 25 | 12 | 30 | 17 | |
| | 100 | 15 | 6 | 20 | 8 | 25 | 9 | 25 | 11 | 40 | 12 | 45 | 17 | |
| | 125 | 20 | 6 | 25 | 7 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 11 | 45 | 12 | 45 | 15 | |
| | 150 | 25 | 6 | 30 | 7 | 30 | 9 | 40 | 11 | 45 | 12 | 50 | 15 | |
| | 200 | 35 | 6 | 40 | 7 | 60 | 9 | 55 | 11 | 55 | 11 | 60 | 13 | |
| | 250 | 40 | 5 | 40 | 6 | 60 | 9 | 80 | 11 | 60 | 11 | 100 | 13 | |
| 300 | 45 | 5 | 45 | 6 | 80 | 8 | 80 | 10 | 80 | 10 | 120 | 13 | | |
| 350 | 60 | 5 | 70 | 6 | 80 | 8 | 80 | 9 | - | - | - | - | | |
| 400 | 60 | 5 | 80 | 6 | 80 | 6 | 160 | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| 450 | 70 | 5 | 100 | 6 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| 500 | 70 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |

Legend : - % AR => Percentage of Amp Reduction
 - kVAR => Reactive Power required for => 93%
 - 3600 => Motor Speed
 - 2 => Number of pole (construction)

SELECTING CAPACITORS FOR MOTORS / SUGGESTED MAXIMUM CAPACITOR RATINGS

| | NOMINAL MOTOR SPEED (IN RPM) AND NO. OF POLES | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | INDUCTION MOTOR RATING(hp) | 3600 | | 1800 | | 1200 | | 900 | | 720 | | 600 | |
| | | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | kVAR | % AR | kVAR | % AR | kVAR | % AR |
| T-FRAME NEMA DESIGN B 230 V, 460 V, 575 V Squirrel-Cage Motors (after 1956) | 3 | 1.5 | 14 | 1.5 | 23 | 2.5 | 28 | 3 | 38 | 3 | 40 | 4 | 40 |
| | 5 | 2 | 14 | 2.5 | 22 | 3 | 26 | 4 | 31 | 4 | 40 | 5 | 40 |
| | 7.5 | 2.5 | 14 | 3 | 20 | 4 | 21 | 5 | 28 | 5 | 38 | 6 | 45 |
| | 10 | 4 | 14 | 4 | 18 | 5 | 21 | 6 | 27 | 7.5 | 36 | 8 | 38 |
| | 15 | 5 | 12 | 5 | 18 | 6 | 20 | 7.5 | 24 | 8 | 32 | 10 | 34 |
| | 20 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 17 | 7.5 | 18 | 9 | 23 | 10 | 29 | 12 | 30 |
| | 25 | 7.5 | 12 | 7.5 | 17 | 8 | 19 | 10 | 23 | 12 | 25 | 18 | 30 |
| | 30 | 8 | 11 | 8 | 16 | 10 | 19 | 14 | 22 | 15 | 24 | 22.5 | 30 |
| | 40 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 16 | 19 | 18 | 21 | 22.5 | 24 | 25 | 30 |
| | 50 | 15 | 12 | 18 | 15 | 20 | 19 | 22.5 | 21 | 24 | 24 | 30 | 30 |
| | 60 | 18 | 12 | 21 | 14 | 22.5 | 17 | 26 | 20 | 30 | 22 | 35 | 28 |
| | 75 | 20 | 12 | 23 | 14 | 25 | 15 | 28 | 17 | 33 | 14 | 40 | 19 |
| | 100 | 22.5 | 11 | 30 | 14 | 30 | 12 | 36 | 16 | 40 | 15 | 45 | 17 |
| | 125 | 25 | 10 | 35 | 12 | 35 | 12 | 42 | 14 | 45 | 15 | 50 | 17 |
| | 150 | 30 | 10 | 42 | 12 | 40 | 12 | 52.5 | 14 | 52.5 | 14 | 60 | 17 |
| | 200 | 35 | 10 | 50 | 11 | 50 | 10 | 66 | 13 | 68 | 13 | 90 | 17 |
| | 250 | 40 | 11 | 60 | 10 | 62.5 | 10 | 82 | 13 | 87.5 | 13 | 100 | 17 |
| | 300 | 45 | 11 | 68 | 10 | 75 | 12 | 100 | 14 | 100 | 13 | 120 | 17 |
| | 350 | 50 | 12 | 75 | 8 | 90 | 12 | 120 | 13 | 120 | 13 | 135 | 15 |
| | 400 | 75 | 10 | 80 | 8 | 100 | 12 | 130 | 13 | 140 | 13 | 150 | 15 |
| 450 | 90 | 8 | 90 | 8 | 120 | 10 | 140 | 12 | 160 | 14 | 160 | 15 | |
| 500 | 100 | 8 | 120 | 9 | 150 | 12 | 150 | 12 | 180 | 13 | 180 | 15 | |

| | NOMINAL MOTOR SPEED (IN RPM) AND NO. OF POLES | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | INDUCTION MOTOR RATING(hp) | 3600 | | 1800 | | 1200 | | 900 | | 720 | | 600 | |
| | | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | kVAR | % AR | kVAR | % AR | kVAR | % AR |
| NEMA DESIGN B 2300 & 4000 Volt Motors (after 1956) | 100 | 25 | 7 | 25 | 10 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 12 | 25 | 17 |
| | 120 | 25 | 7 | 25 | 9 | 25 | 10 | 25 | 10 | 25 | 11 | 50 | 15 |
| | 150 | 25 | 7 | 25 | 8 | 25 | 8 | 25 | 9 | 50 | 11 | 50 | 15 |
| | 200 | 25 | 7 | 25 | 6 | 50 | 8 | 50 | 9 | 50 | 10 | 75 | 14 |
| | 250 | 50 | 7 | 50 | 5 | 50 | 8 | 50 | 9 | 75 | 10 | 100 | 14 |
| | 300 | 50 | 7 | 50 | 5 | 75 | 8 | 75 | 9 | 75 | 9 | 100 | 12 |
| | 350 | 50 | 6 | 50 | 5 | 75 | 8 | 75 | 9 | 75 | 9 | 100 | 11 |
| | 400 | 50 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 75 | 6 | 100 | 9 | 100 | 9 | 100 | 10 |
| | 450 | 75 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 75 | 6 | 100 | 8 | 100 | 8 | 100 | 8 |
| | 500 | 75 | 5 | 75 | 5 | 100 | 6 | 125 | 8 | 125 | 8 | 125 | 8 |
| | 600 | 75 | 5 | 100 | 5 | 100 | 5 | 125 | 7 | 125 | 8 | 125 | 8 |
| | 700 | 100 | 5 | 100 | 5 | 100 | 5 | 125 | 7 | 150 | 8 | 150 | 8 |
| | 800 | 100 | 5 | 125 | 5 | 125 | 5 | 150 | 7 | 150 | 8 | 150 | 8 |
| | 900 | 125 | 5 | 150 | 5 | 200 | 5 | 200 | 6 | 250 | 7 | 250 | 7 |
| | 1000 | 150 | 5 | 200 | 5 | 250 | 5 | 250 | 6 | 250 | 7 | 250 | 7 |
| 1250 | 200 | 5 | 200 | 5 | 250 | 5 | 300 | 6 | 300 | 6 | 300 | 6 | |
| NEMA DESIGN C 2300 & 4000 Volt Motors (after 1956) | 100 | - | - | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | - | - |
| | 125 | - | - | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 11 | - | - |
| | 150 | - | - | 25 | 9 | 25 | 9 | 50 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| | 200 | - | - | 50 | 9 | 50 | 9 | 50 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| | 250 | - | - | 50 | 8 | 50 | 9 | 50 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| | 300 | - | - | 50 | 6 | 75 | 9 | 75 | 9 | - | - | - | - |
| 350 | - | - | 50 | 6 | 75 | 8 | 75 | 9 | - | - | - | - | |

SUGGESTED WIRE SIZES AND PROTECTIVE DEVICE RATINGS

| kVAR | 240 VOLTS | | 480 VOLTS | | 600 VOLTS | |
|------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | RATED CURRENT PER PHASE (A) | MINIMUM WIRE SIZE 90°C INSULATION | RATED CURRENT PER PHASE (A) | MINIMUM WIRE SIZE 90°C INSULATION | RATED CURRENT PER PHASE (A) | MINIMUM WIRE SIZE 90°C INSULATION |
| 2 | - | - | 2.4 | 14 | - | - |
| 3 | - | - | 3.6 | 14 | 2.9 | 18 |
| 4 | - | - | 4.8 | 14 | - | - |
| 5 | 12 | 12 | 6.0 | 14 | - | - |
| 6 | - | - | 7.2 | 14 | 5.8 | 14 |
| 7.5 | 18 | 10 | 9.0 | 14 | 7.2 | 14 |
| 10 | 24 | 8 | 12 | 12 | 9.6 | 14 |
| 15 | 36 | 8 | 18 | 10 | 14 | 12 |
| 20 | 48 | 8 | 24 | 8 | 19 | 10 |
| 25 | 60 | 4 | 30 | 8 | 24 | 10 |
| 30 | 72 | 3 | 36 | 8 | 29 | 10 |
| 40 | 96 | 1 | 48 | 8 | 38 | 8 |
| 50 | 120 | 2/0 | 60 | 4 | 48 | 8 |
| 60 | 144 | 3/0 | 72 | 3 | 58 | 6 |
| 70 | - | - | 84 | 2 | - | - |
| 75 | - | - | 90 | 2 | 72 | 3 |
| 80 | 192 | 250 | 96 | 1 | - | - |
| 90 | 217 | 300 | 108 | 1/0 | - | - |
| 100 | 241 | 350 | 120 | 2/0 | 96 | 2 |
| 120 | 289 | 500 | 144 | 3/0 | 115 | 2/0 |
| 140 | - | - | 168 | 4/0 | - | - |
| 150 | 361 | (2)-4/0 | 180 | 4/0 | 144 | 3/0 |
| 160 | 385 | (2)-250 | 192 | 250 | - | - |
| 180 | 433 | (2)-300 | 217 | 300 | 173 | 4/0 |
| 200 | 481 | (2)-350 | 241 | 350 | 192 | 250 |
| 210 | - | - | 253 | 350 | - | - |
| 225 | - | - | - | - | 217 | 300 |
| 240 | - | - | 289 | 500 | 231 | 300 |
| 250 | 601 | (2)-500 | 301 | 500 | 241 | 350 |
| 270 | - | - | 325 | (2)-3/0 | - | - |
| 280 | - | - | 337 | (2)-3/0 | - | - |
| 300 | 722 | (3)-350 | 361 | (2)-4/0 | 289 | 500 |
| 320 | - | - | 385 | (2)-250 | - | - |
| 360 | - | - | 433 | (2)-300 | - | - |
| 375 | - | - | - | - | 361 | (2)-4/0 |
| 400 | - | - | 481 | (2)-350 | 385 | (2)-250 |
| 420 | - | - | 505 | (2)-350 | - | - |
| 450 | - | - | 541 | (2)-400 | 433 | (2)-300 |
| 480 | - | - | 577 | (2)-500 | - | - |
| 500 | - | - | 601 | (2)-500 | 481 | (2)-350 |
| 540 | - | - | 650 | (2)-600 | - | - |
| 600 | - | - | 722 | (3)-350 | 577 | (2)-500 |

Wire sizes based on 135% rated capacitor current and not more than 3 conductors in a raceway with 30° C ambient using copper conductor per NEC 1993 Table 310-16.

Capacitor switching and disconnect devices should be sized according to the following:

Fuses165% of capacitor current

Molded Case Circuit Breakers . . .135% of capacitor current

Useful Formulas

$$\text{kVAR} = \frac{2\pi f C (V)^2}{1000}$$

$$\text{pf} = \frac{\text{KW}}{\text{KVA}}$$

$$\text{KVA} = \frac{1.73 \times I \times V}{1000}$$

$$\text{KW} = \frac{1.73 \times I \times V \times \text{PF}}{1000}$$

$$\text{KW} = \frac{\text{HP} \times .746}{\text{eff}}$$

$$I_{\text{cap}} = \frac{\text{kVAR}_{3\phi} \times 1000}{V_{L-L} \times \sqrt{3}}$$

C = Capacitance in μf

f = Frequency

I = Full load current in amps

V = Voltage

pf = Power factor

HP = Motor horsepower

eff = Motor efficiency expressed as a decimal

I_{cap} = Capacitor current per phase

DERATING FACTORS FOR CAPACITORS

$$\text{kVAR Output} = \text{Rated kVAR} \times \left(\frac{\text{Operating Voltage}}{\text{Rated Voltage}} \right)^2 \times \left(\frac{\text{Operating f}}{\text{Rated f}} \right)$$

For Example:

Operating 240V capacitor at 208V yields 75% of nameplate kVAR

Operating 60 Hz capacitor at 50 Hz yields 83% of nameplate kVAR

Power Factor Controller 12 or 6 step NC12 or N6/N12 Models



N6/N12



NC12

(Communication capability)

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

- Automatic search of C/K values
- Possibility to set different C/K values for inductive and capacitive side*)
- Easy-to-use menu-driven user interface
- 16 character alphanumeric display
- THD (u) **(I)** measurement and alarm*)
- I_{rms}/I_n measurement and alarm
- Measurement and alarm of low capacitor output*)
- Hunting detection and alarm
- Any step used can be defined as a fixed step (permanently ON or OFF)
- Measurement of ambient temperature, possibility to control a cooling fan
- Automatic CT polarity retrieval
- **Automatic configuration of step size, Phase voltage, stepping method, No steps & connection configuration LL / LN**
- Four-quadrant operation*)
- **Dual target P.F. with external control input**
- Display of measured values (I_s , I_q , **P**, **Q**, **S**, THD(u) **(I) spectrum**, step status) *)
- Five-language menu texts (English, French, Spanish, German, Finnish)
- State-of-the-art microprocessor technology
- Suitable for systems with or without neutral line
- All steps are released at voltage dropout
- Separate alarm relay with potential-free terminals
- Flexibility and accuracy are combined and used in the design of this regulator. It is possible to use steps of various sizes and choose a combination to suit.
- 35mm DIN-rail (EN 50022) or panel mounting 144 x 144 mm (DIN 43700), depth 90 mm
- Complies with EN 50082-2 and EN 50081-2 EMC standards

SETTINGS AND DISPLAY

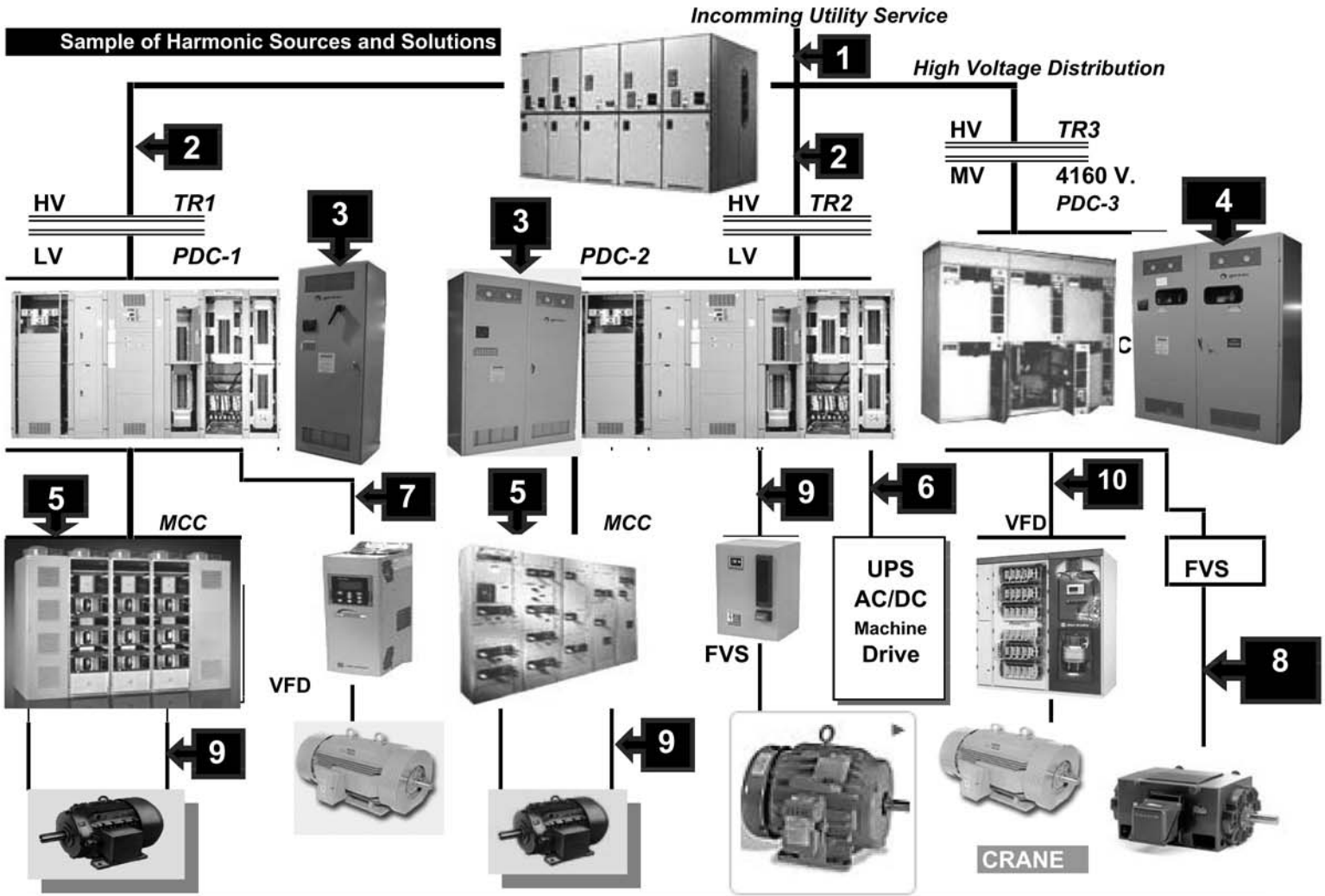
- Power factor display 0.00 ind ... 1.00... 0.00 cap
- Capacitor step indication using alphanumeric display, simultaneously with power factor display
- Led display for alarm and ind/cap
- C/K setting and display 0.00 ... 1.99, inductive and capacitive
- CT ration settings and display 100/5 ... 6000/5
- Language setting and display (English, French, Spanish, German, Finnish)
- Target power factor setting and display 0.80 ind ... 1.00 ... 0.90 cap
- Step reconnection delay setting and display 10... 900 seconds (step response delay is automatically set to 20% **to 100%** of reconnection delay, min. 10 s)
- **Automatic** connection setting and display LN/LL
- Stepping program setting and display, Normal, Circulating A, Circulating B, Stack, **Smart**
- Number of steps setting and display 1...12
- Automatic CT polarity detect setting and display
- Setting and display of step sizes, 10...1000 kvar
- Setting and display of input voltage, 80...**750 V**
- Manual stepping and display
- Fixed stepping and display

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

| | |
|------------------------|--|
| Power supply | 120V±15%, burden 8 VA |
| Measurement voltage | 120V±15% 230V @ 460V. ±15% 384V @ 750V. ±15% |
| Connection | with or without neutral line 50Hz or 60Hz ± 2Hz |
| Frequency | automatic selection |
| CT | 1 & 5 A, burden 0.7 VA |
| Manual operation | Manual operation with momentary push button |
| Operational sequence | User-selectable from menu normal 1:2:4:4 stack 1:1:1:1 circulating A 1:1:1:1 circulating B 1:1:1:1 Smart 1:2:2:2 |
| Communication capacity | NC12 RS 485 Modbus Adaptor (optional) |

| | |
|---------------------|--|
| Output relays | 2.0 A, 400 VAC, normally open |
| Control Fan relay | 0.3 A, 110 VDC 5.0 A, 30 VDC |
| Alarm relay | open 0.3 A, 110 VDC |
| Accuracy class | C12: 1.5% C6: 2.5% |
| Ambient temperature | 0...+ 60°C |
| Protection class | IP 40 at panel installation IP 20 DIN-rail installation |
| Dimensions | 144X144 mm, depth 90 mm |
| Panel cut-out | 138X138 mm, -0...+1 mm |
| Weight | 0.9 kg |

Your Solution of Power Quality Correction by Location and Application



| Power Quality Correction Network " Solution Required by Location " | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|------------|-------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| Zone # | Improving . | PFC | V.R. | C.R. | P.R. | C.B. | H.F. |
| 1 | Outside Main HV Sub. | a, b, c, d | g | a, b, c,d, g | a, b, c,d, g | g | c, d, g |
| 2 | Inside Main HV Sub. | a, b, c, d | | a, b, c, d | a, b, c, d | a, b, c, d | c, d, e |
| 3 | Inside LV Main Dist.. | b, c, d, e | a, e, | b, c, d, e | b, c, d, e | e,f, | c,d, e, f |
| 4 | Inside MV Main Dist.. | a, b, c, d | a, f | a, b, c,d,f | a, b, c,d,f | f | c, d ,f |
| 5 | LV MCC | b, c, d, e | a, e, | b, c, d, e | b, c, d, e | e, f, | c,d, e, f |
| 6 | LV Sub Feeder | c, d, e | e | c, d, e | c, d, e | e | c, d, e |
| 7 | LV Motor Drive | c, d, e | e | c, d, e | c, d, e | e | c, d, e |
| 8 | MV Motor | a, d, | a, d, | a, d, | a, d, | f | - |
| 9 | LV Motor | a | - | a | a | - | - |
| 10 | MV Motor | c, d, f | f | c, d, f | c, d, f | f | f, g |

| Location | Improvement (s) | Products Solutions |
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| HV High Voltage | PFC. Power Factor Correction (%) | FPFC. a Fixe Power Factor Correction |
| MV Medium Voltage | VR. Voltage regulation (V) | APFC. b Auto Power Factor Center |
| LV Low Voltage | CR. Current reduction (A) | TF. c Tuned Harmonic Filter |
| UPS Uninterruptable Power Supply | PR. Demand reduction (Kva) | DF. d Detune Harmonic Filter |
| MCC Motor Control Center | CB. Current Ballancing (Phase) | AF. e Active Filter |
| PDC Power Distribution Center | HF. Harmonic Filtration (THD) | FSC. f Fast Static Compensator |
| FVS Full Voltage Starter | | SVC. g Static VAR Compensator |
| VFD Variable Frequency Drive | | |



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