Design Guide
VLT® AutomationDrive FC 302

315–710 kW, Enclosure Size E

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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose of the Design Guide

This design guide is intended for:

- Project and systems engineers.

- Design consultants.

- Application and product specialists.

The design guide provides technical information to understand the capabilities of the drive for integration into motor control and monitoring systems.

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1.2 Additional Resources

Other resources are available to understand advanced drive operation, programming, and directives compliance.

- The *Operating Guide* provides detailed information for the installation and start up of the drive.

- The *Programming Guide* provides greater detail on how to work with parameters and includes many application examples.

- The *VLT® Safe Torque Off Operating Guide* describes how to use Danfoss drives in functional safety applications. This manual is supplied with the drive when the safe torque off option is present.

- The *VLT® Brake Resistor Design Guide* describes how to select the optimal brake resistor.

- Optional equipment is available that can change some of the information described in these publications. Be sure to see the instructions supplied with the options, for specific requirements.

Supplementary publications and manuals are available from Danfoss. See *drives.danfoss.com/knowledge-center/ technical-documentation/* for listings.

1.3 Document and Software Version

This manual is regularly reviewed and updated. All suggestions for improvement are welcome. *Table 1.1* shows the document version and the corresponding software version.

Edition	Remarks	Software version
MG38C1xx	Initial release	7.51

Table 1.1 Document and Software Version

1.4 Conventions

- Numbered lists indicate procedures.

- Bullet lists indicate other information and description of illustrations.

- Italicized text indicates:

    - Cross-reference.

    - Link.

    - Footnote.

    - Parameter name, parameter group name, parameter option.

- All dimensions in drawings are in mm (in).

- An asterisk (*) indicates a default setting of a parameter.

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2 Safety

2.1 Safety Symbols

The following symbols are used in this guide:

⚠WARNING

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation that could result in death or serious injury.

⚠CAUTION

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation that could result in minor or moderate injury. It can also be used to alert against unsafe practices.

NOTICE

Indicates important information, including situations that can result in damage to equipment or property.

2.2 Qualified Personnel

Only qualified personnel are allowed to install or operate this equipment.

Qualified personnel are defined as trained staff, who are authorized to install, commission, and maintain equipment, systems, and circuits in accordance with pertinent laws and regulations. Also, the personnel must be familiar with the instructions and safety measures described in this manual.

2.3 Safety Precautions

⚠WARNING

HIGH VOLTAGE

Drives contain high voltage when connected to AC mains input, DC supply, load sharing, or permanent motors. Failure to use qualified personnel to install, start up, and maintain the drive can result in death or serious injury.

- Only qualified personnel must install, start up, and maintain the drive.

⚠WARNING

DISCHARGE TIME

The drive contains DC-link capacitors, which can remain charged even when the drive is not powered. High voltage can be present even when the warning LED indicator lights are off. Failure to wait 40 minutes after power has been removed before performing service or repair work can result in death or serious injury.

1. Stop the motor.

2. Disconnect AC mains and remote DC-link supplies, including battery back-ups, UPS, and DC-link connections to other drives.

3. Disconnect or lock motor.

4. Wait 40 minutes for the capacitors to discharge fully.

5. Before performing any service or repair work, use an appropriate voltage measuring device to make sure that the capacitors are fully discharged.

⚠WARNING

LEAKAGE CURRENT HAZARD

Leakage currents exceed 3.5 mA. Failure to ground the drive properly can result in death or serious injury.

- Ensure the correct grounding of the equipment by a certified electrical installer.

NOTICE

MAINS SHIELD SAFETY OPTION

A mains shield option is available for enclosures with a protection rating of IP21/IP 54 (Type 1/Type 12). The mains shield is a cover installed inside the enclosure to protect against the accidental touch of the power terminals, according to BGV A2, VBG 4.

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2.3.1 ADN-compliant Installation

To prevent spark formation in accordance with the
European Agreement concerning International Carriage of
Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN), precautions
must be taken for drives with protection rating of IP00
(Chassis), IP20 (Chassis), IP21 (Type 1) or IP54 (Type 12).

- Do not install a mains switch.

- Ensure that *parameter 14-50 RFI Filter* is set to
  [1] On.

- Remove all relay plugs marked *RELAY*. See
  Illustration 2.1.

- Check which relay options are installed, if any.
  The only allowed relay option is VLT® Extended
  Relay Card MCB 113.
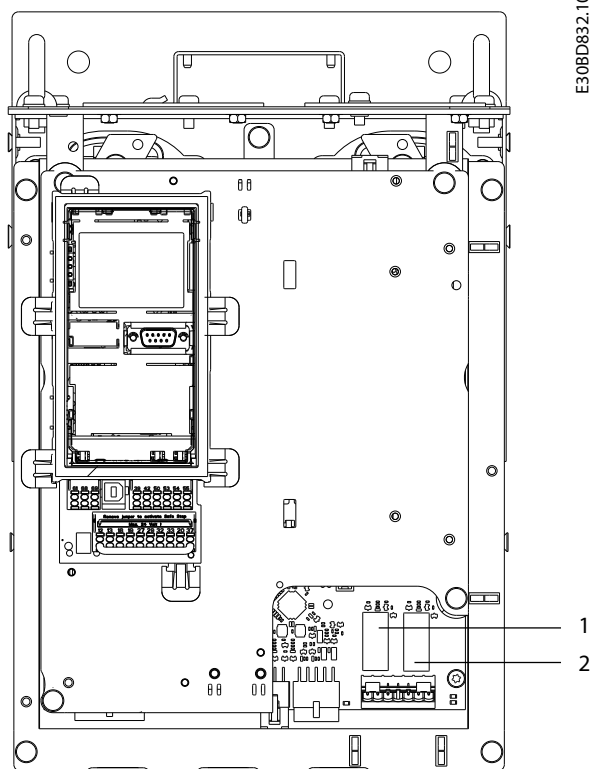
1, 2	Relay plugs

Illustration 2.1 Location of Relay Plugs

3 Approvals and Certifications

This section provides a brief description of the various approvals and certifications that are found on Danfoss drives. Not all approvals are found on all drives.

3.1 Regulatory/Compliance Approvals

NOTICE

IMPOSED LIMITATIONS ON THE OUTPUT FREQUENCY
From software version 6.72 onwards, the output frequency of the drive is limited to 590 Hz due to export control regulations. Software versions 6.xx also limit the maximum output frequency to 590 Hz, but these versions cannot be flashed, that is, neither downgraded nor upgraded.

3.1.1.1 CE Mark

The CE mark (Communauté Européenne) indicates that the product manufacturer conforms to all applicable EU directives. The EU directives applicable to the design and manufacture of drives are listed in *Table 3.1*.

NOTICE

The CE mark does not regulate the quality of the product. Technical specifications cannot be deduced from the CE mark.

EU Directive	Version
Low Voltage Directive	2014/35/EU
EMC Directive	2014/30/EU
Machinery Directive[1]	2014/32/EU
ErP Directive	2009/125/EC
ATEX Directive	2014/34/EU
RoHS Directive	2002/95/EC

Table 3.1 EU Directives Applicable to Drives

1) Machinery Directive conformance is only required for drives with an integrated safety function.

NOTICE

Drives with an integrated safety function, such as Safe Torque Off (STO), must comply with the machinery directive.

Declarations of conformity are available on request.

Low Voltage Directive
Drives must be CE-labeled in accordance with the Low Voltage Directive of January 1, 2014. The Low Voltage Directive applies to all electrical equipment in the 50–1000 V AC and the 75–1500 V DC voltage ranges.

The aim of the directive is to ensure personal safety and avoid property damage when operating electrical equipment that is installed, maintained, and used as intended.

EMC Directive
The purpose of the EMC (electromagnetic compatibility) Directive is to reduce electromagnetic interference and enhance immunity of electrical equipment and installations. The basic protection requirement of the EMC Directive is that devices that generate electromagnetic interference (EMI), or whose operation can be affected by EMI, must be designed to limit the generation of electromagnetic interference. The devices must have a suitable degree of immunity to EMI when properly installed, maintained, and used as intended.

Electrical equipment devices used alone or as part of a system must bear the CE mark. Systems do not require the CE mark, but must comply with the basic protection requirements of the EMC Directive.

Machinery Directive
The aim of the Machinery Directive is to ensure personal safety and avoid property damage to mechanical equipment used in its intended application. The Machinery Directive applies to a machine consisting of an aggregate of interconnected components or devices of which at least 1 is capable of mechanical movement.

Drives with an integrated safety function must comply with the Machinery Directive. Drives without a safety function do not fall under the Machinery Directive. If a drive is integrated into a machinery system, Danfoss can provide information on safety aspects relating to the drive.

When drives are used in machines with at least 1 moving part, the machine manufacturer must provide a declaration stating compliance with all relevant statutes and safety measures.

3.1.1.2 ErP Directive

The ErP Directive is the European Ecodesign Directive for energy-related products, including drives. The aim of the directive is to increase energy efficiency and the level of protection of the environment, while increasing the security of the energy supply. Environmental impact of energy-related products includes energy consumption throughout the entire product life cycle.

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3.1.1.3 UL Listing

The Underwriters Laboratory (UL) mark certifies the safety of products and their environmental claims based on standardized testing. Drives of voltage T7 (525–690 V) are UL-certified for only 525–600 V. The drive complies with UL 61800-5-1 thermal memory retention requirements. For more information, refer to *chapter 10.6.2 Motor Thermal Protection*.

3.1.1.4 CSA/cUL

The CSA/cUL approval is for AC drives of voltage rated at 600 V or lower. The standard ensures that, when the drive is installed according to the provided operating/installation guide, the equipment meets the UL standards for electrical and thermal safety. This mark certifies that the product performs to all required engineering specifications and testing. A certificate of compliance is provided on request.

3.1.1.5 EAC

The EurAsian Conformity (EAC) mark indicates that the product conforms to all requirements and technical regulations applicable to the product per the EurAsian Customs Union, which is composed of the member states of the EurAsian Economic Union.

The EAC logo must be both on the product label and on the packaging label. All products used within the EAC area, must be bought at Danfoss inside the EAC area.

3.1.1.6 UKrSEPRO

UKrSEPRO certificate ensures quality and safety of both products and services, in addition to manufacturing stability according to Ukrainian regulatory standards. The UkrSepro certificate is a required document to clear customs for any products coming into and out of the territory of Ukraine.

3.1.1.7 TUV

TUV SUD is a European safety organization which certifies the functional safety of the drive in accordance to EN/IEC 61800-5-2. The TUV SUD both tests products and monitors their production to ensure that companies stay compliant with their regulations.

3.1.1.8 RCM

The Regulatory Compliance Mark (RCM) indicates compliance with telecommunications and EMC/radio-communications equipment per the Australian Communications and Media Authorities EMC labeling notice. RCM is now a single compliance mark covering both the A-Tick and the C-Tick compliance marks. RCM compliance is required for placing electrical and electronic devices on the market in Australia and New Zealand.

3.1.1.9 Marine

Marine applications - ships and oil/gas platforms - must be certified by 1 of more marine certification societies in order to receive a regulatory license and insurance. Danfoss VLT® AutomationDrive series drives are certified by up to 12 different marine classification societies.

To view or print marine approvals and certificates, go to the download area at *http://drives.danfoss.com/industries/marine-and-offshore/marine-type-approvals/#/*.

3.1.2 Export Control Regulations

Drives can be subject to regional and/or national export control regulations.

An ECCN number is used to classify all drives that are subject to export control regulations.

The ECCN number is provided in the documents accompanying the drive.

In case of re-export, it is the responsibility of the exporter to ensure compliance with the relevant export control regulations.

3.2 Enclosure Protection Ratings

The VLT® drive series are available in various enclosure protection to accommodate the needs of the application. Enclosure protection ratings are provided based on 2 international standards:

- UL type validates that the enclosures meet NEMA (National Electrical Manufacturers Association) standards. The construction and testing requirements for enclosures are provided in NEMA Standards Publication 250-2003 and UL 50, Eleventh Edition.

- IP (Ingress Protection) ratings outlined by IEC (International Electrotechnical Commission) in the rest of the world.

Standard Danfoss VLT® drive series are available in various enclosure protections to meet the requirements of IP00 (Chassis), IP20 (Protected chassis) or IP21 (UL Type 1), or IP54 (UL Type 12). In this manual, UL Type is written as Type. For example, IP21/Type 1.

UL type standard

Type 1 – Enclosures constructed for indoor use to provide a degree of protection to personnel against incidental contact with the enclosed units and to provide a degree of protection against falling dirt.

Type 12 – General-purpose enclosures are intended for use indoors to protect the enclosed units against the following:

- Fibers

- Lint

- Dust and dirt

- Light splashing

- Seepage

- Dripping and external condensation of noncorrosive liquids

There can be no holes through the enclosure and no conduit knockouts or conduit openings, except when used with oil-resistant gaskets to mount oil-tight or dust-tight mechanisms. Doors are also provided with oil-resistant gaskets. In addition, enclosures for combination controllers have hinged doors, which swing horizontally and require a tool to open.

IP Standard

Table 3.2 provides a cross-reference between the 2 standards. *Table 3.3* demonstrates how to read the IP number and then defines the levels of protection. The drives meet the requirements of both.

NEMA and UL	IP
Chassis	IP00
Protected chassis	IP20
Type 1	IP21
Type 12	IP54

Table 3.2 NEMA and IP Number Cross-reference

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1st digit	2nd digit	Level of protection
0	–	No protection.
1	–	Protected to 50 mm (2.0 in). No hands would be able to get into the enclosure.
2	–	Protected to 12.5 mm (0.5 in). No fingers would be able to get into the enclosure.
3	–	Protected to 2.5 mm (0.1 in). No tools would be able to get into the enclosure.
4	–	Protected to 1.0 mm (0.04 in). No wires would be able to get into the enclosure.
5	–	Protected against dust – limited entry
6	–	Protected totally against dust
–	0	No protection
–	1	Protected from vertical dripping water
–	2	Protected from dripping water at 15° angle
–	3	Protected from water at 60° angle
–	4	Protected from splashing water
–	5	Protected from water jets
–	6	Protected from strong water jets
–	7	Protected from temporary immersion
–	8	Protected from permanent immersion

Table 3.3 IP Number Breakdown

4 Product Overview

4.1 Enclosure Size by Power Rating

kW[1]	Hp[1]	Available enclosures
315	450	E1h/E3h
355	500	E1h/E3h
400	550	E1h/E3h
450	600	E2h/E4h
500	650	E2h/E4h

Table 4.1 Enclosure Power Ratings, 380–500 V

1) All power ratings are taken at high overload (150% current for 60 s). Output is measured at 400 V (kW) and 460 V (hp).

kW[1]	Hp[1]	Available enclosures
355	400	E1h/E3h
400	400	E1h/E3h
500	500	E1h/E3h
560	600	E1h/E3h
630	650	E2h/E4h
710	750	E2h/E4h

Table 4.2 Enclosure Power Ratings, 525–690 V

1) All power ratings are taken at high overload (150% current for 60 s). Output is measured at 690 V (kW) and 575 V (hp).

4.2 Overview of Enclosures, 380–500 V

Enclosure size	E1h	E2h	E3h	E4h
Power rating[1]				
Output at 400 V (kW)	315–400	450–500	315–400	450–500
Output at 460 V (hp)	450–550	600–650	450–550	600–650
Protection rating				
IP	IP21/54	IP21/54	IP20[2]	IP20[2]
UL type	Type 1/12	Type 1/12	Chassis	Chassis
Hardware options[3]				
Stainless steel back channel	O	O	O	O
Mains shielding	O	O	–	–
Space heater	O	O	–	–
RFI filter (Class A1)	O	O	O	O
Safe torque off	S	S	S	S
No LCP	O	O	O	O
Graphical LCP	O	O	O	O
Fuses	S	S	O	O
Heat sink access	O	O	O	O
Brake chopper	O	O	O	O
Regen terminals	O	O	O	O
Load share terminals	–	–	O	O
Fuses + load share	–	–	O	O
Disconnect	O	O	–	–
Circuit breakers	–	–	–	–
Contactors	–	–	–	–
24 V DC supply (SMPS, 5 A)	–	–	–	–
Dimensions				
Height, mm (in)	2043 (80.4)	2043 (80.4)	1578 (62.1)	1578 (62.1)
Width, mm (in)	602 (23.7)	698 (27.5)	506 (19.9)	604 (23.9)
Depth, mm (in)	513 (20.2)	513 (20.2)	482 (19.0)	482 (19.0)
Weight, kg (lb)	295 (650)	318 (700)	272 (600)	295 (650)

Table 4.3 E1h–E4h Drives, 380–500 V

1) All power ratings are taken at high overload (150% current for 60 s).

2) If the enclosure is configured with load share or regen terminals, then the protection rating is IP00, otherwise the protection rating is IP20.

3) S = standard, O = optional, and a dash indicates that the option is unavailable.

4.3 Overview of Enclosures, 525–690 V

Enclosure size	E1h	E2h	E3h	E4h
Power rating[1]				
Output at 690 V (kW)	355–560	630–710	355–560	630–710
Output at 575 V (hp)	400–600	650–950	400–600	650–950
Protection rating				
IP	IP21/54	IP21/54	IP20[2]	IP20[2]
UL type	Type 1/12	Type 1/12	Chassis	Chassis
Hardware options[3]				
Stainless steel back channel	O	O	O	O
Mains shielding	O	O	–	–
Space heater	O	O	–	–
RFI filter (Class A1)	–	–	–	–
Safe torque off	S	S	S	S
No LCP	O	O	O	O
Graphical LCP	O	O	O	O
Fuses	S	S	O	O
Heat sink access	O	O	O	O
Brake chopper	O	O	O	O
Regen terminals	O	O	O	O
Load share terminals	–	–	O	O
Fuses + load share	–	–	O	O
Disconnect	O	O	–	–
Circuit breakers	–	–	–	–
Contactors	–	–	–	–
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5 Product Features

5.1 Automated Operational Features

Automated operational features are active when the drive is operating. Most of them require no programming or set-up. The drive has a range of built-in protection functions to protect itself and the motor when it runs.

For details of any set-up required, in particular motor parameters, refer to the *programming guide*.

5.1.1 Short-circuit Protection

Motor (phase-to-phase)
The drive is protected against short circuits on the motor side by current measurement in each of the 3 motor phases. A short circuit between 2 output phases causes an overcurrent in the inverter. The inverter is turned off when the short circuit current exceeds the permitted value (*Alarm 16, Trip Lock*).

Mains side
A drive that works correctly limits the current it can draw from the supply. Still, it is recommended to use fuses and/or circuit breakers on the supply side as protection if there is component break-down inside the drive (first fault). Mains side fuses are mandatory for UL compliance.

NOTICE

To ensure compliance with IEC 60364 for CE or NEC 2009 for UL, it is mandatory to use fuses and/or circuit breakers.

Brake resistor
The drive is protected from a short circuit in the brake resistor.

Load sharing
To protect the DC bus against short circuits and the drives from overload, install DC fuses in series with the load sharing terminals of all connected units.

5.1.2 Overvoltage Protection

Motor-generated overvoltage
The voltage in the DC link is increased when the motor acts as a generator. This situation occurs in following cases:

- The load rotates the motor at constant output frequency from the drive, that is, the load generates energy.

- During deceleration (ramp-down) if the inertia moment is high, the friction is low, and the ramp-down time is too short for the energy to be dissipated as a loss throughout the drive system.

- Incorrect slip compensation setting causing higher DC-link voltage.

- Back EMF from PM motor operation. If coasted at high RPM, the PM motor back EMF can potentially exceed the maximum voltage tolerance of the drive and cause damage. To help prevent this situation, the value of *parameter 4-19 Max Output Frequency* is automatically limited based on an internal calculation based on the value of *parameter 1-40 Back EMF at 1000 RPM*, *parameter 1-25 Motor Nominal Speed* and *parameter 1-39 Motor Poles*.

NOTICE

To avoid motor overspeeds (for example, due to excessive windmilling effects), equip the drive with a brake resistor.

The overvoltage can be handled either using a brake function (*parameter 2-10 Brake Function*) and/or using overvoltage control (*parameter 2-17 Over-voltage Control*).

Brake functions
Connect a brake resistor for dissipation of surplus brake energy. Connecting a brake resistor allows a higher DC-link voltage during braking.

AC brake is an alternative to improving braking without using a brake resistor. This function controls an over-magnetization of the motor when the motor is acting as a generator. Increasing the electrical losses in the motor allows the OVC function to increase the braking torque without exceeding the overvoltage limit.

NOTICE

AC brake is not as effective as dynamic braking with a resistor.

Overvoltage control (OVC)
By automatically extending the ramp-down time, OVC reduces the risk of the drive tripping due to an overvoltage on the DC-link.

NOTICE

OVC can be activated for a PM motor with all control core, PM VVC+, Flux OL, and Flux CL for PM Motors.

NOTICE

Do not enable OVC in hoisting applications.

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5.1.3 Missing Motor Phase Detection

The missing motor phase function (*parameter 4-58 Missing Motor Phase Function*) is enabled by default to avoid motor damage if a motor phase is missing. The default setting is 1000 ms, but it can be adjusted for faster detection.

5.1.4 Supply Voltage Imbalance Detection

Operation under severe supply voltage imbalance reduces the lifetime of the motor and drive. If the motor is operated continuously near nominal load, conditions are considered severe. The default setting trips the drive if there is supply voltage imbalance (*parameter 14-12 Response to Mains Imbalance*).

5.1.5 Switching on the Output

Adding a switch to the output between the motor and the drive is allowed, however fault messages can appear. Danfoss does not recommend using this feature for 525–690 V drives connected to an IT mains network.

5.1.6 Overload Protection

Torque limit
The torque limit feature protects the motor against overload, independent of the speed. Torque limit is controlled in *parameter 4-16 Torque Limit Motor Mode* and *parameter 4-17 Torque Limit Generator Mode*. The time before the torque limit warning trips is controlled in *parameter 14-25 Trip Delay at Torque Limit*.

Current limit
The current limit is controlled in *parameter 4-18 Current Limit*, and the time before the drive trips is controlled in *parameter 14-24 Trip Delay at Current Limit*.

Speed limit
Mininum speed limit: *Parameter 4-11 Motor Speed Low Limit [RPM]* or *parameter 4-12 Motor Speed Low Limit [Hz]* limit the minimum operating speed range of the drive. Maximum speed limit: *Parameter 4-13 Motor Speed High Limit [RPM]* or *parameter 4-19 Max Output Frequency* limit the maximum output speed the drive can provide.

Electronic thermal relay (ETR)
ETR is an electronic feature that simulates a bimetal relay based on internal measurements. The characteristic is shown in *Illustration 5.1*.

Voltage limit
The inverter turns off to protect the transistors and the DC link capacitors when a certain hard-coded voltage level is reached.

Overtemperature
The drive has built-in temperature sensors and reacts immediately to critical values via hard-coded limits.

5.1.7 Locked Rotor Protection

There can be situations when the rotor is locked due to excessive load or other factors. The locked rotor cannot produce enough cooling, which in turn can overheat the motor winding. The drive is able to detect the locked rotor situation with open-loop PM flux control and PM VVC+ control (*parameter 30-22 Locked Rotor Protection*).

5.1.8 Automatic Derating

The drive constantly checks for the following critical levels:

- High temperature on the control card or heat sink.
- High motor load.
- High DC-link voltage.
- Low motor speed.

As a response to a critical level, the drive adjusts the switching frequency. For high internal temperatures and low motor speed, the drives can also force the PWM pattern to SFAVM.

NOTICE
The automatic derating is different when *parameter 14-55 Output Filter* is set to *[2] Sine-Wave Filter Fixed*.

5.1.9 Automatic Energy Optimization

Automatic energy optimization (AEO) directs the drive to monitor the load on the motor continuously and adjust the output voltage to maximize efficiency. Under light load, the voltage is reduced and the motor current is minimized. The motor benefits from:

- Increased efficiency.
- Reduced heating.
- Quieter operation.

There is no need to select a V/Hz curve because the drive automatically adjusts motor voltage.

5.1.10 Automatic Switching Frequency Modulation

The drive generates short electrical pulses to form an AC wave pattern. The switching frequency is the rate of these pulses. A low switching frequency (slow pulsing rate) causes audible noise in the motor, making a higher switching frequency preferable. A high switching frequency, however, generates heat in the drive that can limit the amount of current available to the motor.

Automatic switching frequency modulation regulates these conditions automatically to provide the highest switching frequency without overheating the drive. By providing a regulated high switching frequency, it quiets motor operating noise at slow speeds, when audible noise control is critical, and produces full output power to the motor when required.

5.1.11 Automatic Derating for High Switching Frequency

The drive is designed for continuous, full-load operation at switching frequencies between 1.5 kHz–2 kHz for 380–500 V, and 1 kHz–1.5 kHz for 525–690V. The frequency range depends on power size and voltage rating. A switching frequency exceeding the maximum allowed range generates increased heat in the drive and requires the output current to be derated.

An automatic feature of the drive is load-dependent switching frequency control. This feature allows the motor to benefit from as high a switching frequency as the load allows.

5.1.12 Power Fluctuation Performance

The drive withstands mains fluctuations such as:

- Transients.
- Momentary drop-outs.
- Short voltage drops.
- Surges.

The drive automatically compensates for input voltages ±10% from the nominal to provide full rated motor voltage and torque. With auto restart selected, the drive automatically powers up after a voltage trip. With flying start, the drive synchronizes to motor rotation before start.

5.1.13 Resonance Damping

Resonance damping eliminates the high-frequency motor resonance noise. Automatic or manually selected frequency damping is available.

5.1.14 Temperature-controlled Fans

Sensors in the drive regulate the operation of the internal cooling fans. Often, the cooling fans do not run during low load operation, or when in sleep mode or standby. These sensors reduce noise, increase efficiency, and extend the operating life of the fan.

5.1.15 EMC Compliance

Electromagnetic interference (EMI) and radio frequency interference (RFI) are disturbances that can affect an electrical circuit due to electromagnetic induction or radiation from an external source. The drive is designed to comply with the EMC product standard for drives IEC 61800-3 and the European standard EN 55011. Motor cables must be shielded and properly terminated to comply with the emission levels in EN 55011. For more information regarding EMC performance, see *chapter 10.14.1 EMC Test Results*.

5.1.16 Galvanic Isolation of Control Terminals

All control terminals and output relay terminals are galvanically isolated from mains power, which completely protects the controller circuitry from the input current. The output relay terminals require their own grounding. This isolation meets the stringent protective extra-low voltage (PELV) requirements for isolation.

The components that make up the galvanic isolation are:
- Supply, including signal isolation.
- Gatedrive for the IGBTs, trigger transformers, and optocouplers.
- The output current Hall effect transducers.

5.2 Custom Application Features

Custom application functions are the most common features programmed in the drive for enhanced system performance. They require minimum programming or set-up. See the *programming guide* for instructions on activating these functions.

5.2.1 Automatic Motor Adaptation

Automatic motor adaptation (AMA) is an automated test procedure used to measure the electrical characteristics of the motor. AMA provides an accurate electronic model of the motor, allowing the drive to calculate optimal performance and efficiency. Running the AMA procedure also maximizes the automatic energy optimization feature of the drive. AMA is performed without the motor rotating and without uncoupling the load from the motor.

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5.2.2 Built-in PID Controller

The built-in proportional, integral, derivative (PID) controller eliminates the need for auxiliary control devices. The PID controller maintains constant control of closed loop systems where regulated pressure, flow, temperature, or other system requirements must be maintained.

The drive can use 2 feedback signals from 2 different devices, allowing the system to be regulated with different feedback requirements. The drive makes control decisions by comparing the 2 signals to optimize system performance.

5.2.3 Motor Thermal Protection

Motor thermal protection can be provided via:

- Direct temperature sensing using a

    - PTC- or KTY sensor in the motor windings and connected on a standard AI or DI.

    - PT100 or PT1000 in the motor windings and motor bearings, connected on VLT® Sensor Input Card MCB 114.

    - PTC Thermistor input on VLT® PTC Thermistor Card MCB 112 (ATEX approved).

- Mechanical thermal switch (Klixon type) on a DI.

- Built-in electronic thermal relay (ETR).

ETR calculates motor temperature by measuring current, frequency, and operating time. The drive shows the thermal load on the motor in percentage and can issue a warning at a programmable overload setpoint. Programmable options at the overload allow the drive to stop the motor, reduce output, or ignore the condition. Even at low speeds, the drive meets I2t Class 20 electronic motor overload standards.
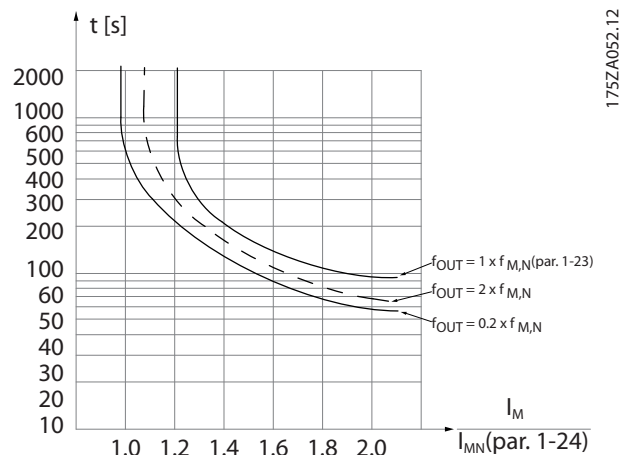

Illustration 5.1 ETR Characteristics

The X-axis shows the ratio between I_{motor} and I_{motor} nominal. The Y-axis shows the time in seconds before the ETR cuts off and trips the drive. The curves show the characteristic nominal speed, at twice the nominal speed and at 0.2 x the nominal speed.
At lower speed, the ETR cuts off at lower heat due to less cooling of the motor. In that way, the motor is protected from being overheated even at low speed. The ETR feature calculates the motor temperature based on actual current and speed. The calculated temperature is visible as a readout parameter in *parameter 16-18 Motor Thermal*.
A special version of the ETR is also available for EX-e motors in ATEX areas. This function makes it possible to enter a specific curve to protect the Ex-e motor. See the *pogramming guide* for set-up instructions.

5.2.4 Motor Thermal Protection for Ex-e Motors

The drive is equipped with an ATEX ETR thermal monitoring function for operation of Ex-e motors according to EN-60079-7. When combined with an ATEX approved PTC monitoring device such as the VLT® MCB 112 PTC option or an external device, the installation does not require an individual approval from an approbated organization.

The ATEX ETR thermal monitoring function enables use of an Ex-e motor instead of a more expensive, larger, and heavier Ex-d motor. The function ensures that the drive limits motor current to prevent overheating.

Requirements related to the Ex-e motor

- Ensure that the Ex-e motor is approved for operation in hazardous zones (ATEX zone 1/21, ATEX zone 2/22) with drives. The motor must be certified for the specific hazardous zone.

- Install the Ex-e motor in zone 1/21 or 2/22 of the hazardous zone, according to motor approval.

NOTICE

**Install the drive outside the hazardous zone.**

- Ensure that the Ex-e motor is equipped with an ATEX-approved motor overload protection device. This device monitors the temperature in the motor windings. If there is a critical temperature level or a malfunction, the device switches off the motor.

  - The VLT® PTC Thermistor MCB 112 option provides ATEX-approved monitoring of motor temperature. It is a prerequisite that the drive is equipped with 3–6 PTC thermistors in series according to DIN 44081 or 44082.

  - Alternatively, an external ATEX-approved PTC protection device can be used.

- Sine-wave filter is required when

  - Long cables (voltage peaks) or increased mains voltage produce voltages exceeding the maximum allowable voltage at motor terminals.

  - Minimum switching frequency of the drive does not meet the requirement stated by the motor manufacturer. The minimum switching frequency of the drive is shown as the default value in *parameter 14-01 Switching Frequency*.

Compatibility of motor and drive

For motors certified according to EN-60079-7, a data list including limits and rules is supplied by the motor manufacturer as a data sheet, or on the motor nameplate. During planning, installation, commissioning, operation, and service, follow the limits and rules supplied by the manufacturer for:

- Minimum switching frequency.

- Maximum current.

- Minimum motor frequency.

- Maximum motor frequency.

Illustration 5.2 shows where the requirements are indicated on the motor nameplate.
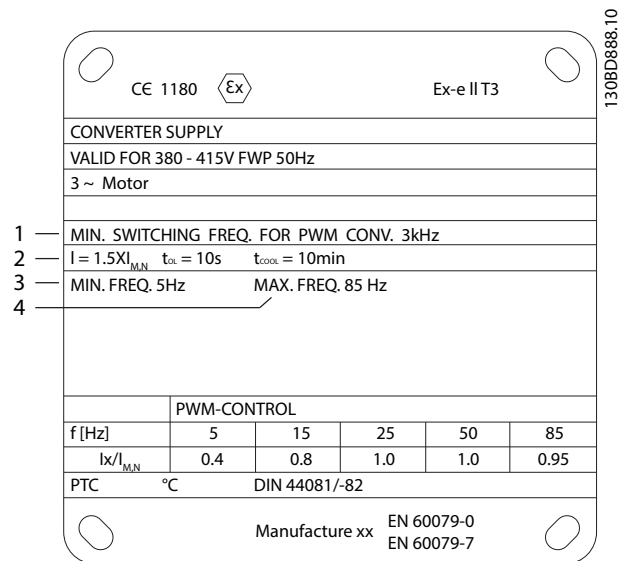
1	Minimum switching frequency
2	Maximum current
3	Minimum motor frequency
4	Maximum motor frequency

Illustration 5.2 Motor Nameplate showing Drive Requirements

When matching drive and motor, Danfoss specifies the following extra requirements to ensure adequate motor thermal protection:

- Do not exceed the maximum allowed ratio between drive size and motor size. The typical value is $I_{VLT, n} \leq 2 \times I_{m,n}$

- Consider all voltage drops from drive to motor. If the motor runs with lower voltage than listed in the U/f characteristics, current can increase, triggering an alarm.

For further information, see the application example in *chapter 12 Application Examples*.

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5.2.5 Mains Drop-out

During a mains drop-out, the drive keeps running until the DC-link voltage drops below the minimum stop level. The minimum stop level is typically 15% below the lowest rated supply voltage. The mains voltage before the drop-out and the motor load determines how long it takes for the drive to coast.

The drive can be configured (*parameter 14-10 Mains Failure*) to different types of behavior during mains drop-out:

- Trip Lock once the DC link is exhausted.
- Coast with flying start whenever mains return (*parameter 1-73 Flying Start*).
- Kinetic back-up.
- Controlled ramp down.

Flying start
This selection makes it possible to catch a motor that is spinning freely due to a mains drop-out. This option is relevant for centrifuges and fans.

Kinetic back-up
This selection ensures that the drive runs as long as there is energy in the system. For short mains drop-out, the operation is restored after mains return, without bringing the application to a stop or losing control at any time. Several variants of kinetic back-up can be selected.

Configure the behavior of the drive at mains drop-out, in *parameter 14-10 Mains Failure* and *parameter 1-73 Flying Start*.

5.2.6 Automatic Restart

The drive can be programmed to restart the motor automatically after a minor trip, such as momentary power loss or fluctuation. This feature eliminates the need for manual resetting, and enhances automated operation for remotely controlled systems. The number of restart attempts and the duration between attempts can be limited.

5.2.7 Full Torque at Reduced Speed

The drive follows a variable V/Hz curve to provide full motor torque even at reduced speeds. Full output torque can coincide with the maximum designed operating speed of the motor. This drive differs from variable torque drives and constant torque drives. Variable torque drives provide reduced motor torque at low speed. Constant torque drives provide excess voltage, heat, and motor noise at less than full speed.

5.2.8 Frequency Bypass

In some applications, the system can have operational speeds that create a mechanical resonance. This mechanical resonance can generate excessive noise and possibly damage mechanical components in the system. The drive has 4 programmable bypass-frequency bandwidths. The bandwidths allow the motor to step over speeds that induce system resonance.

5.2.9 Motor Preheat

To preheat a motor in a cold or damp environment, a small amount of DC current can be trickled continuously into the motor to protect it from condensation and cold starts. This function can eliminate the need for a space heater.

5.2.10 Programmable Set-ups

The drive has 4 set-ups that can be independently programmed. Using multi-setup, it is possible to switch between independently programmed functions activated by digital inputs or a serial command. Independent set-ups are used, for example, to change references, or for day/night or summer/winter operation, or to control multiple motors. The LCP shows the active set-up.

Set-up data can be copied from drive to drive by downloading the information from the removable LCP.

5.2.11 Smart Logic Control (SLC)

Smart logic control (SLC) is a sequence of user-defined actions (see *parameter 13-52 SL Controller Action* [x]) executed by the SLC when the associated user-defined event (see *parameter 13-51 SL Controller Event* [x]) is evaluated as TRUE by the SLC.
The condition for an event can be a particular status, or that the output from a logic rule or a comparator operand becomes TRUE. The condition leads to an associated action as shown in *Illustration 5.3*.
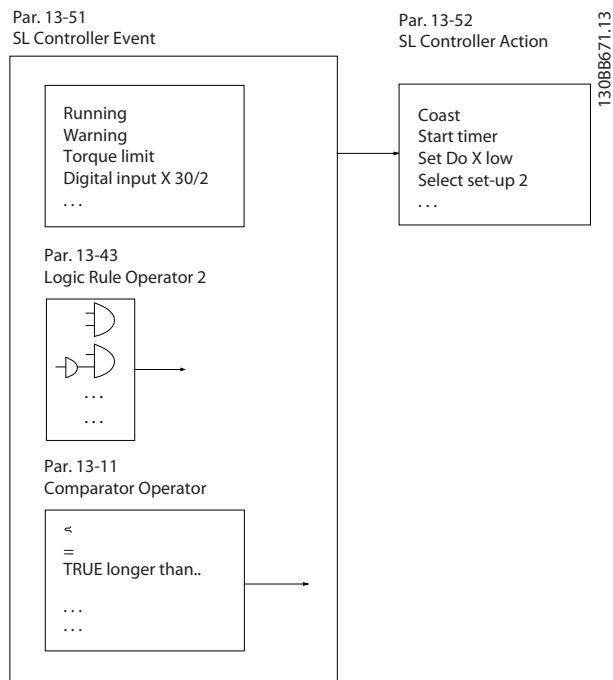
Par. 13-51
SL Controller Event

Par. 13-52
SL Controller Action

Running
Warning
Torque limit
Digital input X 30/2
…

Coast
Start timer
Set Do X low
Select set-up 2
…

Par. 13-43
Logic Rule Operator 2

Par. 13-11
Comparator Operator

<
=
TRUE longer than..
…
…

Illustration 5.3 SLC Event and Action

Events and actions are each numbered and linked in pairs (states), which means that when event [0] is fulfilled (attains the value TRUE), action [0] is executed. After the 1st action is executed, the conditions of the next event are evaluated. If this event is evaluated as true, then the corresponding action is executed. Only 1 event is evaluated at any time. If an event is evaluated as false, nothing happens in the SLC during the current scan interval and no other events are evaluated. When the SLC starts, it only evaluates event [0] during each scan interval. Only when event [0] is evaluated as true, the SLC executes action [0] and starts evaluating the next event. It is possible to program 1–20 events and actions. When the last event/action has been executed, the sequence starts over again from event [0]/action [0]. *Illustration 5.4* shows an example with 4 event/actions:
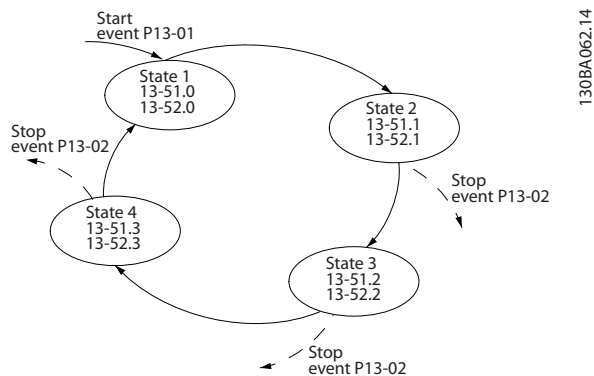
Start
event P13-01

State 1
13-51.0
13-52.0

State 2
13-51.1
13-52.1

Stop event P13-02

State 4
13-51.3
13-52.3

Stop
event P13-02

State 3
13-51.2
13-52.2

Stop
event P13-02

Stop
event P13-02

Illustration 5.4 Order of Execution when 4 Events/Actions are Programmed

Comparators

Comparators are used for comparing continuous variables (output frequency, output current, analog input, and so on) to fixed preset values.
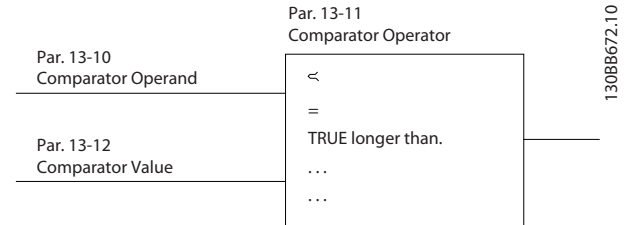
Par. 13-11
Comparator Operator

Par. 13-10
Comparator Operand

<
=
TRUE longer than.
…
…

Par. 13-12
Comparator Value

Illustration 5.5 Comparators

Logic rules

Combine up to 3 boolean inputs (TRUE/FALSE inputs) from timers, comparators, digital inputs, status bits, and events using the logical operators AND, OR, and NOT.
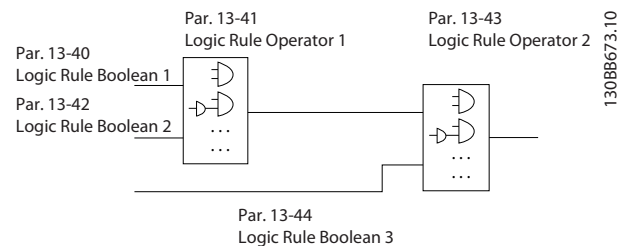
Par. 13-41
Logic Rule Operator 1

Par. 13-43
Logic Rule Operator 2

Par. 13-40
Logic Rule Boolean 1

Par. 13-42
Logic Rule Boolean 2

Par. 13-44
Logic Rule Boolean 3

Illustration 5.6 Logic Rules

5.2.12 Safe Torque Off

The Safe Torque Off (STO) function is used to stop the drive in emergency stop situations. The FC 302 drive can use the STO function with asynchronous, synchronous, and permanent magnet motors.

For more information about Safe Torque Off, including installation and commissioning, refer to the *Safe Torque Off Operating Guide*.

Liability conditions

The customer is responsible for ensuring that personnel know how to install and operate the safe torque off function by:

- Reading and understanding the safety regulations concerning health, safety, and accident prevention.

- Understanding the generic and safety guidelines provided in the *Safe Torque Off Operating Guide*.

- Having a good knowledge of the generic and safety standards for the specific application.

5.3 Dynamic Braking Overview

Dynamic braking slows the motor using 1 of the following methods:

- **AC brake**
  The brake energy is distributed in the motor by changing the loss conditions in the motor (*parameter 2-10 Brake Function* = [2]). The AC brake function cannot be used in applications with high cycling frequency since this situation overheats the motor.

- **DC brake**
  An overmodulated DC current added to the AC current works as an eddy current brake (*parameter 2-02 DC Braking Time* ≠ 0 s).

- **Resistor brake**
  A brake IGBT keeps the overvoltage under a certain threshold by directing the brake energy from the motor to the connected brake resistor (*parameter 2-10 Brake Function* = [1]). For more information on selecting a brake resistor, see *VLT® Brake Resistor MCE 101 Design Guide*.

For drives equipped with the brake option, a brake IGBT along with terminals 81(R-) and 82(R+) are included for connecting an external brake resistor.

The function of the brake IGBT is to limit the voltage in the DC link whenever the maximum voltage limit is exceeded. It limits the voltage by switching the externally mounted resistor across the DC bus to remove excess DC voltage present on the bus capacitors.

External brake resistor placement has the advantages of selecting the resistor based on application need, dissipating the energy outside of the control panel, and protecting the drive from overheating if the brake resistor is overloaded.

The brake IGBT gate signal originates on the control card and is delivered to the brake IGBT via the power card and gatedrive card. Also, the power and control cards monitor the brake IGBT for a short circuit. The power card also monitors the brake resistor for overloads.

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5.4 Mechanical Holding Brake Overview

A mechanical holding brake is an external piece of equipment mounted directly on the motor shaft that performs static braking. Static braking is when a brake is used to clamp down on the motor after the load has been stopped. A holding brake is either controlled by a PLC or directly by a digital output from the drive.

NOTICE

A drive cannot provide a safe control of a mechanical brake. A redundancy circuitry for the brake control must be included in the installation.

5.4.1 Mechanical Brake Using Open Loop Control

For hoisting applications, typically it is necessary to control an electro-magnetic brake. A relay output (relay 1 or relay 2) or a programmed digital output (terminal 27 or 29) is required. Normally, this output must be closed for as long as the drive is unable to hold the motor. In *parameter 5-40 Function Relay* (array parameter), *parameter 5-30 Terminal 27 Digital Output*, or *parameter 5-31 Terminal 29 Digital Output*, select *[32] mechanical brake control* for applications with an electro-magnetic brake.

When *[32] mechanical brake control* is selected, the mechanical brake relay remains closed during start until the output current is above the level selected in *parameter 2-20 Release Brake Current*. During stop, the mechanical brake closes when the speed is below the level selected in *parameter 2-21 Activate Brake Speed [RPM]*. If the drive is brought into an alarm condition, such as an overvoltage situation, the mechanical brake immediately cuts in. The mechanical brake also cuts in during safe torque off.

Consider the following when using the electro-magnetic brake:

- Use any relay output or digital output (terminal 27 or 29). If necessary, use a contactor.

- Ensure that the output is switched off as long as the drive is unable to rotate the motor. Examples include the load being too heavy or the motor not being mounted.

- Before connecting the mechanical brake, select *[32] Mechanical brake control* in *parameter group 5-4* Relays* (or in *parameter group 5-3* Digital Outputs*).

- The brake is released when the motor current exceeds the preset value in *parameter 2-20 Release Brake Current*.

- The brake is engaged when the output frequency is less than the frequency set in *parameter 2-21 Activate Brake Speed [RPM]* or *parameter 2-22 Activate Brake Speed [Hz]* and only if the drive carries out a stop command.

NOTICE

For vertical lifting or hoisting applications, ensure that the load can be stopped if there is an emergency or a malfunction. If the drive is in alarm mode or in an overvoltage situation, the mechanical brake cuts in.

For hoisting applications, make sure that the torque limits in *parameter 4-16 Torque Limit Motor Mode* and *parameter 4-17 Torque Limit Generator Mode* are set lower than the current limit in *parameter 4-18 Current Limit*. It is also recommended to set *parameter 14-25 Trip Delay at Torque Limit* to 0, *parameter 14-26 Trip Delay at Inverter Fault* to 0, and *parameter 14-10 Mains Failure* to *[3] Coasting*.
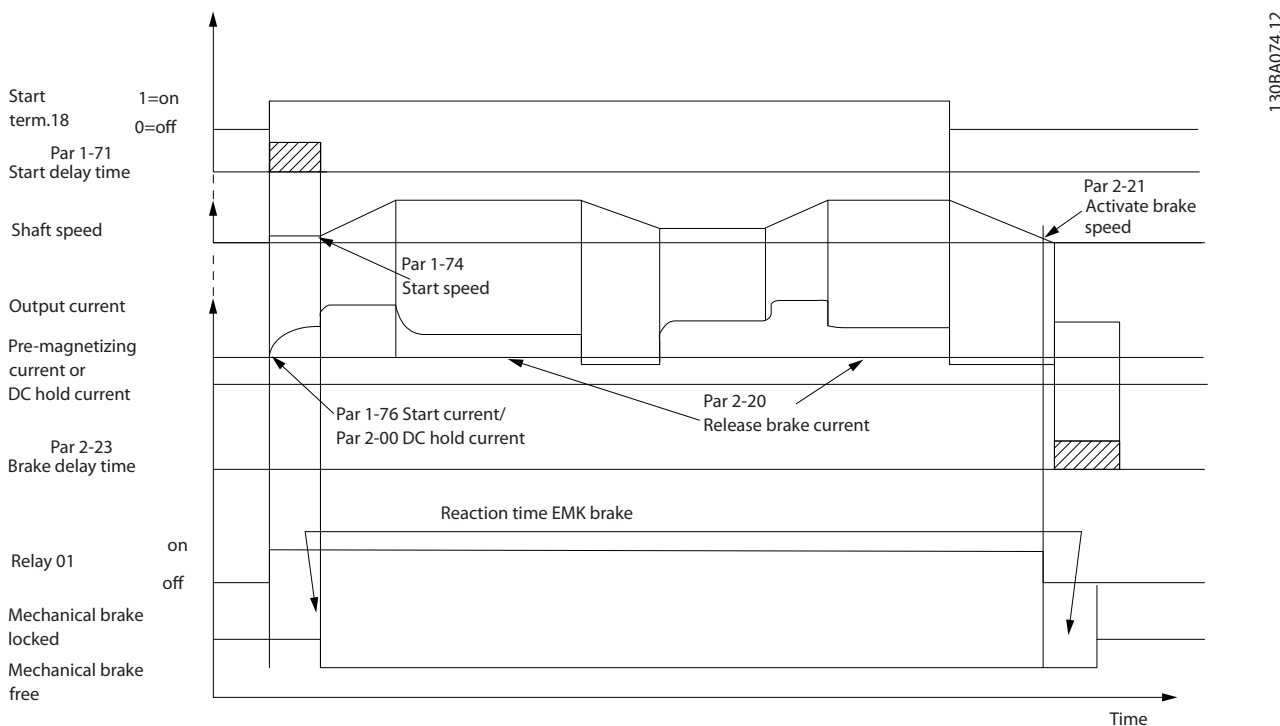
Illustration 5.7 Mechanical Brake Control in Open Loop

5.4.2 Mechanical Brake Using Closed Loop Control

The VLT® AutomationDrive features a mechanical brake control designed for hoisting applications and supports the following functions:

- 2 channels for mechanical brake feedback, offering protection against unintended behavior resulting from a broken cable.

- Monitoring the mechanical brake feedback throughout the complete cycle. Monitoring helps protect the mechanical brake - especially if more drives are connected to the same shaft.

- No ramp up until feedback confirms that mechanical brake is open.

- Improved load control at stop.

- The transition when motor takes over the load from the brake can be configured.

Parameter 1-72 Start Function [6] Hoist Mech. Brake Rel activates the hoist mechanical brake. The main difference compared to the regular mechanical brake control is that the hoist mechanical brake function has direct control over the brake relay. Instead of setting a current to release the brake, the torque applied against the closed brake before release is defined. Because the torque is defined directly, the set-up is more straightforward for hoisting applications.

The hoist mechanical brake strategy is based on the following 3-step sequence, where motor control and brake release are synchronized to obtain the smoothest possible brake release.

1. **Pre-magnetize the motor.**
   To ensure that there is a hold on the motor and to verify that it is mounted correctly, the motor is first pre-magnetized.

2. **Apply torque against the closed brake.**
   When the load is held by the mechanical brake, its size cannot be determined, only its direction. The moment the brake opens, the motor must take over the load. To facilitate the takeover, a user-defined torque (*parameter 2-26 Torque Ref*) is applied in the hoisting direction. This process is used to initialize the speed controller that finally takes over the load. To reduce wear on the gearbox due to backlash, the torque is ramped up.

3. **Release the brake.**
   When the torque reaches the value set in *parameter 2-26 Torque Ref*, the brake is released. The value set in *parameter 2-25 Brake Release Time* determines the delay before the load is released. To react as quickly as possible on the load-step that follows after brake release, the speed-PID control can be boosted by increasing the proportional gain.
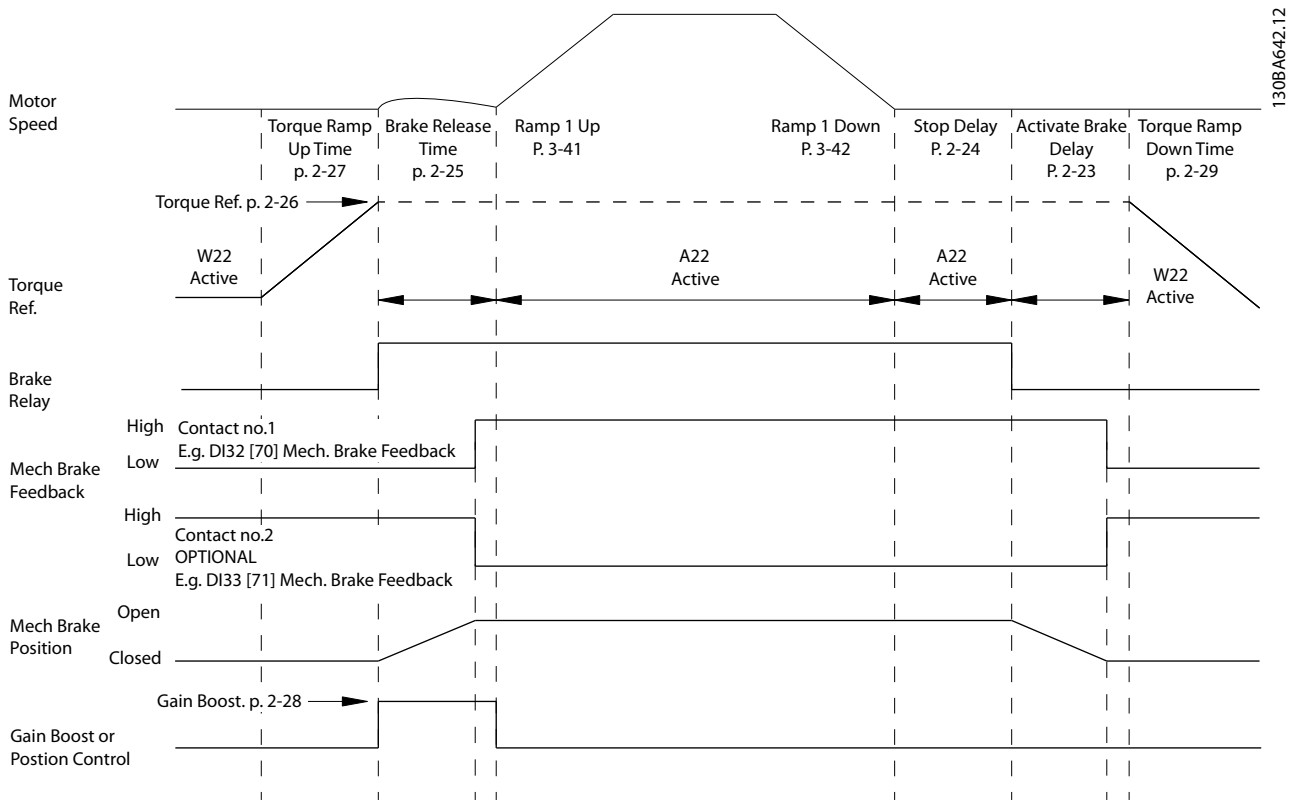

Illustration 5.8 Brake Release Sequence for Hoist Mechanical Brake Control

Parameter 2-26 Torque Ref to *parameter 2-33 Speed PID Start Lowpass Filter Time* are only available for the hoist mechanical brake control (FLUX with motor feedback). *Parameter 2-30 Position P Start Proportional Gain* to *parameter 2-33 Speed PID Start Lowpass Filter Time* can be set up for smooth transition change from speed control to position control during *parameter 2-25 Brake Release Time* - the time when the load is transferred from the mechanical brake to the drive. *Parameter 2-30 Position P Start Proportional Gain* to *parameter 2-33 Speed PID Start Lowpass Filter Time* are activated when *parameter 2-28 Gain Boost Factor* is set to 0. See *Illustration 5.8* for more information.

NOTICE

For an example of advanced mechanical brake control for hoisting applications, see *chapter 12 Application Examples*.

5.5 Load Share Overview

Load share is a feature that allows the connection of DC circuits of several drives, creating a multiple-drive system to run 1 mechanical load. Load share provides the following benefits:

Energy savings
A motor running in regenerative mode can supply drives that are running in motoring mode.

Reduced need for spare parts
Usually, only 1 brake resistor is needed for the entire drive system instead of 1 brake resistor for per drive.

Power back-up
If there is mains failure, all linked drives can be supplied through the DC link from a back-up. The application can continue running or go though a controlled shutdown process.

Preconditions
The following preconditions must be met before load sharing is considered:

- The drive must be equipped with load sharing terminals.

- Product series must be the same. Only VLT® AutomationDrive drives used with other VLT® AutomationDrive drives.

- Drives must be placed physically close to one another to allow the wiring between them to be no longer than 25 m (82 ft).

- Drives must have the same voltage rating.

- When adding a brake resistor in a load sharing configuration, all drives must be equipped with a brake chopper.

- Fuses must be added to load share terminals.

For a diagram of a load share application in which best practices are applied, see *Illustration 5.9*.
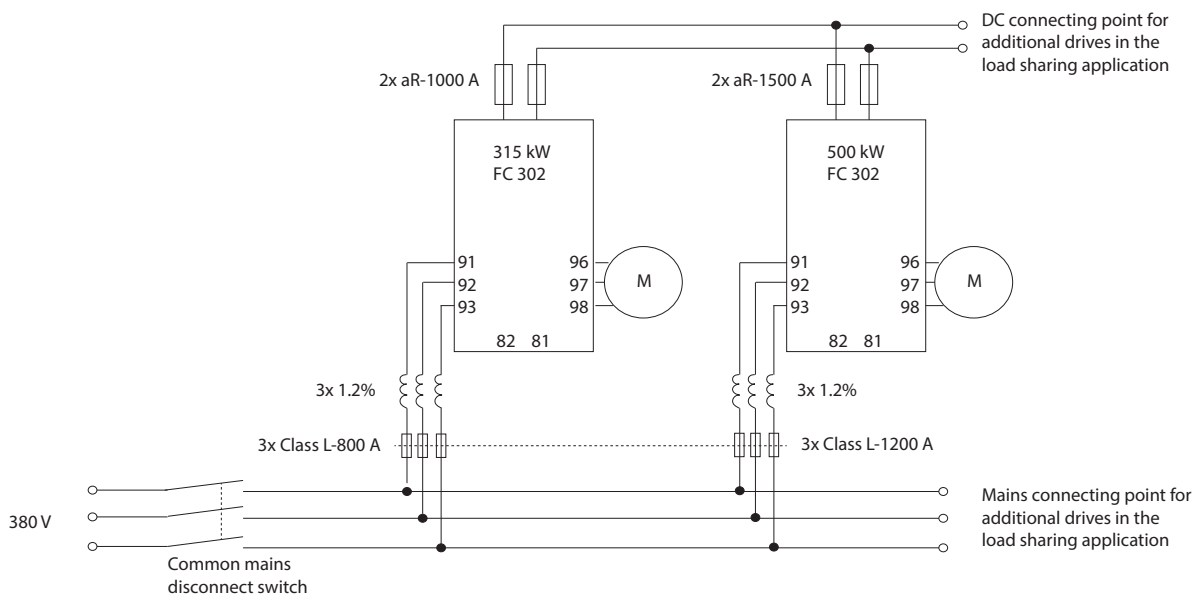
Illustration 5.9 Diagram of a Load Share Application Where Best Practices are Applied

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Load sharing

Units with the built-in load sharing option contain terminals (+) 89 DC and (–) 88 DC. Within the drive, these terminals connect to the DC bus in front of the DC-link reactor and bus capacitors.

The load sharing terminals can connect in 2 different configurations.

- Terminals tie the DC-bus circuits of multiple drives together. This configuration allows a unit that is in a regenerative mode to share its excess bus voltage with another unit that is running a motor. Load sharing in this manner can reduce the need for external dynamic brake resistors, while also saving energy. The number of units that can be connected in this way is infinite, as long as each unit has the same voltage rating. In addition, depending on the size and number of units, it may be necessary to install DC reactors and DC fuses in the DC-link connections, and AC reactors on the mains. Attempting such a configuration requires specific considerations.

- The drive is powered exclusively from a DC source. This configuration requires:

    - A DC source.

    - A means to soft charge the DC bus at power-up.

5.6   Regen Overview

Regen typically occurs in applications with continuous braking such as cranes/hoists, downhill conveyors, and centrifuges where energy is pulled out of a decelerated motor.

The excess energy is removed from the drive using 1 of the following options:

- Brake chopper allows the excess energy to be dissipated in the form of heat within the brake resistor coils.

- Regen terminals allow a 3rd party regen unit to be connected to the drive, allowing the excess energy to be returned to the power grid.

Returning excess energy back to the power grid is the most efficient use of regenerated energy in applications using continuous braking.

5.7 Back-channel Cooling Overview

A unique back-channel duct passes cooling air over the heat sinks with minimal air passing through the electronics area. There is an IP54/Type 12 seal between the back-channel cooling duct and the electronics area of the VLT® drive. This back-channel cooling allows 90% of the heat losses to be exhausted directly outside the enclosure. This design improves reliability and prolongs component life by dramatically reducing interior temperatures and contamination of the electronic components. *Illustration 5.10* shows the standard airflow configuration for an E1h–E4h drive.
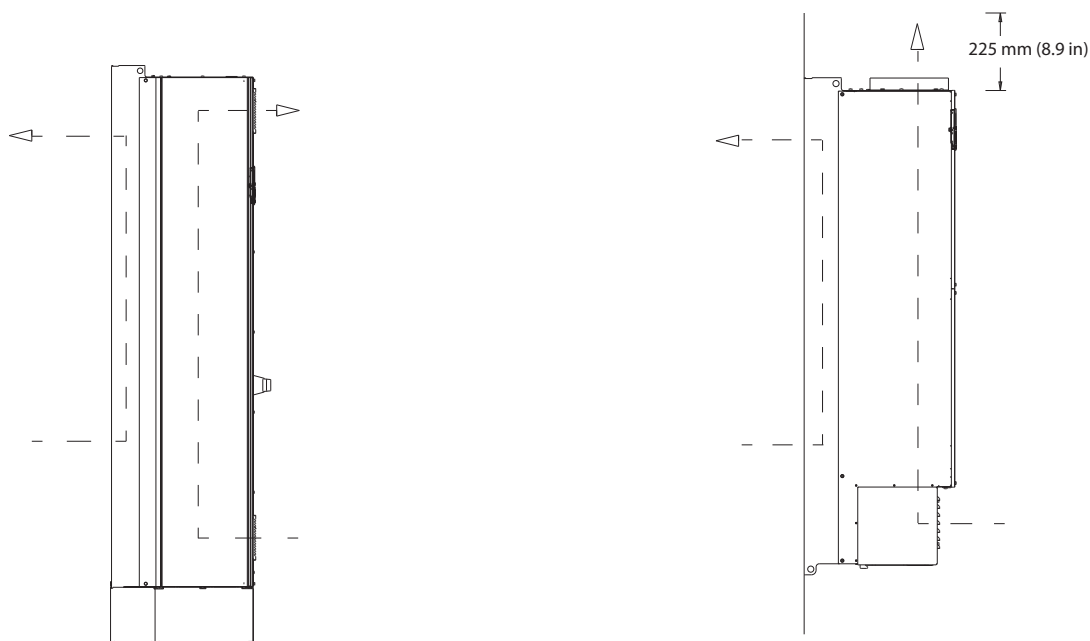
Different back-channel cooling kits are available to redirect the airflow based on individual needs. *Illustration 5.11* shows 2 optional airflow configurations for an E1h–E4h drive.
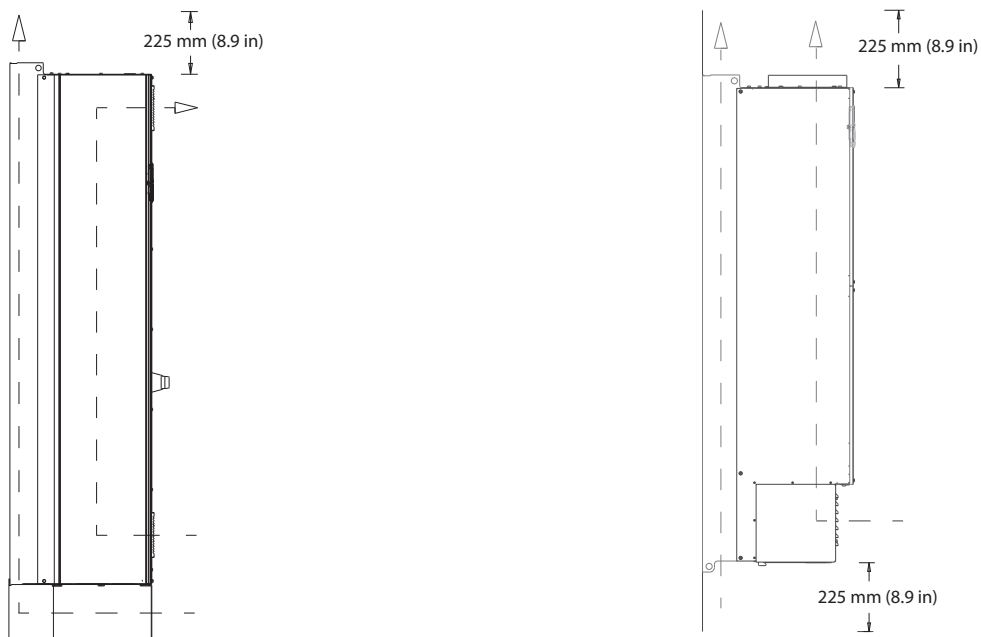
Illustration 5.10 Standard Airflow Configuration for E1h/E2h (Left) and E3h/E4h (Right)

Illustration 5.11 Optional Airflow Configuration Through the Back Wall for E1h/E2h (Left) and E3h/E4h (Right)

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6 Options and Accessories Overview

6.1 Fieldbus Devices

This section describes the fieldbus devices that are available with the VLT® AutomationDrive series. Using a fieldbus device reduces system cost, delivers faster and more efficient communication, and provides an easier user interface. For ordering numbers, refer to *chapter 13.2 Ordering Numbers for Options and Accessories.*

6.1.1 VLT® PROFIBUS DP V1 MCA 101

The MCA 101 provides:

- Wide compatibility, a high level of availability, support for all major PLC vendors, and compatibility with future versions.
- Fast, efficient communication, transparent installation, advanced diagnosis, and parameterization and auto-configuration of process data via GSD file.
- Acyclic parameterization using PROFIBUS DP-V1, PROFdrive, or Danfoss FC profile state machines.

6.1.2 VLT® DeviceNet MCA 104

The MCA 104 provides:

- Support of the ODVA AC drive profile supported via I/O instance 20/70 and 21/71 secures compatibility to existing systems.
- Benefits from ODVA's strong conformance testing policies that ensure products are interoperable.

6.1.3 VLT® CAN Open MCA 105

The MCA 105 option provides:

- Standardized handling.
- Interoperability.
- Low cost.

This option is fully equipped with both high-priority access to control the drive (PDO communication) and to access all parameters through acyclic data (SDO communication).

For interoperability, the option uses the DSP 402 AC drive profile.

6.1.4 VLT® PROFIBUS Converter MCA 113

The MCA 113 option is a special version of the PROFIBUS options that emulates the VLT® 3000 commands in the VLT® VLT® AutomationDrive.

The VLT® 3000 can be replaced by the VLT® AutomationDrive, or an existing system can be expanded without costly change of the PLC program. For upgrade to a different fieldbus, the installed converter can be removed and replaced with a new option. The MCA 113 option secures the investment without losing flexibility.

6.1.5 VLT® PROFIBUS Converter MCA 114

The MCA 114 option is a special version of the PROFIBUS options that emulates the VLT® 5000 commands in the VLT® VLT® AutomationDrive. This option supports DP-V1.

The VLT® 5000 can be replaced by the VLT® AutomationDrive, or an existing system can be expanded without costly change of the PLC program. For upgrade to a different fieldbus, the installed converter can be removed and replaced with a new option. The MCA 114 option secures the investment without losing flexibility.

6.1.6 VLT® PROFINET MCA 120

The MCA 120 option combines the highest performance with the highest degree of openness. The option is designed so that many of the features from the VLT® PROFIBUS MCA 101 can be reused, minimizing user effort to migrate PROFINET and securing the investment in a PLC program.

- Same PPO types as the VLT® PROFIBUS DP V1 MCA 101 for easy migration to PROFINET.
- Built-in web server for remote diagnosis and reading out of basic drive parameters.
- Supports MRP.
- Supports DP-V1. Diagnostic allows easy, fast, and standardized handling of warning and fault information into the PLC, improving bandwidth in the system.
- Supports PROFIsafe when combined with VLT® Safety Option MCB 152.
- Implementation in accordance with Conformance Class B.

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6.1.7 VLT® EtherNet/IP MCA 121

Ethernet is the future standard for communication at the factory floor. The VLT® EtherNet/IP MCA 121 option is based on the newest technology available for industrial use and handles even the most demanding requirements. EtherNet/IP™ extends standard commercial Ethernet to the Common Industrial Protocol (CIP™) – the same upper-layer protocol and object model found in DeviceNet.

MCA 121 offers advanced features such as:

- Built-in, high-performance switch enabling line-topology, which eliminates the need for external switches.

- DLR Ring (from October 2015).

- Advanced switch and diagnosis functions.

- Built-in web server.

- E-mail client for service notification.

- Unicast and Multicast communication.

6.1.8 VLT® Modbus TCP MCA 122

The MCA 122 option connects to Modbus TCP-based networks. It handles connection intervals down to 5 ms in both directions, positioning it among the fastest performing Modbus TCP devices in the market. For master redundancy, it features hot swapping between 2 masters. Other features include:

- Built-in web-server for remote diagnosis and reading out basic drive parameters.

- Email notification that can be configured to send an email message to 1 or more recipients when certain alarms or warnings occur, or when they are cleared.

- Dual master PLC connection for redundancy.

6.1.9 VLT® POWERLINK MCA 123

The MCA 123 option represents the 2nd generation of fieldbus. The high bit rate of industrial Ethernet can now be used to make the full power of IT technologies used in the automation world available for the factory world.

This fieldbus option provides high performance, real-time, and time synchronization features. Due to its CANopen-based communication models, network management, and device description model, it offers a fast communication network and the following features:

- Dynamic motion control applications.

- Material handling.

- Synchronization and positioning applications.

6.1.10 VLT® EtherCAT MCA 124

The MCA 124 option offers connectivity to EtherCAT® based networks via the EtherCAT Protocol.

The option handles the EtherCAT line communication in full speed, and connection towards the drive with an interval down to 4 ms in both directions, allowing the MCA 124 to participate in networks ranging from low performance up to servo applications.

- EoE Ethernet over EtherCAT support.

- HTTP (hypertext transfer protocol) for diagnosis via built-in web server.

- CoE (CAN over Ethernet) for access to drive parameters.

- SMTP (simple mail transfer protocol) for e-mail notification.

- TCP/IP for easy access to drive configuration data from MCT 10.

6.2 Functional Extensions

This section describes the functional extension options that are available with the VLT® AutomationDrive series. For ordering numbers, refer to *chapter 13.2 Ordering Numbers for Options and Accessories*.

6.2.1 VLT® General Purpose I/O Module MCB 101

The MCB 101 option offers an extended number of control inputs and outputs:

- 3 digital inputs 0–24 V: Logic 0 < 5 V; Logic 1 > 10 V.

- 2 analog inputs 0–10 V: Resolution 10 bits plus sign.

- 2 digital outputs NPN/PNP push-pull.

- 1 analog output 0/4–20 mA.

- Spring-loaded connection.

6.2.2 VLT® Encoder Input MCB 102

The MCB 102 option offers the possibility to connect various types of incremental and absolute encoders. The connected encoder can be used for closed-loop speed control and closed-loop flux motor control. The following encoder types are supported:

- 5 V TTL (RS 422)
- 1VPP SinCos
- SSI
- HIPERFACE
- EnDat

6.2.3 VLT® Resolver Option MCB 103

The MCB 103 option enables connection of a resolver to provide speed feedback from the motor.

- Primary voltage: 2–8 V_{rms}
- Primary frequency: 2.0–15 kHz
- Primary maximum current: 50 mA rms
- Secondary input voltage: 4 V_{rms}
- Spring-loaded connection

6.2.4 VLT® Relay Card MCB 105

The MCB 105 option extends relay functions with 3 more relay outputs.

- Protects control cable connection.
- Spring-loaded control wire connection.

Maximum switch rate (rated load/minimum load)
6 minutes^{-1}/20 s^{-1}

Maximum terminal load
AC-1 resistive load: 240 V AC, 2 A

6.2.5 VLT® Safe PLC Interface Option MCB 108

The MCB 108 option provides a safety input based on a single-pole 24 V DC input. For most applications, this input provides a way to implement safety in a cost-effective way.

For applications that work with more advanced products like Safety PLC and light curtains, the fail-safe PLC interface enables the connection of a 2-wire safety link. The PLC Interface allows the fail-safe PLC to interrupt on the plus or the minus link without interfering with the sense signal of the fail-safe PLC.

6.2.6 VLT® PTC Thermistor Card MCB 112

The MCB 112 option provides extra motor monitoring compared to the built-in ETR function and thermistor terminal.

- Protects the motor from overheating.
- ATEX-approved for use with Ex-d and Ex-e motors (EX-e only FC 302).
- Uses Safe Torque Off function, which is approved in accordance with SIL 2 IEC 61508.

6.2.7 VLT® Sensor Input Option MCB 114

The MCB 114 option protects the motor from being overheated by monitoring the temperature of motor bearings and windings.

- 3 self-detecting sensor inputs for 2 or 3-wire PT100/PT1000 sensors.
- 1 extra analog input 4–20 mA.

6.2.8 VLT® Safety Option MCB 150 and MCB 151

MCB 150 and MCB 151 options expand the safe torque off functions, which are integrated in a standard VLT® AutomationDrive. Use the Safe Stop 1 (SS1) function to perform a controlled stop before removing torque. Use the Safety-Limited Speed (SLS) function to monitor whether a specified speed is exceeded.

These options can be used up to PL d according to ISO 13849-1 and SIL 2 according to IEC 61508.

- Extra standards-compliant safety functions.
- Replacement of external safety equipment.
- Reduced space requirements.
- 2 safe programmable inputs.
- 1 safe output (for T37).
- Easier machine certification.
- Drive can be powered continuously.
- Safe LCP copy.
- Dynamic commissioning report.
- TTL (MCB 150) or HTL (MCB 151) encoder as speed feedback.

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6.2.9 VLT® Safety Option MCB 152

The MCB 152 option activates safe torque off via the PROFIsafe fieldbus with VLT® PROFINET MCA 120 fieldbus option. It improves flexibility by connecting safety devices within a plant.

The safety functions of the MCB 152 are implemented according to EN IEC 61800-5-2. The MCB 152 supports PROFIsafe functionality to activate integrated safety functions of the VLT® AutomationDrive from any PROFIsafe host, up to Safety Integrity Level SIL 2 according to EN IEC 61508 and EN IEC 62061, and Performance Level PL d, Category 3 according to EN ISO 13849-1.

- PROFIsafe device (with MCA 120).
- Replacement of external safety equipment.
- 2 safe programmable inputs.
- Safe LCP copy.
- Dynamic commissioning report.

6.3 Motion Control and Relay Cards

This section describes the motion control and relay card options that are available with the VLT® AutomationDrive series. For ordering numbers, refer to *chapter 13.2 Ordering Numbers for Options and Accessories*.

6.3.1 VLT® Motion Control Option MCO 305

The MCO 305 option is an integrated programmable motion controller that adds extra functionality for VLT® VLT® AutomationDrive.

The MCO 305 option offers easy-to-use motion functions combined with programmability – an ideal solution for positioning and synchronizing applications.

- Synchronization (electronic shaft), positioning, and electronic cam control.
- 2 separate interfaces supporting both incremental and absolute encoders.
- 1 encoder output (virtual master function).
- 10 digital inputs.
- 8 digital outputs.
- Supports CANopen motion bus, encoders, and I/O modules.
- Sends and receives data via fieldbus interface (requires fieldbus option).
- PC software tools for debugging and commissioning: program and cam editor.

- Structured programming language with both cyclic and event-driven execution.

6.3.2 VLT® Synchronizing Controller MCO 350

The MCO 350 option for VLT® AutomationDrive expands the functional properties of the AC drive in synchronizing applications, and replaces traditional mechanical solutions.

- Speed synchronizing.
- Position (angle) synchronizing with or without marker correction.
- On-line adjustable gear ratio.
- On-line adjustable position (angle) offset.
- Encoder output with virtual master function for synchronization of multiple followers.
- Control via I/Os or fieldbus.
- Home function.
- Configuration and readout of status and data via the LCP.

6.3.3 VLT® Positioning Controller MCO 351

The MCO 351 option offers a host of user-friendly benefits for positioning applications in many industries.

- Relative positioning.
- Absolute positioning.
- Touch-probe positioning.
- End-limit handling (software and hardware).
- Control via I/Os or fieldbus.
- Mechanical brake handling (programmable hold delay).
- Error handling.
- Jog speed/manual operation.
- Marker-related positioning.
- Home function.
- Configuration and readout of status and data via the LCP.

6.3.4 VLT® Extended Relay Card MCB 113

The MCB 113 option adds inputs/outputs for increased flexibility.

- 7 digital inputs.

- 2 analog outputs.

- 4 SPDT relays.

- Meets NAMUR recommendations.

- Galvanic isolation capability.

6.4 Brake Resistors

In applications where the motor is used as a brake, energy is generated in the motor and sent back into the drive. If the energy cannot be transported back to the motor, it increases the voltage in the drive DC line. In applications with frequent braking and/or high inertia loads, this increase can lead to an overvoltage trip in the drive and, finally, a shutdown. Brake resistors are used to dissipate the excess energy resulting from the regenerative braking. The resistor is selected based on its ohmic value, its power dissipation rate, and its physical size. Danfoss offers a wide variety of different resistors that are specially designed to Danfoss drives. For ordering numbers and more information on how to dimension brake resistors, refer to the *VLT® Brake Resistor MCE 101 Design Guide*.

6.5 Sine-wave Filters

When a drive controls a motor, resonance noise is heard from the motor. This noise, which is the result of the motor design, occurs every time an inverter switch in the drive is activated. The frequency of the resonance noise thus corresponds to the switching frequency of the drive.

Danfoss supplies a sine-wave filter to dampen the acoustic motor noise. The filter reduces the ramp-up time of the voltage, the peak load voltage (U_{PEAK}), and the ripple current (ΔI) to the motor, which means that current and voltage become almost sinusoidal. The acoustic motor noise is reduced to a minimum.

The ripple current in the sine-wave filter coils also causes some noise. Solve the problem by integrating the filter in a cabinet or enclosure.

For ordering numbers and more information on sine-wave filters, refer to the *Output Filters Design Guide*.

6.6 dU/dt Filters

Danfoss supplies dU/dt filters which are differential mode, low-pass filters that reduce motor terminal phase-to-phase peak voltages and reduce the rise time to a level that lowers the stress on the insulation at the motor windings.

This is a typical issue with set-ups using short motor cables.

Compared to sine-wave filters, the dU/dt filters have a cut-off frequency above the switching frequency.

For ordering numbers and more information on dU/dt filters, refer to the *Output Filters Design Guide*.

6.7 Common-mode Filters

High-frequency common-mode cores (HF-CM cores) reduce electromagnetic interference and eliminate bearing damage by electrical discharge. They are special nanocrystalline magnetic cores that have superior filtering performance compared to regular ferrite cores. The HF-CM core acts like a common-mode inductor between phases and ground.

Installed around the 3 motor phases (U, V, W), the common mode filters reduce high-frequency common-mode currents. As a result, high-frequency electromagnetic interference from the motor cable is reduced.

For ordering numbers refer to the *Output Filters Design Guide*.

6.8 Harmonic Filters

The *VLT® Advanced Harmonic Filters AHF 005 & AHF 010* should not be compared with traditional harmonic trap filters. The Danfoss harmonic filters have been specially designed to match the Danfoss drives.

By connecting the AHF 005 or AHF 010 in front of a Danfoss drive, the total harmonic current distortion generated back to the mains is reduced to 5% and 10%.

For ordering numbers and more information on how to dimension brake resistors, refer to the *VLT® Advanced Harmonic Filters AHF 005/AHF 010 Design Guide*.

6.9 High-power Kits

High-power kits, such as back-wall cooling, space heater, mains shield, are available for these enclosures. See *chapter 13.2 Ordering Numbers for Options and Accessories* for a brief description and ordering numbers for all available kits.

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7 Specifications

7.1 Electrical Data, 380–500 V

VLT® AutomationDrive FC 302	N315		N355		N400	
High/normal overload (High overload=150% current during 60 s, normal overload=110% current during 60 s)	**HO**	**NO**	**HO**	**NO**	**HO**	**NO**
Typical shaft output at 400 V [kW]	315	355	355	400	400	450
Typical shaft output at 460 V [hp]	450	500	500	600	550	600
Typical shaft output at 500 V [kW]	355	400	400	500	500	530
Enclosure size	E1h/E3h		E1h/E3h		E1h/E3h	
Output current (3-phase)						
Continuous (at 400 V) [A]	600	658	658	745	695	800
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 400 V) [A]	900	724	987	820	1043	880
Continuous (at 460/500 V) [A]	540	590	590	678	678	730
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 460/500 V) [A]	810	649	885	746	1017	803
Continuous kVA (at 400 V) [kVA]	416	456	456	516	482	554
Continuous kVA (at 460 V) [kVA]	430	470	470	540	540	582
Continuous kVA (at 500 V) [kVA]	468	511	511	587	587	632
Maximum input current						
Continuous (at 400 V) [A]	578	634	634	718	670	771
Continuous (at 460/500 V) [A]	520	569	569	653	653	704
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E1h)						
Mains and motor without brake [mm² (AWG)][1]	5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)	
Mains and motor with brake [mm² (AWG)][1]	4x240 (4x500 mcm)		4x240 (4x500 mcm)		4x240 (4x500 mcm)	
Brake or regen [mm² (AWG)][1]	2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E3h)						
Mains and motor [mm² (AWG)][1]	6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)	
Brake [mm² (AWG)][1]	2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Load share or regen [mm² (AWG)][1]	4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)	
Maximum external mains fuses [A][2]	800		800		800	
Estimated power loss at 400 V [W][3], [4]	6178	6928	6851	8036	7297	8783
Estimated power loss at 460 V [W][3], [4]	5322	5910	5846	6933	7240	7969
Efficiency[4]	0.98		0.98		0.98	
Output frequency [Hz]	0–590		0–590		0–590	
Heat sink overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	110 (230)		110 (230)		110 (230)	
Control card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	80 (176)		80 (176)		80 (176)	
Power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Fan power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Active in-rush card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	

Table 7.1 Electrical Data for Enclosures E1h/E3h, Mains Supply 3x380–500 V AC

VLT® AutomationDrive FC 302		N450		N500	
High/normal overload (High overload=150% current during 60 s, normal overload=110% current during 60 s)		**HO**	**NO**	**HO**	**NO**
Typical shaft output at 400 V [kW]		450	500	500	560
Typical shaft output at 460 V [hp]		600	650	650	750
Typical shaft output at 500 V [kW]		530	560	560	630
Enclosure size		**E2h/E4h**		**E2h/E4h**	
Output current (3-phase)					
Continuous (at 400 V) [A]		800	880	880	990
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 400 V) [A]		1200	968	1320	1089
Continuous (at 460/500 V) [A]		730	780	780	890
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 460/500 V) [A]		1095	858	1170	979
Continuous kVA (at 400 V) [kVA]		554	610	610	686
Continuous kVA (at 460 V) [kVA]		582	621	621	709
Continuous kVA (at 500 V) [kVA]		632	675	675	771
Maximum input current					
Continuous (at 400 V) [A]		771	848	848	954
Continuous (at 460/500 V) [A]		704	752	752	858
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E2h)					
Mains and motor without brake [mm² (AWG)][1]		6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)	
Mains and motor with brake [mm² (AWG)][1]		5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)	
Brake or regen [mm² (AWG)][1]		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E4h)					
Mains and motor [mm² (AWG)][1]		6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)	
Brake [mm² (AWG)][1]		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Load share or regen [mm² (AWG)][1]		4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)	
Maximum external mains fuses [A][2]		1200		1200	
Estimated power loss at 400 V [W][3], [4]		8352	9473	9449	11102
Estimated power loss at 460 V [W][3], [4]		7182	7809	7771	9236
Efficiency[4]		0.98		0.98	
Output frequency [Hz]		0–590		0–590	
Heat sink overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]		110 (230)		100 (212)	
Control card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]		80 (176)		80 (176)	
Power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Fan power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Active in-rush card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]		85 (185)		85 (185)	

Table 7.2 Electrical Data for Enclosures E2h/E4h, Mains Supply 3x380–500 V AC

1) American Wire Gauge.

2) For fuse ratings, see chapter 10.5 Fuses and Circuit Breakers.

3) Typical power loss is at normal conditions and expected to be within ±15% (tolerance relates to variety in voltage and cable conditions.) These values are based on a typical motor efficiency (IE/IE3 border line). Lower efficiency motors add to the power loss in the drive. Applies for dimensioning of drive cooling. If the switching frequency is higher than the default setting, the power losses can increase. LCP and typical control card power consumptions are included. For power loss data according to EN 50598-2, refer to www.danfoss.com/vltenergyefficiency. Options and customer load can add up to 30 W to the losses, though usually a fully loaded control card and options for slots A and B each add only 4 W.

4) Measured using 5 m (16.4 ft) shielded motor cables at rated load and rated frequency. Efficiency measured at nominal current. For energy efficiency class, see chapter 7.5 Ambient Conditions. For part load losses, see www.danfoss.com/vltenergyefficiency.

7.2 Electrical Data, 525–690 V

VLT® AutomationDrive FC 302	N355		N400		N500	
High/normal overload (High overload=150% current during 60 s, normal overload=110% current during 60 s)	**HO**	**NO**	**HO**	**NO**	**HO**	**NO**
Typical shaft output at 550 V [kW]	315	355	355	400	400	450
Typical shaft output at 575 V [hp]	400	450	400	500	500	600
Typical shaft output at 690 V [kW]	355	450	400	500	500	560
Enclosure size	**E1h/E3h**		**E1h/E3h**		**E1h/E3h**	
Output current (3-phase)						
Continuous (at 550 V) [A]	395	470	429	523	523	596
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 550 V) [A]	593	517	644	575	785	656
Continuous (at 575/690 V) [A]	380	450	410	500	500	570
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 575/690 V) [A]	570	495	615	550	750	627
Continuous kVA (at 550 V) [kVA]	376	448	409	498	498	568
Continuous kVA (at 575 V) [kVA]	378	448	408	498	498	568
Continuous kVA (at 690 V) [kVA]	454	538	490	598	598	681
Maximum input current						
Continuous (at 550 V) [A]	381	453	413	504	504	574
Continuous (at 575 V) [A]	366	434	395	482	482	549
Continuous (at 690 V) [A]	366	434	395	482	482	549
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E1h)						
Mains and motor without brake [mm2 (AWG)][1]	5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)	
Mains and motor with brake [mm2 (AWG)][1]	4x240 (4x500 mcm)		4x240 (4x500 mcm)		4x240 (4x500 mcm)	
Brake or regen [mm2 (AWG)][1]	2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E3h)						
Mains and motor [mm2 (AWG)][1]	6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)	
Brake [mm2 (AWG)][1]	2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Load share or regen [mm2 (AWG)][1]	4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)	
Maximum external mains fuses [A][2]	800		800		800	
Estimated power loss at 600 V [W][3][4]	4989	6062	5419	6879	6833	8076
Estimated power loss at 690 V [W][3][4]	4920	5939	5332	6715	6678	7852
Efficiency[4]	0.98		0.98		0.98	
Output frequency [Hz]	0–590		0–590		0–590	
Heat sink overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	110 (230)		110 (230)		110 (230)	
Control card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	80 (176)		80 (176)		80 (176)	
Power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Fan power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Active in-rush card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	

Table 7.3 Electrical Data for Enclosures E1h/E3h, Mains Supply 3x525–690 V AC

VLT® AutomationDrive FC 302	N560		N630		N710	
High/normal overload (High overload=150% current during 60 s, normal overload=110% current during 60 s)	HO	NO	HO	NO	HO	NO
Typical shaft output at 550 V [kW]	450	500	500	560	560	670
Typical shaft output at 575 V [hp]	600	650	650	750	750	950
Typical shaft output at 690 V [kW]	560	630	630	710	710	800
Enclosure size	E1h/E3h		E2h/E4h		E2h/E4h	
Output current (3-phase)						
Continuous (at 550 V) [A]	596	630	659	763	763	889
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 550 V) [A]	894	693	989	839	1145	978
Continuous (at 575/690 V) [A]	570	630	630	730	730	850
Intermittent (60 s overload) (at 575/690 V) [A]	855	693	945	803	1095	935
Continuous kVA (at 550 V) [kVA]	568	600	628	727	727	847
Continuous kVA (at 575 V) [kVA]	568	627	627	727	727	847
Continuous kVA (at 690 V) [kVA]	681	753	753	872	872	1016
Maximum input current						
Continuous (at 550 V) [A]	574	607	635	735	735	857
Continuous (at 575 V) [A]	549	607	607	704	704	819
Continuous (at 690 V) [A]	549	607	607	704	704	819
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E2h)						
Mains and motor without brake [mm² (AWG)][1]	6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)	
Mains and motor with brake [mm² (AWG)][1]	5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)		5x240 (5x500 mcm)	
Brake or regen [mm² (AWG)][1]	2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Maximum number and size of cables per phase (E4h)						
Mains and motor [mm² (AWG)][1]	6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)		6x240 (6x500 mcm)	
Brake [mm² (AWG)][1]	2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)		2x185 (2x350 mcm)	
Load share or regen [mm² (AWG)][1]	4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)		4x185 (4x350 mcm)	
Maximum external mains fuses [A][2]	800		1200		1200	
Estimated power loss at 600 V [W][3)4)]	8069	9208	8543	10346	10319	12723
Estimated power loss at 690 V [W][3)4)]	7848	8921	8363	10066	10060	12321
Efficiency[4]	0.98		0.98		0.98	
Output frequency [Hz]	0–590		0–590		0–590	
Heat sink overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	110 (230)		110 (230)		110 (230)	
Control card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	80 (176)		80 (176)		80 (176)	
Power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Fan power card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	
Active in-rush card overtemperature trip [°C (°F)]	85 (185)		85 (185)		85 (185)	

Table 7.4 Electrical Data for Enclosures E1h–E4h, Mains Supply 3x525–690 V AC

1) American Wire Gauge.

2) For fuse ratings, see chapter 10.5 Fuses and Circuit Breakers.

3) Typical power loss is at normal conditions and expected to be within ±15% (tolerance relates to variety in voltage and cable conditions.) These values are based on a typical motor efficiency (IE/IE3 border line). Lower efficiency motors add to the power loss in the drive. Applies for dimensioning of drive cooling. If the switching frequency is higher than the default setting, the power losses can increase. LCP and typical control card power consumptions are included. For power loss data according to EN 50598-2, refer to www.danfoss.com/vltenergyefficiency. Options and customer load can add up to 30 W to the losses, though usually a fully loaded control card and options for slots A and B each add only 4 W.

4) Measured using 5 m (16.4 ft) shielded motor cables at rated load and rated frequency. Efficiency measured at nominal current. For energy efficiency class, see chapter 7.5 Ambient Conditions. For part load losses, see www.danfoss.com/vltenergyefficiency.

7.3   Mains Supply

Mains supply (L1, L2, L3)

Supply voltage	380–500 V ±10%, 525–690 V ±10%

Mains voltage low/mains voltage drop-out:
During low mains voltage or a mains drop-out, the drive continues until the DC-link voltage drops below the minimum stop
level, which corresponds typically to 15% below the lowest rated supply voltage of the drive. Power-up and full torque cannot be
expected at mains voltage lower than 10% below the lowest rated supply voltage of the drive.

Supply frequency	50/60 Hz ±5%
Maximum imbalance temporary between mains phases	3.0% of rated supply voltage[1]
True power factor (λ)	≥0.9 nominal at rated load
Displacement power factor (cos Φ) near unity	(>0.98)
Switching on input supply L1, L2, L3 (power ups)	Maximum 1 time/2 minute
Environment according to EN60664-1	Overvoltage category III/pollution degree 2

The drive is suitable for use on a circuit capable of delivering up to 100 kA short circuit current rating (SCCR) at 480/600 V.
1) Calculations based on UL/IEC61800-3.

7.4   Motor Output and Motor Data

Motor output (U, V, W)

Output voltage	0–100% of supply voltage
Output frequency	0–590 Hz[1]
Switching on output	Unlimited
Ramp times	0.01–3600 s

1) Dependent on voltage and power.

Torque characteristics

Starting torque (constant torque)	Maximum 150% for 60 s[1][2]
Overload torque (constant torque)	Maximum 150% for 60 s[1][2]

1) Percentage relates to the nominal current of the drive.
2) Once every 10 minutes.

7.5   Ambient Conditions

Environment

E1h/E2h enclosure	IP21/Type 1, IP54/Type 12
E3h/E4h enclosure	IP20/Chassis
Vibration test (standard/ruggedized)	0.7 g/1.0 g
Relative humidity	5%–95% (IEC 721-3-3; Class 3K3 (non-condensing) during operation)
Aggressive environment (IEC 60068-2-43) H2S test	Class Kd
Aggressive gases (IEC 60721-3-3)	Class 3C3
Test method according to IEC 60068-2-43	H2S (10 days)
Ambient temperature (at SFAVM switching mode)	
- with derating	Maximum 55 °C (131 °F)[1]
- with full output power of typical EFF2 motors (up to 90% output current)	Maximum 50 °C (122 °F)[1]
- at full continuous FC output current	Maximum 45 °C (113 °F)[1]
Minimum ambient temperature during full-scale operation	0 °C (32 °F)
Minimum ambient temperature at reduced performance	10 °C (50 °F)
Temperature during storage/transport	-25 to +65/70 °C (13 to 149/158 °F)
Maximum altitude above sea level without derating	1000 m (3281 ft)
Maximum altitude above sea level with derating	3000 m (9842 ft)

1) For more information on derating, see chapter 9.6 Derating.

EMC standards, Emission	EN 61800-3

EMC standards, Immunity	EN 61800-3
Energy efficiency class[1]	IE2

1) Determined according to EN 50598-2 at:

- *Rated load.*

- *90% rated frequency.*

- *Switching frequency factory setting.*

- *Switching pattern factory setting.*

7.6   Cable Specifications

Cable lengths and cross-sections for control cables[1]

Maximum motor cable length, shielded/armored	150 m (492 ft)
Maximum motor cable length, unshielded/unarmored	300 m (984 ft)
Maximum cross-section to motor, mains, load sharing, and brake	See *chapter 7 Specifications*
Maximum cross-section to control terminals, rigid wire	1.5 mm^2/16 AWG (2x0.75 mm^2)
Maximum cross-section to control terminals, flexible cable	1 mm^2/18 AWG
Maximum cross-section to control terminals, cable with enclosed core	0.5 mm^2/20 AWG
Minimum cross-section to control terminals	0.25 mm^2/23 AWG

1) For power cables, see electrical data in chapter 7 Specifications.

7.7   Control Input/Output and Control Data

Digital inputs

Programmable digital inputs	4 (6)
Terminal number	18, 19, 27[1], 29[1], 32, 33
Logic	PNP or NPN
Voltage level	0–24 V DC
Voltage level, logic 0 PNP	<5 V DC
Voltage level, logic 1 PNP	>10 V DC
Voltage level, logic 0 NPN	>19 V DC
Voltage level, logic 1 NPN	<14 V DC
Maximum voltage on input	28 V DC
Input resistance, R_i	Approximately 4 kΩ

All digital inputs are galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV) and other high-voltage terminals.
1) Terminals 27 and 29 can also be programmed as outputs.

Analog inputs

Number of analog inputs	2
Terminal number	53, 54
Modes	Voltage or current
Mode select	Switches A53 and A54
Voltage mode	Switch A53/A54=(U)
Voltage level	-10 V to +10 V (scaleable)
Input resistance, R_i	Approximately 10 kΩ
Maximum voltage	±20 V
Current mode	Switch A53/A54=(I)
Current level	0/4 to 20 mA (scaleable)
Input resistance, R_i	Approximately 200 Ω
Maximum current	30 mA
Resolution for analog inputs	10 bit (+ sign)
Accuracy of analog inputs	Maximum error 0.5% of full scale
Bandwidth	100 Hz

The analog inputs are galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV) and other high-voltage terminals.

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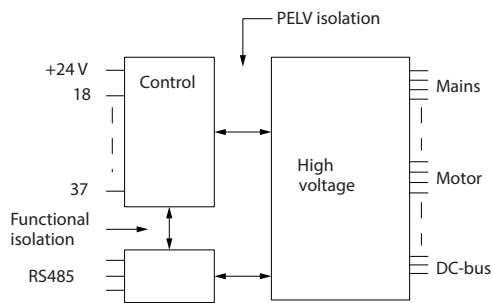
Illustration 7.1 PELV Isolation

Pulse inputs

Programmable pulse inputs	2
Terminal number pulse	29, 33
Maximum frequency at terminal 29, 33 (push-pull driven)	110 kHz
Maximum frequency at terminal 29, 33 (open collector)	5 kHz
Minimum frequency at terminal 29, 33	4 Hz
Voltage level	See *Digital Inputs* in *chapter 7.7 Control Input/Output and Control Data*
Maximum voltage on input	28 V DC
Input resistance, R_i	Approximately 4 kΩ
Pulse input accuracy (0.1–1 kHz)	Maximum error: 0.1% of full scale

Analog output

Number of programmable analog outputs	1
Terminal number	42
Current range at analog output	0/4–20 mA
Maximum resistor load to common at analog output	500 Ω
Accuracy on analog output	Maximum error: 0.8% of full scale
Resolution on analog output	8 bit

The analog output is galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV) and other high-voltage terminals.

Control card, RS485 serial communication

Terminal number	68 (P, TX+, RX+), 69 (N, TX-, RX-)
Terminal number 61	Common for terminals 68 and 69

The RS485 serial communication circuit is functionally separated from other central circuits and galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV).

Digital output

Programmable digital/pulse outputs	2
Terminal number	27, 29[1]
Voltage level at digital/frequency output	0–24 V
Maximum output current (sink or source)	40 mA
Maximum load at frequency output	1 kΩ
Maximum capacitive load at frequency output	10 nF
Minimum output frequency at frequency output	0 Hz
Maximum output frequency at frequency output	32 kHz
Accuracy of frequency output	Maximum error: 0.1% of full scale
Resolution of frequency outputs	12 bit

1) Terminals 27 and 29 can also be programmed as inputs.

The digital output is galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV) and other high-voltage terminals.

Control card, 24 V DC output

Terminal number	12, 13
Maximum load	200 mA

The 24 V DC supply is galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV), but has the same potential as the analog and digital inputs and outputs.

Relay outputs

Programmable relay outputs	2
Maximum cross-section to relay terminals	2.5 mm^2 (12 AWG)
Minimum cross-section to relay terminals	0.2 mm^2 (30 AWG)
Length of stripped wire	8 mm (0.3 in)
Relay 01 terminal number	1–3 (break), 1–2 (make)
Maximum terminal load (AC-1)[1] on 1–2 (NO) (Resistive load)[2][3]	400 V AC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (AC-15)[1] on 1–2 (NO) (Inductive load @ cosφ 0.4)	240 V AC, 0.2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-1)[1] on 1–2 (NO) (Resistive load)	80 V DC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-13)[1] on 1–2 (NO) (Inductive load)	24 V DC, 0.1 A
Maximum terminal load (AC-1)[1] on 1–3 (NC) (Resistive load)	240 V AC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (AC-15)[1] on 1–3 (NC) (Inductive load @ cosφ 0.4)	240 V AC, 0.2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-1)[1] on 1–3 (NC) (Resistive load)	50 V DC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-13)[1] on 1–3 (NC) (Inductive load)	24 V DC, 0.1 A
Minimum terminal load on 1–3 (NC), 1–2 (NO)	24 V DC 10 mA, 24 V AC 2 mA
Environment according to EN 60664-1	Overvoltage category III/pollution degree 2
Relay 02 terminal number	4–6 (break), 4–5 (make)
Maximum terminal load (AC-1)[1] on 4–5 (NO) (Resistive load)[2][3]	400 V AC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (AC-15)[1] on 4–5 (NO) (Inductive load @ cosφ 0.4)	240 V AC, 0.2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-1)[1] on 4–5 (NO) (Resistive load)	80 V DC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-13)[1] on 4–5 (NO) (Inductive load)	24 V DC, 0.1 A
Maximum terminal load (AC-1)[1] on 4–6 (NC) (Resistive load)	240 V AC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (AC-15)[1] on 4–6 (NC) (Inductive load @ cosφ 0.4)	240 V AC, 0.2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-1)[1] on 4–6 (NC) (Resistive load)	50 V DC, 2 A
Maximum terminal load (DC-13)[1] on 4–6 (NC) (Inductive load)	24 V DC, 0.1 A
Minimum terminal load on 4–6 (NC), 4–5 (NO)	24 V DC 10 mA, 24 V AC 2 mA
Environment according to EN 60664-1	Overvoltage category III/pollution degree 2

The relay contacts are galvanically isolated from the rest of the circuit by reinforced isolation (PELV).

1) IEC 60947 part 4 and 5.

2) Overvoltage Category II.

3) UL applications 300 V AC 2 A.

Control card, +10 V DC output

Terminal number	50
Output voltage	10.5 V ±0.5 V
Maximum load	25 mA

The 10 V DC supply is galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV) and other high-voltage terminals.

Control characteristics

Resolution of output frequency at 0–1000 Hz	±0.003 Hz
System response time (terminals 18, 19, 27, 29, 32, 33)	≤2 ms
Speed control range (open loop)	1:100 of synchronous speed
Speed accuracy (open loop)	30–4000 RPM: Maximum error of ±8 RPM

All control characteristics are based on a 4-pole asynchronous motor.

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Control card performance

Scan interval	5 ms

Control card, USB serial communication

USB standard	1.1 (full speed)
USB plug	USB type B device plug

NOTICE

Connection to PC is carried out via a standard host/device USB cable.

The USB connection is galvanically isolated from the supply voltage (PELV) and other high-voltage terminals.

The USB connection is not galvanically isolated from ground. Use only isolated laptop/PC as connection to the USB connector on the drive or an isolated USB cable/converter.

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8 Exterior and Terminal Dimensions

8.1 E1h Exterior and Terminal Dimensions

8.1.1 E1h Exterior Dimensions
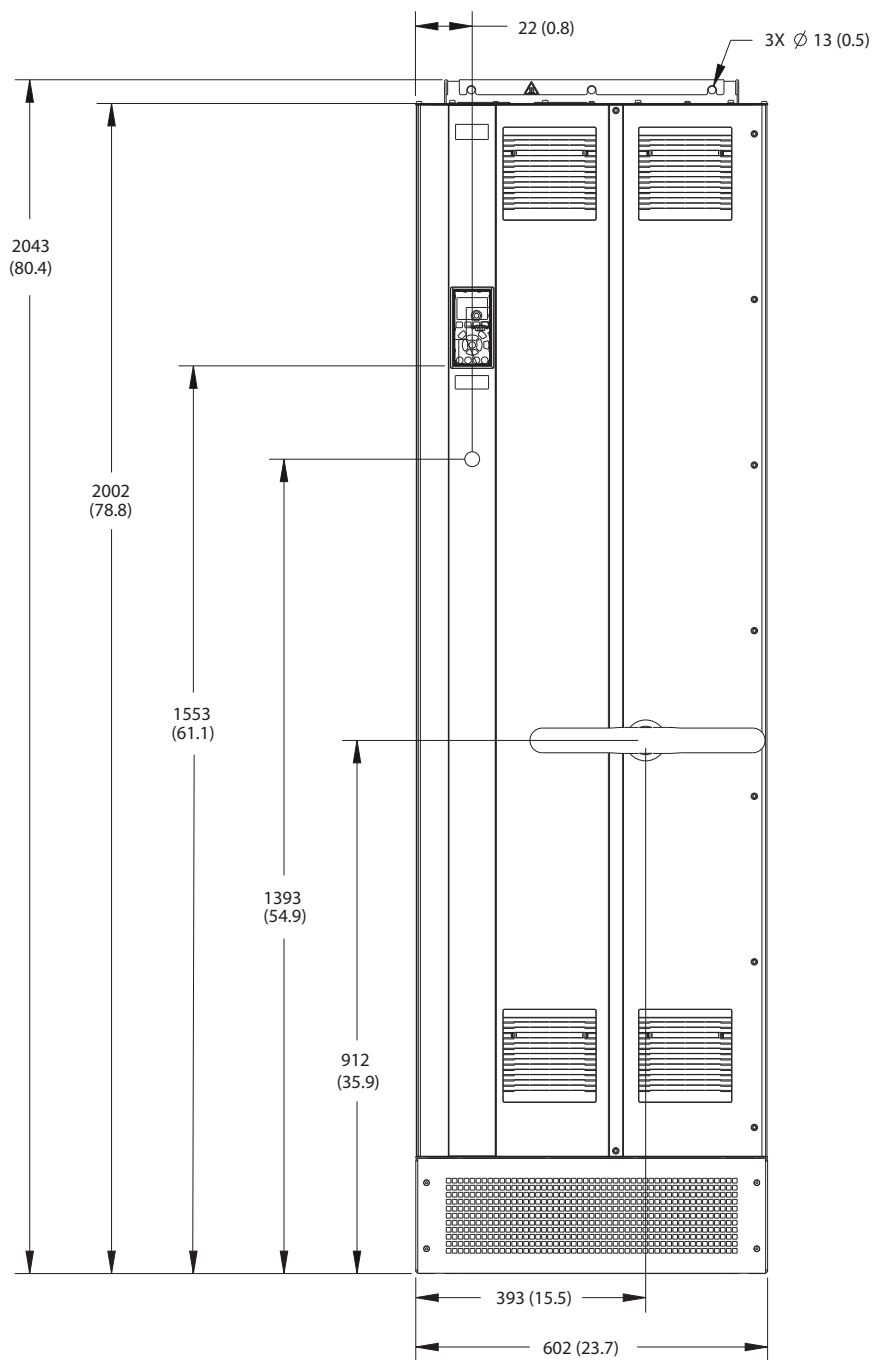
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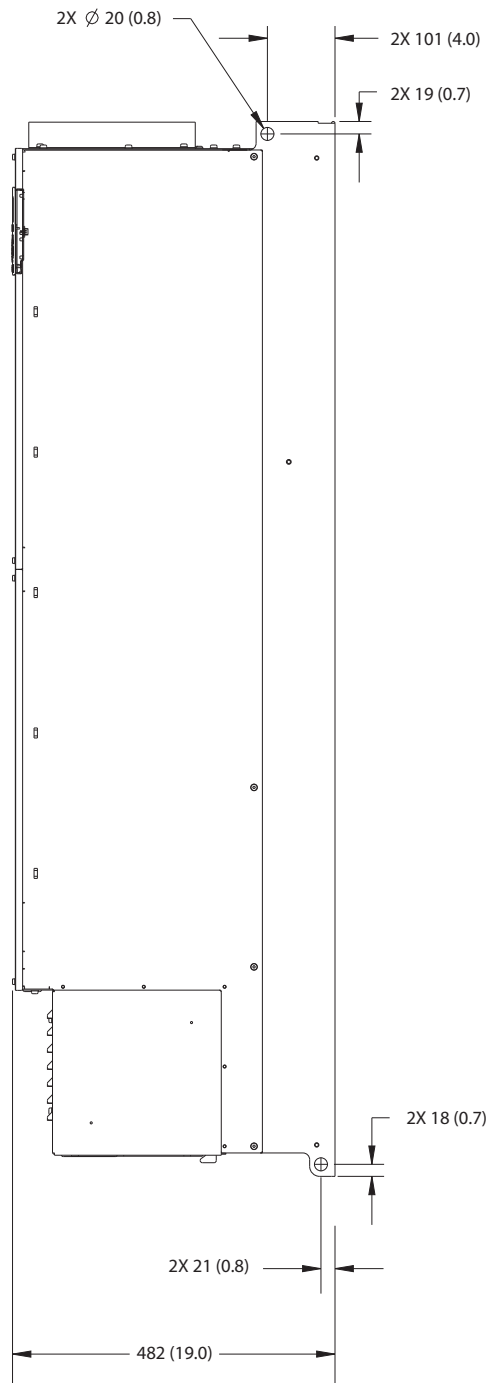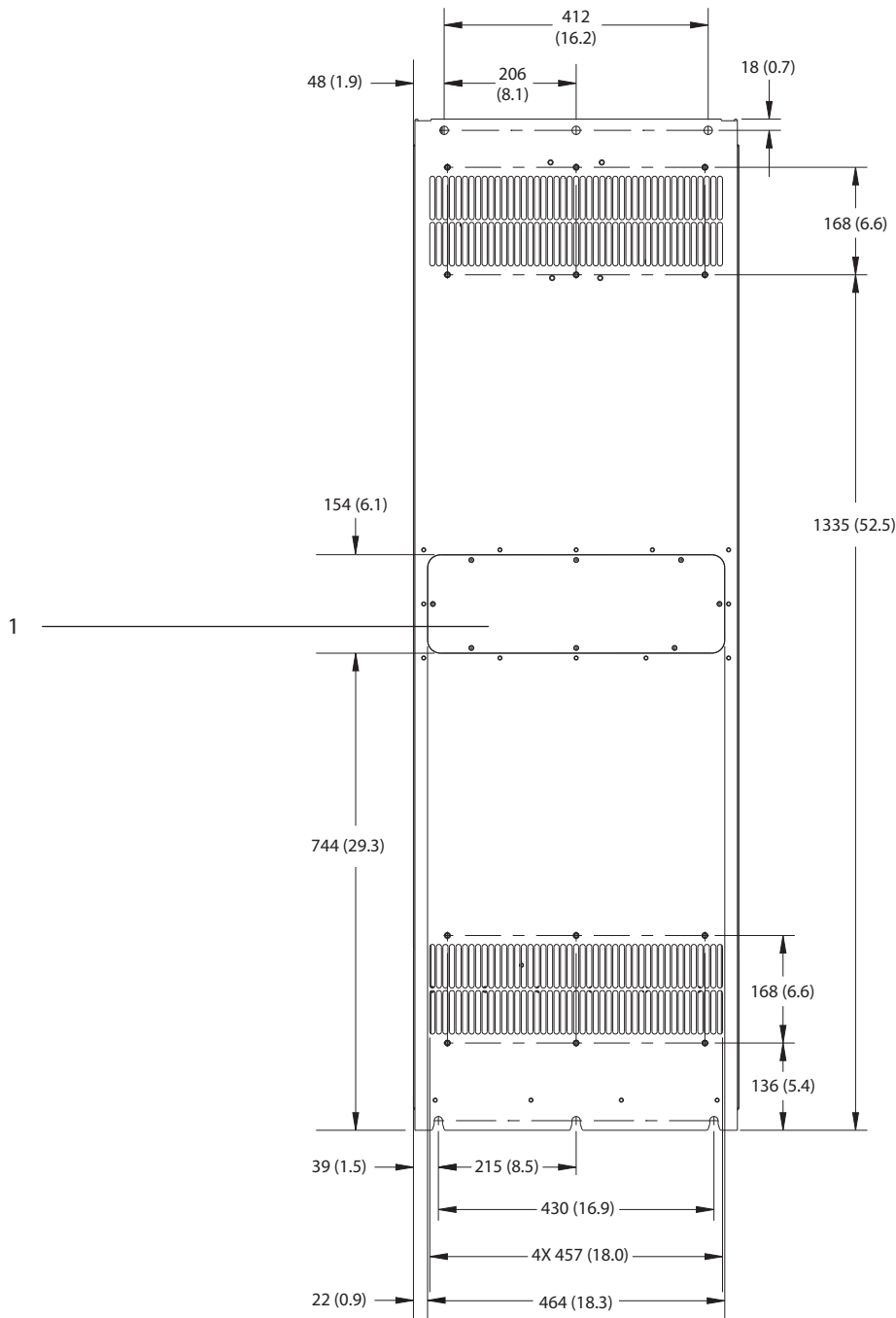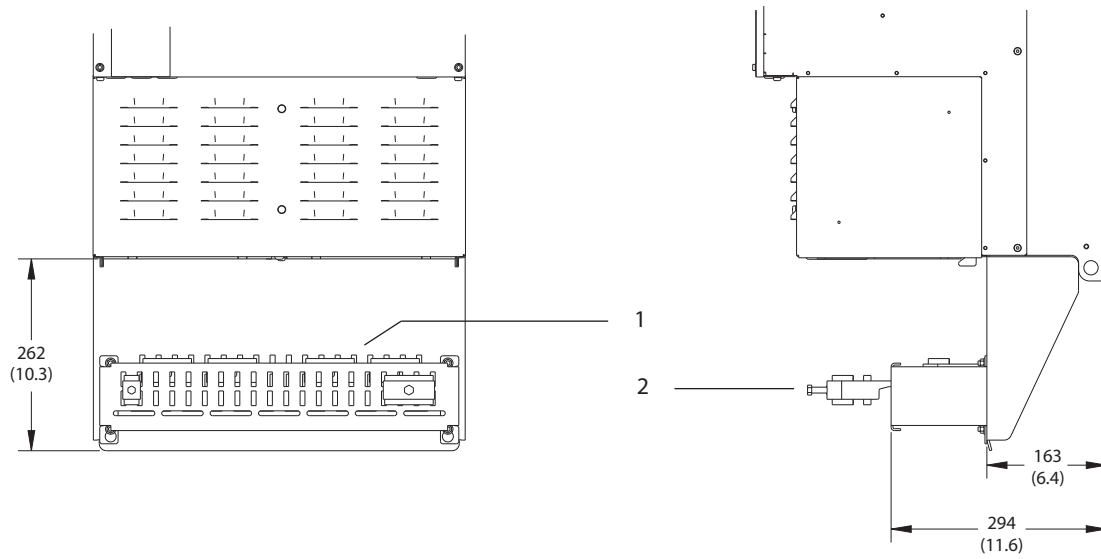
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2X 9 (0.7)

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125 (4.9)

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(20.2)

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190 (7.5)

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(22.3)
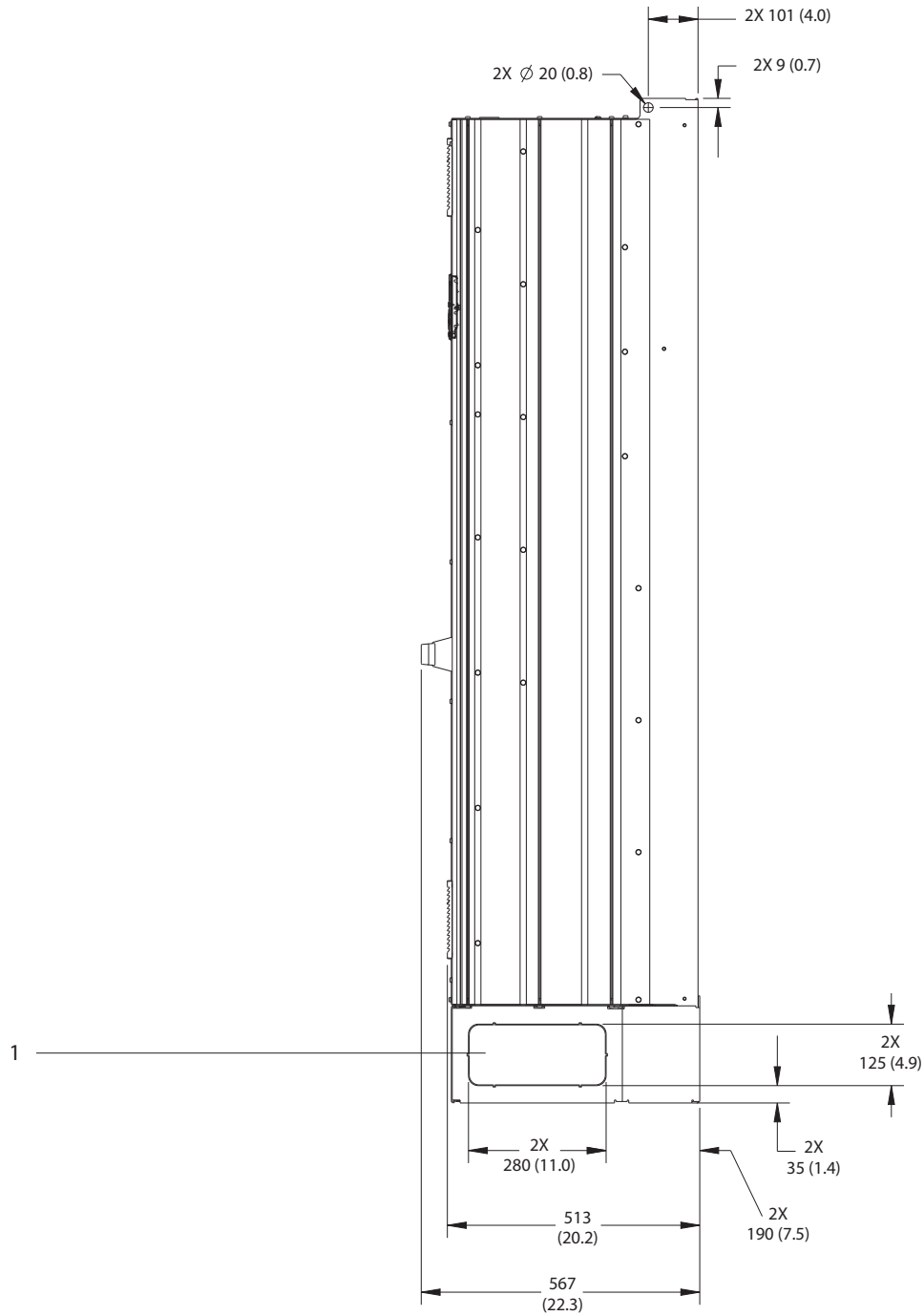
1	Knockout panel

Illustration 8.2 Side View of E1h

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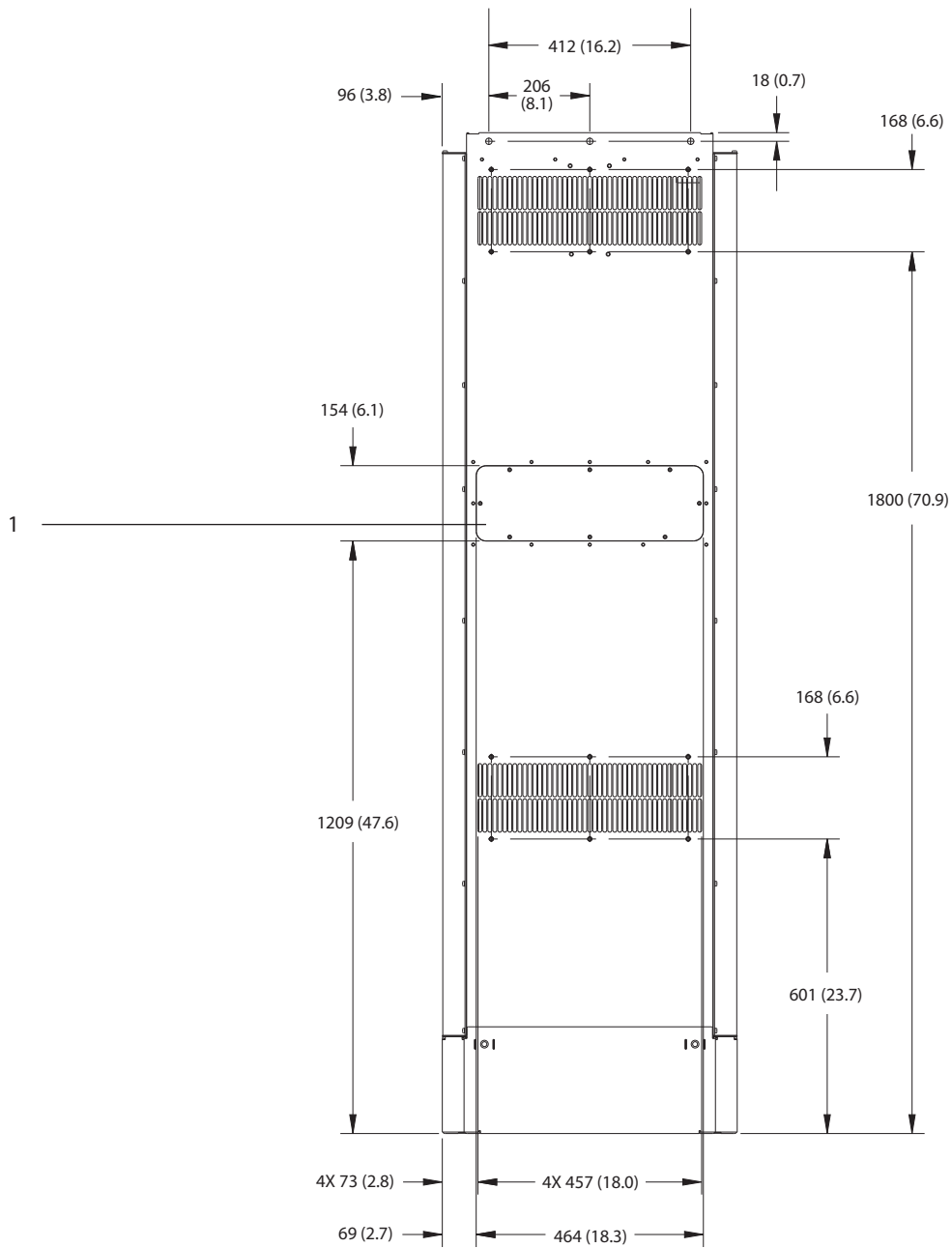
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Illustration 8.3 Back View of E1h

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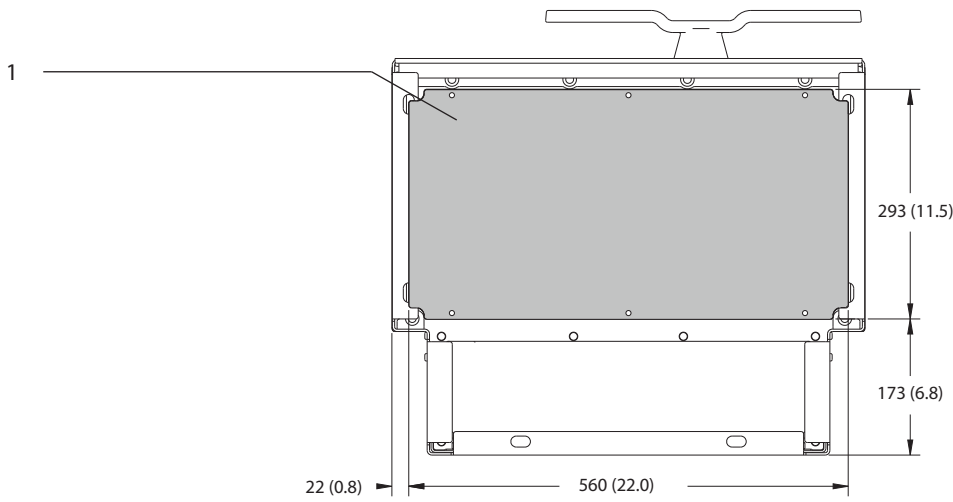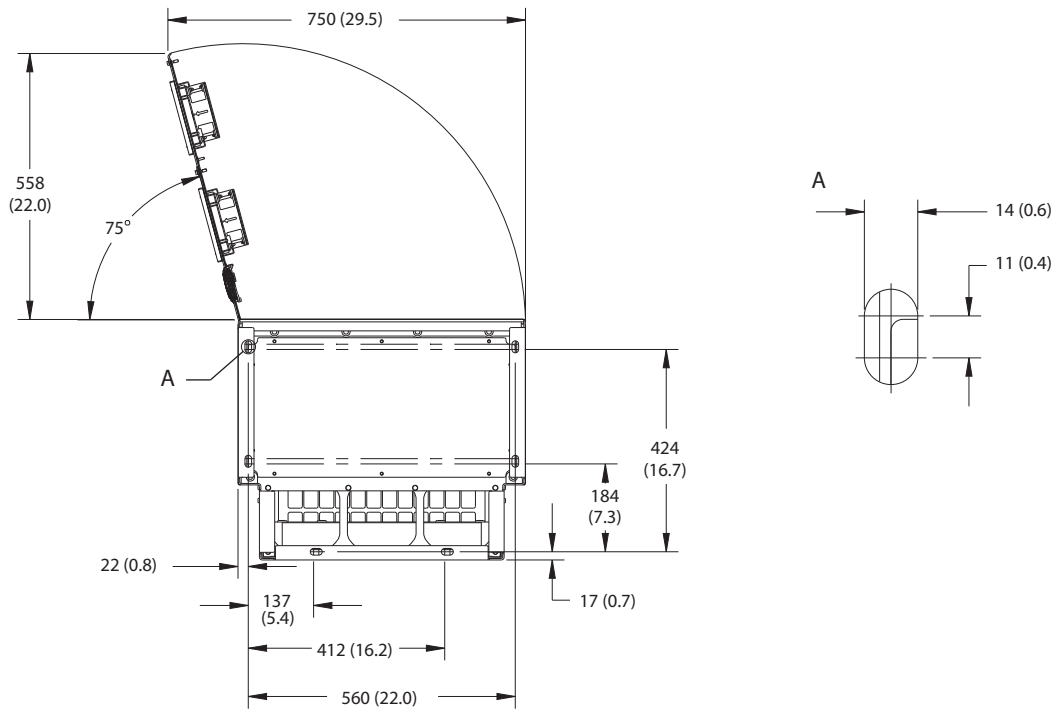
| 1 | Gland plate |

Illustration 8.4 Door Clearance and Gland Plate Dimensions for E1h

8.1.2 E1h Terminal Dimensions

Illustration 8.5 E1h Terminal Dimensions (Front View)

1	Mains terminals	3	Motor terminals
2	Brake or regen terminals	4	Ground terminals, M10 nut

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649 (25.5)

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

164 (6.4)

290 (11.4)

649 (25.5)

0 (0.0)

377 (14.8)

290 (11.4)

164 (6.4)

0 (0.0)

A

5X ∅ 14 (0.5)

44 (1.8)

0 (0.0)

36 (1.4)

A

18 (0.7)

0 (0.0)

42 (1.7)

84 (3.3)
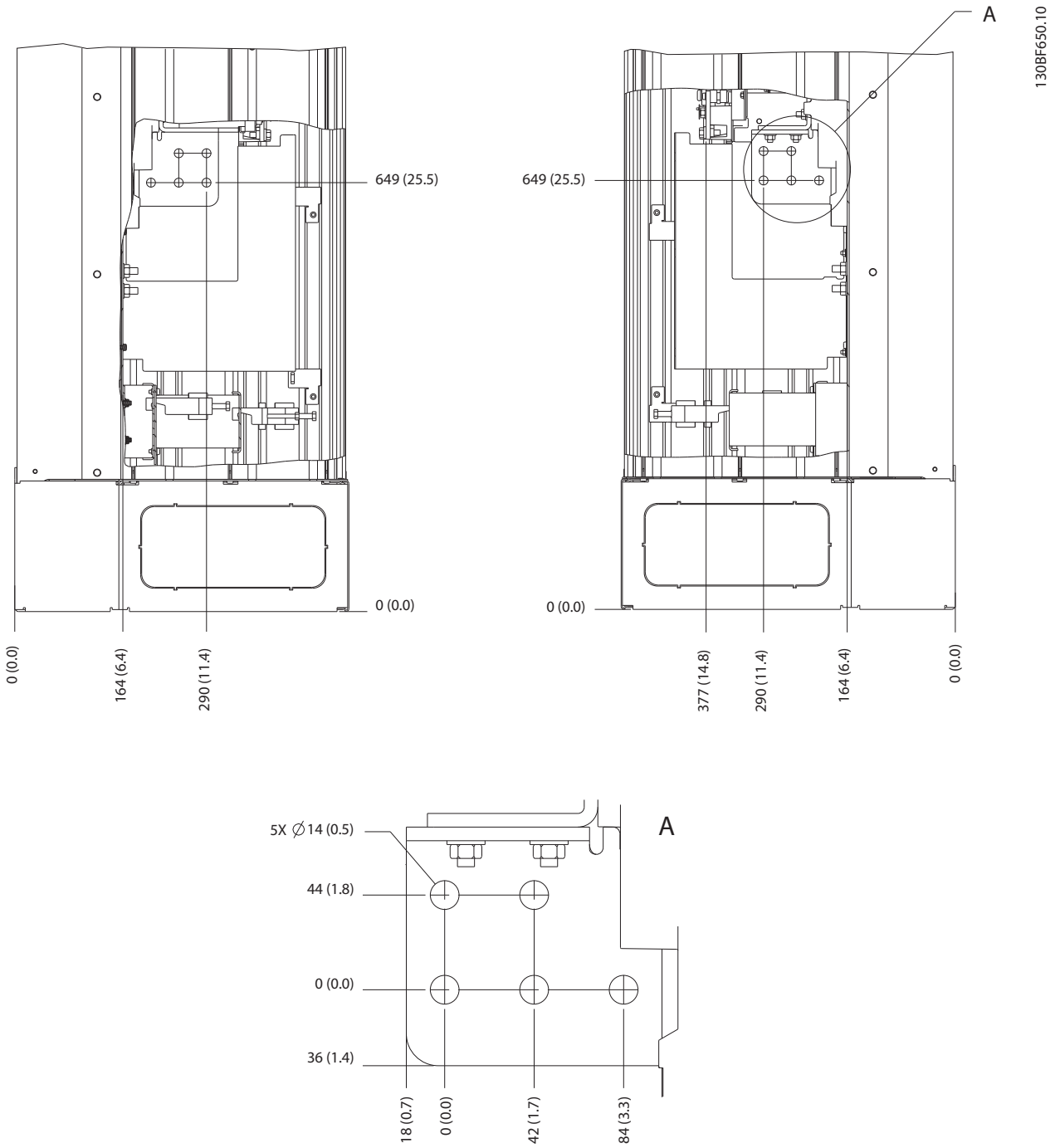
Illustration 8.6 E1h Terminal Dimensions (Side Views)

8.2 E2h Exterior and Terminal Dimensions

8.2.1 E2h Exterior Dimensions
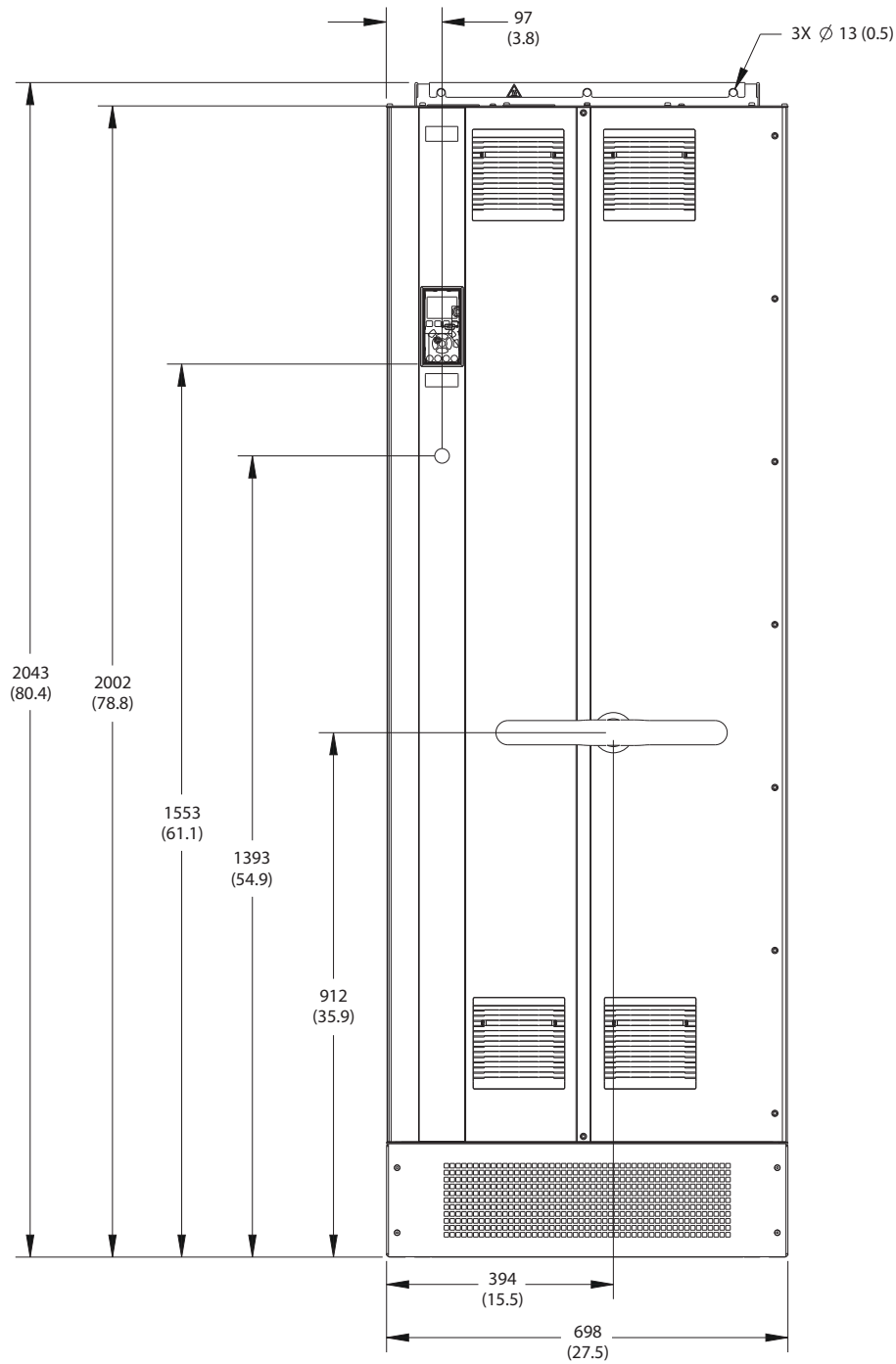
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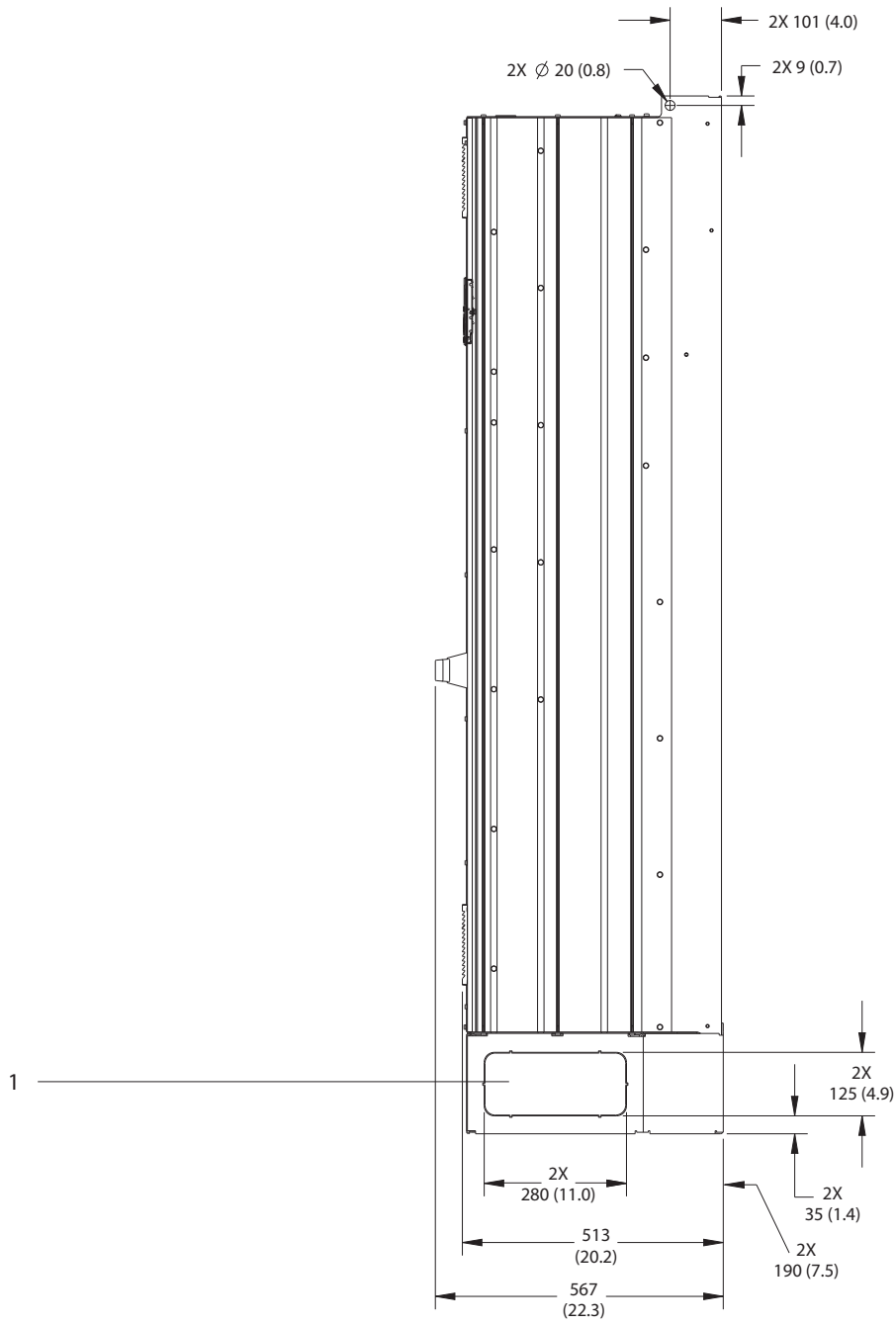
| 1 | Knockout panel |

Illustration 8.8 Side View of E2h

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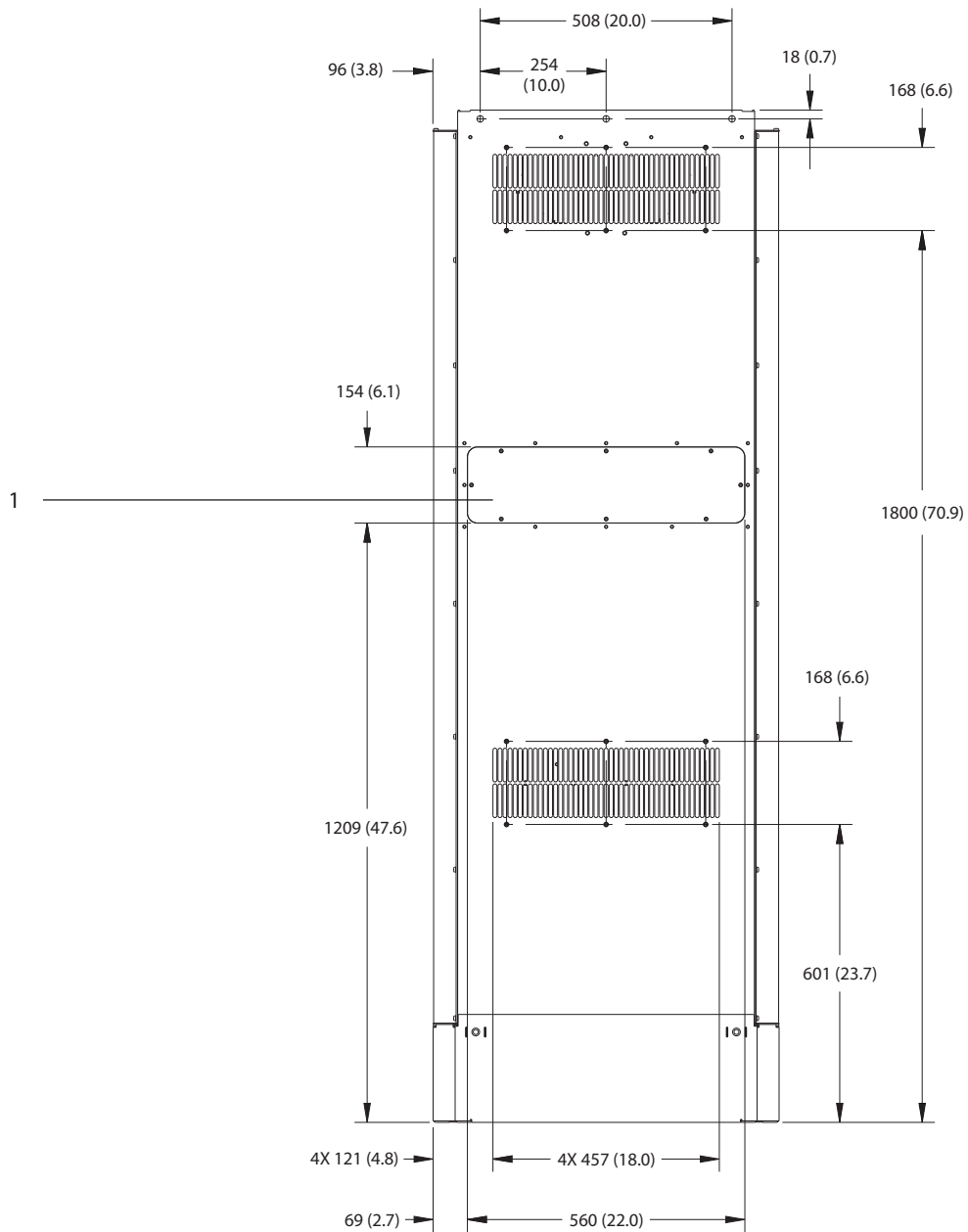
| 1 | Heat sink access panel (optional) |

Illustration 8.9 Back View of E2h

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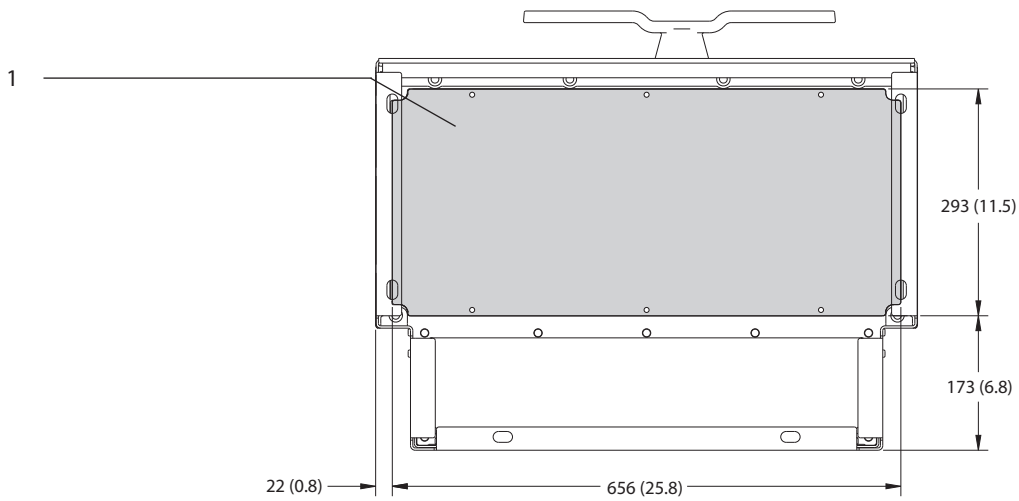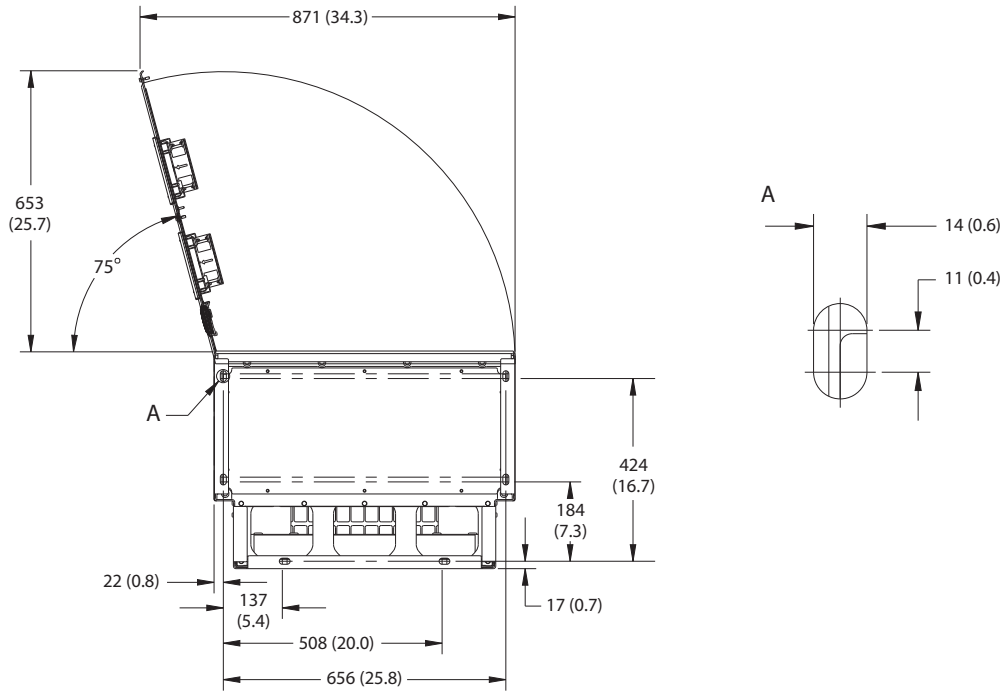
1	Gland plate

Illustration 8.10 Door Clearance and Gland Plate Dimensions for E2h

8.2.2 E2h Terminal Dimensions
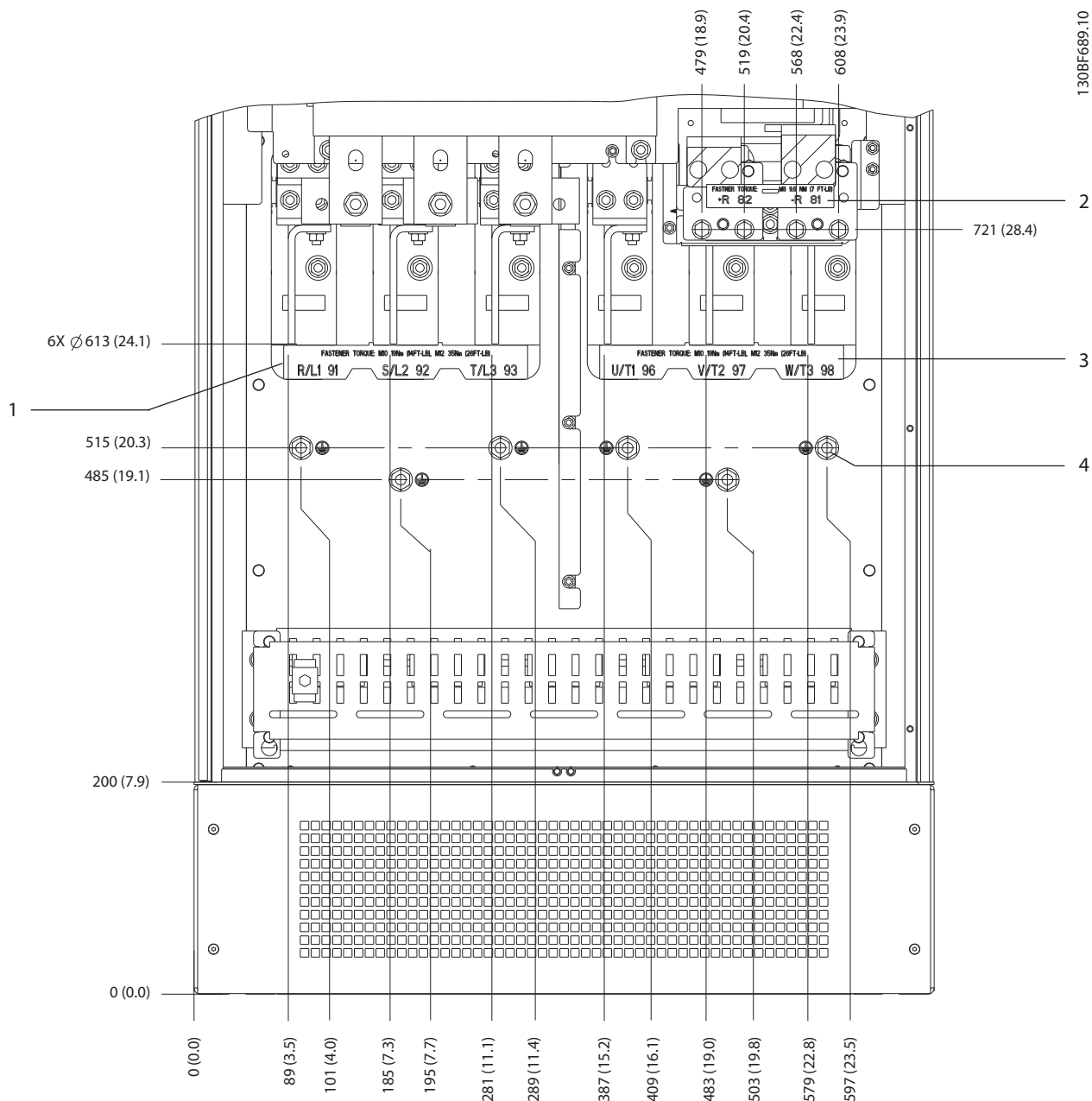
| 1 | Mains terminals | 3 | Motor terminals |
| 2 | Brake or regen terminals | 4 | Ground terminals, M10 nut |

Illustration 8.11 E2h Terminal Dimensions (Front View)

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649 (25.5)

649 (25.5)

A

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

164 (6.4)

290 (11.4)

377 (14.8)

290 (11.4)

164 (6.4)

0 (0.0)

5X ⌀   14 (0.5)

A

44 (1.8)

0 (0.0)

36 (1.4)

18 (0.7)

0 (0.0)

42 (1.7)

84 (3.3)
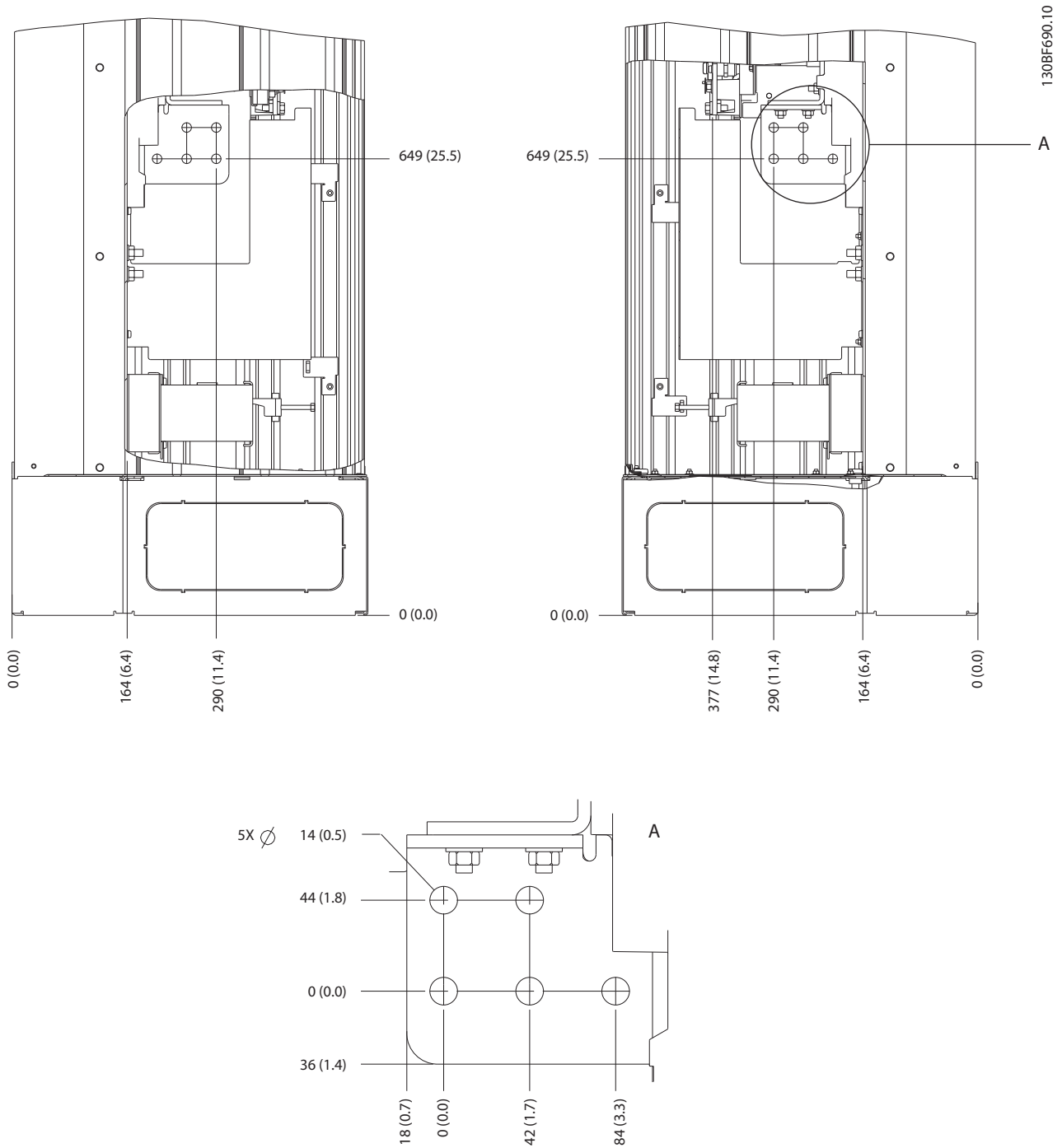
Illustration 8.12 E2h Terminal Dimensions (Side Views)

8.3 E3h Exterior and Terminal Dimensions

8.3.1 E3h Exterior Dimensions
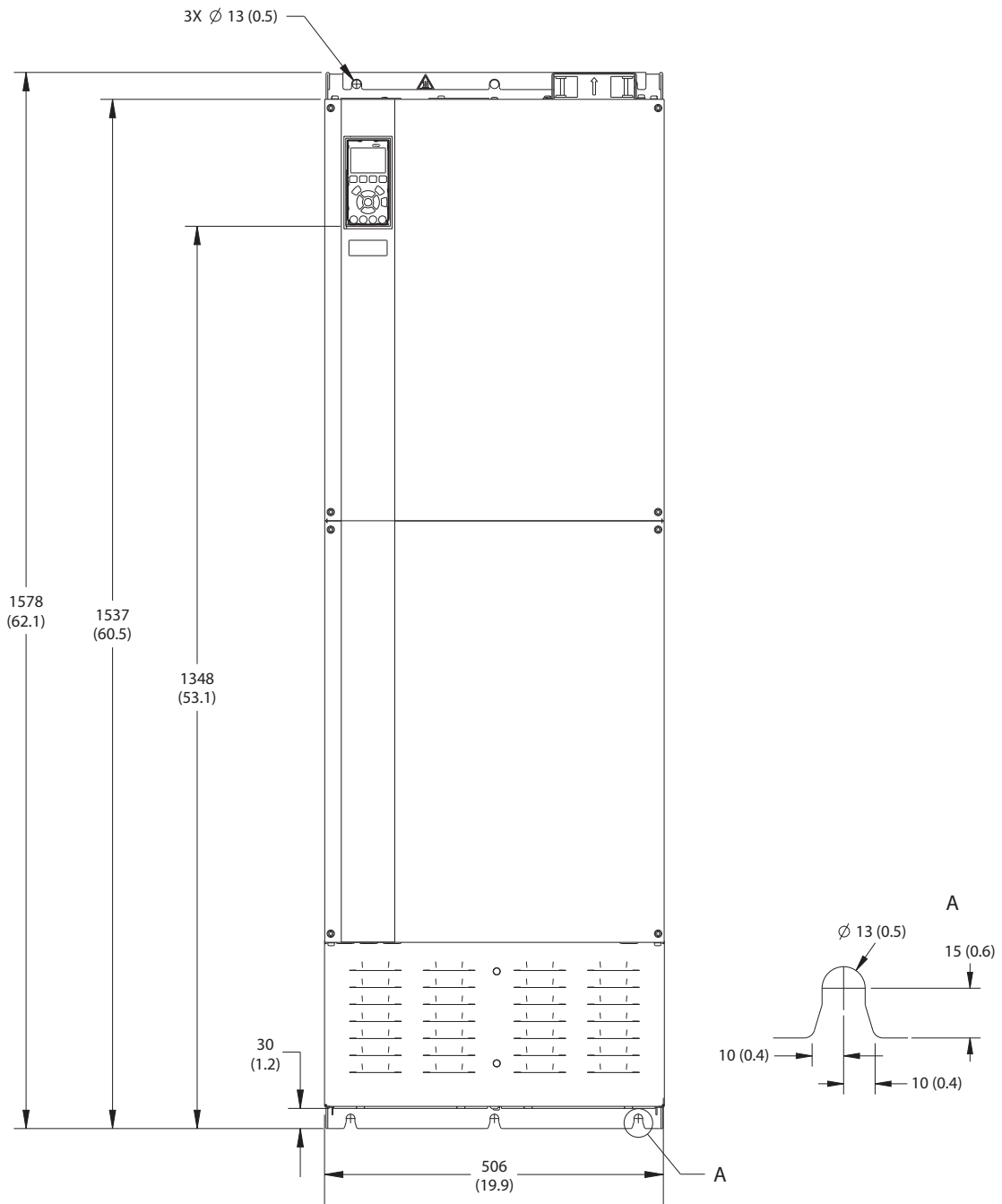
Illustration 8.13 Front View of E3h

Illustration 8.14 Side View of E3h

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412
(16.2)

48 (1.9)

206
(8.1)

18 (0.7)

168 (6.6)

154 (6.1)

1335 (52.5)

1

744 (29.3)

168 (6.6)

136 (5.4)

39 (1.5)

215 (8.5)

430 (16.9)

4X 457 (18.0)

22 (0.9)

464 (18.3)

1	Heat sink access panel (optional)

Illustration 8.15 Back View of E3h

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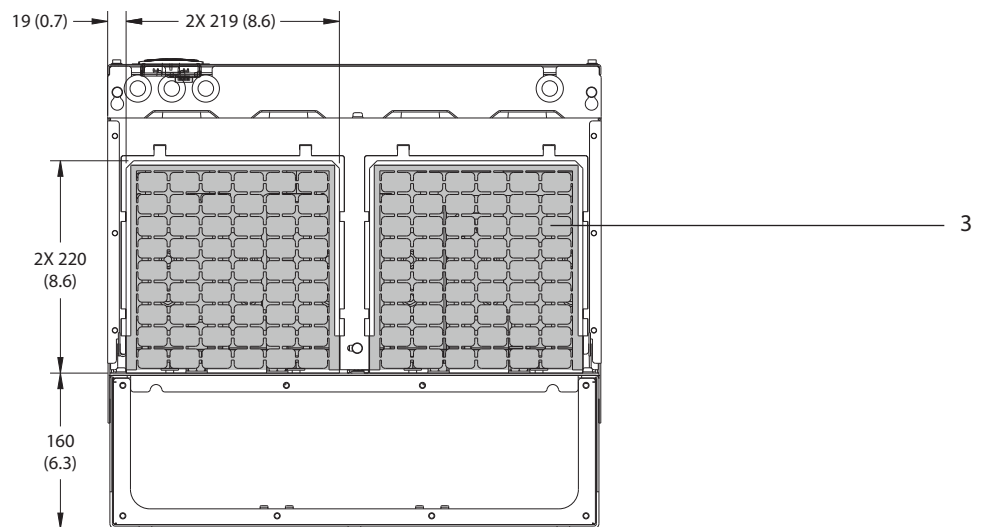
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1	RFI shield termination (standard with RFI option)
2	Cable/EMC clamp
3	Gland plate

Illustration 8.16 RFI Shield Termination and Gland Plate Dimensions for E3h

8.3.2 E3h Terminal Dimensions
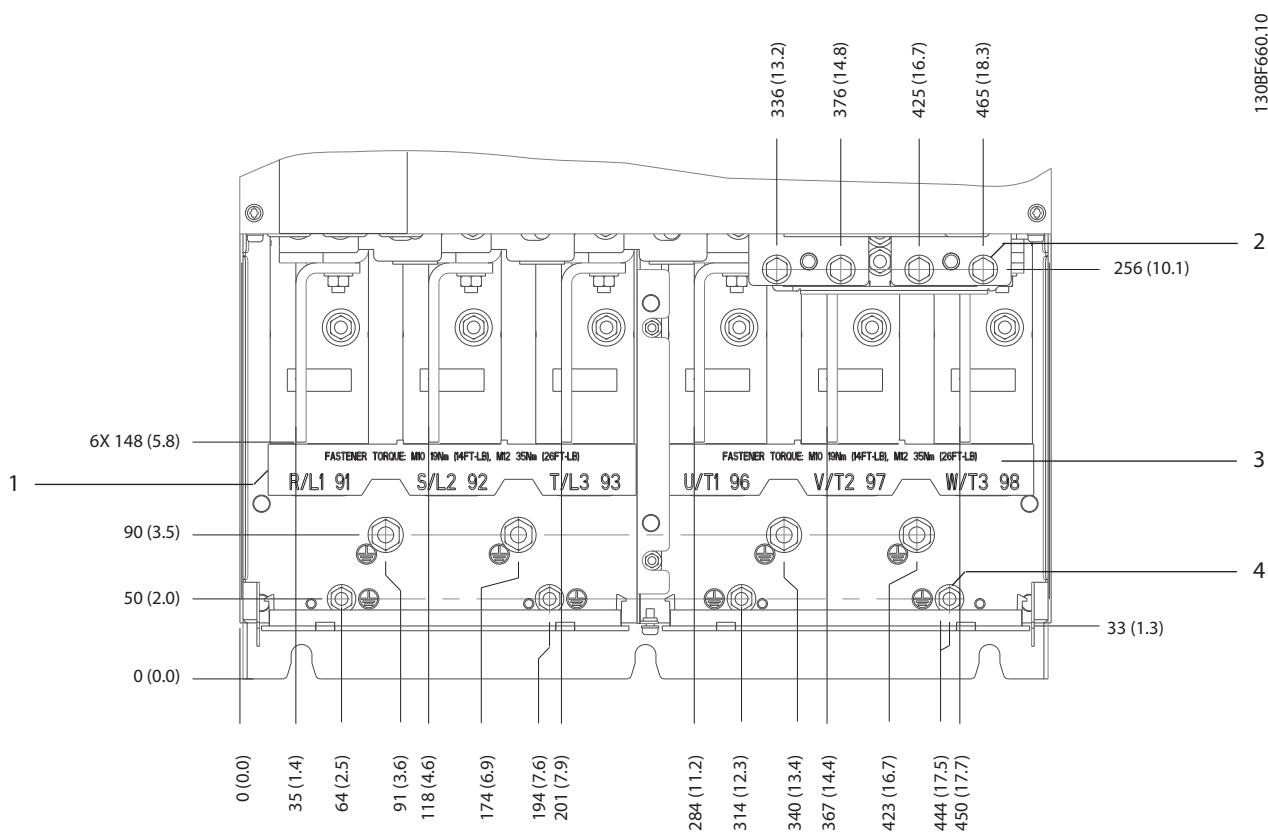
| 1 | Mains terminals | 3 | Motor terminals |
| 2 | Brake or regen terminals | 4 | Ground terminals, M8 and M10 nuts |

Illustration 8.17 E3h Terminal Dimensions (Front View)

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184
(7.2)

184
(7.2)

A

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)

160 (6.3)

287 (11.3)

373 (14.7)

287 (11.3)

160 (6.3)

0 (0.0)

5X ⌀14 (0.5)

A

44 (1.8)

0 (0.0)

36 (1.4)

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42 (1.7)

84 (3.3)
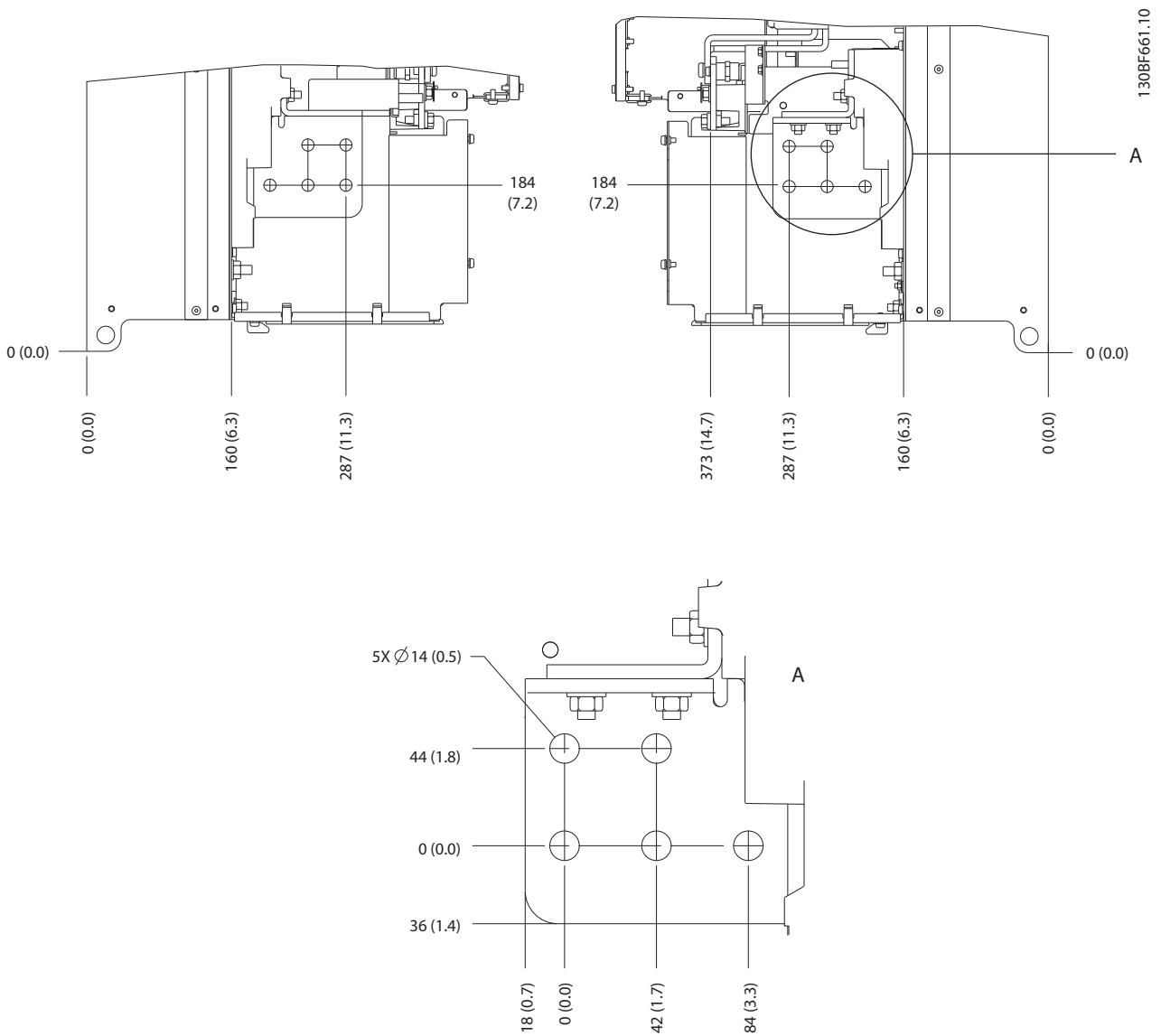
Illustration 8.18 E3h Mains, Motor, and Ground Terminal Dimensions (Side Views)

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2X 125 (4.9)

0 (0.0)

0 (0.0)   234 (9.2)   314 (12.4)

0 (0.0)   176 (6.9)

A

A

15 (0.6)   0 (0.0)   35 (1.4)   50 (2.0)   75 (3.0)   90 (3.5)   125 (4.9)   140 (5.5)

20 (0.8)

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35(1.4)

8X ⌀ 14 (0.5)

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-DC 88
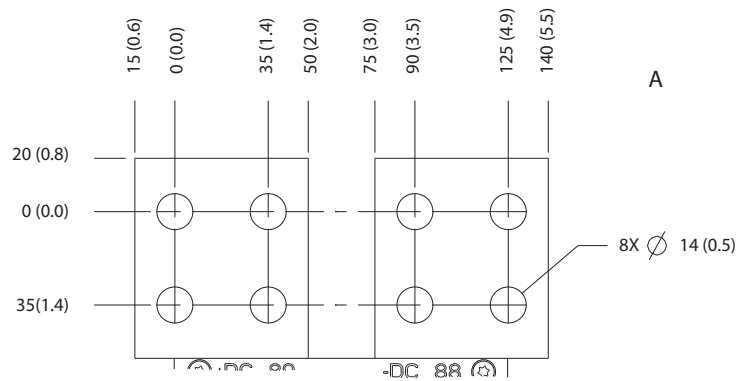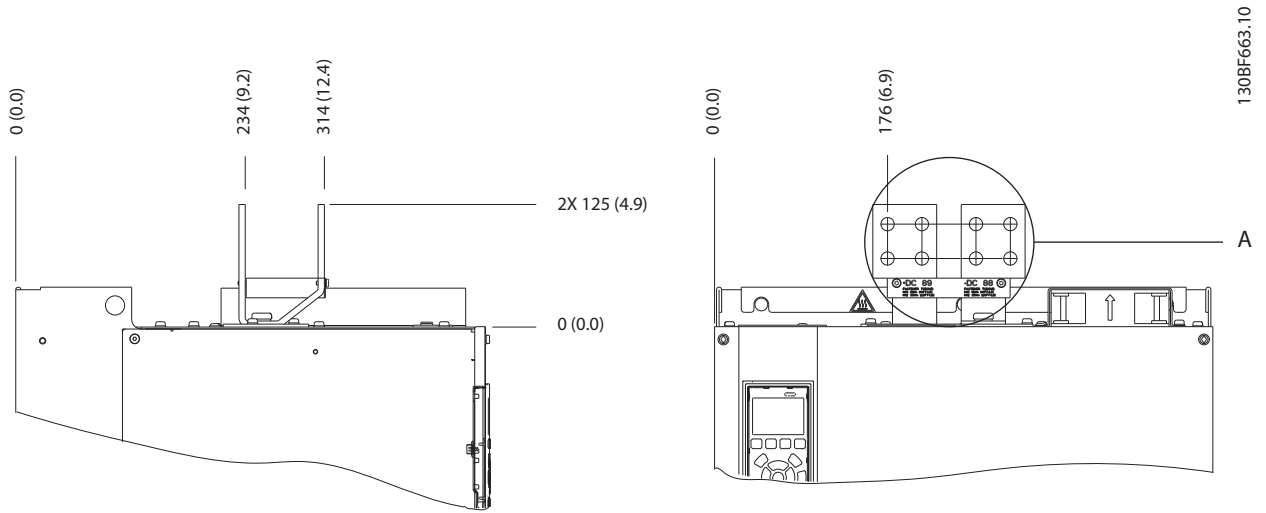
Illustration 8.19 E3h Load Share/Regen Terminal Dimensions

8.4 E4h Exterior and Terminal Dimensions

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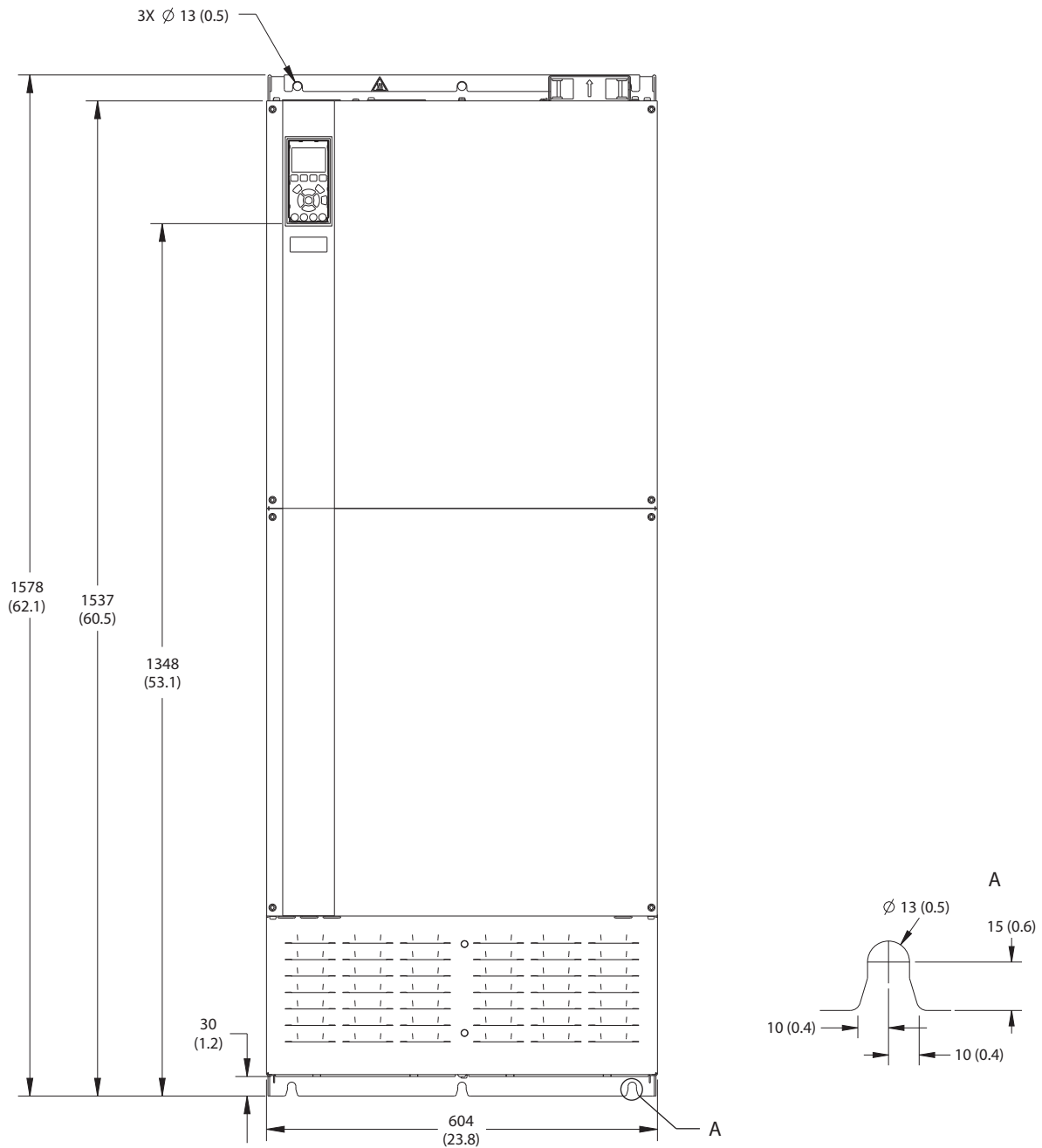
Illustration 8.20 Front View of E4h

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2X 101 (4.0)

2X 19 (0.7)

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2X 18 (0.7)

2X 21 (0.8)
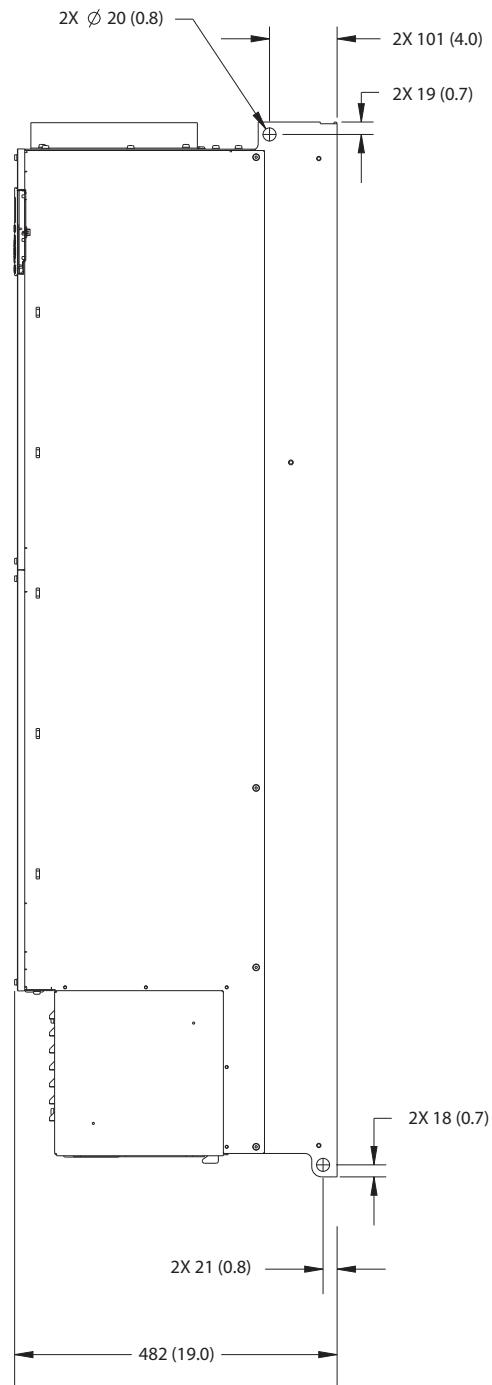
482 (19.0)

Illustration 8.21 Side View of E4h

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508
(20.1)

48 (1.9)

254
(10.0)

18 (0.7)

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168 (6.6)

154 (6.1)

1335 (52.5)

8

1

744 (29.3)

168 (6.6)

136 (5.4)

39 (1.5)

263 (10.4)

4X 74 (2.9)

4X 457 (18.0)

526 (20.7)

22 (0.9)

560 (22.0)
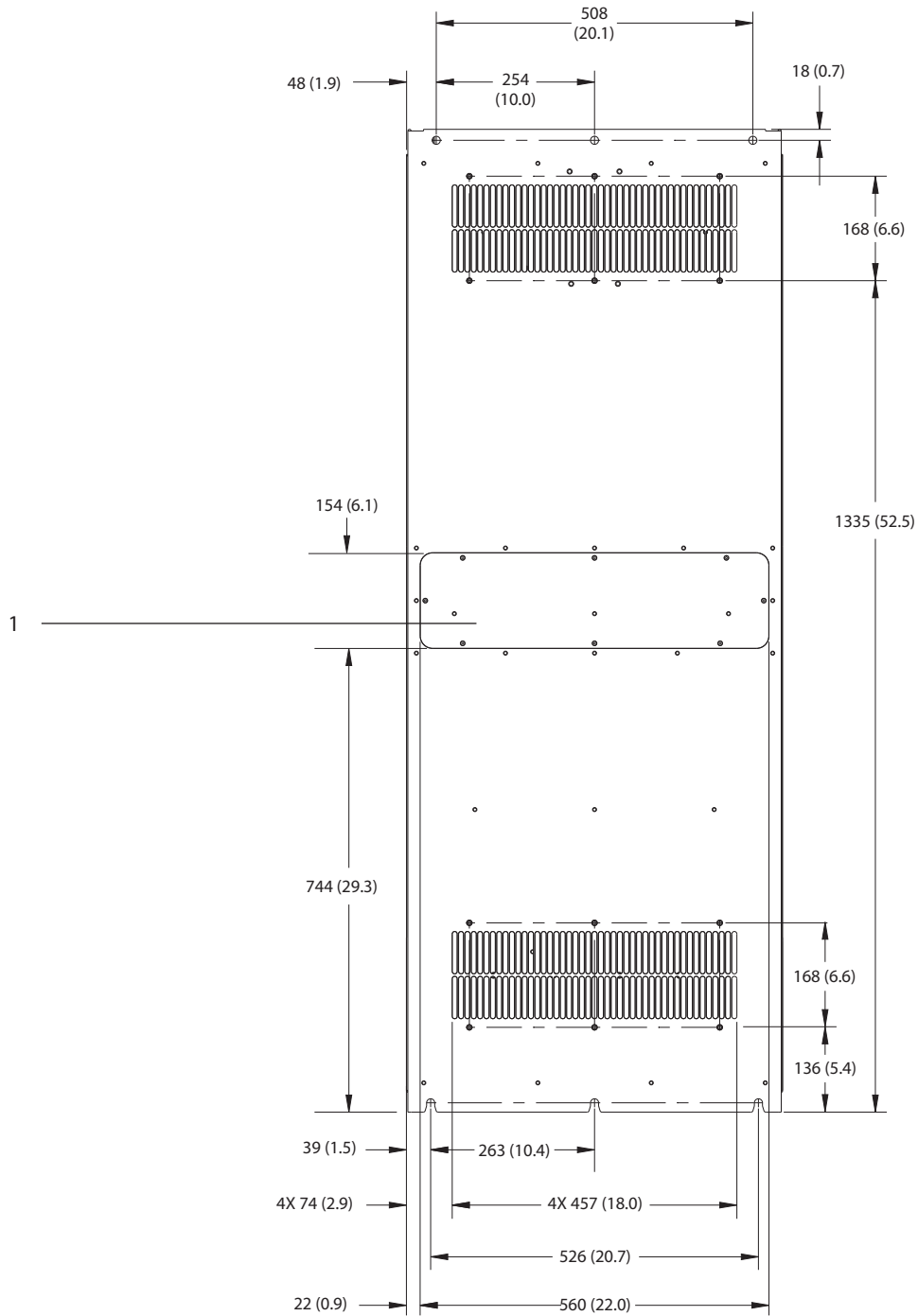
1	Heat sink access panel (optional)

Illustration 8.22 Back View of E4h

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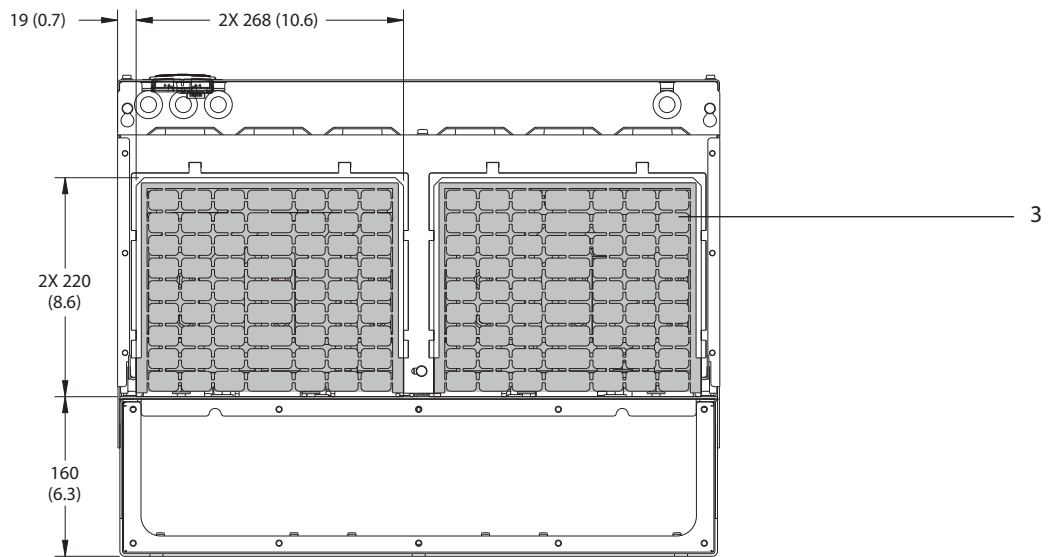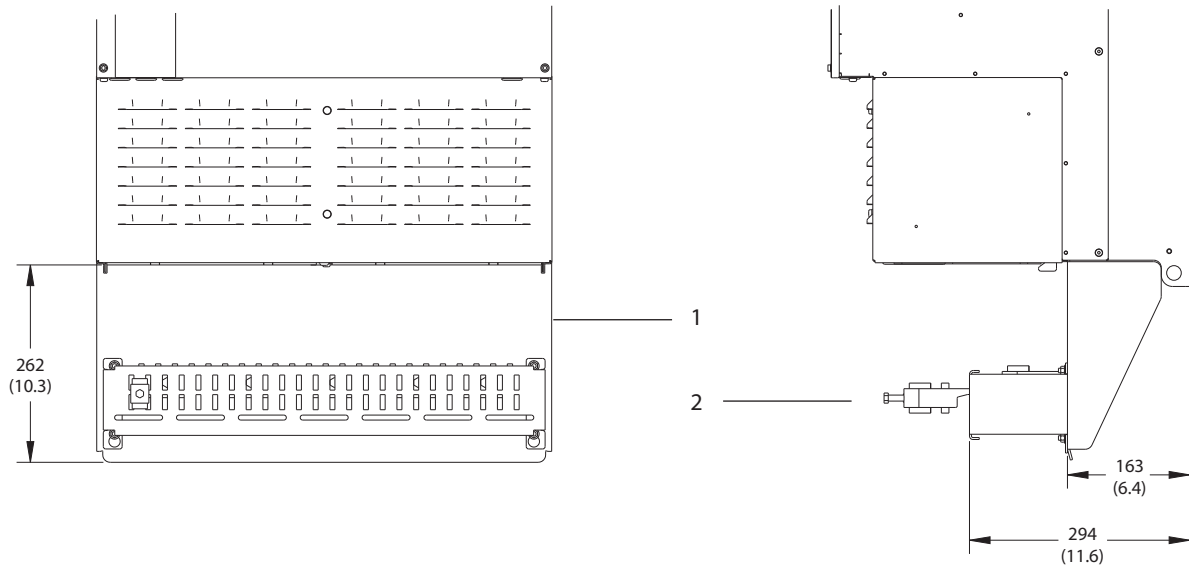
262
(10.3)

1

2

163
(6.4)

294
(11.6)

8

19 (0.7)   2X 268 (10.6)

3

2X 220
(8.6)

160
(6.3)

1	RFI shield termination (standard with RFI option)
2	Cable/EMC clamp
3	Gland plate

Illustration 8.23 RFI Shield Termination and Gland Plate Dimensions for E4h

8.4.2 E4h Terminal Dimensions
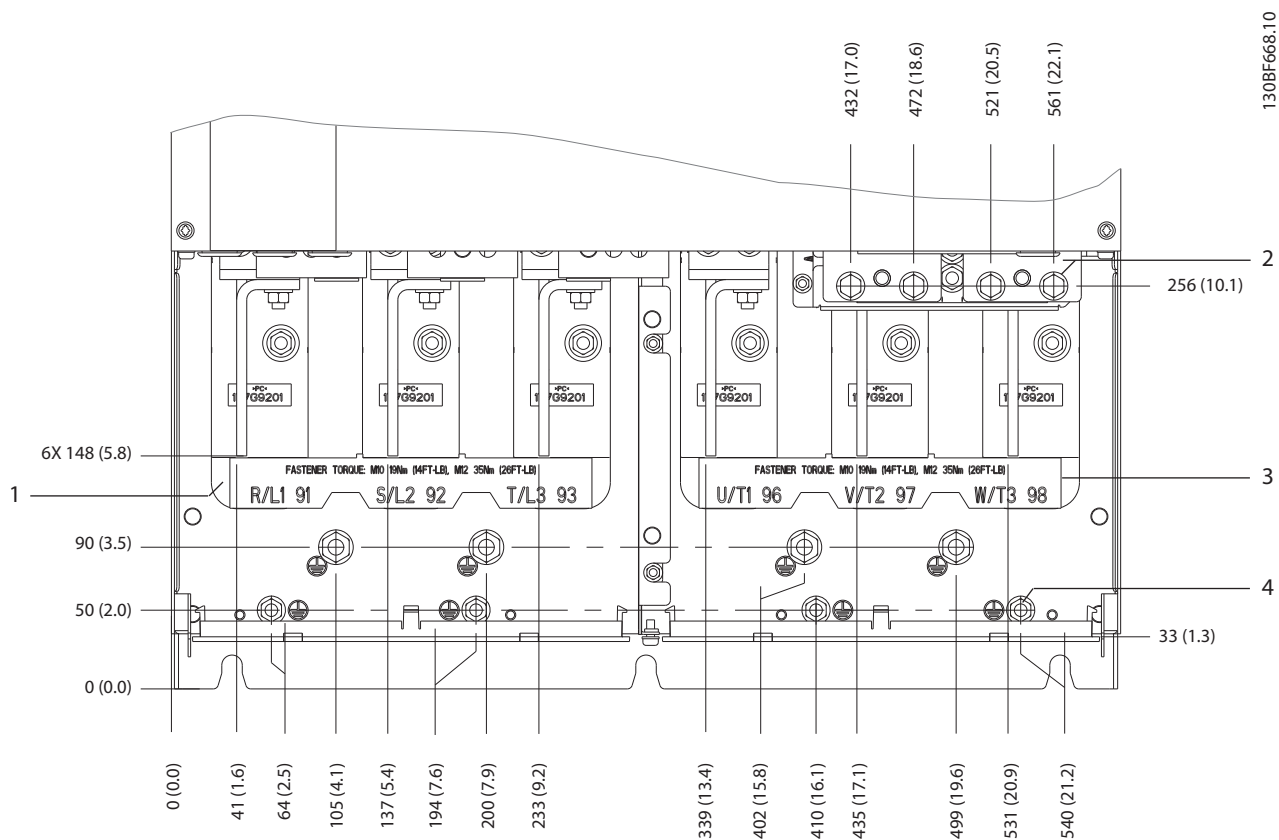
| 1 | Mains terminals | 3 | Motor terminals |
| 2 | Brake or regen terminals | 4 | Ground terminals, M8 and M10 nuts |

Illustration 8.24 E4h Terminal Dimensions (Front View)

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5X Ø 14 (0.5)

44 (1.8)

0 (0.0)

36 (1.4)

184 (7.2)

160 (6.3)

287 (11.3)

373 (14.7)

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42 (1.7)

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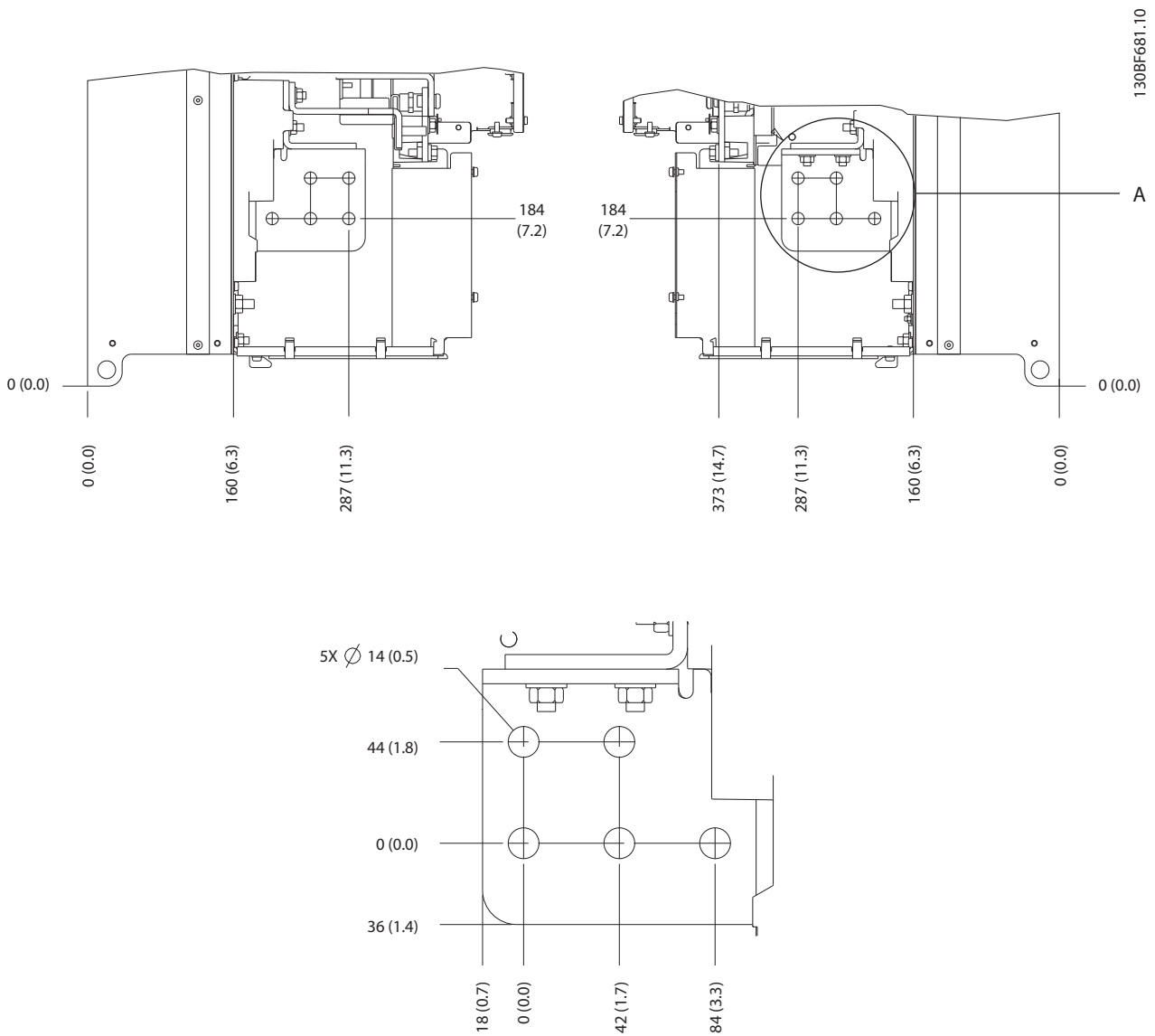
Illustration 8.25 E4h Mains, Motor, and Ground Terminal Dimensions (Side Views)

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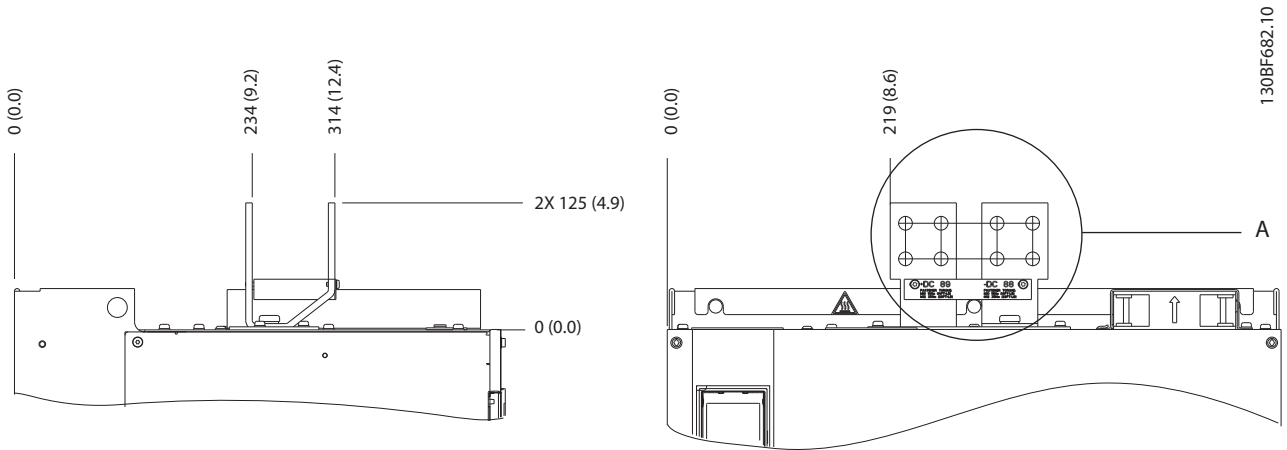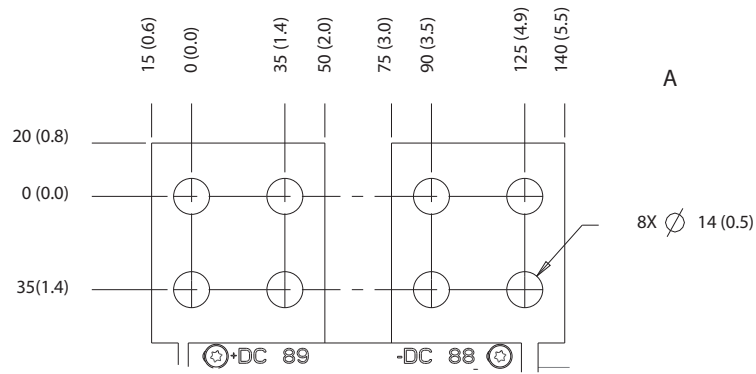
Illustration 8.26 E4h Load Share/Regen Terminal Dimensions

9 Mechanical Installation Considerations

9.1 Storage

Store the drive in a dry location. Keep the equipment sealed in its packaging until installation. Refer to *chapter 7.5 Ambient Conditions* for recommended ambient temperature.

Periodic forming (capacitor charging) is not necessary during storage unless storage exceeds 12 months.

9.2 Lifting the Unit

Always lift the drive using the dedicated lifting eyes. To avoid bending the lifting holes, use a bar.

⚠WARNING

RISK OF INJURY OR DEATH
Follow local safety regulations for lifting heavy weights. Failure to follow recommendations and local safety regulations can result in death or serious injury.

- **Ensure that the lifting equipment is in proper working condition.**

- **See *chapter 4 Product Overview* for the weight of the different enclosure sizes.**

- **Maximum diameter for bar: 20 mm (0.8 in).**

- **The angle from the top of the drive to the lifting cable: 60° or greater.**

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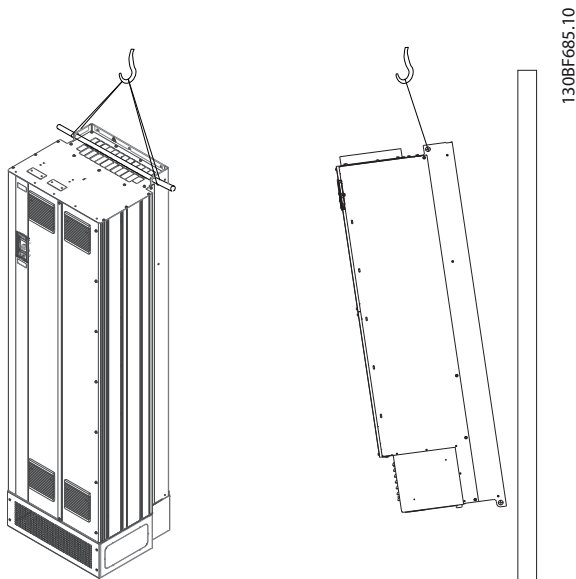
Illustration 9.1 Recommended Lifting Method

9.3 Operating Environment

In environments with airborne liquids, particles, or corrosive gases, ensure that the IP/Type rating of the equipment matches the installation environment. For specifications regarding ambient conditions, see *chapter 7.5 Ambient Conditions*.

NOTICE

CONDENSATION
Moisture can condense on the electronic components and cause short circuits. Avoid installation in areas subject to frost. Install an optional space heater when the drive is colder than the ambient air. Operating in standby mode reduces the risk of condensation as long as the power dissipation keeps the circuitry free of moisture.

NOTICE

EXTREME AMBIENT CONDITIONS
Hot or cold temperatures compromise unit performance and longevity.

- **Do not operate in environments where the ambient temperature exceeds 55 °C (131 °F).**

- **The drive can operate at temperatures down to -10 °C (14 °F). However, proper operation at rated load is only guaranteed at 0 °C (32 °F) or higher.**

- **If temperature exceeds ambient temperature limits, extra air conditioning of the cabinet or installation site is required.**

9.3.1 Gases

Aggressive gases, such as hydrogen sulphide, chlorine, or ammonia can damage the electrical and mechanical components. The unit uses conformal-coated circuit boards to reduce the effects of aggressive gases. For conformal-coating class specifications and ratings, see *chapter 7.5 Ambient Conditions*.

9.3.2 Dust

When installing the drive in dusty environments, pay attention to the following:

Periodic maintenance
When dust accumulates on electronic components, it acts as a layer of insulation. This layer reduces the cooling capacity of the components, and the components become

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warmer. The hotter environment decreases the life of the electronic components.

Keep the heat sink and fans free from dust build-up. For more service and maintenance information, refer to the operating guide.

Cooling fans

Fans provide airflow to cool the drive. When fans are exposed to dusty environments, the dust can damage the fan bearings and cause premature fan failure. Also, dust can accumulate on fan blades causing an imbalance which prevents the fans from properly cooling the unit.

9.3.3 Potentially Explosive Atmospheres

⚠WARNING

EXPLOSIVE ATMOSPHERE
Do not install the drive in a potentially explosive atmosphere. Install the unit in a cabinet outside of this area. Failure to follow this guideline increases risk of death or serious injury.

Systems operated in potentially explosive atmospheres must fulfill special conditions. EU Directive 94/9/EC (ATEX 95) classifies the operation of electronic devices in potentially explosive atmospheres.

- Class d specifies that if a spark occurs, it is contained in a protected area.

- Class e prohibits any occurrence of a spark.

Motors with class d protection

Does not require approval. Special wiring and containment are required.

Motors with class e protection

When combined with an ATEX approved PTC monitoring device like the VLT® PTC Thermistor Card MCB 112, installation does not need an individual approval from an approbated organization.

Motors with class d/e protection

The motor itself has an e ignition protection class, while the motor cabling and connection environment is in compliance with the d classification. To attenuate the high peak voltage, use a sine-wave filter at the drive output.

When using a drive in a potentially explosive atmosphere, use the following:

- Motors with ignition protection class d or e.

- PTC temperature sensor to monitor the motor temperature.

- Short motor cables.

- Sine-wave output filters when shielded motor cables are not used.

NOTICE

MOTOR THERMISTOR SENSOR MONITORING
VLT® AutomationDrive units with the VLT® PTC Thermistor Card MCB 112 option are PTB-certified for potentially explosive atmospheres.

9.4 Mounting Configurations

Table 9.1 lists the available mounting configurations for each enclosure. For specific wall mount or pedestal mount installation instructions, see the *operating guide*. See also *chapter 8 Exterior and Terminal Dimensions*.

NOTICE

Improper mounting can result in overheating and reduced performance.

Mounting	E1h	E2h	E3h	E4h
Pedestal	X	X	–	–
Wall	–	–	X	X

Table 9.1 Mounting Configurations for Enclosures E1h–E4h

Mounting considerations:

- Locate the unit as near to the motor as possible. See *chapter 7.6 Cable Specifications* for the maximum motor cable length.

- Ensure unit stability by mounting the unit to a solid surface.

- Enclosures E3h and E4h can be mounted:

  - Vertically on the backplate of the panel (typical installation).

  - Vertically upside down on the backplate of the panel.[1]

  - Horizontally on its back, mounted on the backplate of the panel.[1]

  - Horizontally on its side, mounted on floor of the panel.[1]

- Ensure that the strength of the mounting location supports the unit weight.

- Ensure that there is enough space around the unit for proper cooling. Refer to *chapter 5.7 Back-channel Cooling Overview*.

- Ensure enough access to open the door.

- Ensure cable entry from the bottom.

1) For non-typical installation, contact the factory.

9.5 Cooling

NOTICE

Improper mounting can result in overheating and reduced performance. For proper mounting, refer to *chapter 9.4.1 Mounting Configurations*.

- Ensure that top and bottom clearance for air cooling is provided. Clearance requirement: 225 mm (9 in).

- Provide sufficient airflow flow rate. See *Table 9.2*.

- Consider derating for temperatures starting between 45 °C (113 °F) and 50 °C (122 °F) and elevation 1000 m (3300 ft) above sea level. See *chapter 9.6 Derating* for detailed information on derating.

The drive utilizes a back-channel cooling concept that removes heat sink cooling air. The heat sink cooling air carries approximately 90% of the heat out of the back channel of the drive. Redirect the back-channel air from the panel or room by using:

- **Duct cooling**
  Back-channel cooling kits are available to direct the heat sink cooling air out of the panel when IP20/Chassis drives are installed in Rittal enclosures. Use of these kits reduce the heat in the panel and smaller door fans can be specified.

- **Back-wall cooling**
  Installing top and base covers to the unit allows the back-channel cooling air to be ventilated out of the room.

NOTICE

For E3h and E4h enclosures (IP20/Chassis), at least 1 door fan is required on the enclosure to remove the heat not contained in the back-channel of the drive. It also removes any additional losses generated by other components inside the drive. To select the appropriate fan size, calculate the total required airflow.

Secure the necessary airflow over the heat sink.

Frame	Door fan/top fan [m^3/hr (cfm)]	Heat sink fan [m^3/hr (cfm)]
E1h	510 (300)	994 (585)
E2h	552 (325)	1053–1206 (620–710)
E3h	595 (350)	994 (585)
E4h	629 (370)	1053–1206 (620–710)

Table 9.2 Airflow Rate

9.6 Derating

Derating is used to reduce output current in certain situations, which prevents the drive from generating excessive heat within the enclosure. Consider derating when any of the following conditions are present:

- Low-speed operation.

- Low air pressure (operating at high altitudes).

- High ambient temperature.

- High switching frequency.

- Long motor cables.

- Cables with a large cross-section.

If these conditions are present, Danfoss recommends stepping up 1 power size.

9.6.1 Derating for Low-Speed Operation

When a motor is connected to a drive, it is necessary to check that the cooling of the motor is adequate. The level of cooling required depends on the load on the motor, the operating speed, and the length of time.

Constant torque applications
A problem can occur at low RPM values in constant torque applications. In a constant torque application, a motor can overheat at low speeds because less cooling air is being provided by the fan within the motor.

If the motor is run continuously at an RPM value lower than half of the rated value, the motor must be supplied with extra air cooling. If extra air cooling cannot be provided, a motor designed for low RPM/constant torque applications can be used instead.

Variable (quadratic) torque applications
Extra cooling or derating of the motor is not required in variable torque applications where the torque is proportional to the square of the speed, and the power is proportional to the cube of the speed. Centrifugal pumps and fans are common variable torque applications.

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9.6.2 Derating for Altitude

The cooling capability of air is decreased at lower air pressure.

No derating is necessary at or below 1000 m (3281 ft). Above 1000 m (3281 ft), the ambient temperature (T_{AMB}) or maximum output current (I_{MAX}) should be derated. Refer to *Illustration 9.2*.
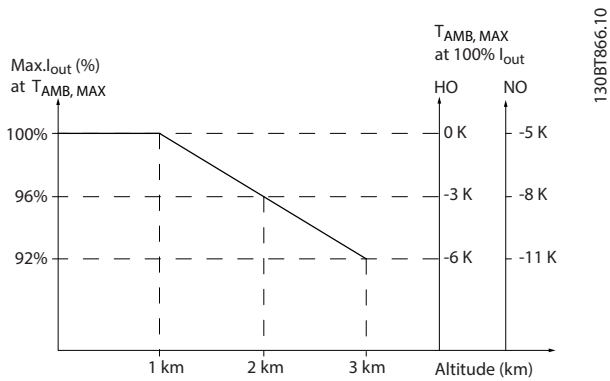

Illustration 9.2 Derating of Output Current Based on Altitude at $T_{AMB,MAX}$

Illustration 9.2 shows that at 41.7 °C (107 °F), 100% of the rated output current is available. At 45 °C (113 °F) (T_{AMB}, MAX-3 K), 91% of the rated output current is available.

9.6.3 Derating for Ambient Temperature and Switching Frequency

NOTICE

FACTORY DERATING

Danfoss drives are already derated for operational temperature (55 °C (131 °F) $T_{AMB,MAX}$ and 50 °C (122 °F) $T_{AMB,AVG}$).

Use the graphs in *Table 9.3* to *Table 9.4* to determine if the output current must be derated based on switching frequency and ambient temperature. When referring to the graphs, *I_out* indicates the percentage of rated output current, and *fsw* indicates the switching frequency.

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Enclosure	Switching pattern	High overload HO, 150%	Normal overload NO, 110%
E1h–E4h N315 to N500 380–500 V	60 AVM		
	SFAVM		

Table 9.3 Derating Tables for Drives Rated 380–500 V

Enclosure	Switching pattern	High overload HO, 150%	Normal overload NO, 110%
E1h–E4h N355 to N710 525–690 V	60 AVM		
	SFAVM		

Table 9.4 Derating Tables for Drives Rated 525–690 V

10 Electrical Installation Considerations

10.1 Safety Instructions

See *chapter 2 Safety* for general safety instructions.

⚠WARNING
INDUCED VOLTAGE

Induced voltage from output motor cables from different drives that are run together can charge equipment capacitors even with the equipment turned off and locked out. Failure to run output motor cables separately or use shielded cables could result in death or serious injury.

- **Run output motor cables separately or use shielded cables.**

- **Simultaneously lock out all the drives.**

⚠WARNING
SHOCK HAZARD

The drive can cause a DC current in the ground conductor and thus result in death or serious injury.

- **When a residual current-operated protective device (RCD) is used for protection against electrical shock, only an RCD of Type B is allowed on the supply side.**

Failure to follow the recommendation means that the RCD cannot provide the intended protection.

Overcurrent protection

- Extra protective equipment such as short-circuit protection or motor thermal protection between drive and motor is required for applications with multiple motors.

- Input fusing is required to provide short circuit and overcurrent protection. If fuses are not factory-supplied, the installer must provide them. See maximum fuse ratings in *chapter 10.5 Fuses and Circuit Breakers*.

Wire type and ratings

- All wiring must comply with local and national regulations regarding cross-section and ambient temperature requirements.

- Power connection wire recommendation: Minimum 75 °C (167 °F) rated copper wire.

See *chapter 7.6 Cable Specifications* for recommended wire sizes and types.

⚠CAUTION
PROPERTY DAMAGE!

Protection against motor overload is not included in the default setting. To add this function, set *parameter 1-90 Motor Thermal Protection* to *[ETR trip]* or *[ETR warning]*. For the North American market, the ETR function provides class 20 motor overload protection in accordance with NEC. Failure to set *parameter 1-90 Motor Thermal Protection* to *[ETR trip]* or *[ETR warning]* means that motor overload protection is not provided and, if the motor overheats, property damage can occur.
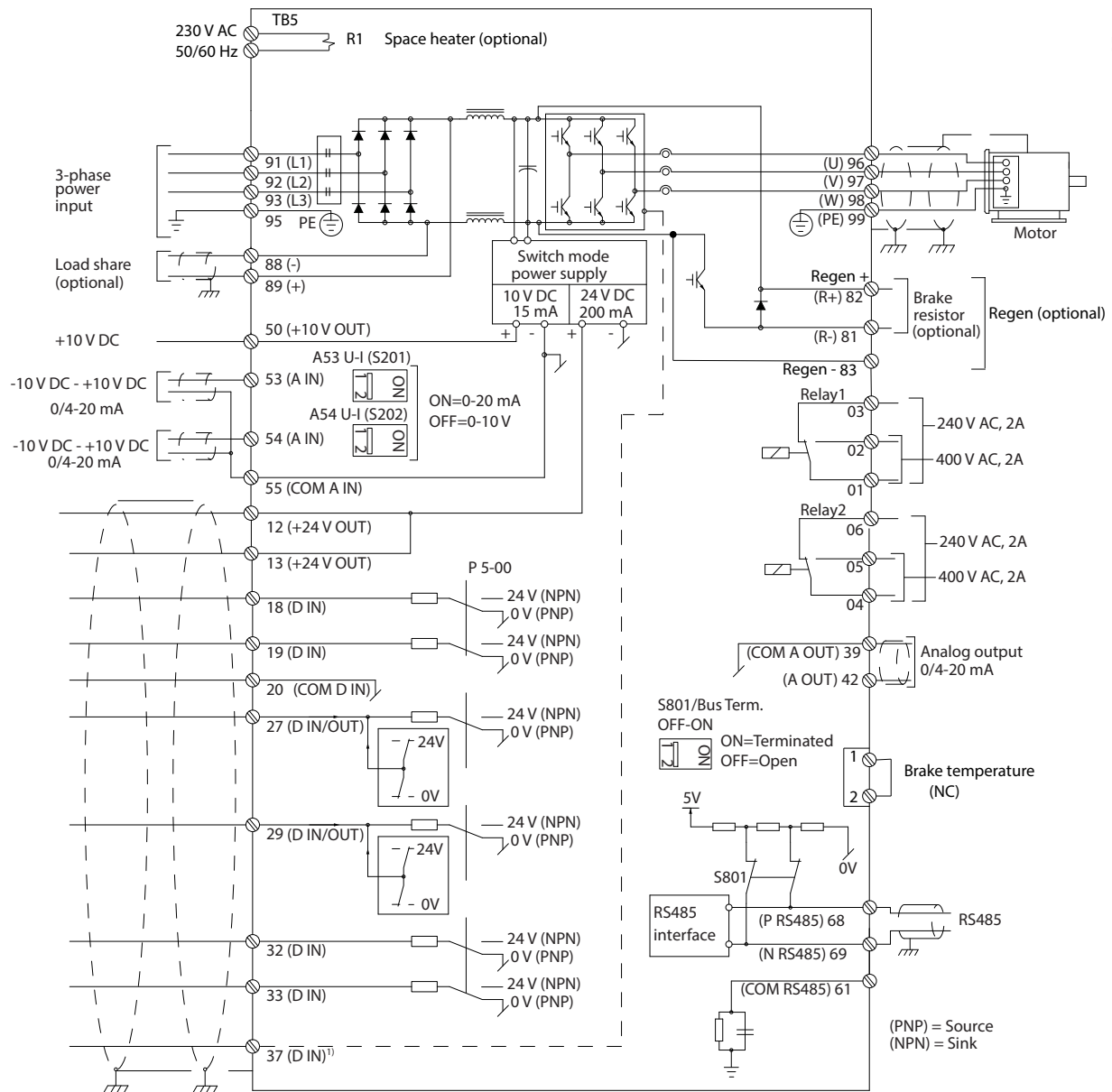
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10.2 Wiring Schematic

Illustration 10.1 Basic Wiring Schematic

A=Analog, D=Digital

1) Terminal 37 (optional) is used for Safe Torque Off. For Safe Torque Off installation instructions, refer to the Safe Torque Off Operating Guide.

10.3 Connections

10.3.1 Power Connections

NOTICE

All cabling must comply with national and local regulations on cable cross-sections and ambient temperature. UL applications require 75 °C (167 °F) copper conductors. Non-UL applications can use 75 °C (167 °F) and 90 °C (194 °F) copper conductors.

The power cable connections are located as shown in *Illustration 10.2*. See *chapter 7 Specifications* for correct dimensioning of motor cable cross-section and length.

For protection of the drive, use the recommended fuses unless the unit has built-in fuses. Recommended fuses are listed in *chapter 10.5 Fuses and Circuit Breakers*. Ensure that proper fusing complies with local regulations.

The connection of mains is fitted to the mains switch if included.
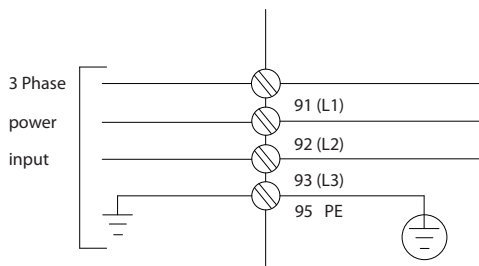
Illustration 10.2 Power Cable Connections

NOTICE

The motor cable must be shielded/armored. If an unshielded/unarmored cable is used, some EMC requirements are not complied with. Use a shielded/armored motor cable to comply with EMC emission specifications. For more information, see *chapter 10.15 EMC-compliant Installation*.

Shielding of cables

Avoid installation with twisted shield ends (pigtails). They spoil the shielding effect at higher frequencies. If it is necessary to break the shield to install a motor isolator or contactor, continue the shield at the lowest possible HF impedance.

Connect the motor cable shield to both the decoupling plate of the drive and the metal housing of the motor.

Make the shield connections with the largest possible surface area (cable clamp) by using the installation devices within the drive.

Cable length and cross-section
The drive has been EMC tested with a given length of cable. Keep the motor cable as short as possible to reduce the noise level and leakage currents.

Switching frequency
When drives are used together with sine-wave filters to reduce the acoustic noise from a motor, the switching frequency must be set according to the instructions in *parameter 14-01 Switching Frequency*.

Terminal	96	97	98	99	
–	U	V	W	PE[1]	Motor voltage 0–100% of mains voltage. 3 wires out of motor.
–	U1	V1	W1	PE[1]	Delta-connected.
	W2	U2	V2		6 wires out of motor.
–	U1	V1	W1	PE[1]	Star-connected U2, V2, W2 U2, V2, and W2 to be interconnected separately.

Table 10.1 Motor Cable Connection

1) Protected ground connection

NOTICE

In motors without phase insulation, paper, or other insulation reinforcement suitable for operation with voltage supply, use a sine-wave filter on the output of the drive.
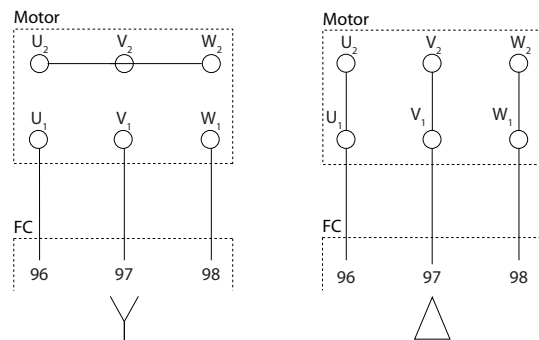

Illustration 10.3 Motor Cable Connection

10.3.2 DC Bus Connection

The DC bus terminal is used for DC back-up, with the DC link being supplied from an external source.

Terminal	Function
88, 89	DC Bus

Table 10.2 DC Bus Terminals

10.3.3 Load Sharing

Load sharing links together the DC intermediate circuits of several drives. For an overview, see *chapter 5.5 Load Share Overview*.

The load sharing feature requires extra equipment and safety considerations. Consult Danfoss for ordering and installation recommendations.

Terminal	Function
88, 89	Load sharing

Table 10.3 Load Sharing Terminals

The connection cable must be shielded and the maximum length from the drive to the DC bar is limited to 25 m (82 ft).

10.3.4 Brake Cable

The connection cable to the brake resistor must be shielded and the maximum length from the drive to the DC bar is limited to 25 m (82 ft).

- Use cable clamps to connect the shield to the conductive backplate on the drive and to the metal cabinet of the brake resistor.

- Size the brake cable cross-section to match the brake torque.

Terminal	Function
81, 82	Brake resistor terminals

Table 10.4 Brake Resistor Terminals

See the *VLT® Brake Resistor MCE 101 Design Guide* for more details.

NOTICE

If a short circuit in the brake IGBT occurs, prevent power dissipation in the brake resistor by using a mains switch or contactor to disconnect the mains from the drive. Only the drive should control the contactor.

10.4 Control Wiring and Terminals

10.4.1 Control Cable Routing

Tie down and route all control wires as shown in *Illustration 10.4*. Remember to connect the shields in a proper way to ensure optimum electrical immunity.

- Isolate control wiring from high-power cables.

- When the drive is connected to a thermistor, ensure that the thermistor control wiring is shielded and reinforced/double insulated. A 24 V DC supply voltage is recommended.

Fieldbus connection
Connections are made to the relevant options on the control card. See the relevant fieldbus instruction. The cable must be tied down and routed along with other control wires inside the unit. See *Illustration 10.4*.
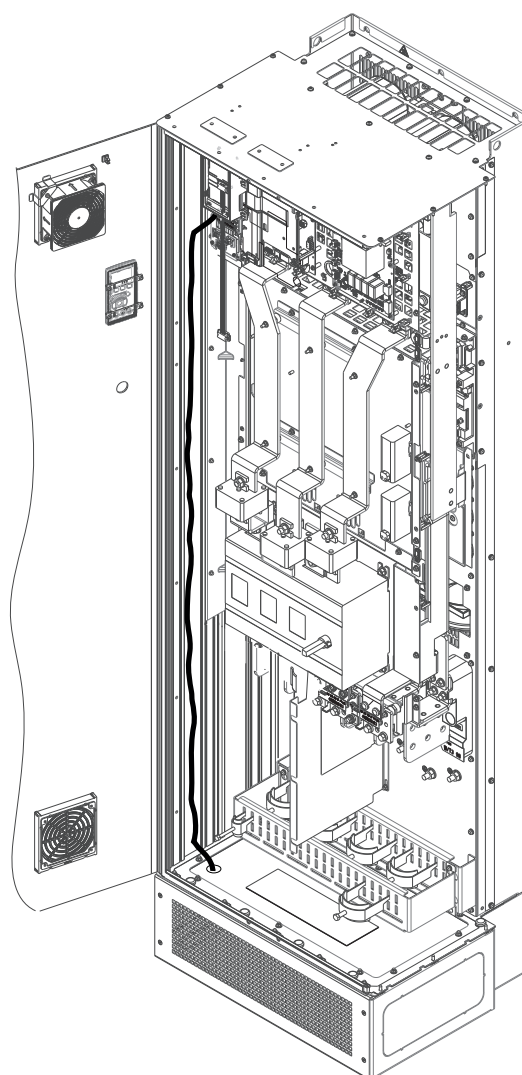

Illustration 10.4 Control Card Wiring Path

10.4.2 Control Terminals

Illustration 10.5 shows the removable drive connectors. Terminal functions and default settings are summarized in *Table 10.5 – Table 10.7*.
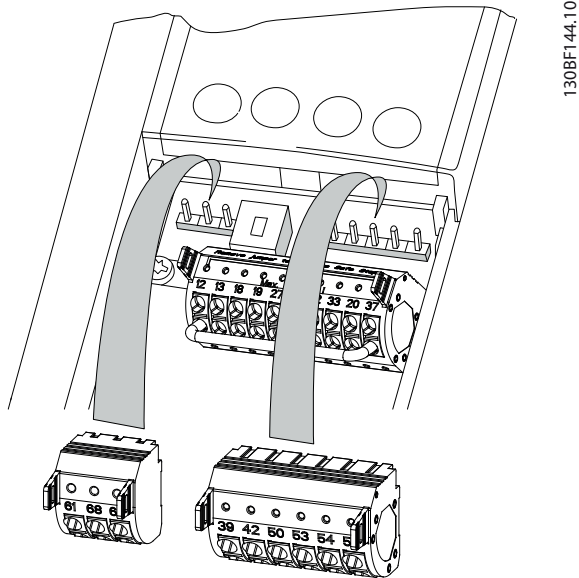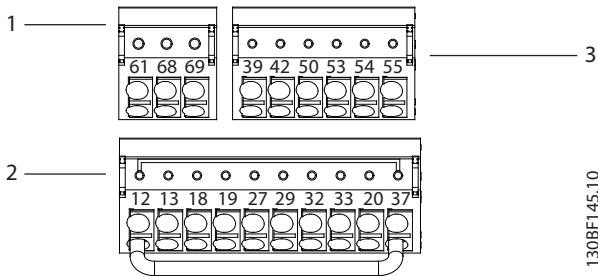

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Illustration 10.5 Control Terminal Locations

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1	Serial communication terminals
2	Digital input/output terminals
3	Analog input/output terminals

Illustration 10.6 Terminal Numbers Located on the Connectors

Serial communication terminals			
Terminal	**Parameter**	**Default setting**	**Description**
61	–	–	Integrated RC-filter for cable shield. ONLY for connecting the shield in case of EMC problems.
68 (+)	*Parameter group 8-3* FC Port Settings*	–	RS485 interface. A switch (BUS TER.) is provided on the control card for bus termination resistance. See the *VLT® AutomationDrive FC 300 90–1200 kW Design Guide*.
69 (-)	*Parameter group 8-3* FC Port Settings*	–	
Relays			
01, 02, 03	*Parameter 5-40 Function Relay [0]*	*[0] No operation*	Form C relay output. For AC or DC voltage and resistive or inductive loads.
04, 05, 06	*Parameter 5-40 Function Relay [1]*	*[0] No operation*	

Table 10.5 Serial Communication Terminal Descriptions

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Digital input/output terminals			
Terminal	**Parameter**	**Default setting**	**Description**
12, 13	–	+24 V DC	24 V DC supply voltage for digital inputs and external transducers. Maximum output current 200 mA for all 24 V loads.
18	*Parameter 5-10 Terminal 18 Digital Input*	*[8] Start*	Digital inputs.
19	*Parameter 5-11 Terminal 19 Digital Input*	*[10] Reversing*	
32	*Parameter 5-14 Terminal 32 Digital Input*	*[0] No operation*	
33	*Parameter 5-15 Terminal 33 Digital Input*	*[0] No operation*	
27	*Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input*	*[2] Coast inverse*	For digital input or output. Default setting is input.
29	*Parameter 5-13 Terminal 29 Digital Input*	*[14] JOG*	
20	–	–	Common for digital inputs and 0 V potential for 24 V supply.
37	–	STO	When not using the optional STO feature, a jumper wire is required between terminal 12 (or 13) and terminal 37. This set-up allows the drive to operate with factory default programming values.

Table 10.6 Digital Input/Output Terminal Descriptions

Analog input/output terminals			
Terminal	**Parameter**	**Default setting**	**Description**
39	–	–	Common for analog output.
42	*Parameter 6-50 Terminal 42 Output*	*[0] No operation*	Programmable analog output. 0–20 mA or 4–20 mA at a maximum of 500 Ω.
50	–	+10 V DC	10 V DC analog supply voltage for potentiometer or thermistor. 15 mA maximum.
53	*Parameter group 6-1* Analog Input 1*	Reference	Analog input. For voltage or current. Switches A53 and A54 select mA or V.
54	*Parameter group 6-2* Analog Input 2*	Feedback	
55	–	–	Common for analog input.

Table 10.7 Analog Input/Output Terminal Descriptions

Relay terminals:
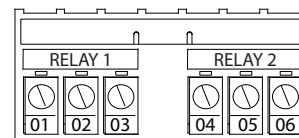
Illustration 10.7 Relay 1 and Relay 2 Terminals

- Relay 1 and relay 2. The location of the outputs depends on the drive configuration. See the *operating guide*.

- Terminals on built-in optional equipment. See the instructions provided with the equipment option.

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10.5 Fuses and Circuit Breakers

Fuses ensure that possible damage to the drive is limited to damages inside the unit. To ensure compliance with EN 50178, use identical Bussmann fuses as replacements. Refer to *Table 10.8*.

NOTICE

Use of fuses on the supply side is mandatory for IEC 60364 (CE) and NEC 2009 (UL) compliant installations.

Input voltage (V)	Bussmann ordering number
380–500	170M7309
525–690	170M7342

Table 10.8 Fuse Options

The fuses listed in *Table 10.8* are suitable for use on a circuit capable of delivering 100000 A_{rms} (symmetrical), depending on the drive voltage rating. With the proper fusing, the drive short circuit current rating (SCCR) is 100000 A_{rms}. E1h and E2h drives are supplied with internal drive fusing to meet the 100 kA SCCR and to comply with UL 61800-5-1 enclosed drive requirements. E3h and E4h drives must be fitted with Type aR fuses to meet the 100 kA SCCR.

NOTICE

DISCONNECT SWITCH
All units ordered and supplied with a factory-installed disconnect switch require Class L branch circuit fusing to meet the 100 kA SCCR for the drive. If a circuit breaker is used, the SCCR rating is 42 kA. The input voltage and power rating of the drive determines the specific Class L fuse. The input voltage and power rating is found on the product nameplate. For more information regarding the nameplate, see the *operating guide*.

Input voltage (V)	Power rating (kW)	Short circuit rating (A)	Required protection
380–500	315–400	42000	Circuit breaker
		100000	Class L fuse, 800 A
380–500	450–500	42000	Circuit breaker
		100000	Class L fuse, 1200 A
525–690	355–560	40000	Circuit breaker
		100000	Class L fuse, 800 A
525–690	630–710	42000	Circuit breaker
		100000	Class L fuse, 1200 A

10.6 Motor

10.6.1 Motor Cable

All types of 3-phase asynchronous standard motors can be used with a drive unit. The motor must be connected to the following terminals:

- U/T1/96

- V/T2/97

- W/T3/98

- Ground to terminal 99

Factory setting is for clockwise rotation with the drive
output connected as follows:

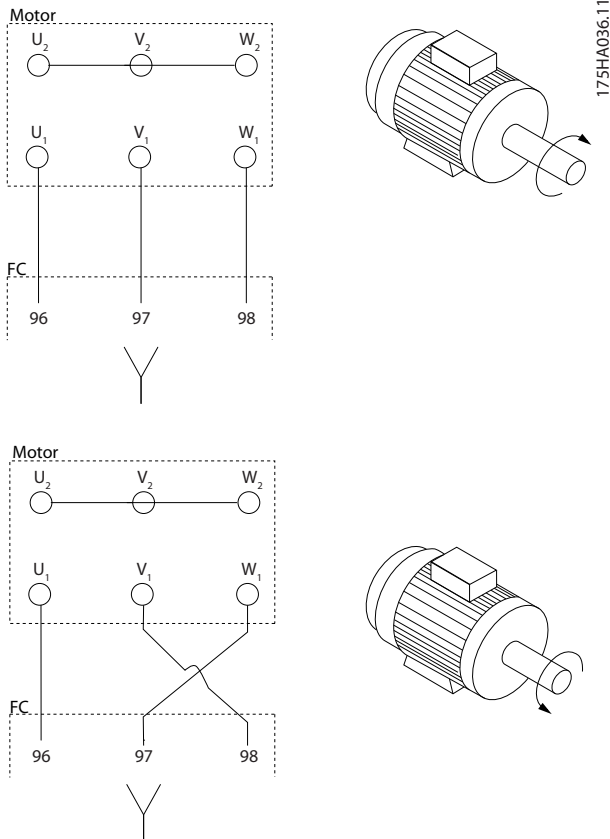| Terminal	Function
96	Mains U/T1
97	V/T2
98	W/T3
99	Ground

Table 10.9 Motor Cable Terminals

Illustration 10.8 Changing Motor Rotation

- Terminal U/T1/96 connected to U-phase
- Terminal V/T2/97 connected to V-phase
- Terminal W/T3/98 connected to W-phase

The direction of rotation can be changed by switching 2 phases in the motor cable, or by changing the setting of *parameter 4-10 Motor Speed Direction*.

Motor rotation check can be performed using *parameter 1-28 Motor Rotation Check* and following the configuration shown in *Illustration 10.8*.

10.6.2 Motor Thermal Protection

The electronic thermal relay in the drive has received UL-approval for single motor overload protection, when *parameter 1-90 Motor Thermal Protection* is set for *ETR Trip* and *parameter 1-24 Motor Current* is set to the rated motor current (see the motor nameplate).

For motor thermal protection, it is also possible to use the VLT® PTC Thermistor Card MCB 112 option. This card provides ATEX certification to protect motors in explosion hazardous areas Zone 1/21 and Zone 2/22. When *parameter 1-90 Motor Thermal Protection*, set to *[20] ATEX ETR*, is combined with the use of MCB 112, it is possible to control an Ex-e motor in explosion hazardous areas. Consult the *programming guide* for details on how to set up the drive for safe operation of Ex-e motors.

10.6.3 Parallel Connection of Motors

The drive can control several parallel-connected motors. For different configurations of parallel-connected motors, see *Illustration 10.9*.

When using parallel motor connection, observe the following points:

- Run applications with parallel motors in U/F mode (volts per hertz).
- VVC⁺ mode can be used in some applications.
- Total current consumption of motors must not exceed the rated output current I_{INV} for the drive.
- Problems can occur at start and at low RPM if motor sizes are widely different because the relatively high ohmic resistance in the stator of a small motor demands a higher voltage at start and at low RPM.
- The electronic thermal relay (ETR) of the drive cannot be used as motor overload protection. Provide further motor overload protection by including thermistors in each motor winding or individual thermal relays.
- When motors are connected in parallel, *parameter 1-02 Flux Motor Feedback Source* cannot be used, and *parameter 1-01 Motor Control Principle* must be set to *[0] U/f*.
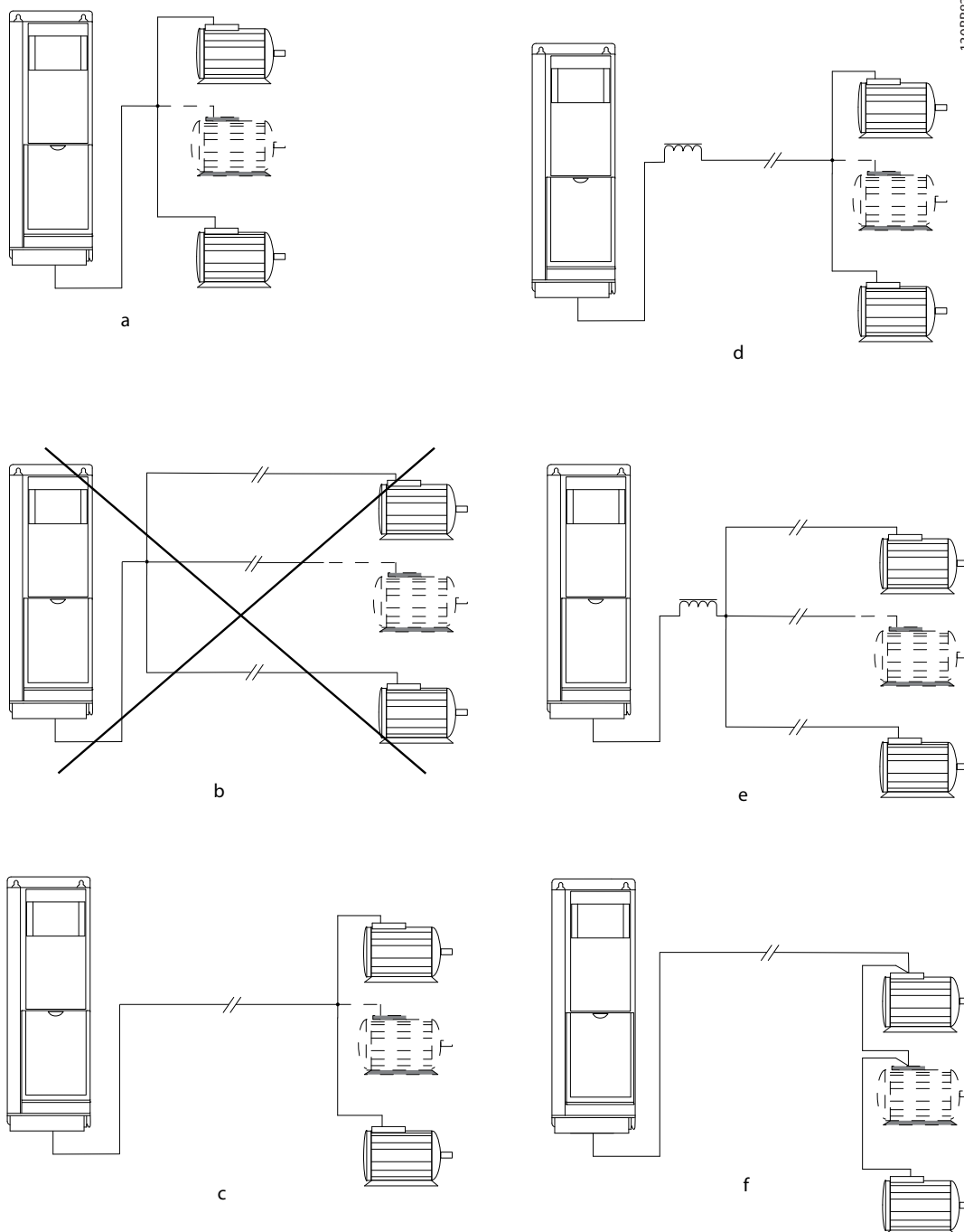
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A	Installations with cables connected in a common joint as shown in A and B are only recommended for short cable lengths.
B	Be aware of the maximum motor cable length specified in *chapter 7.6 Cable Specifications*.
C	The total motor cable length specified in *chapter 7.6 Cable Specifications* is valid as long as the parallel cables are kept short less than 10 m (32 ft) each.
D	Consider voltage drop across the motor cables.
E	Consider voltage drop across the motor cables.
F	The total motor cable length specified in *chapter 7.6 Cable Specifications* is valid as long as the parallel cables are kept less than 10 m (32 ft) each.

Illustration 10.9 Different Parallel Connections of Motors

10.6.4 Motor Insulation

For motor cable lengths that are less than or equal to the maximum cable length listed in *chapter 7.6 Cable Specifications*, use the motor insulation ratings shown in *Table 10.10*. If a motor has lower insulation rating, Danfoss recommends using a dU/dt or sine-wave filter.

Nominal mains voltage	Motor insulation
$U_N \leq 420$ V	Standard U_{LL}=1300 V
420 V<$U_N \leq$ 500 V	Reinforced U_{LL}=1600 V
500 V<$U_N \leq$ 600 V	Reinforced U_{LL}=1800 V
600 V<$U_N \leq$ 690 V	Reinforced U_{LL}=2000 V

Table 10.10 Motor Insulation Ratings

10.6.5 Motor Bearing Currents

To eliminate circulating bearing currents in all motors installed with VLT® AutomationDrive, install NDE (non-drive end) insulated bearings. To minimize DE (drive end) bearing and shaft currents, ensure proper grounding of the drive, motor, driven machine, and motor to the driven machine.

Standard mitigation strategies:
- Use an insulated bearing.
- Follow proper installation procedures.
  - Ensure that the motor and load motor are aligned.
  - Follow the EMC Installation guideline.
  - Reinforce the PE so the high frequency impedance is lower in the PE than the input power leads.
  - Provide a good high frequency connection between the motor and the drive. Use a shielded cable that has a 360° connection in the motor and the drive.
  - Ensure that the impedance from the drive to building ground is lower than the grounding impedance of the machine. This procedure can be difficult for pumps.
  - Make a direct ground connection between the motor and load motor.
- Lower the IGBT switching frequency.
- Modify the inverter waveform, 60° AVM vs. SFAVM.
- Install a shaft grounding system or use an isolating coupling.
- Apply conductive lubrication.

- Use minimum speed settings if possible.
- Try to ensure that the mains voltage is balanced to ground. This procedure can be difficult for IT, TT, TN-CS, or grounded leg systems.
- Use a dU/dt or sine-wave filter.

10.7 Braking

10.7.1 Brake Resistor Selection

To handle the higher demands of resistor braking, a brake resistor is necessary. The brake resistor absorbs the energy instead of the drive. For more information, see the *VLT® Brake Resistor MCE 101 Design Guide*.

If the amount of kinetic energy transferred to the resistor in each braking period is not known, the average power can be calculated based on the cycle time and braking time (intermittent duty cycle). The resistor intermittent duty cycle indicates the duty cycle at which the resistor is active. *Illustration 10.10* shows a typical braking cycle.

Motor suppliers often use S5 when stating the allowed load, which is an expression of intermittent duty cycle. The intermittent duty cycle for the resistor is calculated as follows:

Duty cycle=t_b/T

T=cycle time in s
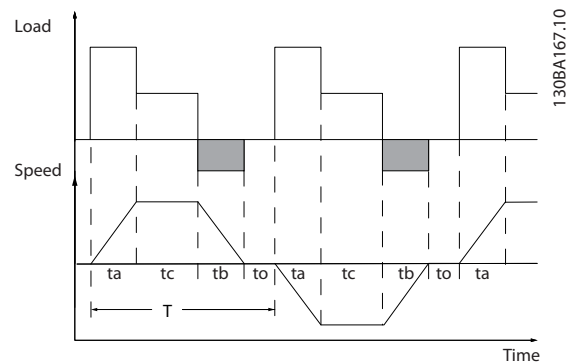t_b is the braking time in s (of the cycle time)

Illustration 10.10 Typical Braking Cycle

		Power size (high overload)				
		N315	N355	N400	N450	N500
Nominal braking [45 °C (113 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	600	600	600	600	600
	Current (%)	100	70	62	56	80
	Braking time (s)	240	240	240	240	240
Overload braking [45 °C (113 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	300	300	300	300	300
	Current (%)	136	92	81	72	107
	Braking time (s)	30	30	30	30	30
Nominal braking [25 °C (77 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	600	600	600	600	600
	Current (%)	100	92	81	89	80
	Braking time (s)	240	240	240	240	240
Overload braking [25 °C (77 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	300	300	300	300	300
	Current (%)	136	113	100	72	107
	Braking time (s)	30	10	10	30	30

Table 10.11 Braking Capability, 380–500 V

		Power size (high overload)					
		N355	N400	N500	N560	N630	N710
Nominal braking [45 °C (113 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	600	600	600	600	600	600
	Current (%)	89	79	63	63	71	63
	Braking time (s)	240	240	240	240	240	240
Overload braking [45 °C (113 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	300	300	300	300	300	300
	Current (%)	113	100	80	80	94	84
	Braking time (s)	30	30	30	30	30	30
Nominal braking [25 °C (77 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	600	600	600	600	600	60
	Current (%)	89	79	63	63	71	63
	Braking time (s)	240	240	240	240	240	240
Overload braking [25 °C (77 °F)]	Cycle time (s)	300	300	300	300	300	300
	Current (%)	113	100	80	80	94	84
	Braking time (s)	30	30	30	30	30	30

Table 10.12 Braking Capability, 525–690 V

Danfoss offers brake resistors with duty cycle of 5%, 10%, and 40%. If a 10% duty cycle is applied, the brake resistors are able to absorb brake power for 10% of the cycle time. The remaining 90% of the cycle time is used to dissipate excess heat.

NOTICE
Make sure that the resistor is designed to handle the required braking time.

The maximum allowed load on the brake resistor is stated as a peak power at a given intermittent duty cycle. The brake resistance is calculated as shown:

$$R_{br} [\Omega] = \frac{U_{dc}^2}{P_{peak}}$$

where

$P_{peak} = P_{motor} \times M_{br} [\%] \times \eta_{motor} \times \eta_{VLT} [W]$

As can be seen, the brake resistance depends on the DC-link voltage (U_{dc}).

Size	Brake active	Warning before cut out	Cut out (trip)
380–500 V[1)	810 V	828 V	855 V
525–690 V	1084 V	1109 V	1130 V

Table 10.13 FC 302 Brake Limits

1) Power size dependent

NOTICE
Check that the brake resistor can handle a voltage of 410 V, 820 V, 850 V, 975 V, or 1130 V. Danfoss brake resistors are rated for use on all Danfoss drives.

Danfoss recommends the brake resistance R_{rec}. This calculation guarantees that the drive is able to brake at the highest braking torque ($M_{br(\%)}$) of 150%. The formula can be written as:

$$R_{rec} [\Omega] = \frac{U_{dc}^2 \times 100}{P_{motor} \times M_{br(\%)} \times \eta_{VLT} \times \eta_{motor}}$$

η_{motor} is typically at 0.90
η_{VLT} is typically at 0.98

For 200 V, 480 V, 500 V, and 600 V drives, R_{rec} at 160% braking torque is written as:

$$200V : R_{rec} = \frac{107780}{P_{motor}} [\Omega]$$

$$500V : R_{rec} = \frac{464923}{P_{motor}} [\Omega]$$

$$600V : R_{rec} = \frac{630137}{P_{motor}} [\Omega]$$

$$690V : R_{rec} = \frac{832664}{P_{motor}} [\Omega]$$

NOTICE

The resistor brake circuit resistance selected should not be higher than what is recommended by Danfoss. Enclosure sizes E1h–E4h contain 1 brake chopper.

NOTICE

If a short circuit occurs in the brake transistor, power dissipation in the brake resistor is prevented only by using a mains switch or contactor to disconnect the mains from the drive, or a contact in the brake circuit. Uninterrupted power dissipation in the brake resistor can cause overheating, damage, or a fire.

⚠**WARNING**

FIRE HAZARD
Brake resistors get hot while/after braking, and must be placed in a secure environment to avoid fire risk.

10.7.2 Control with Brake Function

A relay/digital can be used to protect the brake resistor against overloading or overheating by generating a fault in the drive. If the brake IGBT is overloaded or overheated, the relay/digital signal from the brake to the drive turns off the brake IGBT. This relay/digital signal does not protect against a short circuit in the brake IGBT. Danfoss recommends a means to disconnect the brake if a short circuit occurs in the brake IGBT.

In addition, the brake makes it possible to read out the momentary power and the average power for the latest 120 s. The brake can monitor the power energizing and make sure that it does not exceed the limit selected in *parameter 2-12 Brake Power Limit (kW)*. *Parameter 2-13 Brake Power Monitoring* selects what function occurs when the power transmitted to the brake resistor exceeds the limit set in *parameter 2-12 Brake Power Limit (kW)*.

NOTICE

Monitoring the brake power is not a safety function; a thermal switch connected to an external contactor is required for that purpose. The brake resistor circuit is not ground leakage protected.

Overvoltage control (OVC) can be selected as an alternative brake function in *parameter 2-17 Over-voltage Control*. This function is active for all units and ensures that if the DC-link voltage increases, the output frequency also increases to limit the voltage from the DC link, which avoids a trip.

NOTICE

OVC cannot be activated when running a PM motor, while *parameter 1-10 Motor Construction* is set to *[1] PM non-salient SPM*.

10.8 Residual Current Devices (RCD) and Insulation Resistance Monitor (IRM)

Use RCD relays, multiple protective grounding, or grounding as extra protection, provided they comply with local safety regulations.
If a ground fault appears, a DC current can develop in the faulty current. If RCD relays are used, local regulations must be observed. Relays must be suitable for protection of 3-phase equipment with a bridge rectifier and for a brief discharge on power-up. See *chapter 10.9 Leakage Current* for more details.

10.9 Leakage Current

Follow national and local codes regarding protective grounding of equipment where leakage current exceeds 3.5 mA.
Drive technology implies high-frequency switching at high power. This high-frequency switching generates a leakage current in the ground connection.

The ground leakage current is made up of several contributions and depends on various system configurations, including:

- RFI filtering.
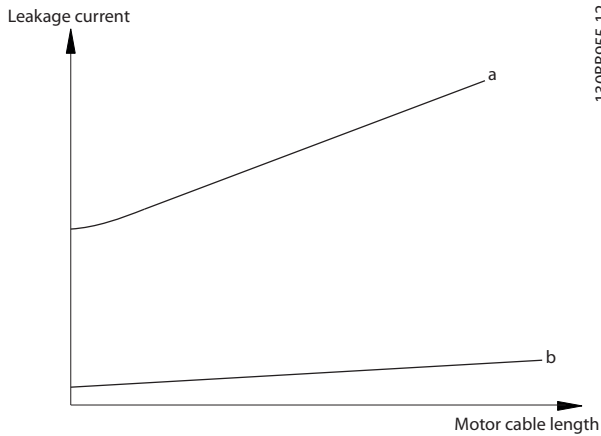
- Motor cable length.

- Motor cable screening.

- Drive power.

Illustration 10.11 Motor cable length and power size influence on leakage current. Power size a > power size b.

The leakage current also depends on the line distortion.
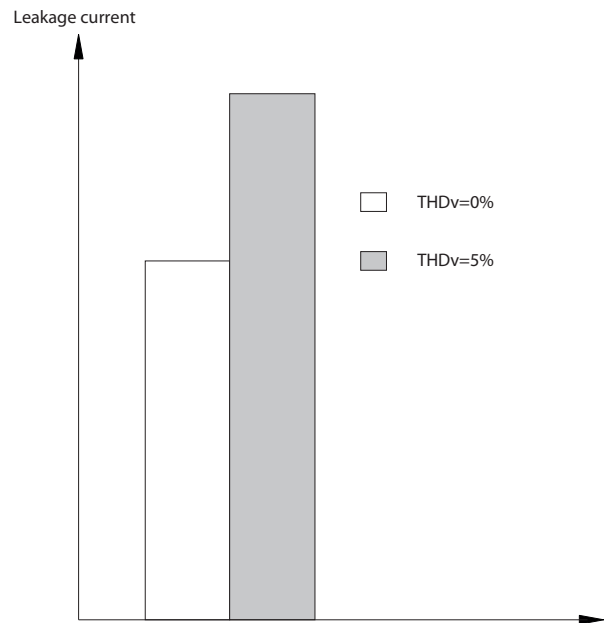
Illustration 10.12 Line Distortion Influences Leakage Current

If the leakage current exceeds 3.5 mA, compliance with EN/IEC61800-5-1 (power drive system product standard) requires special care.

Reinforce grounding with the following protective earth connection requirements:

- Ground wire (terminal 95) of at least 10 mm^2 (8 AWG) cross-section.

- 2 separate ground wires both complying with the dimensioning rules.

See EN/IEC61800-5-1 and EN 50178 for further information.

Using RCDs
Where residual current devices (RCDs), also known as ground leakage circuit breakers, are used, comply with the following:

- Use RCDs of type B only as they can detect AC and DC currents.

- Use RCDs with a delay to prevent faults due to transient ground currents.

- Dimension RCDs according to the system configuration and environmental considerations.

The leakage current includes several frequencies originating from both the mains frequency and the switching frequency. Whether the switching frequency is detected depends on the type of RCD used.
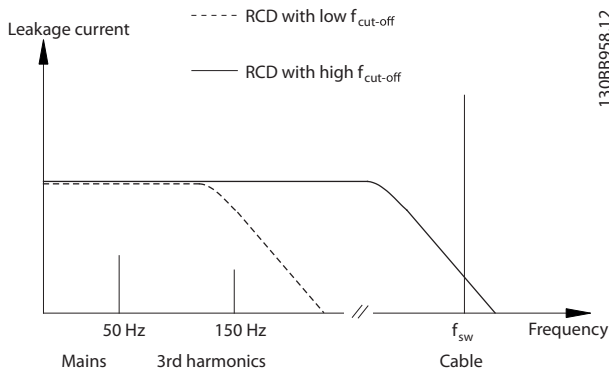
Illustration 10.13 Main Contributions to Leakage Current

The amount of leakage current detected by the RCD depends on the cut-off frequency of the RCD.
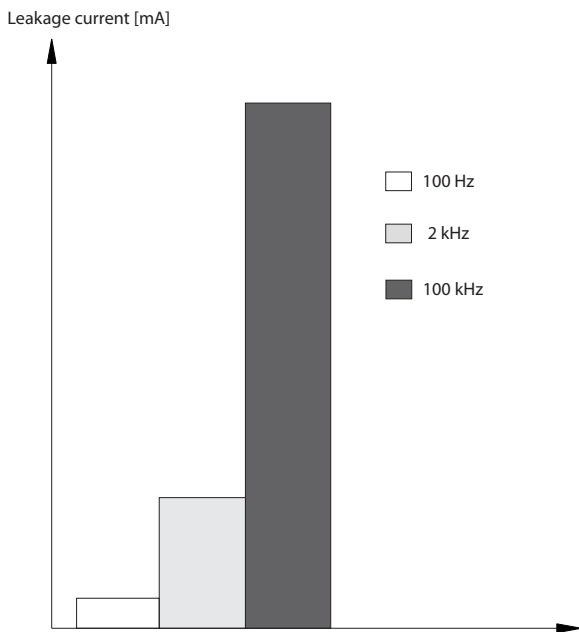
Illustration 10.14 Influence of the RCD Cut-off Frequency on Leakage Current

10.10   IT Mains

Mains Supply Isolated from Ground
If the drive is supplied from an isolated mains source (IT mains, floating delta, or grounded delta) or TT/TN-S mains with grounded leg, the RFI switch is recommended to be turned off via *parameter 14-50 RFI Filter* on the drive and *parameter 14-50 RFI Filter* on the filter. For more detail, see IEC 364-3. In the off position, the filter capacitors between the chassis and the DC link are cut off to avoid damage to the DC link and to reduce the ground capacity currents, according to IEC 61800-3.
If optimum EMC performance is needed, or parallel motors are connected, or the motor cable length is above 25 m (82 ft), Danfoss recommends setting *parameter 14-50 RFI*

Filter to [ON]. Refer also to the *Application Note, VLT on IT Mains, MN50P*. It is important to use isolation monitors that are rated for use together with power electronics (IEC 61557-8).

Danfoss does not recommend using an output contactor for 525–690 V drives connected to an IT mains network.

10.11   Efficiency

Efficiency of the drive (η_{VLT})
The load on the drive has little effect on its efficiency. In general, the efficiency is the same at the rated motor frequency $f_{M,N}$, whether the motor supplies 100% of the rated shaft torque or only 75%, in case of part loads.

The efficiency of the drive does not change even if other U/f characteristics are selected. However, the U/f characteristics influence the efficiency of the motor.

The efficiency declines slightly when the switching frequency is set to a value of above 5 kHz. The efficiency is slightly reduced when the mains voltage is 480 V, or if the motor cable is longer than 30 m (98 ft.).

Drive efficiency calculation
Calculate the efficiency of the drive at different speeds and loads based on *Illustration 10.15*. The factor in this graph must be multiplied with the specific efficiency factor listed in the specification tables in *chapter 7.1 Electrical Data, 380–500 V* and *chapter 7.2 Electrical Data, 525–690 V*.
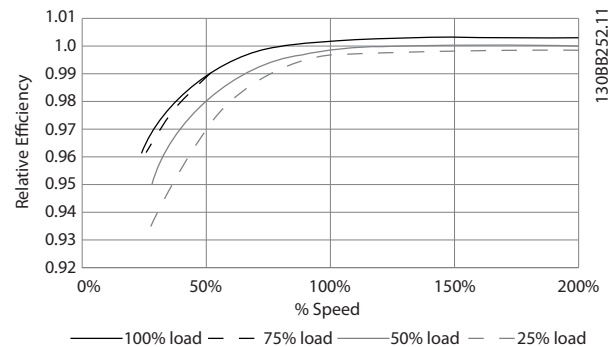
Illustration 10.15 Typical Efficiency Curves

Example: Assume a 160 kW, 380–480 V AC drive at 25% load at 50% speed. *Illustration 10.15* shows 0.97 - rated efficiency for a 160 kW drive is 0.98. The actual efficiency is then: 0.97x 0.98=0.95.

Efficiency of the motor (η_{MOTOR})
The efficiency of a motor connected to the drive depends on magnetizing level. In general, the efficiency is as good as with mains operation. The efficiency of the motor depends on the type of motor.

In the range of 75–100% of the rated torque, the efficiency of the motor is practically constant, both when the drive controls it and when it runs directly on the mains.

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In small motors, the influence from the U/f characteristic on efficiency is marginal. However, in motors from 11 kW (14.75 hp) and up, the advantages are significant.

Typically the switching frequency does not affect the efficiency of small motors. Motors from 11 kW (14.75 hp) and up have their efficiency improved (1–2%) because the shape of the motor current sine-wave is almost perfect at high switching frequency.

Efficiency of the System (η$_{SYSTEM}$)
To calculate system efficiency, the efficiency of the drive (η$_{VLT}$) is multiplied by the efficiency of the motor (η$_{MOTOR}$):
η$_{SYSTEM}$=η$_{VLT}$ x η$_{MOTOR}$

10.12 Acoustic Noise

The acoustic noise from the drive comes from 3 sources:

- DC intermediate circuit coils.
- Internal fans.
- RFI filter choke.

Table 10.14 lists the typical acoustic noise values measured at a distance of 1 m (9 ft) from the unit.

Enclosure size	dBA at full fan speed
E1h–E4h	80

Table 10.14 Acoustic Noise

Test results performed according to ISO 3744 for audible noise magnitude in a controlled environment. Noise tone has been quantified for engineering data record of hardware performance per ISO 1996-2 Annex D.

A new fan control algorithm for E1h-E4h enclosure sizes helps improve audible noise performance by allowing the operator to select different fan operation modes based on specific conditions. For more information, see *parameter 30-50 Heat Sink Fan Mode*.

10.13 dU/dt Conditions

NOTICE

To avoid the premature aging of motors that are not designed to be used with drives, such as those motors without phase insulation paper or other insulation reinforcement, Danfoss strongly recommends a dU/dt filter or a sine-wave filter fitted on the output of the drive. For further information about dU/dt and sine-wave filters, see the *Output Filters Design Guide*.

When a transistor in the inverter bridge switches, the voltage across the motor increases by a dU/dt ratio depending on:

- The motor cable (type, cross-section, length shielded or unshielded).
- Inductance.

The natural induction causes an overshoot U$_{PEAK}$ in the motor voltage before it stabilizes itself at a level depending on the voltage in the intermediate circuit. The rise time and the peak voltage U$_{PEAK}$ affect the service life of the motor. In particular, motors without phase coil insulation are affected if the peak voltage is too high. Motor cable length affects the rise time and peak voltage. For example, if the motor cable is short (a few meters), the rise time and peak voltage are lower. If the motor cable is long (100 m (328 ft)), the rise time and peak voltage are higher.

Peak voltage on the motor terminals is caused by the switching of the IGBTs. The drive complies with the demands of IEC 60034-25 regarding motors designed to be controlled by drives. The drive also complies with IEC 60034-17 regarding Norm motors controlled by drives.

High-power range
The power sizes in the following tables at the appropriate mains voltages comply with the requirements of IEC 60034-17 regarding normal motors controlled by drives, IEC 60034-25 regarding motors designed to be controlled by drives, and NEMA MG 1-1998 Part 31.4.4.2 for inverter fed motors. The power sizes in the following tables do not comply with NEMA MG 1-1998 Part 30.2.2.8 for general purpose motors.

380–500 V

Power size [kW (hp)]	Cable [m (ft)]	Mains voltage [V]	Rise time [μs]	Peak voltage [V]	dU/dt [V/μs]
315–400 (450–550)	5 (16)	460	0.23	1038	2372
	30 (98)	460	0.72	1061	644
	150 (492)	460	0.46	1142	1160
	300 (984)	460	1.84	1244	283
450–500 (600–650)	5 (16)	460	0.42	1042	1295
	30 (98)	460	0.57	1200	820
	150 (492)	460	0.63	1110	844
	300 (984)	460	2.21	1175	239

Table 10.15 NEMA dU/dt Test Results for E1h–E4h with Unshielded Cables and No Output Filter, 380–500 V

Power size [kW (hp)]	Cable [m (ft)]	Mains voltage [V]	Rise time [μs]	Peak voltage [V]	dU/dt [V/μs]
315–400 (450–550)	5 (16)	460	0.33	1038	2556
	30 (98)	460	1.27	1061	668
	150 (492)	460	0.84	1142	1094
	300 (984)	460	2.25	1244	443
450–500 (600–650)	5 (16)	460	0.53	1042	1569
	30 (98)	460	1.22	1200	1436
	150 (492)	460	0.90	1110	993
	300 (984)	460	2.29	1175	411

Table 10.16 IEC dU/dt Test Results for E1h–E4h with Unshielded Cables and No Output Filter, 380–500 V

Power size [kW (hp)]	Cable [m (ft)]	Mains voltage [V]	Rise time [μs]	Peak voltage [V]	dU/dt [V/μs]
315–400 (450–550)	5 (16)	460	0.17	1017	3176
	30 (98)	460	–	–	–
	150 (492)	460	0.41	1268	1311
450–500 (600–650)	5 (16)	460	0.17	1042	3126
	30 (98)	460	–	–	–
	150 (492)	460	0.22	1233	2356

Table 10.17 NEMA dU/dt Test Results for E1h–E4h with Shielded Cables and No Output Filter, 380–500 V

Power size [kW (hp)]	Cable [m (ft)]	Mains voltage [V]	Rise time [μs]	Peak voltage [V]	dU/dt [V/μs]
315–400 (450–550)	5 (16)	460	0.26	1017	3128
	30 (98)	460	–	–	–
	150 (492)	460	0.70	1268	1448
450–500 (600–650)	5 (16)	460	0.27	1042	3132
	30 (98)	460	–	–	–
	150 (492)	460	0.52	1233	1897

Table 10.18 IEC dU/dt Test Results for E1h–E4h with Shielded Cables and No Output Filter, 380–500 V

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525–690 V

Power size [kW (hp)]	Cable [m (ft)]	Mains voltage [V]	Rise time [µs]	Peak voltage [V]	dU/dt [V/µs]
355–560 (400–600)	30 (98)	690	0.37	1625	3494
	50 (164)	690	0.86	2030	1895
630–710 (650–750)	5 (16)	690	0.25	1212	3850
	20 (65)	690	0.33	1525	3712
	50 (164)	690	0.82	2040	1996

Table 10.19 IEC dU/dt Test Results for E1h–E4h with Unshielded Cables and No Output Filter, 525–690 V

Power size [kW (hp)]	Cable [m (ft)]	Mains voltage [V]	Rise time [µs]	Peak voltage [V]	dU/dt [V/µs]
355–560 (400–600)	5 (16)	690	0.23	1450	5217
	48 (157)	690	0.38	1637	3400
	150 (492)	690	0.94	1762	1502
630–710 (650–750)	5 (16)	690	0.26	1262	3894
	48 (157)	690	0.46	1625	2826
	150 (492)	690	0.94	1710	1455

Table 10.20 IEC dU/dt Test Results for E1h–E4h with Shielded Cables and No Output Filter, 525–690 V

NOTICE

TEST RESULTS

NEMA does not provide dU/dt results for 690 V.

10.14 Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) Overview

Electrical devices both generate interference and are affected by interference from other generated sources. The electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) of these effects depends on the power and the harmonic characteristics of the devices.

Uncontrolled interaction between electrical devices in a system can degrade compatibility and impair reliable operation. Interference takes the form of the following:

- Electrostatic discharges
- Rapid voltage fluctuations
- High-frequency interference

Electrical interference is most commonly found at frequencies in the range 150 kHz to 30 MHz. Airborne interference from the drive system in the range 30 MHz to 1 GHz is generated from the inverter, motor cable, and the motor.

Capacitive currents in the motor cable, coupled with a high dU/dt from the motor voltage, generate leakage currents. See *Illustration 10.16*. Shielded motor cables have higher capacitance between the phase wires and the shield, and again between the shield and ground. This added cable capacitance, along with other parasitic capacitance and motor inductance, changes the electromagnetic emission signature produced by the unit. The change in electromagnetic emission signature occurs mainly in emissions less than 5 MHz. Most of the leakage current (I1) is carried back to the unit through the PE (I3), leaving only a small electromagnetic field (I4) from the shielded motor cable. The shield reduces the radiated interference but increases the low-frequency interference on the mains.
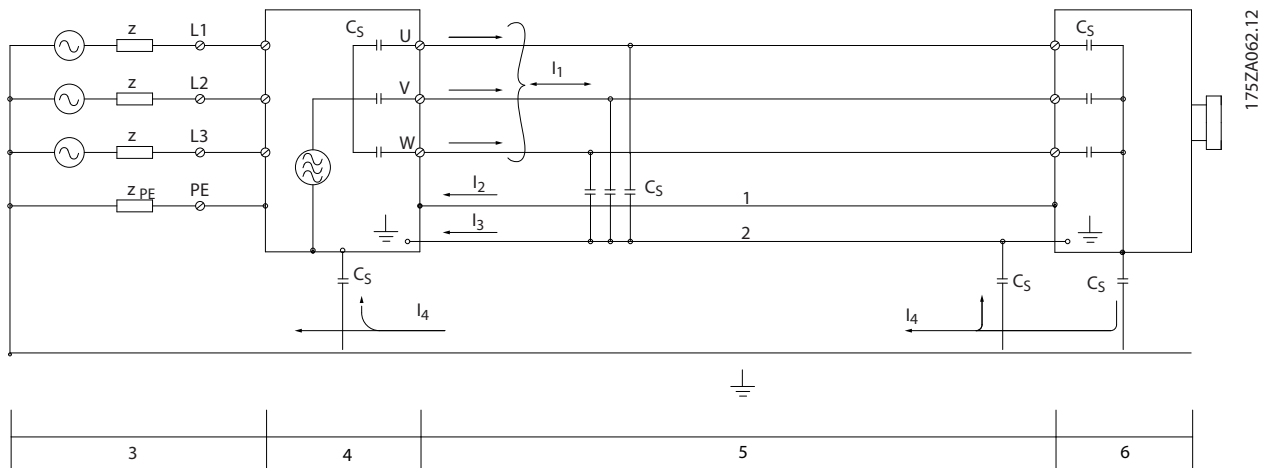
1	Ground wire	Cs	Possible shunt parasitic capacitance paths (varies with different installations)
2	Shield	I1	Common-mode leakage current
3	AC mains supply	I2	Shielded motor cable
4	Drive	I3	Safety ground (fourth conductor in motor cables
5	Shielded motor cable	I4	Unintended common-mode current
6	Motor	–	–

Illustration 10.16 Electric Model Showing Possible Leakage Currents

10.14.1 EMC Test Results

The following test results have been obtained using a drive (with options if relevant), a shielded control cable, a control box with potentiometer, a motor, and motor shielded cable.

RFI filter type		Conducted emission			Radiated emission	
Standards and requirements	EN 55011	**Class B** Housing, trades and light industries	**Class A group 1** Industrial environment	**Class A group 2** Industrial environment	**Class B** Housing, trades and light industries	**Class A group 1** Industrial environment
	EN/IEC 61800-3	**Category C1** First environment Home and office	**Category C2** First environment Home and office	**Category C3** Second environment Industrial	**Category C1** First environment Home and office	**Category C2** First environment Home and office
H2						
FC 302	90–800 kW 380–500 V	No	No	150 m (492 ft)	No	No
	90–1200 kW 525–690 V	No	No	150 m (492 ft)	No	No
H4						
FC 302	90–800 kW 380–500 V	No	150 m (492 ft)	150 m (492 ft)	No	Yes
	90–315 kW 525–690 V	No	30 m (98 ft)	150 m (492 ft)	No	No

Table 10.21 EMC Test Results (Emission and Immunity)

⚠WARNING

This type of power drive system is not intended to be used on a low-voltage public network that supplies domestic premises. Radio frequency interference is expected if used on such a network, and supplementary mitigation measures may be required.

10.14.2 Emission Requirements

According to the EMC product standard for adjustable speed drives EN/IEC 61800-3:2004, the EMC requirements depend on the environment in which the drive is installed. These environments along with the mains voltage supply requirements are defined in *Table 10.22*.

The drives comply with EMC requirements described in IEC/EN 61800-3 (2004)+AM1 (2011), category C3, for equipment having greater than 100 A per-phase current draw, installed in the second environment. Compliance testing is performed with a 150 m (492 ft) shielded motor cable.

Category (EN 61800-3)	Definition	Conducted emission (EN 55011)
C1	First environment (home and office) with a supply voltage less than 1000 V	Class B
C2	First environment (home and office) with a supply voltage less than 1000 V, which is not plug-in or movable and where a professional is intended to be used to install or commission the system.	Class A Group 1
C3	Second environment (industrial) with a supply voltage lower than 1000 V	Class A Group 2
C4	Second environment with the following: • Supply voltage equal to or above 1000 V • Rated current equal to or above 400 A • Intended for use in complex systems	No limit line. An EMC plan must be made.

Table 10.22 Emission Requirements

When the generic emission standards are used, the drives are required to comply with *Table 10.23*

Environment	Generic Standard	Conducted emission requirement according to EN 55011 limits
First environment (home and office)	EN/IEC 61000-6-3 Emission standard for residential, commercial, and light industrial environments.	Class B
Second environment (industrial environment)	EN/IEC 61000-6-4 Emission standard for industrial environments.	Class A Group 1

Table 10.23 Generic Emission Standard Limits

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10.14.3 Immunity Requirements

The immunity requirements for drives depend on the installation environment. The requirements for the industrial environment are higher than the requirements for the home and office environment. All Danfoss drives comply with the requirements for both the industrial and the home/office environment.

To document immunity against burst transient, the following immunity tests have been performed on a drive (with options if relevant), a shielded control cable, and a control box with potentiometer, motor cable, and motor. The tests were performed in accordance with the following basic standards. For more details, see *Table 10.24*

- **EN 61000-4-2 (IEC 61000-4-2):** Electrostatic discharges (ESD): Simulation of electrostatic discharges from human beings.

- **EN 61000-4-3 (IEC 61000-4-3):** Incoming electromagnetic field radiation, amplitude modulated simulation of the effects of radar, radio communication equipment, and mobile communications equipment.

- **EN 61000-4-4 (IEC 61000-4-4):** Burst transients: Simulation of interference brought about by switching a contactor, relay, or similar devices.

- **EN 61000-4-5 (IEC 61000-4-5):** Surge transients: Simulation of transients brought about by lightning strikes near installations.

- **EN 61000-4-6 (IEC 61000-4-6):** RF common mode: Simulation of the effect from radio-transmission equipment joined by connection cables.

Basic standard	Burst IEC 61000-4-4	Surge IEC 61000-4-5	ESD IEC 61000-4-2	Radiated electromagnetic Field IEC 61000-4-3	RF common mode voltage IEC 61000-4-6
Acceptance criterion	**B**	**B**	**B**	**A**	**A**
Line	4 kV CM	2 kV/2 Ω DM 4 kV/12 Ω CM	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Motor	4 kV CM	4 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Brake	4 kV CM	4 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Load sharing	4 kV CM	4 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Control wires	2 kV CM	2 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Standard bus	2 kV CM	2 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Relay wires	2 kV CM	2 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Application and Fieldbus options	2 kV CM	2 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
LCP cable	2 kV CM	2 kV/2 Ω[1]	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
External 24 V DC	2 V CM	0.5 kV/2 Ω DM 1 kV/12 Ω CM	–	–	10 V$_{RMS}$
Enclosure	–	–	8 kV AD 6 kV CD	10 V/m	–

Table 10.24 EMC Immunity Form, Voltage Range: 380–500 V, 525–600 V, 525–690 V

1) Injection on cable shield

AD: air discharge; CD: contact discharge; CM: common mode; DM: differential mode

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10.14.4 EMC Compatibility

NOTICE

OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITY

According to the EN 61800‒3 standard for variable-speed drive systems, the operator is responsible for ensuring EMC compliance. Manufacturers can offer solutions for operation conforming to the standard. Operators are responsible for applying these solutions, and for paying the associated costs.

There are 2 options for ensuring electromagnetic compatibility.

- Eliminate or minimize interference at the source of emitted interference.

- Increase the immunity to interference in devices affected by its reception.

RFI filters

The goal is to obtain systems that operate stably without radio frequency interference between components. To achieve a high level of immunity, use drives with high-quality RFI filters.

NOTICE

RADIO INTERFERENCE

In a domestic environment, this product can cause radio interference in which case supplementary mitigation measures are required.

PELV and galvanic isolation compliance

All E1h–E4h drives control and relay terminals comply with PELV (excluding grounded Delta leg above 400 V).

Galvanic (ensured) isolation is obtained by fulfilling requirements for higher isolation and by providing the relevant creepage/clearance distances. These requirements are described in the EN 61800‒5‒1 standard.

Electrical isolation is provided as shown (see *Illustration 10.17*). The components described comply with both PELV and the galvanic isolation requirements.
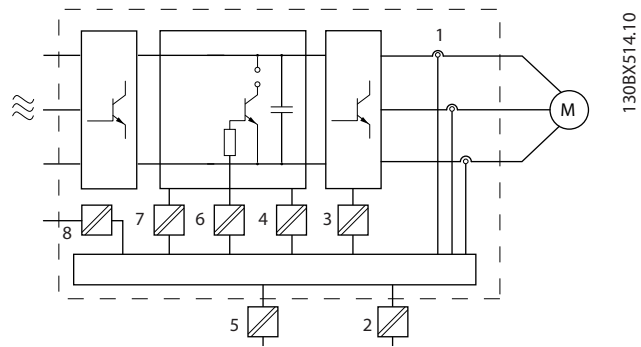
1	Current transducers
2	Galvanic isolation for the RS485 standard bus interface
3	Gatedrive for the IGBTs
4	Supply (SMPS) including signal isolation of V DC, indicating the intermediate current voltage
5	Galvanic isolation for the 24 V back-up option
6	Opto-coupler, brake module (optional)
7	Internal inrush, RFI, and temperature measurement circuits
8	Customer relays

Illustration 10.17 Galvanic Isolation

10.15 EMC-compliant Installation

To obtain an EMC-compliant installation, follow the instructions provided in the *operating guide*. For an example of proper EMC installation, see *Illustration 10.18*.

NOTICE

TWISTED SHIELD ENDS (PIGTAILS)

Twisted shield ends increase the shield impedance at higher frequencies, which reduces the shield effect and increases the leakage current. Avoid twisted shield ends by using integrated shield clamps.

- For use with relays, control cables, a signal interface, fieldbus, or brake, connect the shield to the enclosure at both ends. If the ground path has high impedance, is noisy, or is carrying current, break the shield connection on 1 end to avoid ground current loops.

- Convey the currents back to the unit using a metal mounting plate. Ensure good electrical contact from the mounting plate through the mounting screws to the drive chassis.

- Use shielded cables for motor output cables. An alternative is unshielded motor cables within metal conduit.

NOTICE

SHIELDED CABLES

If shielded cables or metal conduits are not used, the unit and the installation do not meet regulatory limits on radio frequency (RF) emission levels.

- Ensure that motor and brake cables are as short as possible to reduce the interference level from the entire system.

- Avoid placing cables with a sensitive signal level alongside motor and brake cables.

- For communication and command/control lines, follow the particular communication protocol standards. For example, USB must use shielded cables, but RS485/ethernet can use shielded UTP or unshielded UTP cables.

- Ensure that all control terminal connections are PELV.

NOTICE

EMC INTERFERENCE

Use shielded cables for motor and control wiring, and separate cables for mains input, motor wiring, and control wiring. Failure to isolate power, motor, and control cables can result in unintended behavior or reduced performance. Minimum 200 mm (7.9 in) clearance between mains input, motor, and control cables are required.

NOTICE

INSTALLATION AT HIGH ALTITUDE

There is a risk for overvoltage. Isolation between components and critical parts could be insufficient, and not comply with PELV requirements. Reduce the risk for overvoltage by using external protective devices or galvanic isolation.
For installations above 2000 m (6500 ft) altitude, contact Danfoss regarding PELV compliance.

NOTICE

PELV COMPLIANCE

Prevent electric shock by using protective extra low voltage (PELV) electrical supply and complying with local and national PELV regulations.

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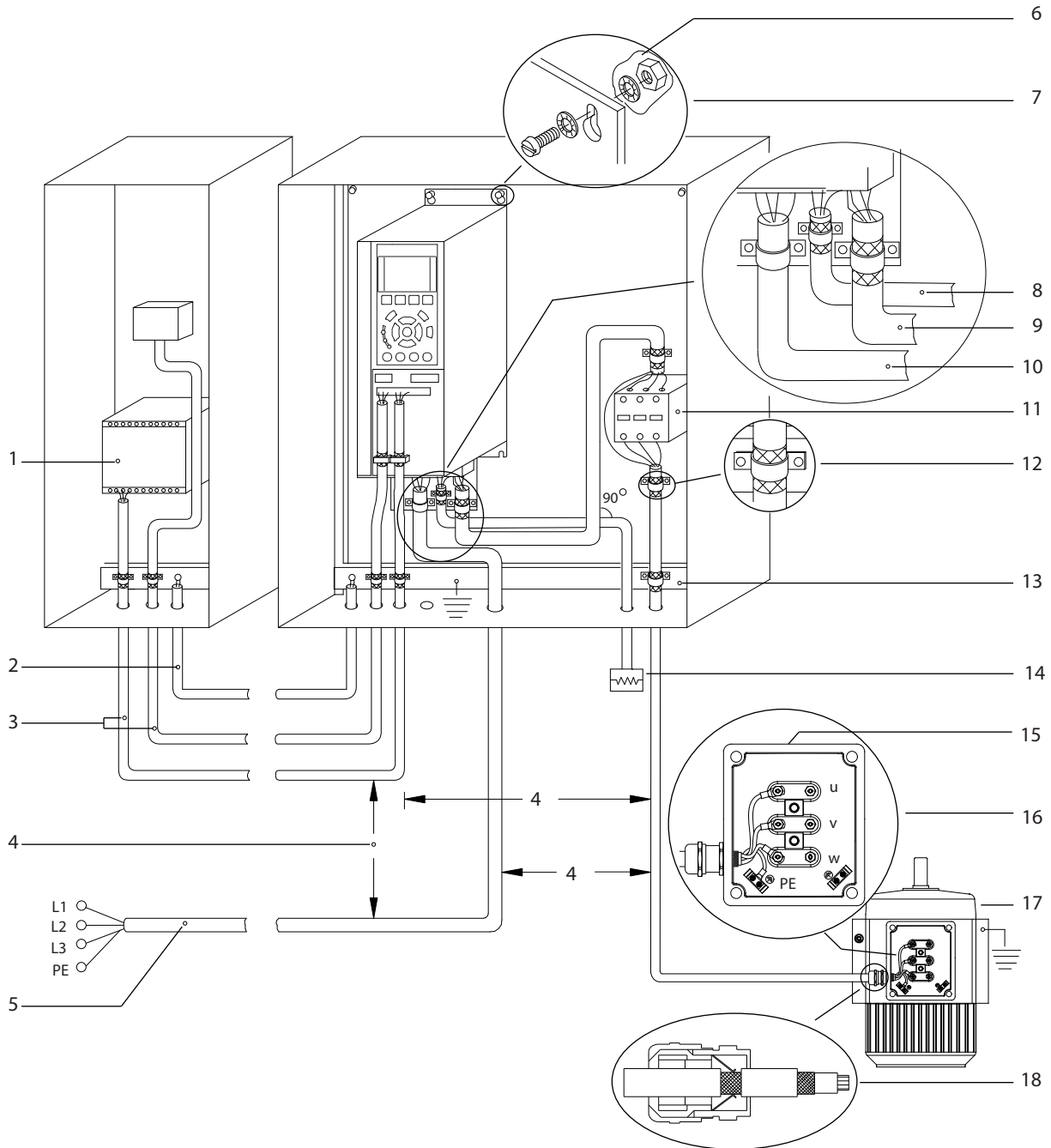
1	PLC	10	Mains cable (unshielded)
2	Minimum 16 mm² (6 AWG) equalizing cable	11	Output contactor, and so on
3	Control cables	12	Cable insulation stripped
4	Minimum 200 mm (7.9 in) between control cables, motor cables, and mains cables.	13	Common ground busbar. Follow local and national requirements for cabinet grounding.
5	Mains supply	14	Brake resistor
6	Bare (unpainted) surface	15	Metal box
7	Star washers	16	Connection to motor
8	Brake cable (shielded)	17	Motor
9	Motor cable (shielded)	18	EMC cable gland

Illustration 10.18 Example of Proper EMC Installation

10.16 Harmonics Overview

Non-linear loads such as found with drives do not draw current uniformly from the power line. This non-sinusoidal current has components which are multiples of the basic current frequency. These components are referred to as harmonics. It is important to control the total harmonic distortion on the mains supply. Although the harmonic currents do not directly affect electrical energy consumption, they generate heat in wiring and transformers that can affect other devices on the same power line.

10.16.1 Harmonic Analysis

Since harmonics increase heat losses, it is important to design systems with harmonics in mind to prevent overloading the transformer, inductors, and wiring. When necessary, perform an analysis of the system harmonics to determine equipment effects.

A non-sinusoidal current is transformed with a Fourier series analysis into sine-wave currents at different frequencies, that is, different harmonic currents I_N with 50 Hz or 60 Hz as the basic frequency.

Abbreviation	Description
f_1	Basic frequency (50 Hz or 60 Hz)
I_1	Current at the basic frequency
U_1	Voltage at the basic frequency
I_n	Current at the nth harmonic frequency
U_n	Voltage at the nth harmonic frequency
n	Harmonic order

Table 10.25 Harmonics-related Abbreviations

	Basic current (I_1)	Harmonic current (I_n)		
Current	I_1	I_5	I_7	I_{11}
Frequency	50 Hz	250 Hz	350 Hz	550 Hz

Table 10.26 Basic Currents and Harmonic Currents

Current	Harmonic current				
	I_{RMS}	I_1	I_5	I_7	I_{11-49}
Input current	1.0	0.9	0.5	0.2	<0.1

Table 10.27 Harmonic Currents Compared to the RMS Input Current

The voltage distortion on the mains supply voltage depends on the size of the harmonic currents multiplied by the mains impedance for the frequency in question. The total voltage distortion (THDi) is calculated based on the individual voltage harmonics using this formula:

$$THDi = \frac{\sqrt{U25 + U27 + \ldots + U2n}}{U}$$

10.16.2 Effect of Harmonics in a Power Distribution System

In *Illustration 10.19*, a transformer is connected on the primary side to a point of common coupling PCC1, on the medium voltage supply. The transformer has an impedance Z_{xfr} and feeds several loads. The point of common coupling where all loads are connected is PCC2. Each load connects through cables that have an impedance Z_1, Z_2, Z_3.
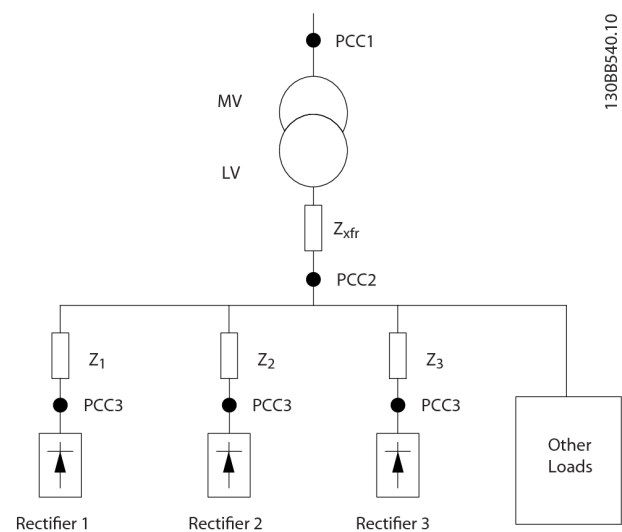
PCC	Point of common coupling
MV	Medium voltage
LV	Low voltage
Z_{xfr}	Transformer impedance
$Z_\#$	Modeling resistance and inductance in the wiring

Illustration 10.19 Small Distribution System

Harmonic currents drawn by non-linear loads cause distortion of the voltage because of the voltage drop on the impedances of the distribution system. Higher impedances result in higher levels of voltage distortion.

Current distortion relates to apparatus performance and it relates to the individual load. Voltage distortion relates to system performance. It is not possible to determine the voltage distortion in the PCC knowing only the harmonic performance of the load. To predict the distortion in the PCC, the configuration of the distribution system and relevant impedances must be known.

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A commonly used term for describing the impedance of a grid is the short circuit ratio R_{sce}, where R_{sce} is defined as the ratio between the short circuit apparent power of the supply at the PCC (S_{sc}) and the rated apparent power of the load.

$$(S_{equ}).R_{sce} = \frac{S_{sc}}{S_{equ}}$$

where $S_{sc} = \frac{U^2}{Z_{supply}}$ and $S_{equ} = U \times I_{equ}$

Negative effects of harmonics

- Harmonic currents contribute to system losses (in cabling and transformer).

- Harmonic voltage distortion causes disturbance to other loads and increases losses in other loads.

10.16.3 IEC Harmonic Standards

In most of Europe, the basis for the objective assessment of the quality of mains power is the Electromagnetic Compatibility of Devices Act (EMVG). Compliance with these regulations ensures that all devices and networks connected to electrical distribution systems fulfill their intended purpose without generating problems.

Standard	Definition
EN 61000-2-2, EN 61000-2-4, EN 50160	Define the mains voltage limits required for public and industrial power grids.
EN 61000-3-2, 61000-3-12	Regulate mains interference generated by connected devices in lower current products.
EN 50178	Monitors electronic equipment for use in power installations.

Table 10.28 EN Design Standards for Mains Power Quality

There are 2 European standards that address harmonics in the frequency range from 0 Hz to 9 kHz:

EN 61000–2–2 (Compatibility Levels for Low-Frequency Conducted Disturbances and Signaling in Public Low-Voltage Power Supply Systems
The EN 61000–2–2 standard states the requirements for compatibility levels for PCC (point of common coupling) of low-voltage AC systems on a public supply network. Limits are specified only for harmonic voltage and total harmonic distortion of the voltage. EN 61000–2–2 does not define limits for harmonic currents. In situations where the total harmonic distortion THD(V)=8%, PCC limits are identical to those limits specified in the EN 61000–2–4 Class 2.

EN 61000–2–4 (Compatibility Levels for Low-Frequency Conducted Disturbances and Signaling in Industrial Plants)
The EN 61000–2–4 standard states the requirements for compatibility levels in industrial and private networks. The standard further defines the following 3 classes of electromagnetic environments:

- Class 1 relates to compatibility levels that are less than the public supply network, which affects equipment sensitive to disturbances (lab equipment, some automation equipment, and certain protection devices).

- Class 2 relates to compatibility levels that are equal to the public supply network. The class applies to PCCs on the public supply network and to IPCs (internal points of coupling) on industrial or other private supply networks. Any equipment designed for operation on a public supply network is allowed in this class.

- Class 3 relates to compatibility levels greater than the public supply network. This class applies only to IPCs in industrial environments. Use this class where the following equipment is found:

    - Large drives.

    - Welding machines.

    - Large motors starting frequently.

    - Loads that change quickly.

Typically, a class cannot be defined ahead of time without considering the intended equipment and processes to be used in the environment. VLT® high-power drives observe the limits of Class 3 under typical supply system conditions (R_{SC}>10 or $v_{k\ Line}$<10%).

Harmonic order (h)	Class 1 (V_h%)	Class 2 (V_h%)	Class 3 (V_h%)
5	3	6	8
7	3	5	7
11	3	3.5	5
13	3	3	4.5
17	2	2	4
17<h≤49	2.27 x (17/h) − 0.27	2.27 x (17/h) − 0.27	4.5 x (17/h) − 0.5

Table 10.29 Compatibility Levels for Harmonics

	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
THDv	5%	8%	10%

Table 10.30 Compatibility Levels for the Total Harmonic Voltage Distortion THDv

10.16.4 Harmonic Compliance

Danfoss drives comply with the following standards:

- IEC61000-2-4

- IEC61000-3-4

- G5/4

10.16.5 Harmonic Mitigation

In cases where extra harmonic suppression is required, Danfoss offers the following mitigation equipment:

- VLT® 12-pulse drives

- VLT® AHF filters

- VLT® Low Harmonic Drives

- VLT® Active Filters

Selecting the right solution depends on several factors:

- The grid (background distortion, mains unbalance, resonance, and type of supply (transformer/generator).

- Application (load profile, number of loads, and load size).

- Local/national requirements/regulations (such as IEEE 519, IEC, and G5/4).

- Total cost of ownership (initial cost, efficiency, and maintenance).

10.16.6 Harmonic Calculation

Use the free Danfoss MCT 31 calculation software to determine the degree of voltage pollution on the grid and needed precaution. The *VLT® Harmonic Calculation MCT 31* is available at *www.danfoss.com*.

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11 Basic Operating Principles of a Drive

This chapter provides an overview of the primary assemblies and circuitry of a Danfoss drive. It describes the internal electrical and signal processing functions. A description of the internal control structure is also included.

11.1 Description of Operation

A drive is an electronic controller that supplies a regulated amount of AC power to a 3-phase inductive motor. By supplying variable frequency and voltage to the motor, the drive varies the motor speed or maintains a constant speed as the load on the motor changes. Also, the drive can stop and start a motor without the mechanical stress associated with a line start.

In its basic form, the drive can be divided into the following 4 main areas:

Rectifier
The rectifier consists of SCRs or diodes that convert 3-phase AC voltage to pulsating DC voltage.

DC link (DC bus)
The DC-link consists of inductors and capacitor banks that stabilize the pulsating DC voltage.

Inverter
The inverter uses IGBTs to convert the DC voltage to variable voltage and variable frequency AC.

Control
The control area consists of software that runs the hardware to produce the variable voltage that controls and regulates the AC motor.
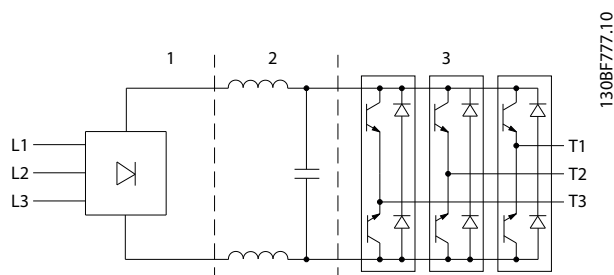
1	Rectifier (SCR/diodes)
2	DC link (DC bus)
3	Inverter (IGBTs)

Illustration 11.1 Internal Processing

11.2 Drive Controls

The following processes are used to control and regulate the motor:

- User input/reference.

- Feedback handling.

- User-defined control structure.

    - Open loop/closed-loop mode.

    - Motor control (speed, torque, or process).

- Control algorithms (VVC⁺, flux sensorless, flux with motor feedback, and internal current control VVC⁺).

11.2.1 User Inputs/References

The drive uses an input source (also called reference) to control and regulate the motor. The drive receives this input either

- Manually via the LCP. This method is referred to as local [Hand On].

- Remotely via analog/digital inputs and various serial interfaces (RS485, USB, or an optional fieldbus). This method is referred to as remote [Auto On] and is the default input setting.

Active reference
The term active reference refers to the active input source. The active reference is configured in *parameter 3-13 Reference Site*. See *Illustration 11.2* and *Table 11.1*.

For more information, see the *programming guide*.
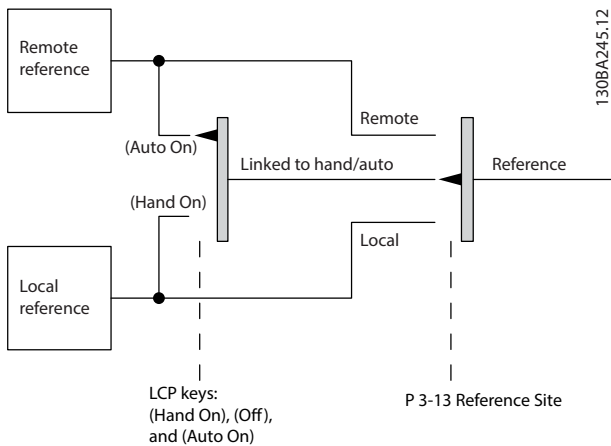
Illustration 11.2 Selecting Active Reference

LCP Keys	Parameter 3-13 Reference Site	Active Reference
[Hand On]	Linked to hand/auto	Local
[Hand On]⇒(Off)	Linked to hand/auto	Local
[Auto On]	Linked to hand/auto	Remote
[Auto On]⇒(Off)	Linked to hand/auto	Remote
All keys	Local	Local
All keys	Remote	Remote

Table 11.1 Local and Remote Reference Configurations

11.2.2 Remote Handling of References

Remote handling of reference applies to both open-loop and closed-loop operation. See *Illustration 11.3*.

Up to 8 internal preset references can be programmed into the drive. The active internal preset reference can be selected externally through digital control inputs or through the serial communications bus.

External references can also be supplied to the drive, most commonly through an analog control input. All reference sources and the bus reference are added to produce the total external reference. The active reference can be selected from the following:

- External reference
- Preset reference
- Setpoint
- Sum of the external reference, preset reference, and setpoint

The active reference can be scaled. The scaled reference is calculated as follows:

$$Reference = X + X \times \left(\frac{Y}{100}\right)$$

Where X is the external reference, the preset reference, or the sum of these references, and Y is *parameter 3-14 Preset Relative Reference* in [%].

If Y, *parameter 3-14 Preset Relative Reference*, is set to 0%, the scaling does not affect the reference.

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Preset relative ref.

Input command:
Preset ref. bit0, bit1, bit2

[0]
[1]
[2]
[3]
[4]
[5]
[6]
[7]

P 3-10
Preset ref.

P 1-00
Configuration mode

P 3-04
Ref. function

Y

Relative
X+X*Y
/100

±200%

Input command:
Freeze ref.

Open loop

Scale to
RPM,Hz
or %

Remote
ref.

Σ

X

Σ

±200%

max ref.
%
%
min ref.

No function
Analog inputs
Frequency inputs
Ext. closed loop outputs
DigiPot

P 3-15
Ref. 1 source

on
±200%
off

Input command:
Ref. Preset

±100%

Freeze ref.
&
increase/
decrease
ref.

Scale to
Closed
loop
unit

Closed loop

No function
Analog inputs
Frequency inputs
Ext. closed loop outputs
DigiPot

P 3-16
Ref. 2 source

Σ

Input command:
Speed up/ speed down

Ref. in %

No function
Analog inputs
Frequency inputs
Ext. closed loop outputs
DigiPot

P 3-17
Ref. 3 source

External
reference
in %

P 1-00
Configuration mode

Closed loop
±200%

Setpoint
From Feedback Handling

0%
Open loop

Increase
0/1
Decrease
0/1

DigiPot

Digipot ref.
±200%

Clear
0/1

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Bus
reference

Illustration 11.3 Remote Handling of Reference

11.2.3 Feedback Handling

Feedback handling can be configured to work with applications requiring advanced control, such as multiple setpoints and multiple types of feedback. See *Illustration 11.4*. Three types of control are common:

Single zone (single setpoint)
This control type is a basic feedback configuration. Setpoint 1 is added to any other reference (if any) and the feedback signal is selected.

Multi-zone (single setpoint)
This control type uses 2 or 3 feedback sensors but only 1 setpoint. The feedback can be added, subtracted, or averaged. In addition, the maximum or minimum value can be used. Setpoint 1 is used exclusively in this configuration.

Multi-zone (setpoint/feedback)
The setpoint/feedback pair with the largest difference controls the speed of the drive. The maximum value attempts to keep all zones at or below their respective setpoints, while the minimum value attempts to keep all zones at or above their respective setpoints.

Example
A 2-zone, 2-setpoint application. Zone 1 setpoint is 15 bar, and the feedback is 5.5 bar. Zone 2 setpoint is 4.4 bar, and the feedback is 4.6 bar. If maximum is selected, the zone 2 setpoint and feedback are sent to the PID controller, since it has the smaller difference (feedback is higher than setpoint, resulting in a negative difference). If minimum is selected, the zone 1 setpoint and feedback is sent to the PID controller, since it has the larger difference (feedback is lower than setpoint, resulting in a positive difference).
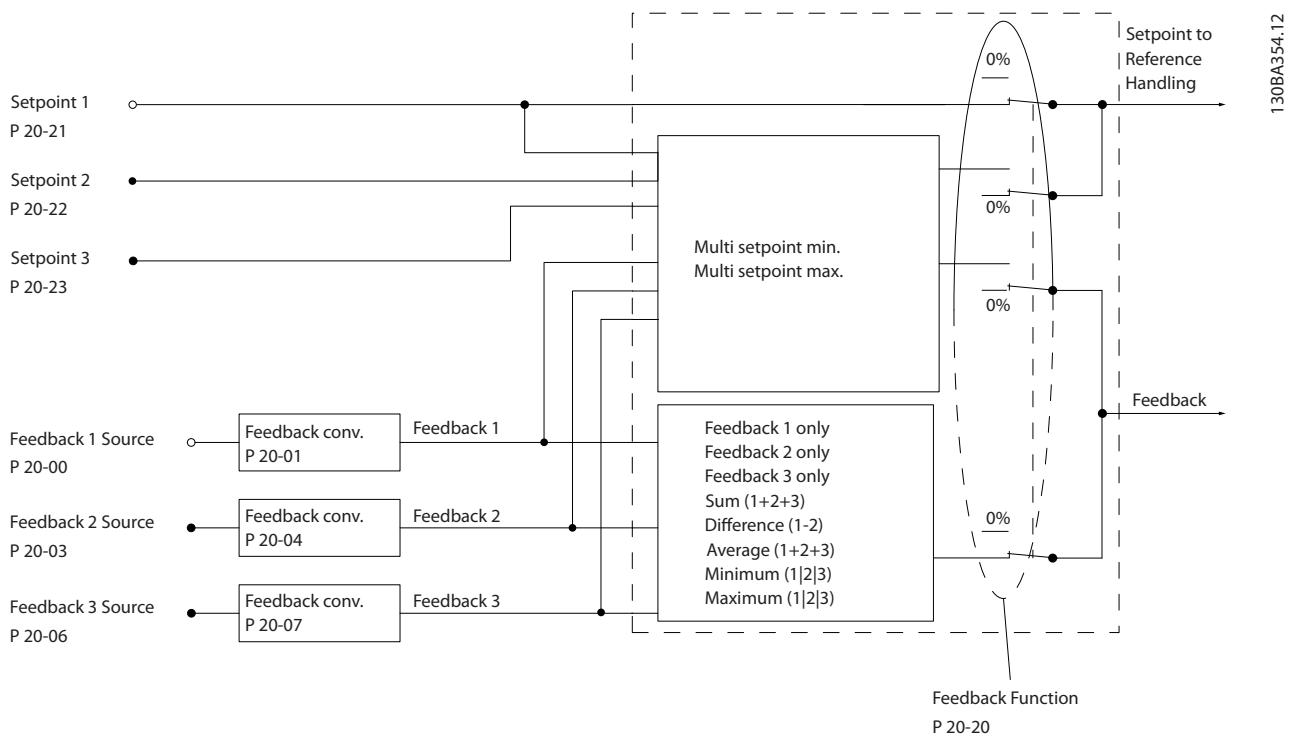
Illustration 11.4 Block Diagram of Feedback Signal Processing

Feedback conversion

In some applications, it is useful to convert the feedback signal. One example is using a pressure signal to provide flow feedback. Since the square root of pressure is proportional to flow, the square root of the pressure signal yields a value proportional to the flow, see *Illustration 11.5*.
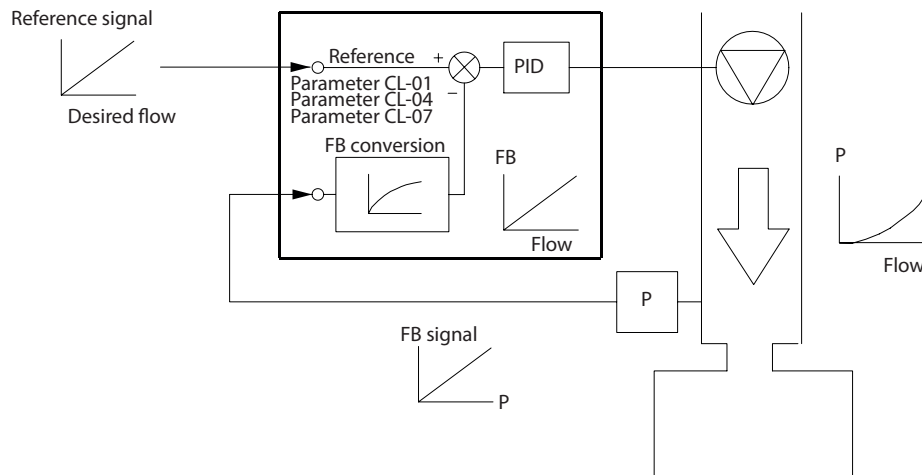
Illustration 11.5 Feedback Conversion

11.2.4 Control Structure Overview

The control structure is a software process that controls the motor based on user-defined references (for example, RPM) and whether feedback is used/not used (closed loop/open loop). The operator defines the control in *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode*.

The control structures are as follows:

Open-loop control structure

- Speed (RPM)

- Torque (Nm)

Closed-loop control structure

- Speed (RPM)

- Torque (Nm)

- Process (user-defined units, for example, feet, lpm, psi, %, bar)

11.2.5 Open-loop Control Structure

In open-loop mode, the drive uses 1 or more references (local or remote) to control the speed or torque of the motor. There are 2 types of open-loop control:

- Speed control. No feedback from the motor.

- Torque control. Used in VVC$^+$ mode. The function is used in mechanically robust applications, but its accuracy is limited. Open loop torque function works only in 1 speed direction. The torque is calculated based on current measurement within the drive. See *chapter 12 Application Examples*.

In the configuration shown in *Illustration 11.6*, the drive operates in open-loop mode. It receives input from either the LCP (hand-on mode) or via a remote signal (auto-on mode). The signal (speed reference) is received and conditioned with the following:

- Programmed minimum and maximum motor speed limits (in RPM and Hz).

- Ramp-up and ramp-down times.

- Motor rotation direction.

The reference is then passed on to control the motor.
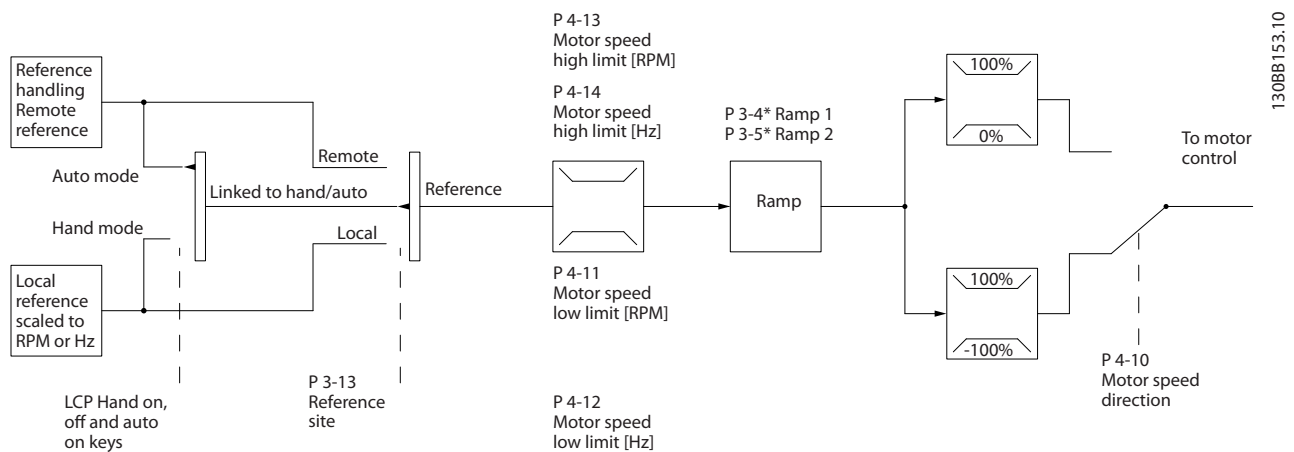
Illustration 11.6 Block Diagram of an Open-loop Control Structure

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11.2.6 Closed-loop Control Structure

In closed-loop mode, the drive uses 1 or more references (local or remote) and feedback sensors to control the motor. The drive receives a feedback signal from a sensor in the system. It then compares this feedback to a setpoint reference value and determines if there is any discrepancy between these 2 signals. The drive then adjusts the speed of the motor to correct the discrepancy.

For example, consider a pump application in which the speed of the pump is controlled so that the static pressure in a pipe is constant (see *Illustration 11.7*). The drive receives a feedback signal from a sensor in the system. It compares this feedback to a setpoint reference value and determines the discrepancy if any, between these 2 signals. It then adjusts the speed of the motor to compensate for the discrepancy.

The static pressure setpoint is the reference signal to the drive. A static pressure sensor measures the actual static pressure in the pipe and provides this information to the drive as a feedback signal. If the feedback signal exceeds the setpoint reference, the drive ramps down to reduce the pressure. Similarly, if the pipe pressure is lower than the setpoint reference, the drive ramps up to increase the pump pressure.

There are 3 types of closed-loop control:

- Speed control. This type of control requires a speed PID feedback for an input. A properly optimized speed closed-loop control has higher accuracy than a speed open-loop control. The speed control selects which input to use as speed PID feedback in *parameter 7-00 Speed PID Feedback Source*.

- Torque control. Used in flux mode with encoder feedback, this control offers superior performance in all 4 quadrants and at all motor speeds.
  The torque control function is used in applications where the torque on the motor output shaft is controlling the application as tension control. Torque control is selected in *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode*, either in *[4] VVC+ open loop* or *[2] Flux control closed loop with motor speed feedback*. Torque setting is done by setting an analog, digital, or bus-controlled reference. The maximum speed limit factor is set in *parameter 4-21 Speed Limit Factor Source*. When running torque control, it is recommended to make a full AMA procedure since the correct motor data is essential for optimal performance.

- Process control. Used to control application parameters that can be measured by different sensors (pressure, temperature, and flow) and be affected by the connected motor through a pump or fan.
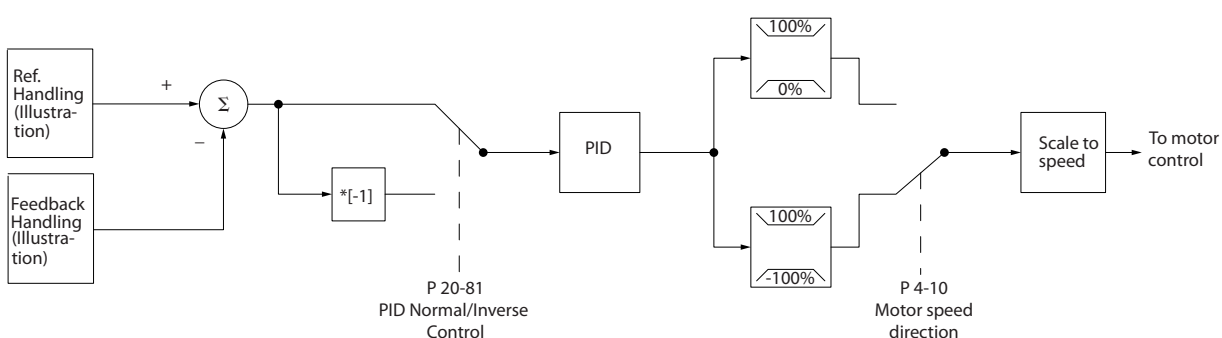
Illustration 11.7 Block Diagram of Closed-loop Controller

Programmable features

While the default values for the drive in closed loop often provide satisfactory performance, system control can often be optimized by tuning the PID parameters. *Auto tuning* is provided for this optimization.

- Inverse regulation - motor speed increases when a feedback signal is high.

- Start-up frequency - lets the system quickly reach an operating status before the PID controller takes over.

- Built-in lowpass filter - reduces feedback signal noise.

11.2.7 Control Processing

See *Active/Inactive Parameters in Different Drive Control Modes* in the *programming guide* for an overview of which control configuration is available for your application, depending on selection of AC motor or PM non-salient motor.

11.2.7.1 Control Structure in VVC⁺
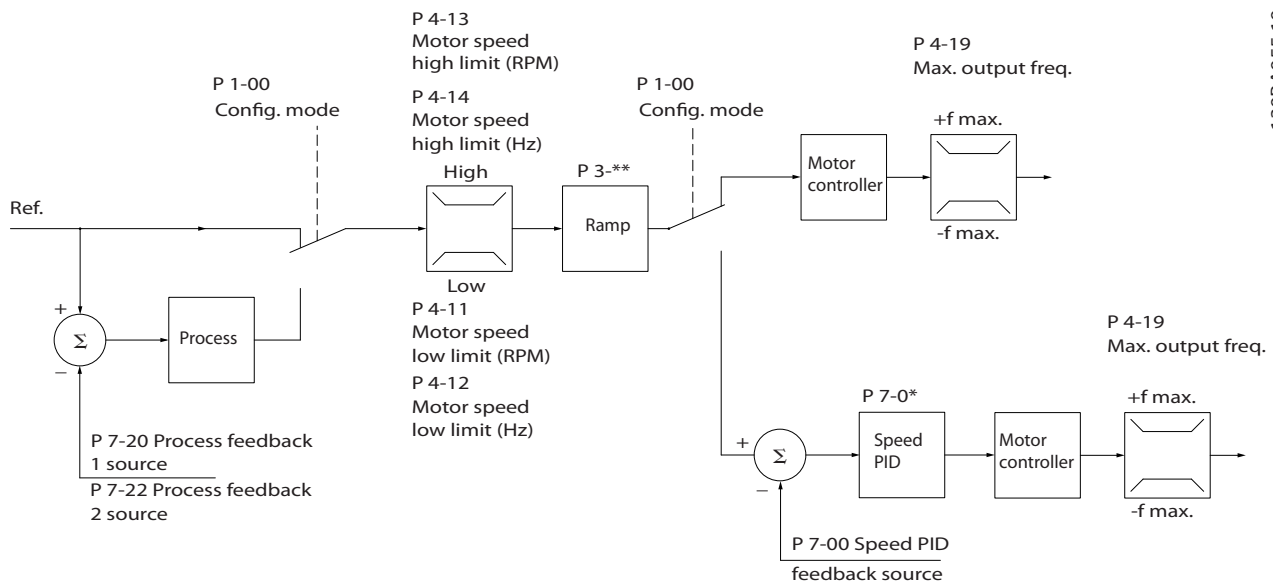
Illustration 11.8 Control Structure in VVC⁺ Open Loop and Closed-loop Configurations

In *Illustration 11.8*, the resulting reference from the reference handling system is received and fed through the ramp limitation and speed limitation before being sent to the motor control. The output of the motor control is then limited by the maximum frequency limit.

Parameter 1-01 Motor Control Principle is set to *[1] VVC⁺* and *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode* is set to *[0] Speed open loop*. If *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode* is set to *[1] Speed closed loop*, the resulting reference is passed from the ramp limitation and speed limitation into a speed PID control. The speed PID control parameters are located in *parameter group 7-0* Speed PID Ctrl*. The resulting reference from the speed PID control is sent to the motor control limited by the frequency limit.

Select *[3] Process* in *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode* to use the process PID control for closed-loop control of, for example, speed or pressure in the controlled application. The process PID parameters are in *parameter groups 7-2* Process Ctrl. Feedb* and *7-3* Process PID Ctrl*.

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11.2.7.2 Control Structure in Flux Sensorless
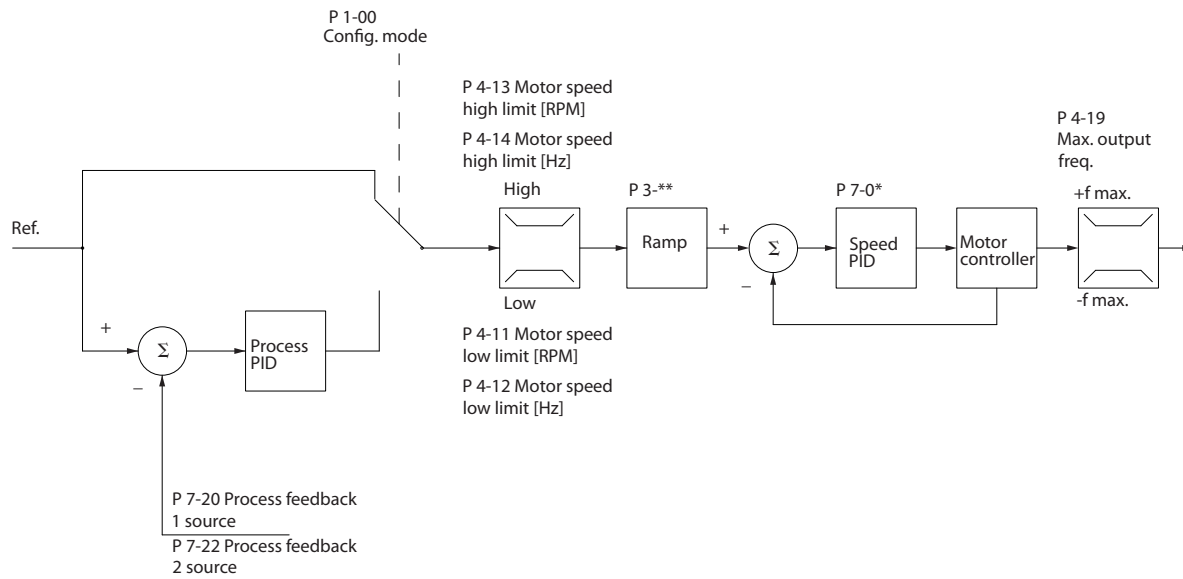
Illustration 11.9 Control Structure in Flux Sensorless Open Loop and Closed-loop Configurations

In *Illustration 11.9*, the resulting reference from the reference handling system is fed through the ramp and speed limitations as determined by the parameter settings indicated.

Parameter 1-01 Motor Control Principle is set to *[2] Flux Sensorless* and *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode* is set to *[0] Speed open loop*. An estimated speed feedback is generated to the speed PID to control the output frequency. The speed PID must be set with its P, I, and D parameters (*parameter group 7-0* Speed PID control*).

Select *[3] Process* in *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode* to use the process PID control for closed-loop control of that is, speed or pressure in the controlled application. The process PID parameters are found in *parameter groups 7-2* Process Ctrl. Feedb* and *7-3* Process PID Ctrl*.

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11.2.7.3 Control Structure in Flux with Motor Feedback
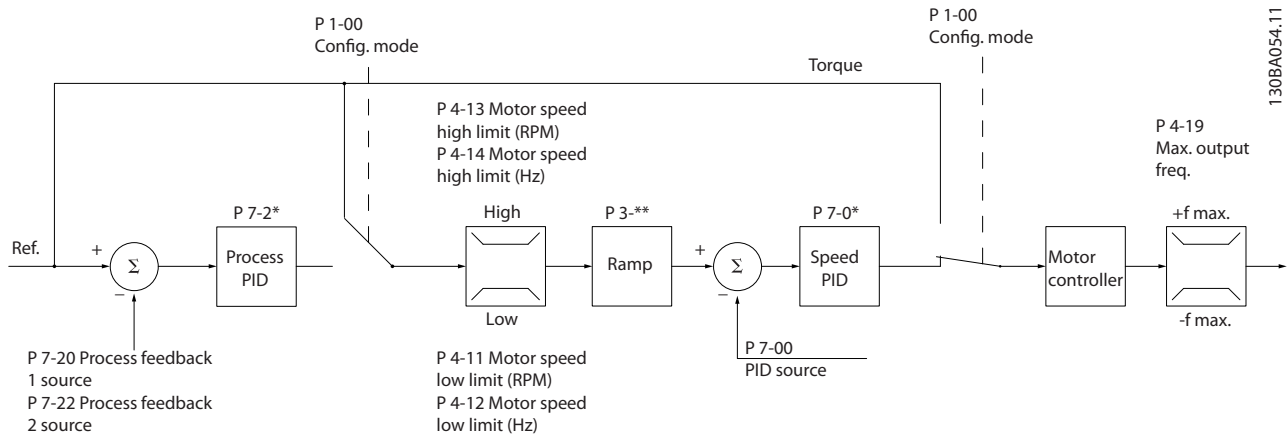
Illustration 11.10 Control Structure in Flux with Motor Feedback Configuration

In *Illustration 11.10*, the motor control in this configuration relies on a feedback signal from an encoder or resolver mounted directly on the motor (set in *parameter 1-02 Flux Motor Feedback Source*). The resulting reference can be used as input for the speed PID control, or directly as a torque reference.

Parameter 1-01 Motor Control Principle is set to *[3] Flux w motor feedb* and *parameter 1-00 Configuration Mode* is set to *[1] Speed closed loop*. The speed PID control parameters are in *parameter group 7-0* Speed PID Control*

Torque control can only be selected in the *Flux with motor feedback* (*parameter 1-01 Motor Control Principle*) configuration. When this mode has been selected, the reference uses the Nm unit. It requires no torque feedback, since the actual torque is calculated based on the current measurement of the drive.

Process PID control can be used for closed-loop control of speed or pressure in the controlled application. The process PID parameters are located in *parameter groups 7-2* Process Ctrl. Feedb* and *7-3* Process PID Ctrl*.

11.2.7.4 Internal Current Control in VVC$^+$ Mode

When the motor current/torque exceed the torque limits set in *parameter 4-16 Torque Limit Motor Mode*, *parameter 4-17 Torque Limit Generator Mode*, and *parameter 4-18 Current Limit*, the integral current limit control is activated. When the drive is at the current limit during motor operation or regenerative operation, it tries to get below the preset torque limits as quickly as possible without losing control of the motor.

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12 Application Examples

The examples in this section are intended as a quick reference for common applications.

- Parameter settings are the regional default values unless otherwise indicated (selected in *parameter 0-03 Regional Settings*).

- Parameters associated with the terminals and their settings are shown next to the drawings.

- Where switch settings for analog terminals A53 or A54 are required, these settings are also shown.

- For STO, a jumper wire may be required between terminal 12 and terminal 37 when using factory default programming values.

12.1 Programming a Closed-loop Drive System

A closed-loop drive system usually consists of the following:

- Motor

- Drive

- Encoder as feedback system

- Mechanical brake

- Brake resistor for dynamic braking

- Transmission

- Gear box

- Load

Applications demanding mechanical brake control typically need a brake resistor.

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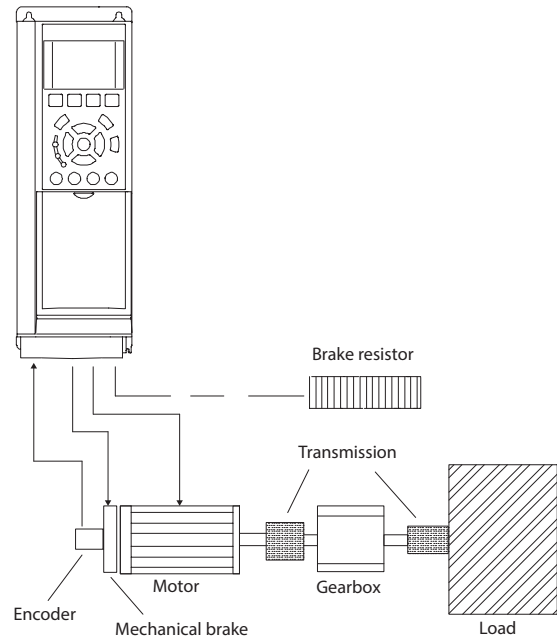
Illustration 12.1 Basic Set-up for FC 302 Closed-loop Speed Control

12.2 Wiring Configurations for Automatic Motor Adaptation (AMA)

	Parameters	
	Function	Setting
	Parameter 1-29 Automatic Motor Adaptation (AMA)	*[1] Enable complete AMA*
	Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input	*[2]* Coast inverse*
	*=Default value	
	Notes/comments: Set *parameter group 1-2* Motor Data* according to motor nameplate.	

Table 12.1 Wiring Configuration for AMA with T27 Connected

	Parameters	
	Function	Setting
	Parameter 1-29 Automatic Motor Adaptation (AMA)	*[1] Enable complete AMA*
	Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input	*[0] No operation*
	*=Default value	
	Notes/comments: Set *parameter group 1-2* Motor Data* according to motor nameplate.	

Table 12.2 Wiring Configuration for AMA without T27 Connected

12.3 Wiring Configurations for Analog Speed Reference

	Parameters	
	Function	Setting
	Parameter 6-10 Terminal 53 Low Voltage	0.07 V*
	Parameter 6-11 Terminal 53 High Voltage	10 V*
	Parameter 6-14 Terminal 53 Low Ref./Feedb. Value	0 RPM
	Parameter 6-15 Terminal 53 High Ref./Feedb. Value	1500 RPM
	*=Default value	
	Notes/comments:	

Table 12.3 Wiring Configuration for Analog Speed Reference (Voltage)

	Parameters	
	Function	Setting
	Parameter 6-12 Terminal 53 Low Current	4 mA*
	Parameter 6-13 Terminal 53 High Current	20 mA*
	Parameter 6-14 Terminal 53 Low Ref./Feedb. Value	0 RPM
	Parameter 6-15 Terminal 53 High Ref./Feedb. Value	1500 RPM
	*=Default value	
	Notes/comments:	

Table 12.4 Wiring Configuration for Analog Speed Reference (Current)

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12.4 Wiring Configurations for Start/Stop

		Parameters	
FC		**Function**	**Setting**
+24 V 12		*Parameter 5-10 Terminal 18 Digital Input*	*[8] Start**
+24 V 13			
D IN 18			
D IN 19		*Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input*	*[0] No operation*
COM 20			
D IN 27			
D IN 29		*Parameter 5-19 Terminal 37 Safe Stop*	*[1] Safe Torque Off Alarm*
D IN 32			
D IN 33			
D IN 37		*=Default value	
		Notes/comments:	
+10 50		If *parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input* is set to *[0] No operation*, a jumper wire to terminal 27 is not needed.	
A IN 53			
A IN 54			
COM 55			
A OUT 42			
COM 39			

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Table 12.5 Wiring Configuration for Start/Stop Command with Safe Torque Off

Illustration 12.2 Start/Stop with Safe Torque Off

		Parameters	
FC		**Function**	**Setting**
+24 V 12		*Parameter 5-10 Terminal 18 Digital Input*	*[9] Latched Start*
+24 V 13			
D IN 18			
D IN 19		*Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input*	*[6] Stop Inverse*
COM 20			
D IN 27			
D IN 29		*=Default value	
D IN 32		**Notes/comments:**	
D IN 33		If *parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input* is set to *[0] No operation*, a jumper wire to terminal 27 is not needed.	
D IN 37			
+10 V 50			
A IN 53			
A IN 54			
COM 55			
A OUT 42			
COM 39			

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Table 12.6 Wiring Configuration for Pulse Start/Stop

Illustration 12.3 Latched Start/Stop Inverse

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		Parameters	
		Function	**Setting**
FC		*Parameter 5-10 T*	*[8] Start*
+24 V	12	*erminal 18*	
+24 V	13	*Digital Input*	
D IN	18	*Parameter 5-11 T*	*[10]*
D IN	19	*erminal 19*	*Reversing**
COM	20	*Digital Input*	
D IN	27		
D IN	29	*Parameter 5-12 T*	*[0] No*
D IN	32	*erminal 27*	*operation*
D IN	33	*Digital Input*	
		Parameter 5-14 T	*[16] Preset ref*
		erminal 32	*bit 0*
+10 V	50	*Digital Input*	
A IN	53	*Parameter 5-15 T*	*[17] Preset ref*
A IN	54	*erminal 33*	*bit 1*
COM	55	*Digital Input*	
A OUT	42	*Parameter 3-10 P*	
COM	39	*reset Reference*	
		Preset ref. 0	25%
		Preset ref. 1	50%
		Preset ref. 2	75%
		Preset ref. 3	100%
		*=Default value	
		Notes/comments:	

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Table 12.7 Wiring Configuration for Start/Stop with Reversing and 4 Preset Speeds

12.5 Wiring Configuration for an External Alarm Reset

		Parameters	
		Function	**Setting**
FC		*Parameter 5-11 T*	*[1] Reset*
+24 V	12	*erminal 19*	
+24 V	13	*Digital Input*	
D IN	18	*=Default value	
D IN	19	**Notes/comments:**	
COM	20		
D IN	27		
D IN	29		
D IN	32		
D IN	33		
D IN	37		
+10 V	50		
A IN	53		
A IN	54		
COM	55		
A OUT	42		
COM	39		

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Table 12.8 Wiring Configuration for an External Alarm Reset

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12.6 Wiring Configuration for Speed Reference Using a Manual Potentiometer

FC			Parameters	
			Function	**Setting**
+24 V	12		*Parameter 6-10 Terminal 53 Low Voltage*	0.07 V*
+24 V	13			
D IN	18			
D IN	19		*Parameter 6-11 Terminal 53 High Voltage*	10 V*
COM	20			
D IN	27			
D IN	29		*Parameter 6-14 Terminal 53 Low Ref./Feedb. Value*	0 RPM
D IN	32			
D IN	33			
D IN	37		*Parameter 6-15 Terminal 53 High Ref./Feedb. Value*	1500 RPM
+10 V	50			
A IN	53	≈5kΩ	*=Default value	
A IN	54		**Notes/comments:**	
COM	55			
A OUT	42			
COM	39			
U - I				
A53				

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Table 12.9 Wiring Configuration for Speed Reference (Using a Manual Potentiometer)

12.7 Wiring Configuration for Speed Up/Speed Down

FC			Parameters	
			Function	**Setting**
+24 V	12		*Parameter 5-10 Terminal 18 Digital Input*	*[8] Start**
+24 V	13			
D IN	18			
D IN	19		*Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input*	*[19] Freeze Reference*
COM	20			
D IN	27			
D IN	29		*Parameter 5-13 Terminal 29 Digital Input*	*[21] Speed Up*
D IN	32			
D IN	33			
D IN	37		*Parameter 5-14 Terminal 32 Digital Input*	*[22] Speed Down*
+10 V	50			
A IN	53		*=Default value	
A IN	54		**Notes/comments:**	
COM	55			
A OUT	42			
COM	39			

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Table 12.10 Wiring Configuration for Speed Up/Speed Down

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Speed Reference
Start (18)
Freeze ref (27)
Speed up (29)
Speed down (32)
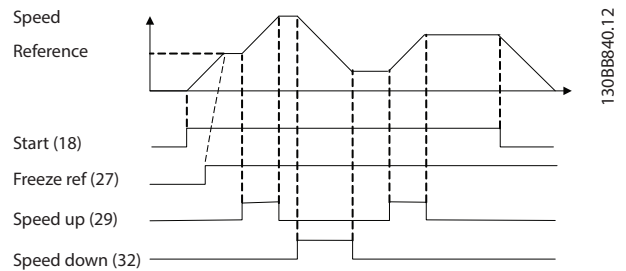
Illustration 12.4 Speed Up/Speed Down

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12.8 Wiring Configuration for RS485 Network Connection

	Parameters	
	Function	**Setting**
	Parameter 8-30 Protocol	FC*
	Parameter 8-31 Address	1*
	Parameter 8-32 Baud Rate	9600*
	*=Default value	
	Notes/comments: Select protocol, address, and baud rate in the parameters.	

FC

+24 V	12
+24 V	13
D IN	18
D IN	19
COM	20
D IN	27
D IN	29
D IN	32
D IN	33
D IN	37
+10 V	50
A IN	53
A IN	54
COM	55
A OUT	42
COM	39
R1	01
	02
	03
R2	04
	05
	06
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Table 12.11 Wiring Configuration for RS485 Network Connection

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12.9 Wiring Configuration for a Motor Thermistor

NOTICE

Thermistors must use reinforced or double insulation to meet PELV insulation requirements.

VLT		Parameters	
		Function	**Setting**
+24 V	12	Parameter 1-90 Motor Thermal Protection	[2] Thermistor trip
+24 V	13		
D IN	18		
D IN	19	Parameter 1-93 Thermistor Source	[1] analog input 53
COM	20		
D IN	27	*=Default value	
D IN	29		
D IN	32		
D IN	33	**Notes/comments:**	
D IN	37	If only a warning is wanted, set *parameter 1-90 Motor Thermal Protection* to *[1] Thermistor warning*.	
+10 V	50		
A IN	53		
A IN	54		
COM	55		
A OUT	42		
COM	39		
U - I			
A53			

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Table 12.12 Wiring Configuration for a Motor Thermistor

12.10 Wiring Configuration for a Relay Set-up with Smart Logic Control

FC		Parameters	
		Function	**Setting**
+24 V	12	Parameter 4-30 Motor Feedback Loss Function	[1] Warning
+24 V	13		
D IN	18		
D IN	19	Parameter 4-31 Motor Feedback Speed Error	100 RPM
COM	20		
D IN	27		
D IN	29	Parameter 4-32 Motor Feedback Loss Timeout	5 s
D IN	32		
D IN	33		
D IN	37	Parameter 7-00 Speed PID Feedback Source	[2] MCB 102
+10 V	50		
A IN	53	Parameter 17-11 Resolution (PPR)	1024*
A IN	54		
COM	55	Parameter 13-00 SL Controller Mode	[1] On
A OUT	42		
COM	39		
R1 01		Parameter 13-01 Start Event	[19] Warning
R1 02			
R1 03		Parameter 13-02 Stop Event	[44] Reset key
R2 04		Parameter 13-10 Comparator Operand	[21] Warning no.
R2 05			
R2 06		Parameter 13-11 Comparator Operator	[1] ≈ (equal)*
		Parameter 13-12 Comparator Value	90
		Parameter 13-51 SL Controller Event	[22] Comparator 0
		Parameter 13-52 SL Controller Action	[32] Set digital out A low
		Parameter 5-40 Function Relay	[80] SL digital output A
		*=Default value	

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Notes/comments:
If the limit in the feedback monitor is exceeded, *warning 90, Feedback Mon.* is issued. The SLC monitors *warning 90, Feedback Mon.* and if the warning becomes true, relay 1 is triggered. External equipment may require service. If the feedback error goes below the limit again within 5 s, the drive continues and the warning disappears. Reset relay 1 by pressing [Reset] on the LCP.

Table 12.13 Wiring Configuration for a Relay Set-up with Smart Logic Control

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12.11 Wiring Configuration for Mechanical Brake Control

			Parameters	
			Function	**Setting**
FC		130BB841.10	*Parameter 5-40 Function Relay*	*[32] Mech. brake ctrl.*
+24 V	12		*Parameter 5-10 Terminal 18 Digital Input*	*[8] Start**
+24 V	13			
D IN	18			
D IN	19		*Parameter 5-11 Terminal 19 Digital Input*	*[11] Start reversing*
COM	20			
D IN	27			
D IN	29		*Parameter 1-71 Start Delay*	0.2
D IN	32			
D IN	33			
D IN	37			
+10 V	50		*Parameter 1-72 Start Function*	*[5] VVC+/ FLUX Clockwise*
A IN	53			
A IN	54		*Parameter 1-76 Start Current*	$I_{m,n}$
COM	55			
A OUT	42		*Parameter 2-20 Release Brake Current*	App. dependent
COM	39			
R1 — 01			*Parameter 2-21 Activate Brake Speed [RPM]*	Half of nominal slip of the motor
02				
03			*=Default value	
R2 — 04			**Notes/comments:**	
05				
06				

Table 12.14 Wiring Configuration for Mechanical Brake Control
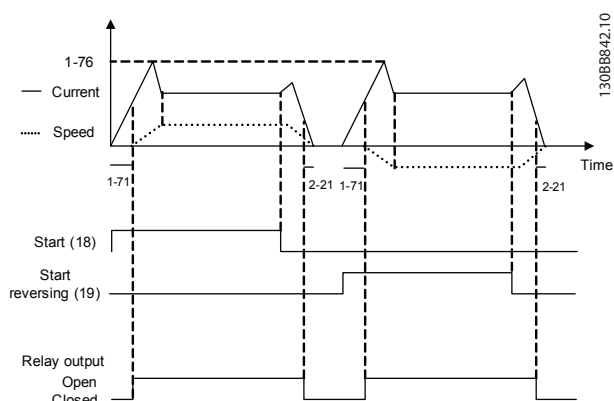
Illustration 12.5 Mechanical Brake Control

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12.12 Configuring the Encoder

Before setting up the encoder, the basic wire configuration for a closed-loop speed control system is shown in *Illustration 12.7*.
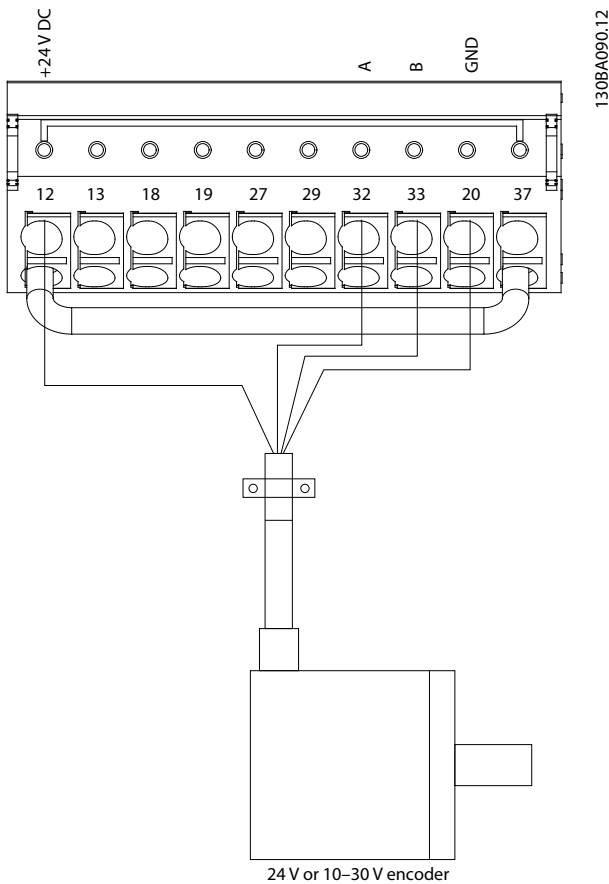
Illustration 12.6 Encoder Connection to the Drive
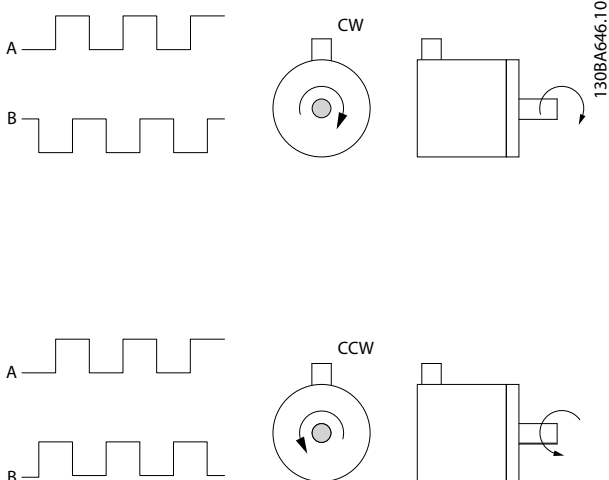
Illustration 12.7 24 V incremental encoder. Maximum cable length 5 m (16 ft).

The direction of the encoder, identified by looking into the shaft end, is determined by which order the pulses enter the drive.

- Clockwise (CW) direction means channel A is 90 electrical degrees before channel B.

- Counterclockwise (CCW) direction means channel B is 90 electrical degrees before A.

12.13 Wire Configuration for Torque and Stop Limit

In applications with an external electro-mechanical brake, such as hoisting applications, it is possible to stop the drive via a standard stop command and simultaneously activate the external electro-mechanical brake. *Illustration 12.8* shows the programming of these drive connections.

If a stop command is active via terminal 18 and the drive is not at the torque limit, the motor ramps down to 0 Hz. If the drive is at the torque limit and a stop command is activated, the system activates terminal 29 output (programmed to *[27] Torque limit & stop*). The signal to terminal 27 changes from logic 1 to logic 0 and the motor starts to coast. This process ensures that the hoist stops even if the drive itself cannot handle the required torque, for example due to excessive overload.

To program the stop and torque limit, connect to the following terminals:

Start/stop via terminal 18
(*Parameter 5-10 Terminal 18 Digital Input [8] Start*).

Quick stop via terminal 27
(*Parameter 5-12 Terminal 27 Digital Input [2] Coasting Stop, Inverse*).

Terminal 29 output
(*Parameter 5-02 Terminal 29 Mode [1] Terminal 29 Mode Output*
parameter 5-31 Terminal 29 Digital Output [27] Torque limit & stop).

Relay output [0] (Relay 1)
(*Parameter 5-40 Function Relay [32] Mechanical Brake Control*).
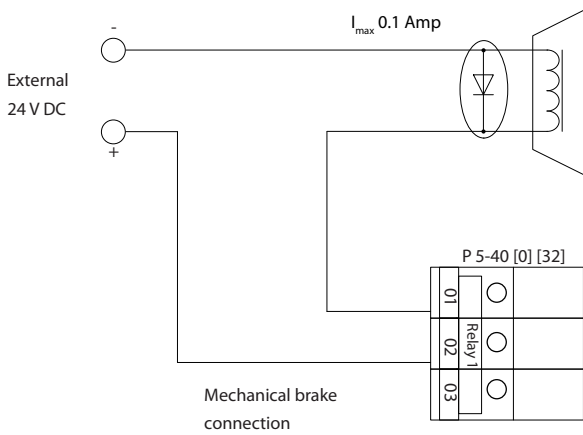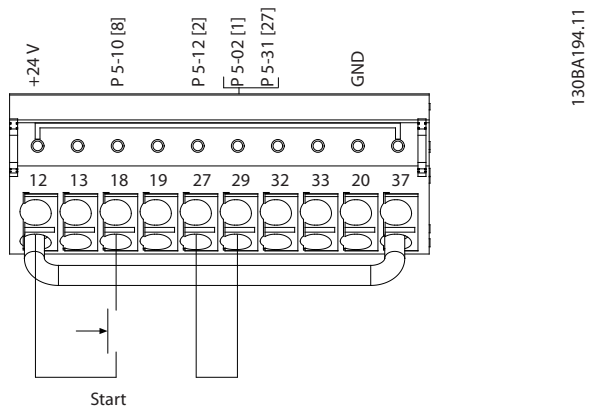
Illustration 12.8 Wire Configuration for Torque and Stop Limit

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13 How to Order a Drive

13.1 Drive Configurator

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	
F	C	-								T											X	X	S	X	X	X	X	A		B		C					D		130BC530.10

Table 13.1 Type Code String

Product groups	1–3	
Drive series	4–6	
Generation code	7	
Power rating	8–10	
Phases	11	
Mains Voltage	12	
Enclosure Enclosure type Enclosure class Control supply voltage	13–15	
Hardware configuration	**16–23**	
RFI filter/Low Harmonic Drive/12-pulse	16–17	
Brake	18	
Display (LCP)	19	
Coating PCB	20	
Mains option	21	
Adaptation A	22	
Adaptation B	23	
Software release	24–27	
Software language	28	
A option	29–30	
B options	31–32	
C0 options, MCO	33–34	
C1 options	35	
C option software	36–37	
D options	38–39	

Table 13.2 Type Code Example for Ordering a Drive

Configure the correct drive for the proper application by using the internet-based drive configurator. The drive configurator is found on the global internet site: *www.danfoss.com/drives*. The configurator creates a type code string and an 8-digit sales number, which can be delivered to the local sales office. It is also possible to build a project list with several products and send it to a Danfoss sales representative.

An example of a type code string is:

FC-302N355T5E20H4BGCXXXSXXXXA0BXCXXXXD0

The meaning of the characters in the string is defined in *Table 13.3*. In the example above, a PROFIBUS DP-V1 and a 24 V back-up option is built-in.

Drives are delivered automatically with a language package relevant to the region from which they are ordered. Four regional language packages cover the following languages:

Language package 1
English, German, French, Danish, Dutch, Spanish, Swedish, Italian, and Finnish.

Language package 2
English, German, Chinese, Korean, Japanese, Thai, Traditional Chinese, and Bahasa Indonesian.

Language package 3
English, German, Slovenian, Bulgarian, Serbian, Romanian, Hungarian, Czech, and Russian.

Language package 4
English, German, Spanish, English US, Greek, Brazilian Portuguese, Turkish, and Polish.

To order drives with a different language package, contact the local Danfoss sales office.

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Description	Position	Possible option
Product group	1–3	FC-
Drive series	4–6	302: FC 302
Power rating	8–10	N315: 315 kW (450 hp)
		N355: 355 kW (500 hp)
		N400: 400 kW (550 hp)
		N450: 450 kW (600 hp)
		N500: 500 kW (650 hp)
		N560: 560 kW (750 hp)
		N630: 630 kW (900 hp)
		N710: 710 kW (1000 hp)
Phases	11	Three phases (T)
Mains voltage	11–12	T5: 380–500 V AC
		T7: 525–690 V AC
Enclosure	13–15	E00: IP00/Chassis (only enclosures E3h/E4h with top regen/loadshare)
		E20: IP20/Chassis
		E21: IP21/Type 1
		E54: IP54/Type 12
		E2M: IP21/Type 1 + mains shield
		E5M: IP54/Type 12 + mains shield
		H21: IP21/Type 1 + space heater
		H54: IP54/Type 12 + space heater
		C20: IP20/Type 1 + stainless steel back channel
		C21: IP21/Type 1 + stainless steel back channel
		C54: IP54/Type 12 + stainless steel back channel
		C2M: IP21/Type 1 + mains shield + stainless steel back channel
		C5M: IP54/Type 12 + mains shield + stainless steel back channel
		C2H: IP21/Type 1 + space heater + stainless steel back channel
		C5H: IP54/Type 12 + space heater + stainless steel back channel
RFI filter	16–17	H2: RFI filter, class A2 (C3)
		H4: RFI filter, class A1 (C2)
Brake	18	X: No brake chopper
		B: Brake chopper mounted
		T: Safe torque off (STO)
		U: Brake chopper + safe torque off
		R: Regen terminals
		S: Brake chopper + regen terminals (only enclosures E3h/E4h)
Display	19	X: No LCP
		G: Graphical LCP (LCP-102)
		J: No LCP + USB through the door
		L: Graphical LCP + USB through the door
Coating PCB	20	C: Coated PCB
		R: Coated PCB 3C3 + ruggedized
Mains option	21	X: No mains option
		3: Mains disconnect + fuses
		7: Fuses
		A: Fuses + load share terminals (only enclosures E3h/E4h)
		D: Load share terminals (only enclosures E3h/E4h)
Hardware, adaptation A	22	X: No option
Hardware, adaptation B	23	X: No option
		Q: Heat sink access
Software release	24–28	SXXX: Latest release - standard software
		S067: Integrated motion control software
Software language	28	X: Standard language pack

Table 13.3 Ordering Type Code for Enclosures E1h–E4h

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Description	Position	Possible option
A option	29–30	AX: No A option
		A0: VLT® PROFIBUS DP V1 MCA 101
		A4: VLT® DeviceNet MCA 104
		A6: VLT® CANopen MCA 105
		A8: VLT® EtherCAT MCA 124
		AT: VLT® PROFIBUS Converter MCA 113
		AU: VLT® PROFIBUS Converter MCA 114
		AL: VLT® PROFINET MCA 120
		AN: VLT® EtherNet/IP MCA 121
		AQ: VLT® POWERLINK MCA 122
		AY: VLT® Modbus TCP MCA 123
B options	31–32	BX: No option
		B2: VLT® PTC Thermistor Card MCB 112
		B4: VLT® Sensor Input Option MCB 114
		B6: VLT® Safety Option MCB 150
		B7: VLT® Safety Option MCB 151
		B8: VLT® Safety Option MCB 152
		BK: VLT® General Purpose I/O Module MCB 101
		BP: VLT® Relay Card MCB 105
		BR: VLT® Encoder Input MCB 102
		BU: VLT® Resolver Option MCB 103
		BY: VLT® Extended Cascade Controller MCO101
		BZ: MCB 108 Safe PLC I/O MCB 108
C0/ E0 options	33–34	CX: No option
		C4: VLT® Motion Control Option MCO 305
C1 options/ A/B in C option adapter	35	X: No option
		R: VLT® Extended Relay Card MCB 113
C option software/E1 options	36–37	XX: No software option
		10: VLT® Synchronizing Controller MCO-350
		11: VLT® Position Controller MCO-351
D options	38–39	DX: No option
		D0: VLT® 24 V DC Supply MCB-107

Table 13.4 Type Code Ordering Options for Enclosures E1h–E4h

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13.2 Ordering Numbers for Options and Accessories

Type	Description	Ordering number	
Miscellaneous hardware			
PROFIBUS top entry	Top entry for enclosure protection rating IP54.	176F1742	
USB in the door	USB extension cord kit to allow access to the drive controls via laptop computer without opening the drive.	130B1156	
Ground bar	More grounding points for E1h and E2h drives.	176F6609	
Mains shield, E1h	Shielding (cover) mounted in front of the power terminals to protect from accidental contact.	176F6619	
Mains shield, E2h	Shielding (cover) mounted in front of the power terminals to protect from accidental contact.	176F6620	
Terminal blocks	Screw terminal blocks for replacing spring loaded terminals. (1 pc 10 pin 1 pc 6 pin and 1 pc 3-pin connectors)	130B1116	
Back-channel cooling kits			
In bottom/out top, E3h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the bottom and out through the top of the drive. This kit used only for enclosure E3h with 600 mm (21.6 in) base plate.	176F6606	
In bottom/out top, E3h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the bottom and out through the top of the drive. This kit used only for enclosure E3h with 800 mm (31.5 in) base plate.	176F6607	
In bottom/out top, E4h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the bottom and out through the top of the drive. This kit used only for enclosure E4h with 800 mm (31.5 in) base plate.	176F6608	
In back/out back, E1h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosures E1h.	176F6617	
In back/out back, E2h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosures E2h.	176F6618	
In back/out back, E3h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosures E3h.	176F6610	
In back/out back, E4h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosures E4h.	176F6611	
In bottom/out back, E3h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the bottom and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosure E3h with 600 mm (21.6 in) base plate.	176F6612	
In bottom/out back, E3h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the bottom and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosure E3h with 800 mm (31.5 in) base plate.	176F6613	
In bottom/out back, E4h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the bottom and out through the back of the drive. This kit used only for enclosure E4h with 800 mm (31.5 in) base plate.	176F6614	
In back/out top, E3h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the back and out through the top of the drive. This kit used only for enclosures E3h.	176F6615	
In back/out top, E4h	Allows the cooling air to be directed in through the back and out through the top of the drive. This kit used only for enclosures E4h.	176F6616	
LCP			
LCP 101	Numerical local control panel (NLCP).	130B1124	
LCP 102	Graphical Local control panel (GLCP).	130B1107	
LCP cable	Separate LCP cable, 3 m (9 feet).	175Z0929	
LCP kit, IP21	Panel mounting kit including graphical LCP, fasteners, 3 m (9 feet) cable and gasket.	130B1113	
LCP kit, IP21	Panel mounting kit including numerical LCP, fasteners and gasket.	130B1114	
LCP kit, IP21	Panel mounting kit for all LCPs including fasteners, 3 m (9 feet) cable and gasket.	130B1117	
Options for slot A (Fieldbus Devices)		**Uncoated**	**Coated**

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MCA 101	PROFIBUS option DP V0/V1.	130B1100	130B1200
MCA 104	DeviceNet option.	130B1102	130B1202
MCA 105	CANopen.	130B1103	130B1205
MCA 113	PROFIBUS VLT 3000 protocol converter.	–	130B1245
MCA 114	PROFIBUS VLT 5000 protocol converter.	–	130B1246
MCA 120	PROFINET option.	130B1135	130B1235
MCA 121	EtherNet/IP option.	130B1119	130B1219
MCA 122	Modbus TCP option.	130B1196	130B1296
MCA 123	Powerlink option.	130B1489	130B1490
MCA 124	EtherCAT option.	130B5546	130B5646
Options for slot B (Functional Extensions)			
MCB 101	General-purpose input output option.	130B1125	130B1212
MCB 102	Encoder option.	130B1115	130B1203
MCB 103	Resolver option.	130B1127	130B1227
MCB 105	Relay option.	130B1110	130B1210
MCB 108	Safety PLC interface (DC/DC converter).	130B1120	130B1220
MCB 112	ATEX PTC thermistor card.	–	130B1137
MCB 114	PT100 sensor input.	130B1172	130B1272
MCB 150	Safety option (TTL encoder).	–	130B3280
MCB 151	Safety option (HTL encoder).	–	130B3290
MCB 152	Safety option (PROFIsafe functionality).	–	130B9860
Options for slot C (motion control and relay cards)			
MCO 305	Programmable motion controller.	130B1134	130B1234
MCO 350	Synchronizing controller.	130B1152	130B1252
MCO 351	Positioning controller.	130B1153	120B1253
MCB 113	Extended relay card.	130B1164	130B1264
Option for slot D		**Uncoated**	**Coated**
MCB 107	24 V DC backup.	130B1108	130B1208
External options			
EtherNet/IP	Ethernet master.	175N2584	

Table 13.5 Options and Accessories

Type	Description	Ordering number
PC software		
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - 1 user.	130B1000
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - 5 users.	130B1001
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - 10 users.	130B1002
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - 25 users.	130B1003
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - 50 users.	130B1004
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - 100 users.	130B1005
MCT 10	MCT 10 Set-up Software - unlimited users.	130B1006

Table 13.6 Software Options

Options can be ordered as factory built-in options. For information on fieldbus and application option compatibility with older software versions, contact the Danfoss supplier.

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13.3 Ordering Numbers for Filters and Brake Resistors

Refer to the following design guides for dimensioning specifications and ordering numbers for filters and brake resistors:

- *VLT® Brake Resistor MCE 101 Design Guide.*

- *VLT® Advanced Harmonic Filters AHF 005/AHF 010 Design Guide.*

- *Output Filters Design Guide.*

13.4 Spare Parts

Consult the VLT shop or the Drive Configurator (*www.danfoss.com/drives*) for the spare parts that are available for your application.

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14.1 Abbreviations and Symbols

60° AVM	60° asynchronous vector modulation
A	Ampere/AMP
AC	Alternating current
AD	Air discharge
AEO	Automatic energy optimization
AI	Analog input
AIC	Ampere interrupting current
AMA	Automatic motor adaptation
AWG	American wire gauge
°C	Degrees Celsius
CB	Circuit breaker
CD	Constant discharge
CDM	Complete drive module: The drive, feeding section, and auxiliaries
CE	European conformity (European safety standards)
CM	Common mode
CT	Constant torque
DC	Direct current
DI	Digital input
DM	Differential mode
D-TYPE	Drive dependent
EMC	Electromagnetic compatibility
EMF	Electromotive force
ETR	Electronic thermal relay
°F	Degrees Fahrenheit
f_{JOG}	Motor frequency when jog function is activated
f_M	Motor frequency
f_{MAX}	Maximum output frequency that the drive applies on its output
f_{MIN}	Minimum motor frequency from the drive
$f_{M,N}$	Nominal motor frequency
FC	Frequency converter (drive)
Hiperface®	Hiperface® is a registered trademark by Stegmann
HO	High overload
hp	Horse power
HTL	HTL encoder (10–30 V) pulses - High-voltage transistor logic
Hz	Hertz
I_{INV}	Rated inverter output current
I_{LIM}	Current limit
$I_{M,N}$	Nominal motor current
$I_{VLT,MAX}$	Maximum output current
$I_{VLT,N}$	Rated output current supplied by the drive
kHz	Kilohertz
LCP	Local control panel
lsb	Least significant bit
m	Meter
mA	Milliampere

MCM	Mille circular mil
MCT	Motion control tool
mH	Inductance in milli Henry
mm	Millimeter
ms	Millisecond
msb	Most significant bit
η_{VLT}	Efficiency of the drive defined as ratio between power output and power input
nF	Capacitance in nano Farad
NLCP	Numerical local control panel
Nm	Newton meter
NO	Normal overload
n_s	Synchronous motor speed
Online/ Offline Parameters	Changes to online parameters are activated immediately after the data value is changed
$P_{br,cont.}$	Rated power of the brake resistor (average power during continuous braking)
PCB	Printed circuit board
PCD	Process data
PDS	Power drive system: CDM and a motor
PELV	Protective extra low voltage
P_m	Drive nominal output power as high overload (HO)
$P_{M,N}$	Nominal motor power
PM motor	Permanent magnet motor
Process PID	PID (proportional integrated differential) regulator that maintains the speed, pressure, temperature, and so on
$R_{br,nom}$	Nominal resistor value that ensures a brake power on the motor shaft of 150/160% for 1 minute
RCD	Residual current device
Regen	Regenerative terminals
R_{min}	Minimum allowed brake resistor value by the drive
RMS	Root average square
RPM	Revolutions per minute
R_{rec}	Recommended brake resistor resistance of Danfoss brake resistors
s	Second
SCCR	Short-circuit current rating
SFAVM	Stator flux-oriented asynchronous vector modulation
STW	Status word
SMPS	Switch mode power supply
THD	Total harmonic distortion
T_{LIM}	Torque limit
TTL	TTL encoder (5 V) pulses - transistor logic
$U_{M,N}$	Nominal motor voltage
UL	Underwriters Laboratories (US organization for the safety certification)

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V	Volts
VT	Variable torque
VVC⁺	Voltage vector control plus

Table 14.1 Abbreviations and Symbols

14.2 Definitions

Brake resistor
The brake resistor is a module capable of absorbing the brake power generated in regenerative braking. This regenerative brake power increases the DC-link voltage and a brake chopper ensures that the power is transmitted to the brake resistor.

Break-away torque

$$n_s = \frac{2 \times par.\ 1 - 23 \times 60\ s}{par.\ 1 - 39}$$
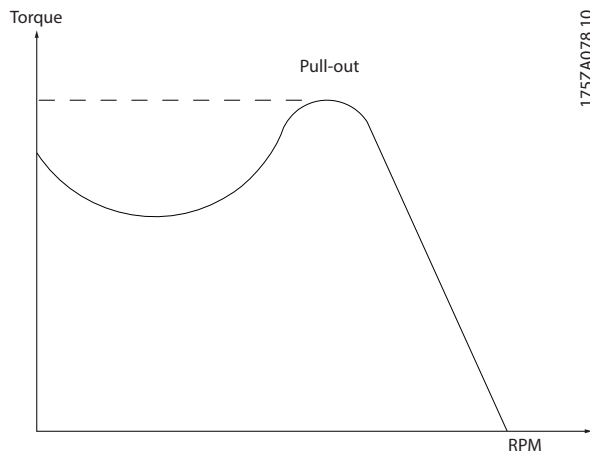
Illustration 14.1 Break-away Torque Chart

Coast
The motor shaft is in free mode. No torque on the motor.

CT characteristics
Constant torque characteristics used for all applications such as conveyor belts, displacement pumps, and cranes.

Initializing
If initializing is carried out (*parameter 14-22 Operation Mode*), the drive returns to the default setting.

Intermittent duty cycle
An intermittent duty rating refers to a sequence of duty cycles. Each cycle consists of an on-load and an off-load period. The operation can be either periodic duty or non-periodic duty.

Power factor
The true power factor (lambda) takes all the harmonics into consideration and is always smaller than the power factor (cos phi) that only considers the 1st harmonics of current and voltage.

$$\cos\phi = \frac{P\ (kW)}{P\ (kVA)} = \frac{U\lambda\ x\ I\lambda\ x\ \cos\phi}{U\lambda\ x\ I\lambda}$$

Cos phi is also known as displacement power factor.

Both lambda and cos phi are stated for Danfoss VLT® drives in *chapter 7.3 Mains Supply*.

The power factor indicates to which extent the drive imposes a load on the mains supply.
The lower the power factor, the higher the I_{RMS} for the same kW performance.

In addition, a high-power factor indicates that the harmonic currents are low.
All Danfoss drives have built-in DC coils in the DC link to have a high-power factor and reduce the THD on the main supply.

Pulse input/incremental encoder
An external digital sensor used for feedback information of motor speed and direction. Encoders are used for high-speed accuracy feedback and in high dynamic applications.

Set-up
Save parameter settings in 4 set-ups. Change between the 4 parameter set-ups and edit 1 set-up while another set-up is active.

Slip compensation
The drive compensates for the motor slip by giving the frequency a supplement that follows the measured motor load, keeping the motor speed almost constant.

Smart logic Control (SLC)
The SLC is a sequence of user-defined actions executed when the associated user-defined events are evaluated as true by the SLC. (*Parameter group 13-** Smart Logic*).

FC Standard bus
Includes RS485 bus with FC protocol or MC protocol. See *parameter 8-30 Protocol*.

Thermistor
A temperature-dependent resistor placed where the temperature is to be monitored (drive or motor).

Trip
A state entered in fault situations, such as when the drive is subject to an overtemperature or when it protects the motor, process, or mechanism. Restart is prevented until the cause of the fault has disappeared and the trip state is canceled. Cancel the trip state by either:

- Activating reset.

- Programming the drive to reset automatically.

Do not use trip for personal safety.

Trip lock
A state entered in fault situations when the drive is protecting itself and requires physical intervention. A locked trip can only be canceled by cutting off mains, removing the cause of the fault, and reconnecting the drive. Restart is prevented until the trip state is canceled by activating reset.

VT characteristics
Variable torque characteristics for pumps and fans.

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