

Learning Objectives:

- VFD operation and applications in the workplace
- Benefits of using a VFD
- Using electrical drawings for a VFD application
- The relationship between the motor and the VFD
- Types of VFDs and their various options and capabilities
- Applying VFD technology for your specific needs
- Installation of a VFD
- VFD setup and programming
- Wiring and grounding VFDs
- Controlling VFDs for constant torque or variable torque applications
- Controlling VFDs for optimum performance
- The importance of monitoring your VFD
- Maintenance considerations for a VFD
- Troubleshooting a VFD versus motor problem
- Finding and Fixing the most common VFD problems



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on Contractors!**

▶ “Very informative, and I really enjoyed the hands on experience.”
Ronald P.



Unlock the secrets and dispel the myths of VFDs!

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SEMINAR OVERVIEW

This two-day hands-on Variable Frequency Drives course introduces the student to the world of variable frequency drives and their applications in industrial plants and commercial buildings. Students will learn how to improve VFD control and efficiency, troubleshoot and fix VFDs, reduce equipment downtime, and eliminate chronic VFD problems. Students will perform hands-on activities with a real-life variable frequency drive. Students will input motor data into the variable frequency drive, set parameters for speed control and overcurrent protection, and check fault codes. Students will complete this VFD training course with the ability to lower the cost of VFD operation, thus alleviating the need for hiring costly outside service contractors, all while establishing a culture of safe work practices among employees.

WHAT YOU WILL TAKE HOME

- A laminated, full-color TPC Training Reference Guide detailing all the “must-know” information covered in the class. Keep this with you while on the job for immediate knowledge recall.
- Comprehensive classroom materials
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▶ **“More covered in two days than I thought possible.”**
Michael F - Facilities Operation Specialist

▶ **“Our instructor made the class Outstanding.”**
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DISCUSSION TOPICS

VFD Safety Review

- Electrical Hazards
- Electrically Safe Work Conditions
- PPE & Insulated Tools

Electrical Basics Review

- Multimeter, Clamp-On, Megohmmeter
- Single Phase and Three Phase Motors
- Motor Troubleshooting and Replacement
- Basic Control Circuits & Troubleshooting

What VFDs Do

- Motion Control / Motor Speed
- Air Flow / Liquid Flow / Pressure Control
- Variable Transmission or Sheave
- Variable Vanes or Dampers on Fans
- Variable Valves on Pumps

Benefits of Using a VFD

- Energy Savings
- Easier Maintenance
- Enhanced System Monitoring

Load Types

- Constant and Variable Torque

VFD Options

- Input / Output Reactors
- Motor Overload Device
- Transient Protection
- Auxiliary Relays
- Power Line Phase Reversal Detection

Installation of a VFD

- Environmental Concerns
- Clearances
- Conduit Entry

Customer Connections

- Safety Circuit
- Start / Stop / Jog
- Status and Fault Indication
- Remote Speed Reference
- Monitoring of Motor Parameters

Wiring & Grounding VFDs

- Induced Signals
- Inductive, Capacitive
- Incoming Power, Motor, and Control Wiring
- Proper Grounding Methods

Controlling a VFD

- Keypad Controls,
- Terminal Strip, Bus Communication, Closed Loop, and Open Loop Control
- Manual and Automatic Operation
- Sensorless Flux Vector
- PI Loop Configuration
- Sensor and Motor Shaft Encoder Feedback

VFD Setup, Programming, & Troubleshooting

- Data, Power, Voltage, References, Speed, Functions, Frequencies, Times, Limits, Modes, Alarms, and Faults

SEMINAR FEE & AGENDA

This 2-day course is just \$1195 (Earn 1.6 CEUs)

7:30 am	Registration
8:00 am	Class Begins
12:00 -1:00 pm	Lunch (on your own)
4:30 pm	Class Ends

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