

# VLT® Soft Starter MCD 500

**VLT® Soft Starter MCD 500 is a total motor starting solution. Current transformers measure motor current and provide feedback for controlled motor ramp profiles.**

AAC, the Adaptive Acceleration Control, automatically employs the best starting and stopping profile for the application. Adaptive Acceleration Control means that for each start and stop, the soft starter compares and adapts the process to the chosen profile best suited to the application.

The VLT® Soft Starter MCD 500 has a four-line graphical display and a logic keypad making programming easy. Advanced setup is possible displaying operational status.

Three menu systems: Quick Menu, Application Setup and Main Menu provide optimum programming approach.

## The perfect solution, also for more severe applications:

- Pumps
- Conveyors
- Fans
- Mixers
- Compressors
- Centrifuges
- Mills
- Saws
- And many more

## Power range

21 – 1600 A, 7.5 – 850 kW  
(1.2 MW inside Delta Connection)  
Versions for 200 – 690 VAC



Features	Benefits
<b>User friendly</b>	
AAC Adaptive Acceleration Control	– Automatically adapts to the chosen starting and stopping profile
Adjustable bus bars allow for both top and bottom entry (360 – 1600 A, 160 – 850 kW)	– Space saving, less cable cost and easy retrofitting
DC injection braking distributed evenly over three phases	– Less installation cost and less stress on the motor
Inside Delta (6-wire connection)	– Smaller soft starter can be selected for the application
Log menus, 99 events and trip log provide information on events, trips and performance	– Eases analysis of the application
Auto Reset	– Less down-time
Jog (slow-speed operation)	– Application flexibility
Second-order thermal model	– Allows motors to be used to their full potential without damage from overloading
Internal bypass contactors (21 – 215 A, 7.5 – 110 kW)	– Save space and wiring compared to external bypass – Very little heat dissipates when running. Eliminates costly external fans, wiring or bypass contactors
Auto-start/stop clock	– Application flexibility
Compact size – amongst the smallest in their class	– Saves space in cabinets and other application setups
4-line graphical display	– Optimum programming approach and setup for viewing operational status
Multiple programming setup (Standard Menu, Extended Menu, Quick Set)	– Simplifies the programming, but still holding to maximum flexibility
Multiple languages	– Serving the whole world

## Dimensions

Current rating [A]	Weight [kg]	Height [mm]	Width [mm]	Depth [mm]	Frame size
21, 37, 43 and 53	4.2	295	150	183	G1
68	4.5			213	
84, 89 and 105	4.9	438	275	250	G2
131, 141, 195 and 215	14.9			279	G3
245	23.9	689	430	300.2	G4
360, 380 and 428	35			364	G5
595, 619, 790 and 927	45	856	585		
1200, 1410 and 1600	120				

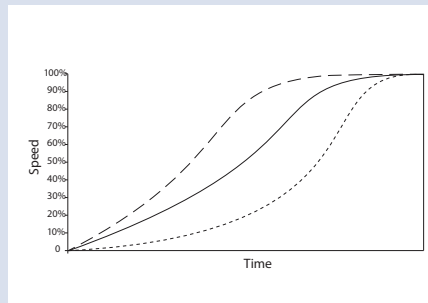
## MCD 500 operation options

### Starting:

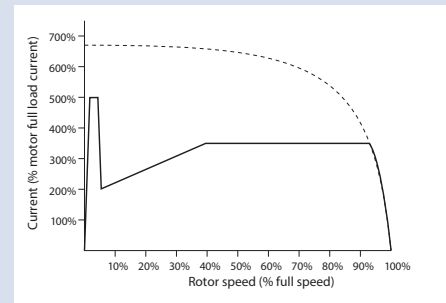
- AAC Adaptive Acceleration
- Control
- Current Ramp
- Constant Current
- Kickstart

### Stopping:

- Coast to stop
- TVR soft Stop
- AAC Adaptive deceleration Control
- Brake



Three Adaptive Acceleration Control (AAC) start profiles; early, constant and late acceleration



Constant current/ current ramp – here shown with kickstart

## Control Panel VLT® LCP 501



With the Control Panel VLT® LCP 501 being a full function interface, everything you can do on the VLT® Soft Starter MCD 500 is possible via the LCP 501.

The screen view set-up is selected from 7 standard views and one user programmable.

### Language selection:

English, Chinese, German, Spanish, Portuguese, French, Italian, Russian.

The VLT® LCP 501 is connected to the MCD 500 by using a 3 m cable using 9 pin (D-sub) plug and 3 m cable provided with the IP 65 (NEMA 12) door-mount kit.

Once connected, the soft starter asks whether you want to copy parameters from LCP to starter or starter to LCP (if different).

### 100% easy connection

- The Modbus, Profibus and Device net modules use another port on the MCD 500 (at the side of the soft starter)
- Separate LCP 501 output at the bottom for 9 pin plug and 3 m cable
- One ordering number (LCP with door-mount kit and cable)
- Plug & play connection (also if soft starter is powered up)
- One cable for power and communication
- Powered up by soft starter
- Copy of parameter set-up