

# *TOSVERT*<sup>™</sup> **VF-AS3**

DC power supply connect to inverter

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Note

1. Read this manual before installing or operating the inverter. Keep it in a safe place for reference.
2. All information contained in this manual will be changed without notice.





## Safety precautions

The items described in the instruction manual and on the inverter itself are very important so that you can use safely the inverter, prevent injury to yourself and other people around you as well as to prevent damage to property in the area. Thoroughly familiarize yourself with the symbols and indications shown below and then continue to read the manual. Make sure that you observe all warnings given.

\* Read the Safety precautions of the instruction manual (CD-ROM) of VF-AS3 inverter (E6582062) for information not mentioned here.




### Explanation of markings

Marking	Meaning of marking
 WARNING	Indicates that errors in operation will lead to death or serious injury.
 CAUTION	Indicates that errors in operation will lead to injury <sup>*1</sup> .
NOTICE	Indicates that errors in operation will cause damage to physical property <sup>*2</sup> .

\*1 Such things as injury, burns or electric shock that will not require hospitalization or long periods of outpatient treatment.

\*2 Physical property damage refers to wide-ranging damage to assets and materials.

### Meanings of symbols

Marking	Meaning of marking
	Indicates an inhibition (Don't do it). Detailed information on the inhibition is described in illustration and text in or near the symbol.
	Indicates a mandatory action that must be followed. Detailed information on the mandatory action is described in illustration and text in or near the symbol.
	Indicates a warning or caution. Detailed information on the warning or caution is described in illustration and text in or near the symbol.

# 1. Introduction

## CAUTION



Mandatory  
action

- Provide pre-charge circuit when the inverter is supplied by DC power source. If proper pre-charge circuit is not provided, it will cause fire or damage the inverter.
- Disconnect the grounding capacitors on inverter when PWM converter (ex. harmonics reduction filter or regeneration) is connected to DC power terminal on the inverter. Leakage current from PWM converter can cause a component damage inside the inverter and finally it can cause fire.

For some type-forms, if you want to use VF-AS3 connected on a DC power supply, you need to provide one or more pre-charge circuits on your side. (Pre-charge circuit: A circuit for suppression of inrush current to the DC BUS capacitor of the inverter at power on.)

For details on type-forms that need pre-charge circuits, please refer to the following combination chart.

- **Frame size A1, A2, A3, A1E, A2E, A3E**

No pre-charge circuits are required.

Connect a DC power supply to the DC input terminals (terminals [PA/+] and [PC/-]) of VF-AS3, and set the parameter [F640: DC supply input] to "1: Enabled".

- **Frame size A4, A5, A6, A7, A8, A4E, A5E**

Provide pre-charge circuits on your side.

For details on required pre-charge circuits, refer to Chapter 2.

- **Frame size A7, A8**

In addition to providing pre-charge circuits, you need to change power connection of inverter fans (cooling fans). Refer to Chapters 2 and 3.

The frame size A1 to A6 of VF-AS3 inverter has a built-in DC reactor as standard, and the frame size A7 and A8 attached with a DC reactor, no option is available.

### ■ Pre-charge circuit combination chart

Voltage class	Frame Size	Type-form	Pre-charge circuit	DC current (A) [HD/ND]*	Change power supply connection for Cooling FAN
240V class	A1	VFAS3-2004P	No required	2.1 / 3.7	No required
		VFAS3-2007P		4.0 / 7.2	
		VFAS3-2015P		7.4 / 10	
		VFAS3-2022P		11 / 19	
	A2	VFAS3-2037P		19 / 25	
	A3	VFAS3-2055P		25 / 33	
		VFAS3-2075P		33 / 48	
	A4	VFAS3-2110P		Required	
		VFAS3-2150P	65 / 80		
		VFAS3-2185P	80 / 94		
	A5	VFAS3-2220P	96 / 129		
		VFAS3-2300P	129 / 158		
		VFAS3-2370P	158 / 191		
	A6	VFAS3-2450P	193 / 234		
VFAS3-2550P		234 / 320			

Voltage class	Frame Size	Type-form	Pre-charge circuit	DC current (A) [HD/ND]*	Change power supply connection for Cooling FAN
480V class	A1	VFAS3-4004PC	No required	1.1 / 2.0	No required
		VFAS3-4007PC		2.2 / 3.8	
		VFAS3-4015PC		4.0 / 5.5	
		VFAS3-4022PC		5.7 / 9.8	
		VFAS3-4037PC		10 / 13	
	A2	VFAS3-4055PC		13 / 18	
		VFAS3-4075PC		18 / 26	
	A3	VFAS3-4110PC		26 / 35	
		VFAS3-4150PC		36 / 43	
		VFAS3-4185PC		44 / 51	
	A4	VFAS3-4220PC	Required	52 / 68	No required
		VFAS3-4300PC		70 / 85	
		VFAS3-4370PC		86 / 102	
	A5	VFAS3-4450PC		104 / 125	
		VFAS3-4550PC		127 / 169	
		VFAS3-4750PC		172 / 203	
	A6	VFAS3-4900PC		209 / 250	
		VFAS3-4110KPC		250 / 296	
		VFAS3-4132KPC		296 / 353	
	A7	VFAS3-4160KPC		363 / 489	
	A8	VFAS3-4200KPC	449 / 554		
VFAS3-4220KPC		499 / 625			
VFAS3-4280KPC		625 / 700			

Note) HD/ND

VF-AS3 inverter has multi-rating.

Select rating with the parameter [AUL: Multi-rating select] according to the characteristics of the load to be applied.

[AUL]="2: ND rating (120%-60s) (0 after execution)"

- Select it to apply equipment with variable torque characteristic.
- Example) Fans, pumps, blowers, etc.

[AUL]="3: HD rating (150%-60s) (0 after execution)"

- Select it to apply equipment with constant torque characteristic.
- Example) Conveyors, load transporting machinery, cranes, mixers, compressors, making machines, machine tools, etc.

For details, refer to the instruction manual of VF-AS3 inverter.

## 2. Connection of Pre-charge circuit

### ⚠ WARNING



Prohibited

- Do not connect AC power supply to the DC terminals, PA/+ and PC/-, of inverter. That can cause a fire.



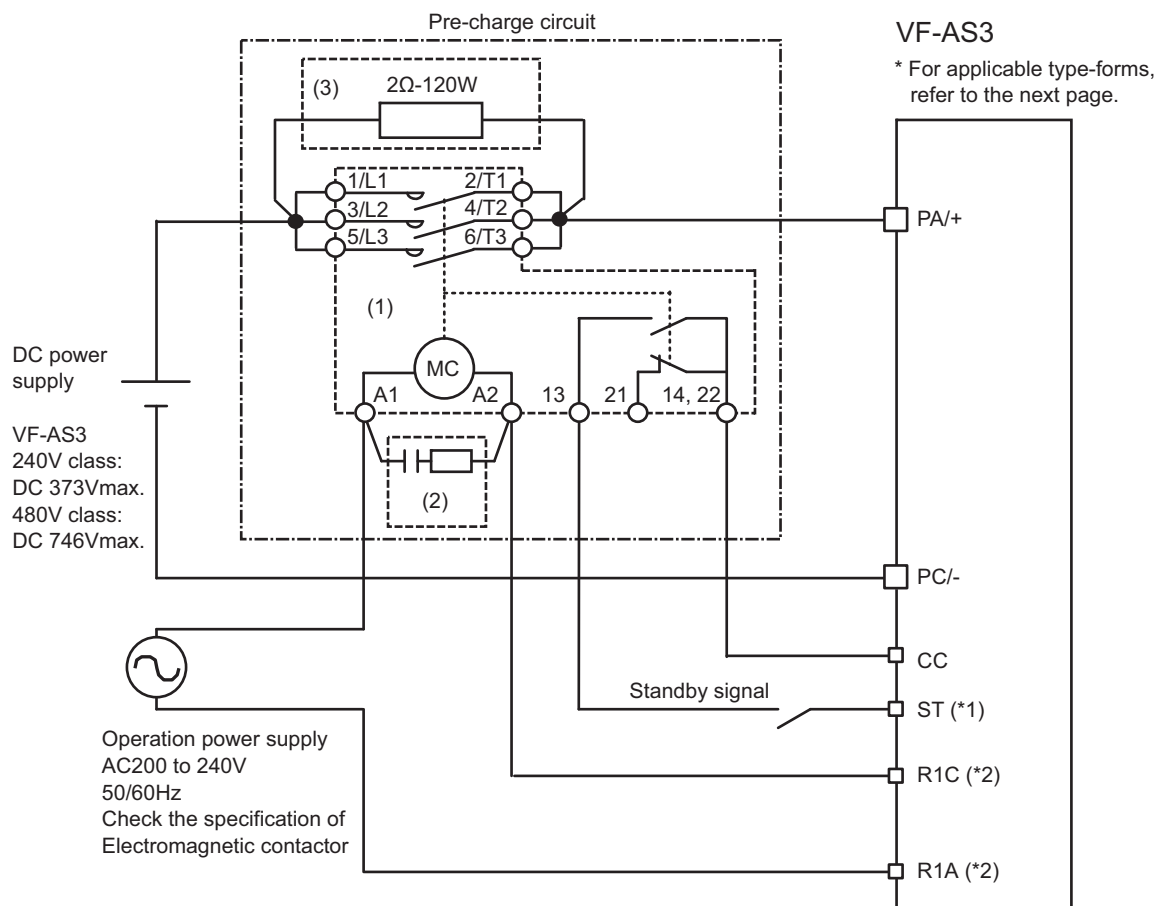
Mandatory action

- Connect correctly the DC terminals, DC power supply + to the DC terminals PA/+ of inverter with the same polarity. If the polarity is incorrect, it will destroy both the inverter and the option, and can result in fire.
- Connect the output signal of standby, to the inverter's control system. If inverter drives in case of the output signal of standby OFF, this can result in fire.

This chapter applies to frame sizes A4, A5, A6, A7, and A8.

This chapter describes the configuration of a pre-charge circuit, along with examples of compatible parts. When selecting parts according to the following examples of compatible parts, note that some type-forms of frame size A6 and all type-forms of frame sizes A7 and A8 require parallel connection of multiple pre-charge circuits. For details, refer to the subsequent pages.

### ■ Pre-charge circuit configuration (Sample circuit)



## Examples of compatible parts for the pre-charge circuit

No.	Part name	Example of compatible parts	
		Type-form	Manufacturer
(1)	Electromagnetic contactor	SC-N3/SE (SC65BAS-222)	Fuji Electric
(2)	Surge absorber	- (*3)	- (*3)
(3)	Rush current protective resistor	120W-2ohm	MICRON

(\*1) Set parameter [F110] to "0", and assign and use ST (Standby) terminal (Function number 6) for an unused digital input terminal.

(\*2) Set the terminal [R1A]-[R1C] of the inverter (parameter [F133]) or the terminal [R2A]-[R2C] (Parameter [F134]) to "114: For external relay of rush current suppression".

The figure indicates the case of using the terminal [R1A]-[R1C].

Note) Set [F640: DC supply input]= "1: Enabled".

(\*3) For SC-N3/SE, Surge absorber is no required. But if other Electromagnetic contactor is used, check the specification. And connect Surge absorber if needed.

- Refer to the instruction manual of VF-AS3 inverter for wire size of the DC section.
- For the control circuit, use shielded wires whose size is  $0.75\text{mm}^2$  or more, and for the operation power supply, use the electric wires whose size is  $2.0\text{mm}^2$  or more.

When the pre-charge circuit of sample is used, some type-forms of frame size A6 and all type-forms of frame sizes A7 and A8 require parallel connection of multiple pre-charge circuits. For details on the numbers and wiring of connected pre-charge circuits, refer to the following.

■ **Number of connected pre-charge circuits - HD rating**

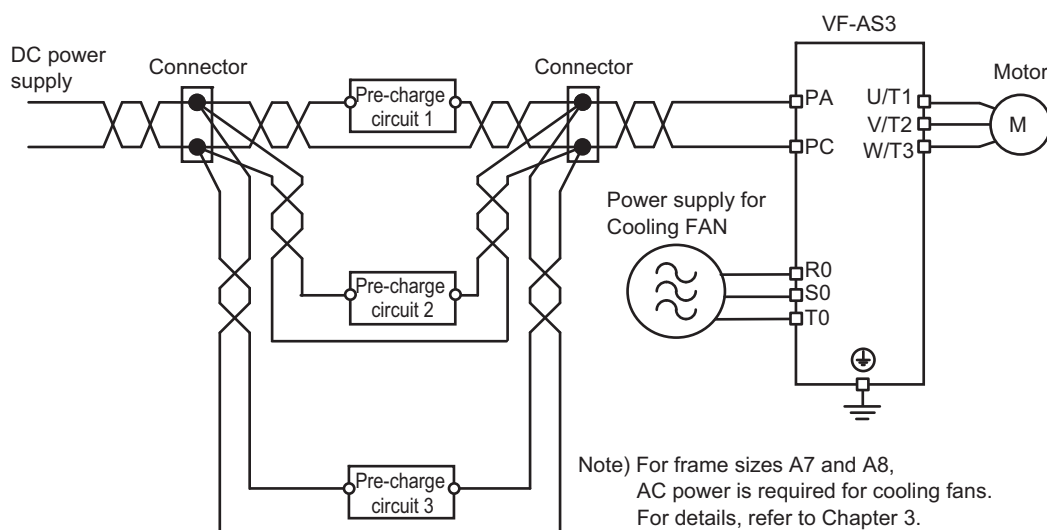
Voltage class	HD/ND	Frame Size	Type-form	Applicable motor (kW)	DC current (A)	Pre-charge circuit
240V class	HD	A4	VFAS3-2110P	11	49	Pre-charge circuit x 1
			VFAS3-2150P	15	65	
			VFAS3-2185P	18.5	80	
		A5	VFAS3-2220P	22	96	
			VFAS3-2300P	30	129	
			VFAS3-2370P	37	158	
		A6	VFAS3-2450P	45	193	
			VFAS3-2550P	55	234	
480V class	HD	A4	VFAS3-4220PC	22	52	Pre-charge circuit x 1
			VFAS3-4300PC	30	70	
			VFAS3-4370PC	37	86	
		A5	VFAS3-4450PC	45	104	
			VFAS3-4550PC	55	127	
			VFAS3-4750PC	75	172	
		A6	VFAS3-4900PC	90	209	
			VFAS3-4110KPC	110	250	
			VFAS3-4132KPC	132	296	
		A7	VFAS3-4160KPC	160	363	Pre-charge circuit x 2 (parallel)
		A8	VFAS3-4200KPC	200	449	
			VFAS3-4220KPC	220	499	
			VFAS3-4280KPC	280	625	Pre-charge circuit x 3 (parallel)

■ Number of connected pre-charge circuits - ND rating

Voltage class	HD/ND	Frame Size	Inverter model	Applicable motor (kW)	DC current (A)	Pre-charge circuit
240V class	ND	A4	VFAS3-2110P	15	65	Pre-charge circuit x 1
			VFAS3-2150P	18.5	80	
			VFAS3-2185P	22	94	
		A5	VFAS3-2220P	30	129	
			VFAS3-2300P	37	158	
			VFAS3-2370P	45	191	
		A6	VFAS3-2450P	55	234	Pre-charge circuit x 2 (parallel)
			VFAS3-2550P	75	320	
480V class	ND	A4	VFAS3-4220PC	30	68	Pre-charge circuit x 1
			VFAS3-4300PC	37	85	
			VFAS3-4370PC	45	102	
		A5	VFAS3-4450PC	55	125	
			VFAS3-4550PC	75	169	
			VFAS3-4750PC	90	203	
		A6	VFAS3-4900PC	110	250	Pre-charge circuit x 2 (parallel)
			VFAS3-4110KPC	132	296	
			VFAS3-4132KPC	160	353	
		A7	VFAS3-4160KPC	220	489	Pre-charge circuit x 3 (parallel)
		A8	VFAS3-4200KPC	250	554	
			VFAS3-4220KPC	280	625	
			VFAS3-4280KPC	315	700	

## ■ Parallel connection of pre-charge circuits (Sample circuit)

### 1) Power circuit



### 2) Control circuit

- (\*1) Set parameter [F110] to "0", and assign and use ST (Standby) terminal (Function number 6) for an unused digital input terminal.
- (\*2) Set the terminal [R1A]-[R1C] of the inverter (parameter [F133]) or the terminal [R2A]-[R2C] (Parameter [F134]) to "114: For external relay of rush current suppression".  
The figure indicates the case of using the terminal [R1A]-[R1C].  
Note) Set [F640: DC supply input]= "1: Enabled".
- Refer to the instruction manual of the main inverter unit for wire size of the DC section.
  - For the control circuit, use shielded wires whose size is  $0.75\text{mm}^2$  or more, and for the operation power supply, use the electric wires whose size is  $2.0\text{mm}^2$  or more.

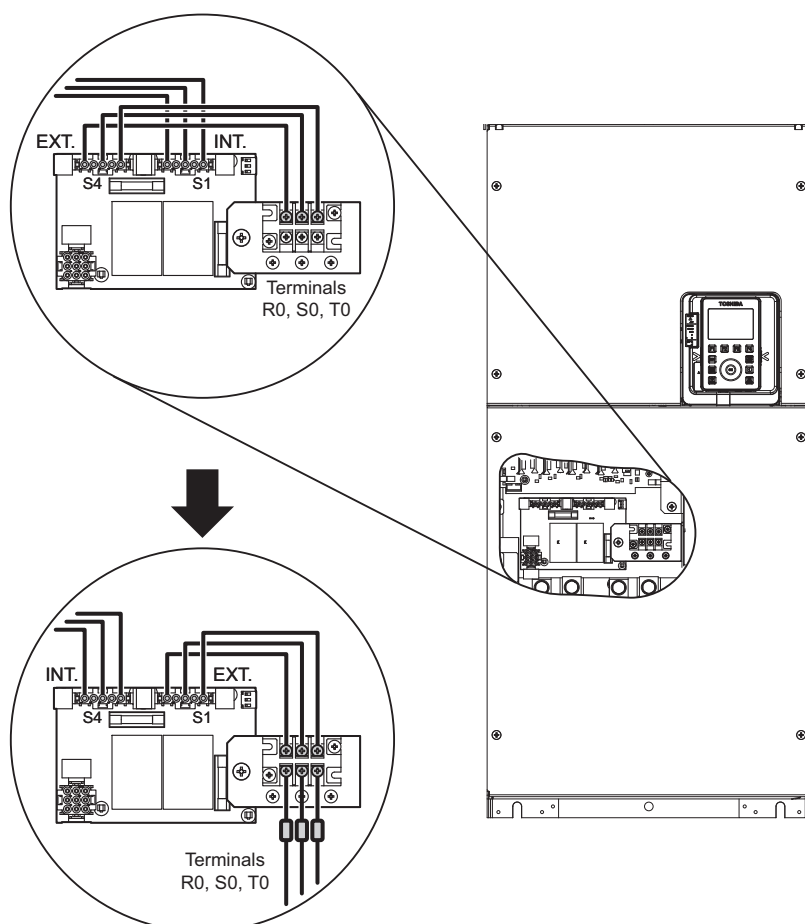
### 3. Power supply connection for inverter's Cooling FAN

This chapter applies to frame sizes A7 and A8.

For frame sizes A7 and A8, three-phase AC power supply is required for cooling fans of the inverter. Refer to the following to change power connection of the fans.

- On the board in the inverter shown in the figure below, exchange the wires connected to connectors at “S1” with the wires connected to connectors at “S4”. This allows for supplying three-phase power from terminals [R0], [S0], and [T0] shown in the figure to the cooling fans.
- Connect a three-phase power supply shown in the table below to terminals [R0], [S0], and [T0].

Factory-set wiring: fans powered internally by [R/L1], [S/L2] and [T/L3].



Modification for fans powered externally by [R0], [S0] and [T0].

Frame Size	Inverter Type-form	Fan power supply voltage [R0], [S0], [T0]	Consumed power of Cooling FAN	Recommended wire size	Recommended Molded-case circuit breaker (MCCB)
A7	VFAS3-4160KPC	3-phase 380 to 440V-50Hz or 3-phase 380 to 480V-60Hz (*1)	700 VA	1.5mm <sup>2</sup> (AWG14)	5A
A8	VFAS3-4200KPC		1300 VA		
	VFAS3-4220KPC				
	VFAS3-4280KPC				

(\*1): In case of corner earthed power supply system, connect to power supply under the surrounding according to OVC2 (Over Voltage Category 2).

