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How Power Factor Correction Reduces Electricity Costs & Emissions

Power factor correction equipment is used to react to inductive loads applied to an electricity supply generated by business demand.

Figure.1 is the power monitoring data obtained in a low voltage power quality survey. It shows a high reactive power (**KVAr**) and a maximum demand (**KVA**) which is much higher than the (**KW**).

Figure.2 shows the power factor of the same supply which is very poor. A power factor of at least 0.96 should be achieved

A low power factor increases consumption (**KW**) with higher conductor current losses. Causing also excessive heat and premature failure of electrical equipment .

Figures 3 and 4. show the power quality achieved of a supply with a good power factor.

The reactive power generated is corrected and low (**KVAr**), the (**KVA**) is just above the (**KW**). This maximizes the electrical capacity of the supply.

With a low reactive power achieved a better environment for electrical equipment is created.

Business electricity bills are adversely affected by low power factor with reactive charges, additional KW losses and a higher maximum demand.

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Figure 1.

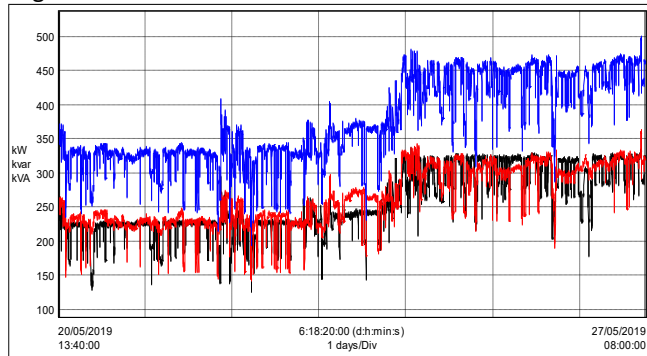


Figure 2.

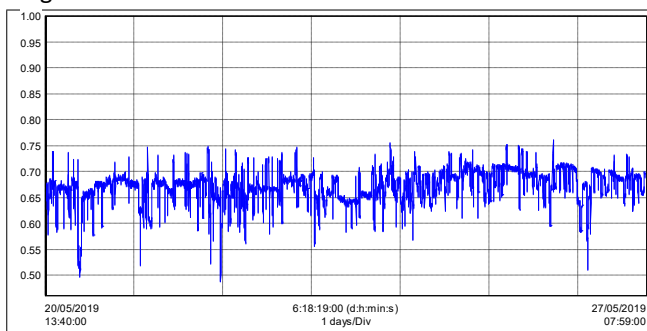


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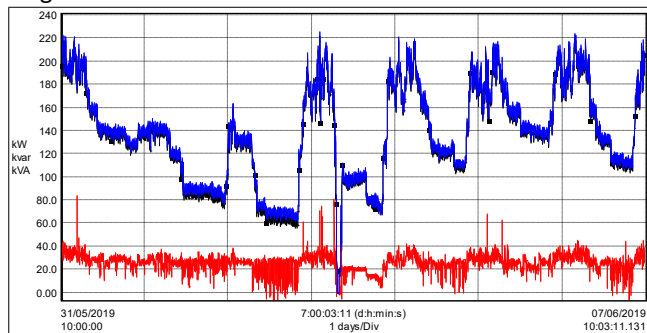


Figure 4.

