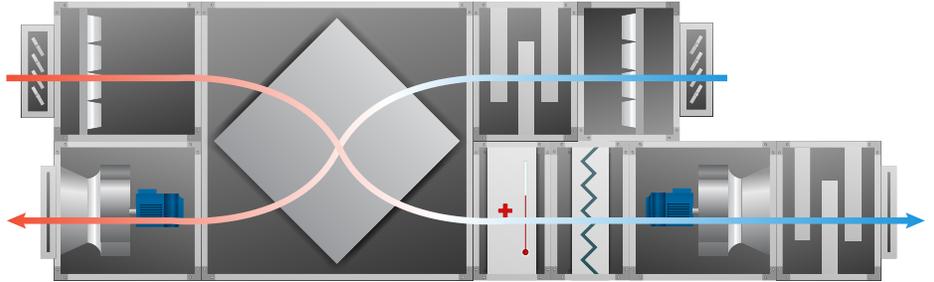


# Air Handling Units Application Data Sheet

## Turntide Smart Motor System™

Air handling units (AHUs) work behind the scenes in buildings to maintain optimal indoor conditions - from maintaining a stockroom of perishable goods, to ensuring critical data center infrastructure is cooled and maintained at a proper temperature.



Unfortunately, HVAC systems, including AHUs, run on old, inefficient technologies. Due to their importance to everyday business operations, HVAC can contribute up to 35% of energy costs within a building - reducing profits and increasing utility bills.

Designed with a Optimal Efficiency Motor™, the Turntide Smart Motor System™ drastically reduces the energy consumption of AHUs with zero compromises to HVAC run conditions: saving energy, money, and the environment.



### Immediate Energy Savings

Turntide motors save energy through patented switched reluctance design, which utilizes optimal device physics and control algorithms to run more efficiently.



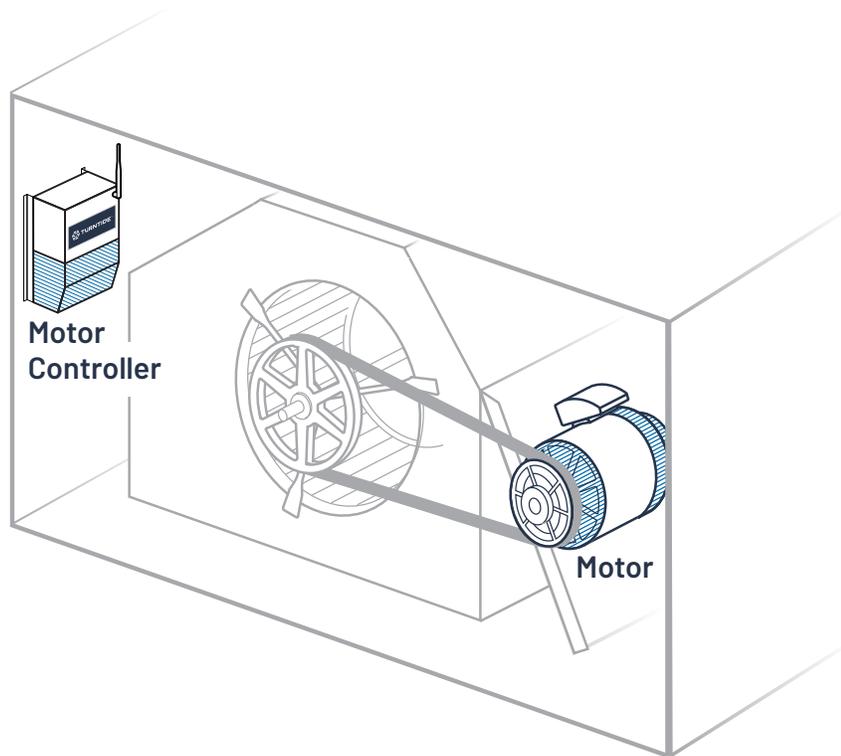
### Gets Better and Smarter Over Time

Turntide motors utilize operating conditions and runtime data to generate improved control algorithms that further optimize system efficiency.

## The Turntide Smart Motor System™ for Air Handling Units

The Turntide Smart Motor System is a high-impact energy conservation measure that delivers immediate and long-term savings. By swapping out legacy AC induction motors and replacing them, Turntide reduces HVAC energy use by an average of 64%.

## What's in the Turntide Smart Motor System?



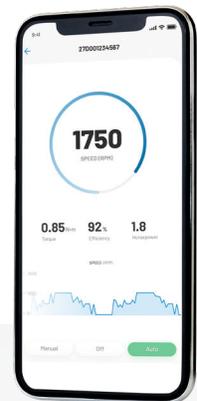
### Smart Motor

Our patented high rotor pole switched reluctance motor with advanced device physics runs more efficiently and reliably.



### Motor Controller

The controller helps the variable-speed motor work at optimized efficiency across a broad range of speeds, enables customized sequences of operation or application-specific functionality, and protect the system from damage or failure.



### Turntide Technician

Turntide Technician mobile app makes evaluating, commissioning, and installing Turntide energy conservation projects easy.

# Outperforms Existing HVAC Efficiency Measures

# 13%

## The ultimate energy conservation measure

The Smart Motor System makes HVAC equipment more efficient, more intelligent, ultra reliable, and simple.

Better performance than VFD retrofit

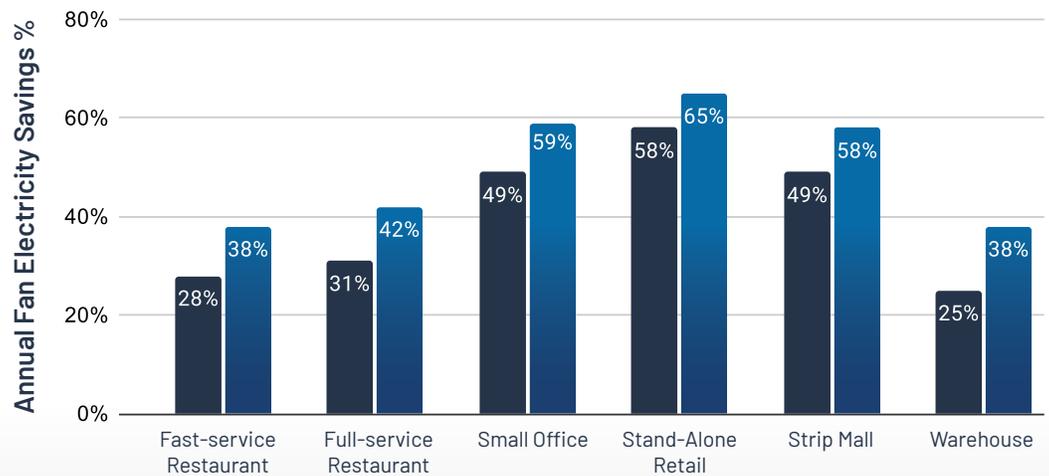
Source: NREL Study

### Annual Fan Electricity Savings from Motor Retrofit

■ NEMA Premium Induction Motor with VFD  
■ Turntide Smart Motor

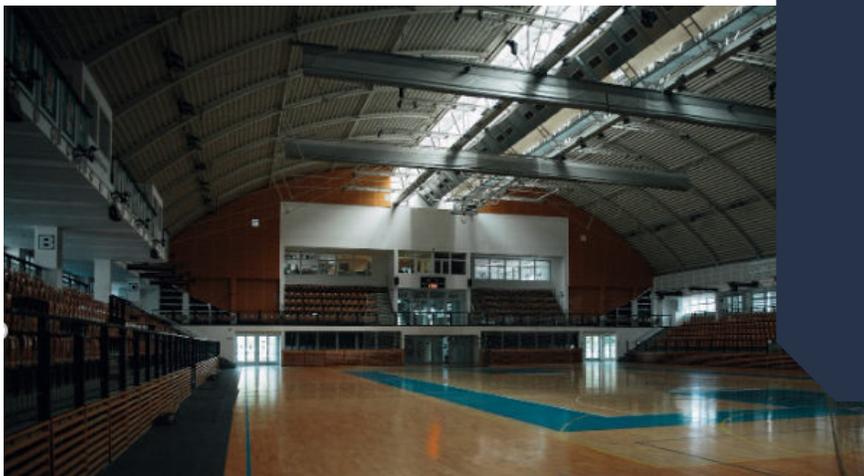
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## Proven to Improve HVAC Performance in AHUs\*

Forward-thinking prestigious university upgrades air handling units at multipurpose gymnasium



### THE RESULTS:

**87%** energy reduction compared to baseline ^

**34%** more energy reduction compared to VFD retrofit

**71,400 kWh** annual energy savings

**3.1 year** simple payback

\*Note: Actual energy savings results may vary depending on multiple factors, including the configuration and control scheme of the AHU.

^Includes control scheme optimizations to further reduce energy use

# Turntide Smart Motor System Specifications



## Motor Compatibility

Turntide smart motors are designed with industry-standard specifications, matching nameplate specs found on AC induction motors

### Horsepower

- 1-15 HP

### Voltage

- 208-230V
- 460V
- 575V

### RPM Range

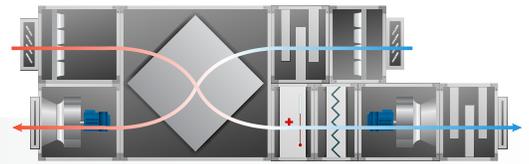
- 100-3600 RPM

### NEMA Frame Sizes

- 56Y
- 56/56H
- 56Z/56HZ/143T/145T
- 182T/184T
- 213T/215T

### NEMA Motor Enclosure

- TEFC



## AHU Compatibility

The Turntide Smart Motor System is compatible with most air handler unit systems both indoors and outdoors, for most building types.

### Indoor and Outdoor Air Handling Units

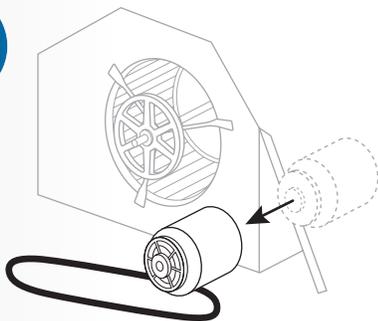
- Rooftop
- Mechanical Spaces

### Building Types

- Shopping Malls
- Retail
- School
- Office
- Hotel
- Supermarkets
- Industrial/Warehouses
- And Many More

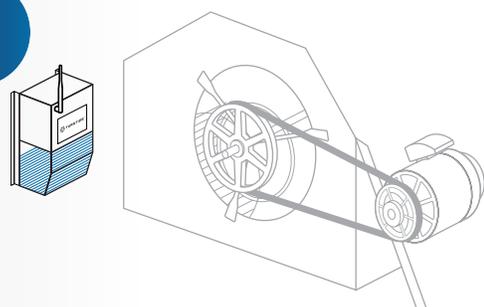
## AHU Retrofit: 5 Easy Steps

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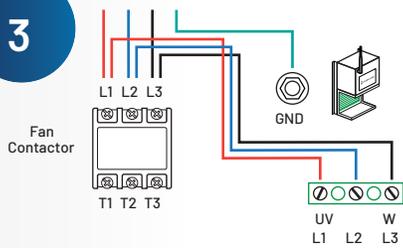
The original motor in the air handling unit is removed, and replaced with a Turntide smart motor

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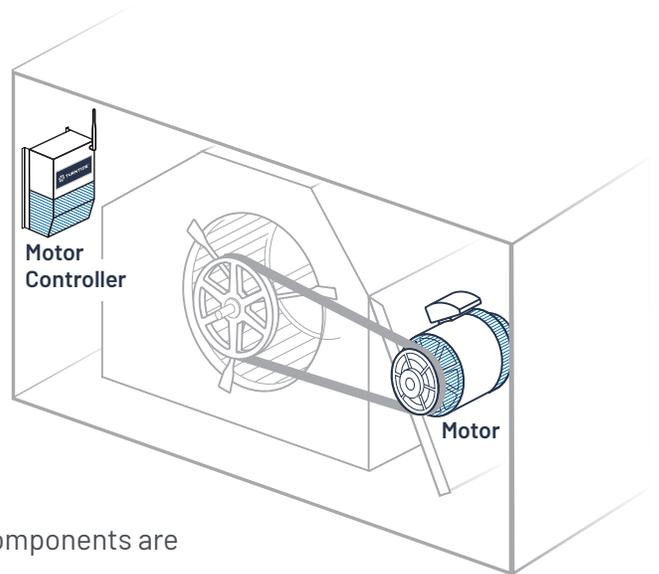
The Turntide motor controller is installed to connect with the motor

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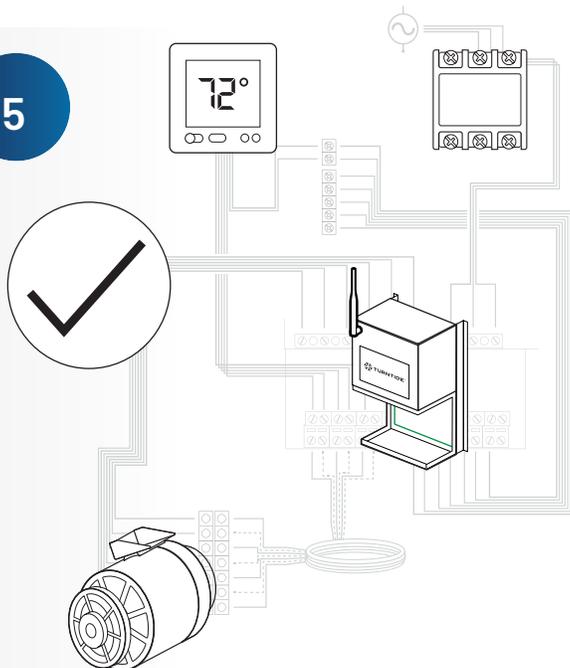
Jumper pins are verified to ensure proper configuration before wiring the system together

4



All system components are wired together

5



System is started up to test and ensure all components work properly for 24/7 safe, reliable operation

For full install information, refer to [www.turntideacademy.com](http://www.turntideacademy.com)

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