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# Clean Power VFD ™

# What is Clean Power?

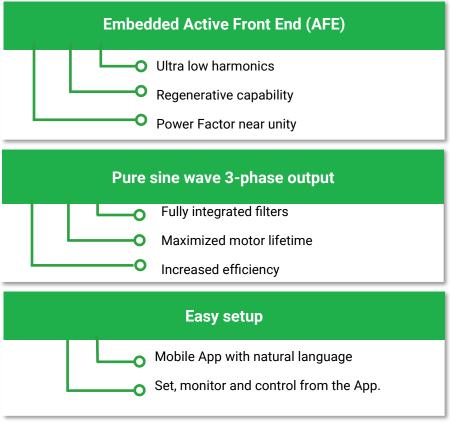
Clean Power Variable Frequency Drive with Active Front End (AFE) is a compact AC drive utilizing SmartD's patented own algorithms combined with SiC MOSFET technology.

Producing a clean and pure sine wave has never been easier. A Clean Power Variable Frequency Drive has essential features built-in for space, wiring and time savings, it eliminates the need for filters on the output, and guarantees longer motor lifetime. Discover the drive without drawbacks...









# Secret sauce SiC Tech

The Clean Power VFD design is based on the latest generation of power components: Silicon Carbide (SiC) Mosfets.

SiC Mosfets permit high frequency switching with fewer losses while being able to withstand higher temperatures than IGBTs.

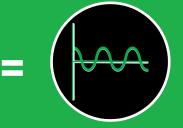
Integration of the SiC transistors, patented algorithm for multilevel architecture and embedded filters allows the Clean Power VFD to deliver a pure sine wave to control speed and torque of the AC motor.



ALGORITHMS for MULTI-LEVEL ARCHITECTURE

SIC TRANSISTORS PATENTED
400X SMALLER
FILTERS





**PURE SINE WAVE SIGNAL** 

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# 1/2 THE FOOTPRINT





### LONGER MOTOR LIFES-PAN





### MORE ENERGY SAVINGS





### OPTIMAL SYSTEM COST



# The first-ever truly filterless VFD.

Ordinary drives require the installation of dv/dt filters or sinus wave filters on the motor-side in order to mitigate motors and cables issues, as well as passive filters on the grid-side limiting distortion created. The Clean Power VFD does not generate a high rate of voltage rise nor spike, thus the motor can be wired directly to the VFD power output without additional filters. Its converter stage is also Clean Power architecture, producing harmonic distortion lower than IEEE519 recommendations. There is no need to add any filters on the input side to protect your installation, cables and transformers.

## Low harmonics.

With the embedded Active Front End (AFE), the Clean Power VFD keeps distortion at less than 5%. Harmonics are lower than the recommended IEEE519 level.

# Long-lasting motor lifetime.

Thanks to the true sine wave output of the Clean Power VFD, the motor's insulation material is not prematurely aging from overheating. Moreso, when retrofitting a motor system from fixed speed to variable speed with a Clean Power VFD, there's no need to update the motor to a VFD-grade insulated motor.

The balanced 3-phase clean sinus wave does not create a destructive common mode voltage. Therefore, the special attention and protections usually applied to the motor bearings are not necessary.

As a benefit, the Clean Power VFD ensures the motor's maximum life expectancy, and the required maintenance operations of the motor can be done between longer time intervals.

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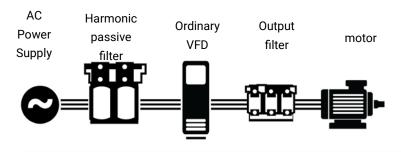
Ordinary VFDs have a power factor between 0.75 and 0.85. The Clean Power VFD has a power factor of 0.98. High Power Factor is beneficial in that there is no need to oversize the power supply and cable capacity, plus financial benefits from the power provider.

# **Fully-regenerative drive.**

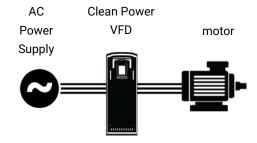
The Clean Power VFD is regenerative by default. When decelerating, the motor's regenerated energy is fed to the grid instead of vanishing in a breaking resistor.



# Ordinary VFD system



# Clean Power System



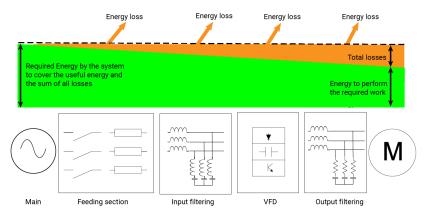
## Improved efficiency.

The Clean Power VFD increases the efficiency of every system it is properly deployed in.

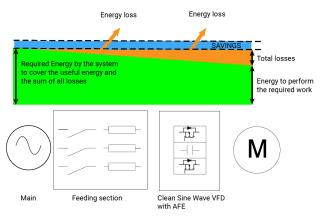
First, by decreasing the expensive energy losses: The Clean Power VFD itself has an efficiency higher than 98% full speed / full torque, and higher than 97% at 50% speed/ full torque. The typical energy losses from mitigating devices no longer exist for the filter-less Clean Power VFD. A motor running on Clean Power faces 30% less thermal losses when compared with an ordinary VFD.

Secondly, by increasing the availability of your production resources, not generating any drawbacks, the Clean Power VFD is harmless to the motors and other equipment connected to the same power grid. This drastically decreases the risk of failures, any potential sources of costly and unexpected production downtime.

# Ordinary VFD system



# Clean Power System



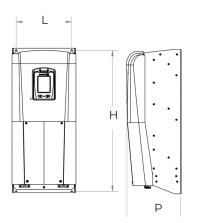


# **Meet the Products Family**

# Sizes, types and Voltages



| Rated<br>output current<br>(Normal duty) | Input Voltage    | Suitable for Motor            | Part Number  |
|--|------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
|  | 3 x 400 to 480 V | 400 V - 7.5kW/10hp            | CDD 1 1750 A |
| 15A                                      | 3 X 400 to 480 V | 460 V- 7.5kW/10hp             | SDB-1-1750-A |
|  | 3 x 600 V        | 575 V - 11 kW/15hp            | SDB-2-2110-A |
|  | 0 400 t- 400 V   | 400 V - 11kW/15hp             | 000 1 01104  |
| 22A                                      | 3 x 400 to 480 V | 460 V- 11kW/15hp              | SDB-1-2110A  |
|  | 3 x 600 V        | 575 V - 15kW/20hp             | SDB-2-2150-A |
|  |                  | 400 V - 15kW/20hp             |              |
| 28A                                      | 3 x 400 to 480 V | 460 V- 15kW/20hp              | SDB-1-2150A  |
|  | 3 x 600 V        | 3 x 600 V 575 V - 18.5kW/25hp |              |
|  | 0 400 t- 400 V   | 400 V - 18.5kW/25hp           | ODD 4 0405 A |
| 34A                                      | 3 x 400 to 480 V | 460 V- 18.5kW/25hp            | SDB-1-2185-A |
|  | 3 x 600 V        | 575 V - 22 kW/30hp            | SDB-2-2220-A |



|            | Width L            | Height H          | Depth P           |
|------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Up to 35A  | 11.85 in (30.1 cm) | 25.59 in (65 cm)  | 9.88 in (25.1 cm) |
| Up to 85A  | 12 in (30.48 cm)   | 28 in (71.12 cm)  | 10 in (25.4 cm)   |
| Up to 165A | 12 in (30.48 cm)   | 42 in (106.68 cm) | 12 in (30.48cm)   |

# **Meet the Products Family**

# Sizes, types and Voltages

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# **Technical Specs**

# What sets us apart

| ATTRIBUTES               | SDB-1-1750-A                   | SDB-2-2110-A              | SDB-1-2110-A                   | SDB-2-2150-A              | SDB-1-2150-A                   | SDB-2-2220-A              | SDB-1-2185-A                   | SDB-2-2220-A              |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| POWER INPUT              |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                | ·                         |
| Rated Voltage <i>Uin</i> | 3 x 400<br>480VAC<br>-15%/+10% | 3 x<br>600VAC<br>15%/+10% |
| Frequency Fn             | 50 et 60 Hz +/-5%              |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Rated Current lin        | 16 A                           | 16 A                      | 23 A                           | 23 A                      | 30 A                           | 30 A                      | 36 A                           | 36 A                      |
| Harmonics (THDi)         | 5 %                            |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Power Factor             | Near unity                     |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |

### **POWER OUTPUT**

### **Rated Current lout**

| Normal Duty | 15 A | 15 A | 22 A | 22 A | 28 A | 28 A | 34 A | 34 A |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Heavy Duty  | 11 A | 11 A | 17 A | 17 A | 22 A | 22 A | 24 A | 24 A |

### **Transient current**

| Normal Duty | 110% of Normal Duty current during 60s every 10 min at 40 °C (104 °F) |
|-------------|---|
| Heavy Duty  | 150% of Heavy Duty current during 60s every 10 min at 50 °C (122 °F   |

| VFD output<br>Frequency       | 0.1 to 120 HZ<br>up to 1000 Hz with dedicated firmware |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Effective switching frequency | 210 kHz  |
| Efficiency                    | 97 %   |

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 $\label{thm:continuous} \mbox{Motor power values are indicative. They vary with the motor type, technology, and manufacturer.}$ 

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# **Technical Specs**

# What sets us apart

| ATTRIBUTES               | SDB-1-2220-A                   | SDB-2-2300-A              | SDB-1-2300-A                   | SDB-2-2375-A              | SDB-1-2375-A                   | SDB-2-2450-A              | SDB-1-2450-A                   | SDB-2-2550-A              |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| POWER INPUT              |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Rated Voltage <i>Uin</i> | 3 x 400<br>480VAC<br>-15%/+10% | 3 x<br>600VAC<br>15%/+10% |
| Frequency Fn             |                                |                           |                                | 50 et 60                  | Hz +/-5%                       |                           |                                |                           |
| Rated Current lin        | 40 A                           | 40 A                      | 49 A                           | 49 A                      | 62 A                           | 62 A                      | 75 A                           | 75 A                      |
| Harmonics (THDi)         | 5 %                            |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Power Factor             | Near unity                     |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |

### **POWER OUTPUT**

### **Rated Current Iout**

| Normal Duty | 45 A | 45 A | 55 A | 55 A | 70 A | 70 A | 82 A | 82 A |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Heavy Duty  | 33 A | 33 A | 40 A | 40 A | 50 A | 50 A | 62 A | 62 A |

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| VFD output<br>Frequency       | 0.1 to 120 HZ<br>up to 1000 Hz with dedicated firmware |
|-------------------------------|--|
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| Efficiency                    | 97 %   |

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# **Technical Specs**

# What sets us apart

| ATTRIBUTES               | SDB-1-2550-A                   | SDB-2-2750-A              | SDB-1-2750-A                   | SDB-2-2900-A              | SDB-1-2900-A                   | SDB-2-3110-A              |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| POWER INPUT              |                                |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Rated Voltage <i>Uin</i> | 3 x 400<br>480VAC<br>-15%/+10% | 3 x<br>600VAC<br>15%/+10% | 3 x 400<br>480VAC<br>-15%/+10% | 3 x<br>600VAC<br>15%/+10% | 3 x 400<br>480VAC<br>-15%/+10% | 3 x<br>600VAC<br>15%/+10% |
| Frequency Fn             | 50 et 60 Hz +/-5%              |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Rated Current lin        | 95 A                           | 95 A                      | 115 A                          | 115 A                     | 147 A                          | 147 A                     |
| Harmonics (THDi)         | 5 %                            |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |
| Power Factor             | Near unity                     |                           |                                |                           |                                |                           |

### **POWER OUTPUT**

### **Rated Current lout**

| Normal Duty                   | 100 A   | 100 A         | 1340 A                | 130 A                | 165 A             | 165 A |
|-------------------------------|---|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------|
| Heavy Duty                    | 75 A  | 75 A          | 95 A                  | 95 A                 | 120 A             | 120 A |
| Transient current             |   |               |                       |                      |                   |       |
| Normal Duty                   |   | 110% of Norma | l Duty current during | g 60s every 10 min a | at 40 °C (104 °F) |       |
| Heavy Duty                    | 150% of Heavy Duty current during 60s every 10 min at 50 °C (122 °F |               |                       |                      |                   |       |
|                               |   |               |                       |                      |                   |       |
| VFD output                    |   |               | 0.1 to                | 120 HZ               |                   |       |
| Frequency                     | up to 1000 Hz with dedicated firmware                               |               |                       |                      |                   |       |
| Effective switching frequency | 210 kHz   |               |                       |                      |                   |       |
| Efficiency                    |   |               | 97                    | 7 %                  |                   |       |

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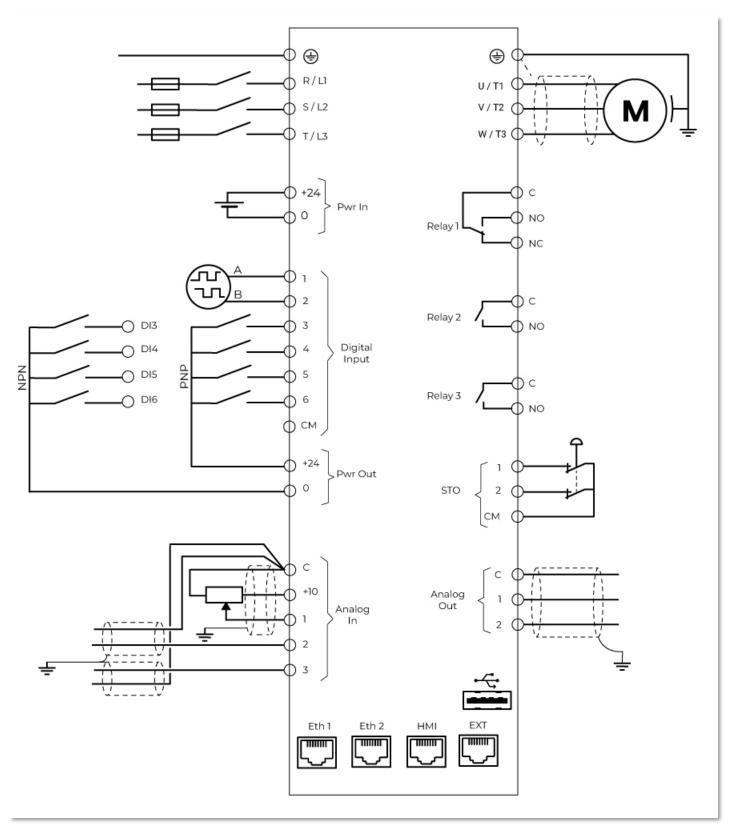
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# Installation

# Wiring



A 24VDC external power supply can be connected to the terminals Pwr In (terminals +24VC and 0). The 24VDC auxiliary supply will power the Clean Power VFD control board in the absence of line power, allowing both communications and the HMI to continue to operate

### **24VDC Power out**

Clean Power VFD provides the user with a 24VDC power out on the terminals Pwr Out (terminals +24VC and 0). This power is used to energize the digital inputs, or to energize some sensors.

## **Digital Input Terminals**

| Marking | Name                    | Default Operation  |
|---------|-------------------------|--|
| 1       | Digital input 1         | User settable. Can be assigned to phase B of an encoder. Default: not used |
| 2       | Digital input 2         | User settable. Can be assigned to phase B of an encoder. Default: not used |
| 3       | Digital input 3         | Run forward  |
| 4       | Digital input 4         | Run reverse  |
| 5       | Digital input 5         | Stop   |
| 6       | Digital input 6         | Sélection de la commande de vitesse.                                       |
| +24     | Common terminal for dig | gital inputs   |

### **STO Terminals**

The Clean Power VFD is providing users with 2 Safe Torque Off (STO) inputs.

The SIL capacity level is 3 and the stop category is 0, conformed to  ${\sf IEC6800\text{-}5\text{-}2}$ 

| Marking | Name                              |
|---------|-----------------------------------|
| STO 1   | Safe torque off — input 1         |
| STO 2   | Safe torque off — input 2         |
| +24     | Safe torque off 24 V power supply |

### **Relay Output Terminals**

The operation of the 3 independent relay outputs of the Clean Pow-

| Marking | Name                    | Default Operation   |
|---------|-------------------------|---|
| С       | Common                  | Relay 1: alarm relay  |
| NO      | Normally opened contact | The relay is energized (C & NO connected) when there is no alarm                            |
| NC      | Normally closed contact | The relay is de-energized (C & NC connected) when there is an alarm or loss of power supply |

| Marking | Name                         | Default OPeration                              |
|---------|------------------------------|--|
| С       | Common                       | Relay 2 : Closed when the VFD is ready to      |
| NO      | Normally opened con-<br>tact | run<br>Relay 3: Closed when the VFD is running |



### **Analog Input Terminals**

Analog inputs from Al1 to Al3 can be assigned by the user to various functions and various electrical signals.

Available functions:

- Speed (frequency Hz) setpoint
- Velocity (RPM) setpoint
- PTC motor thermal sensor

| Marking | Name                                       | Default Operation                                    |  |
|---------|--|--|--|
| 1       | Analog input 1                             | Speed reference. Preset used as potentiometer input. |  |
| 2       | Analog input 2                             | Un-assigned  |  |
| 3       | Analog input 3                             | Un-assigned  |  |
| +10     | Reference power supply 10 VCC / 20 mA max. |  |  |
| С       | Common terminal for analog inputs          |  |  |

Analog inputs can be used for electrical signals: 0..10VDC, 4..20mA, 0..20mA, PTC.

### **Analog Output Terminals**

Analog outputs 1 and 2 can be assigned by the user to various functions and various electrical signals.

| Marking | Name                | Default Operation   |
|---------|---------------------|---|
| 1       | Analog output 1     | Factory preset to the motor frequency. The preset signal is 010VDC          |
| 2       | Analog output 2     | Factory preset to the motor current Irms total. The preset signal is 010VDC |
| С       | Common terminal for | analog outputs  |

Available choices for the functions:

- Motor Current
- Motor Frequency
- Motor Torque
- Motor Power
- Drive thermal state
- Unused

Signal delivered by Analog output:

- 0..10VDC,
- 0..20mA,
- 4..20mA



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# **Easy setup**

# Smartphone application

# SmartDrive Manager

From purchasing to operations, simplify your deployment and decrease your expenses with a Clean Power VFD: less equipment, less -maintenance, more energy efficiency.

Install the Clean Power VFD with just 3 cables in, 3 cables out. Connect to the app and configure Clean Power in the palm of your hand. Experience true sine wave output firsthand.

### Quick

The integrated assistant enables even firsttime users to quickly set the configuration of the Clean Power VFD

### Convenient

The Clean Power VFD can be configured, controlled and monitored by using the app, pairing it via Bluetooth®..

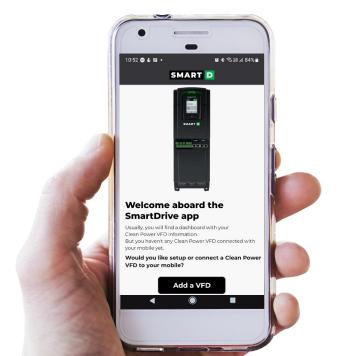








- Speaks natural user language
- Assists user during setup process
- Save, Copy, Clone VFD configurations
- Control drive operation dashboard
- Manage alarms





# **Main Functions**

# Key Functions and features of the Clean Power VFD

### Main controls

| Control Mode                  | V/f, indirect field oriented control (Vector control)  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Acceleration and Deceleration | Linear and S curve, user settable up to 3600s  |
| Low speed torque              | Automatic compensation   |
| Slip                          | Automatic compensation   |
| Speed setting methods         | Either in RPM or in Hz. Setting from analog inputs, preset speed (up to 8), communication port, HMI, mobile App. |
| Control Source                | switchable between local and remote  |

### **Main Protections and Alarms**

| Alarm trips prevention | Acceleration automatically paused when needed to prevent overcurrent                            |
|------------------------|---|
| Load monitoring        | Application overload and underload prevention.  |
| DC bus                 | Overvoltage and prevention of this overvoltage by automatic limitation of the deceleration rate |
| Motor                  | Phase loss, overload, overheating   |
| VFD                    | CPU and memory usage monitoring, temperature, boot state .                                      |

### **Environment**

| Ambient temperature | operating is -15 to 50 °C (without derating) if not specified otherwise. |  |
|---------------------|--|--|
| Relative humidity   | Below 95% non-condensing   |  |
| Altitude            | Lower than 2000 m/6600 ft.   |  |

# **Main Pumping Applications**

# Potential Clean Power VFD applications

### Water and wastewater



Pumps for intake, boosting, lifting, and aeration blower,

## Agriculture



Pumps for well lifting, draining, watering live- stock, slurry, ...

### Mining



Dewatering, mineral trans- fer, raw water supply, ...

### **Buildings**



Fans, fluid circulating and boosting, fire sprinkler pressure control, ...



At SmartD Technologies, we are proud to introduce the Clean Power Variable Frequency Drive (VFD) — the most compact, efficient, and advanced solution in the market today. Traditional VFDs fall short in delivering performance and value, often producing a square signal that accelerates motor wear, induces harmonic distortion, and diminishes energy efficiency.

The Clean Power VFD stands apart by eliminating the need for a cluttered panel of bulky protections and filters, offering a sleek, integrated solution. This revolutionary design marks the first significant advancement in low-voltage VFD topology since 1987. Most existing VFDs rely on outdated technology that, while cost-effective, harms motor insulation and bearings—leading to energy waste and shortened motor lifespan.

SmartD Technologies has engineered the Clean Power VFD by synergistically combining features typically found across multiple devices into one streamlined product. This innovation not only significantly reduces the physical footprint but also lowers costs compared to conventional drives.

Core Technologies Driving Unmatched Performances

- Wide Band Gap Transistors: These allow for higher efficiency and faster switching speeds.
- -Multi-Level Inverters: They reduce the stress on the power system by delivering a cleaner, smoother output.
- -Advanced Modulation and Control Algorithms: These optimize performance across a range of operating conditions.

Experience the next generation of motor control with SmartD Technologies. Our advanced solutions are designed to enhance your systems' efficiency and extend the lifespan of your motors, ensuring an unrivaled return on investment. We invite you to discover the transformative potential of the Clean Power VFD—where innovation meets reliability.





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