

# Proposal for Air-saving System

# Contributes to CO<sup>2</sup> Emissions Reduction

# **Air Blow**

### **Nozzles for Blowing**

Through the use of a smaller diameter nozzle, air consumption can be

reduced by 62%



## **Pulse Valve**

High peak pressure and low air consumption

35% reduction



## **Impact Blow Gun**

Air consumption

85% reduction



# Vacuum Equipment

# **Vacuum Ejector**

Due to the energy-saving function, air consumption can be

reduced by 93%



# **Actuators**

# Air Saving Speed Controller

By simply mounting on your current air cylinder, air consumption can be

reduced by 25%



# **Air Cylinder**

By selecting an optimal size air cylinder, air consumption can

be reduced by 4



# **Booster Regulator**

Power consumption



















# Successful cases of companies that implemented measures for energy saving

#### **Company A performance**

Electricity 3000 kW -> 1400 kW

CO<sub>2</sub> 0.9 t reduction/year

\$752,000 reduction/year

### **Company B performance**

Electricity 10000 kW → 7000 kW

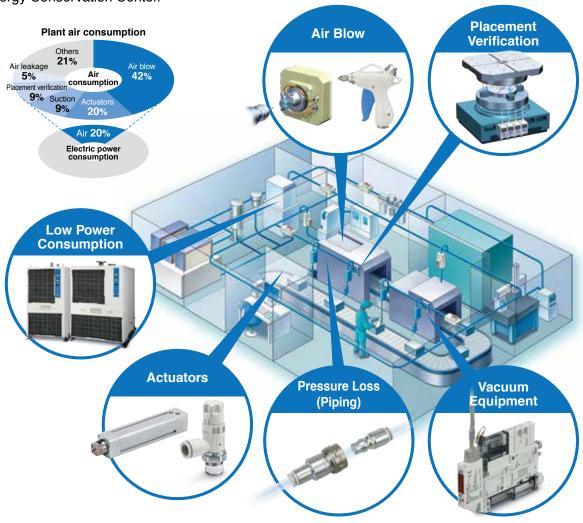
1.7 t reduction/year

\$1,410,000 reduction/year

# We will help you save energy.

■ We will help you to improve and standardize your equipment and adopt new equipment.

■ We also proactively promote activities through official organizations, such as holding seminars at the Energy Conservation Center.



### **Energy-saving Themes**



















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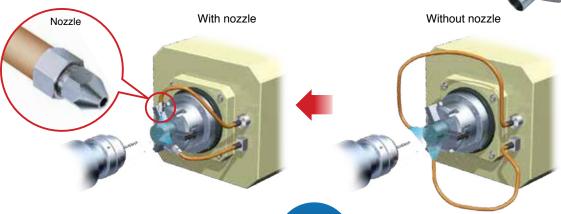


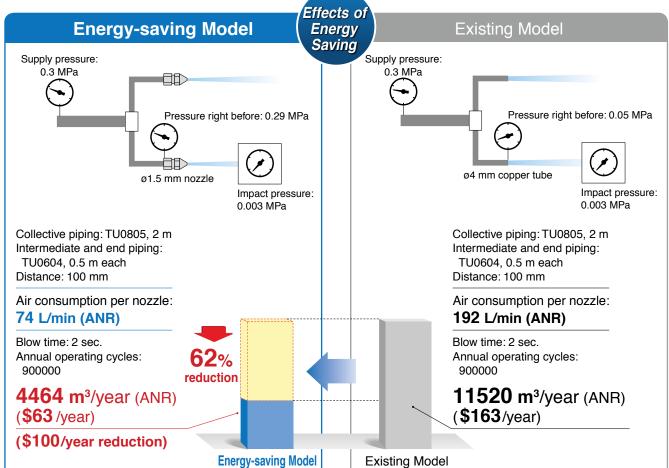
Air consumption

62% reduction

# Air consumption can be reduced through the use of a smaller diameter nozzle.

Blow circuit that facilitates effective pressure use









1 mm to 0.0393701 inches 1 MPa to 145.038 psi 1 m³ to 35.3147 ft³

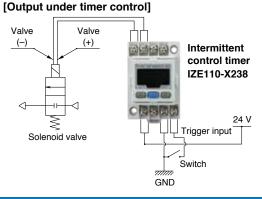
Air Blow

Air consumption

50%
reduction

By using intermittent blow based on an intermittent control timer, air consumption can be reduced by 50%.

# Continuous Blow Circuit



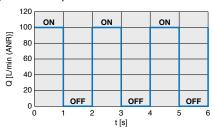
**Intermittent Blow Circuit** 

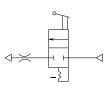
#### **Energy-saving Circuit**

The duty ratio can be freely adjusted.

By setting the duty ratio to one that has the same blow effectiveness, air consumption can be reduced.

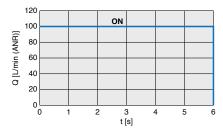
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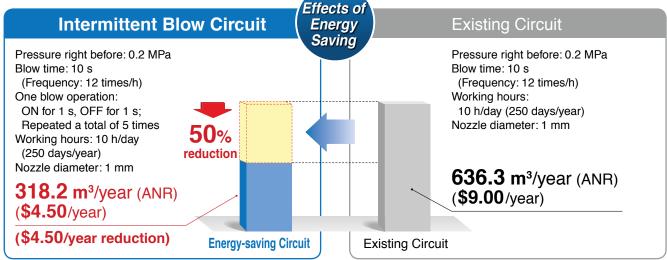




#### **Existing Circuit**

The duty ratio is equivalent to 100%.









Peak pressure

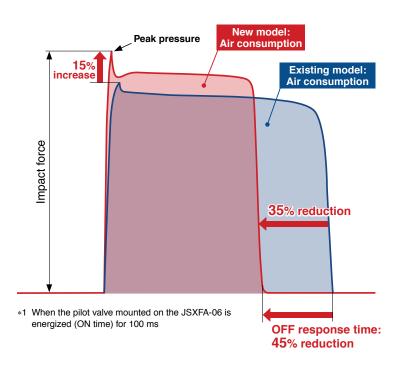
15%<sup>\*1</sup> increase

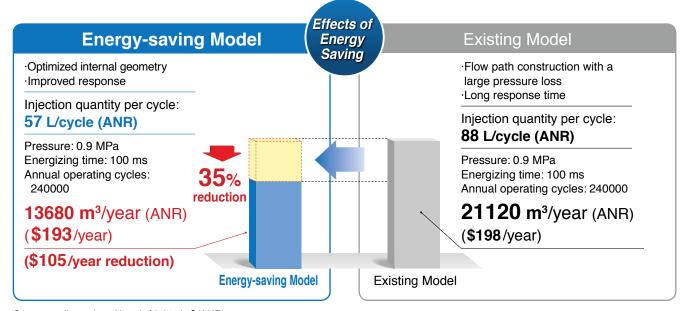
(Air consumption)

35%<sup>1</sup> reduction

# High peak pressure and low air consumption









Blowing by Air Gun

Power consumption
20%
reduction

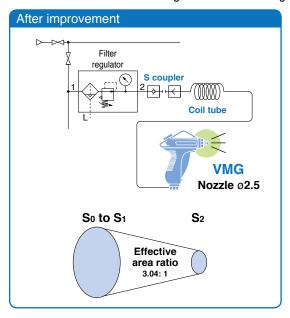
Power consumption can be reduced by 20% with the SMC blow gun + S coupler + coil tube combination.

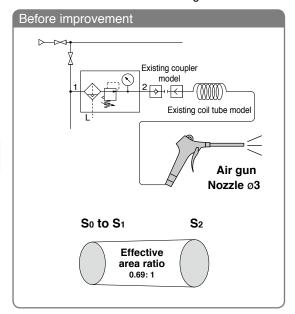
10% reduction with only the blow gun (VMG)

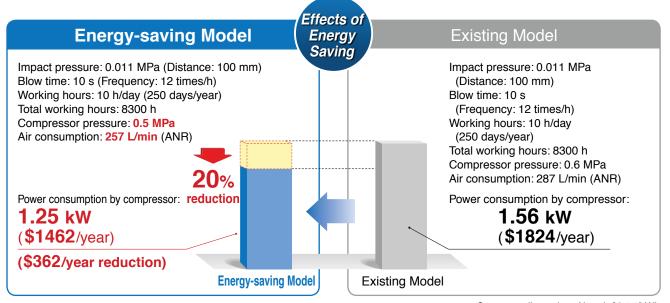
Pressure loss of 1% or less

#### Example of Improvement

Review the blow work and change to the SMC blow gun, S coupler, and coil tube combination to create a larger effective area.







Corresponding value: Air unit \$0.14/kWh



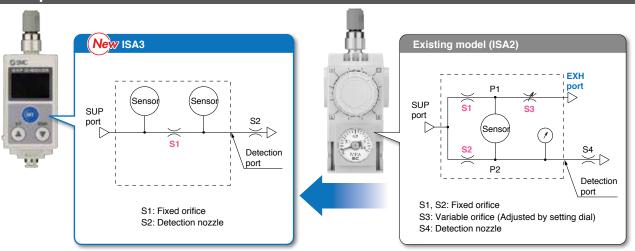


Air consumption
60%
reduction

Air consumption when a workpiece is seated is now 0 L/min due to the new detection principle.



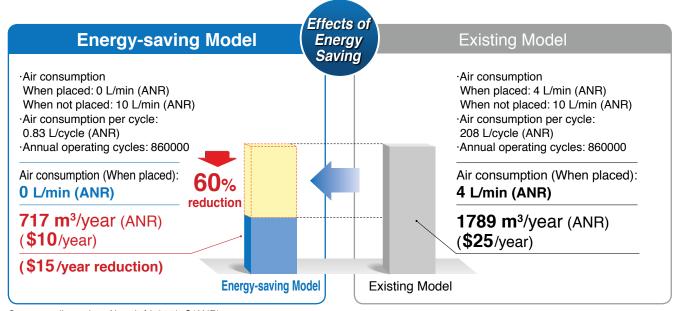
### Comparison of detection circuit



Due to the new detection principle, the need for air to be exhausted from the product has been eliminated. This makes the flow consumption 0 L/min when a workpiece is seated.

The result is a great reduction in air consumption compared with the existing model.

\* Conditions: Unseated for 5 seconds and seated for 20 seconds (For the G type)









Air consumption can be reduced by selecting an optimal size air cylinder.

Intermediary Bore Sizes

# Air consumption can be reduced by up to 29%

Bore size (mm)	ø <b>40</b>	ø <b>45</b>	ø <b>50</b>	ø <b>56</b>	ø <b>63</b>	ø <b>67</b>	ø <b>80</b>	ø <b>85</b>	ø <b>100</b>
Air consumption L/min (ANR)	1.4	1.8	2.2	2.8	3.6	4.1	5.8	6.6	9.1
Conditions/Supply pressure: 0.5 MPa Load factor: 50%, At 100 mm stroke		18% re	eduction	22% re	eduction	29% re	eduction	27% re	eduction

#### Example Bore size for 85 kg workpieces

ø67

Conditions/Supply pressure: 0.5 MPa, Load factor: 50%

1763

Bore size (mm)	Theoretical output (N)	Output for load factor of 50% (kg)	Judgment		
ø63	1559	79.5	Not acceptable (Insufficient)		
ø80	2513	128.2	Acceptable (Excessive)		
When intermediary bore size ø67 is used					

89.9

intermediary bore size Ø67

**OK** 

Could be switched to

Existing size: ø80

Effects of **Energy-saving Model Existing Model** Energy Saving Bore size: ø67 Bore size: ø80 Stroke: 100 mm Stroke: 100 mm Pressure: 0.5 MPa Pressure: 0.5 MPa Load factor: 50% Load factor: 50% Per single reciprocation: Per single reciprocation: 4.1 L/min (ANR) 5.8 L/min (ANR) When it is operated When it is operated 1000000 times/year 1000000 times/year reduction 4100 m³/year (ANR) 5800 m³/year (ANR) (**\$58**/year) (**\$82** /year) (\$24/year reduction) **Energy-saving Model Existing Model** 





1 L to 0.264172 gal 1 mm to 0.0393701 inches 1  $m^3$  to 35.3147 ft 3 1 MPa to 145.038 psi



Air consumption

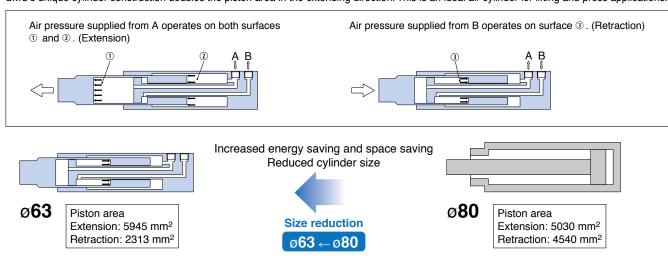
14%
reduction

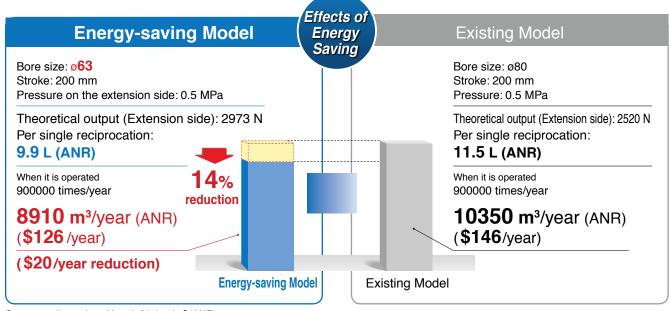
# Air consumption can be reduced by 14% due to the reduced cylinder size.

It is possible to reduce air consumption in the retracting direction, compared with a standard cylinder with equivalent output in the extending direction, due to the doubled piston area in the extending direction.

#### Double extension output power!

SMC's unique cylinder construction doubles the piston area in the extending direction. This is an ideal air cylinder for lifting and press applications.









1 mm to 0.0393701 inches 1 MPa to 145.038 psi 1 L to 0.264172 gal 1 m³ to 35.3147 ft³



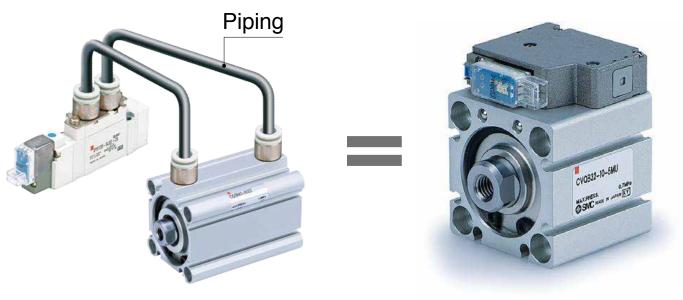
Air consumption

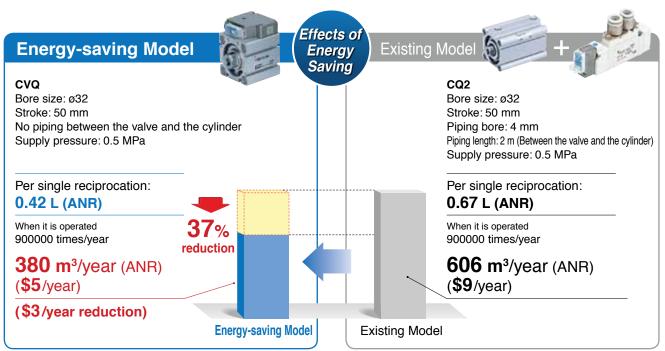
37% reduction

# **Energy Saving**

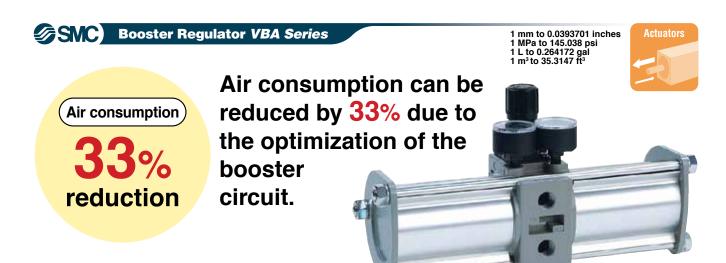
Air consumption between the valve and cylinder can be reduced by approximately **37%**.

## Valve and compact cylinder integrated for compactness



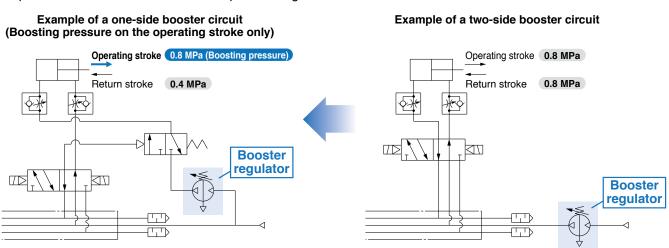


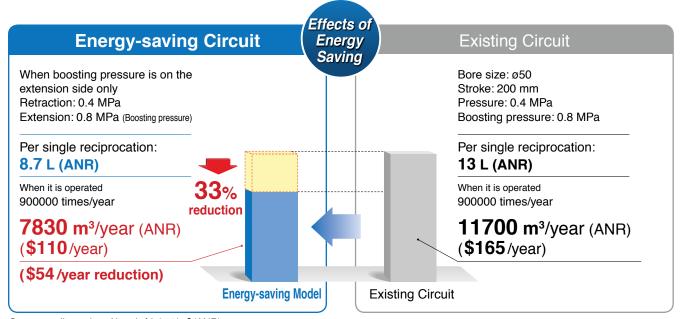




### Boost an insufficiently powered portion with a booster regulator

Optimized booster circuit: Now with a space-saving booster circuit









1 mm to 0.0393701 inches 1 MPa to 145.038 psi 1 L to 0.264172 gal 1 m³ to 35.3147 ft³

Air consumption

25%
reduction

Reduce air consumption just by mounting to your current air cylinder!

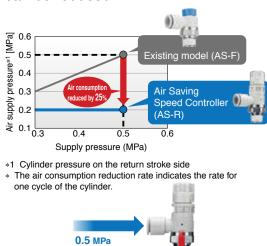
Mounting and operation are the same as a regular speed controller.



With pressurereduction function

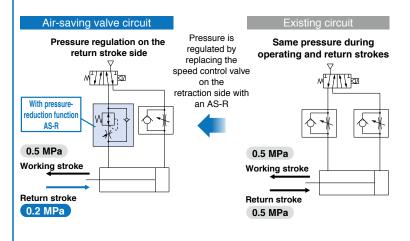
AS-R Series

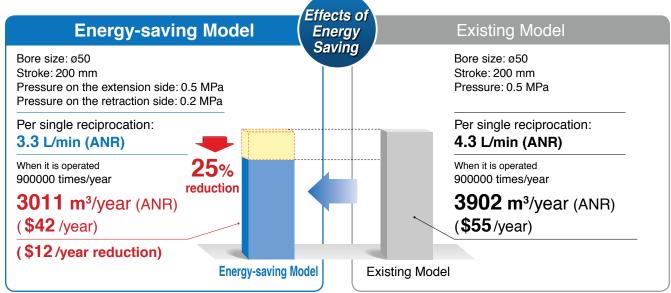
By reducing the pressure on the return stroke to 0.2 MPa, air consumption can be reduced.



0.2 MPa

When it is not necessary to apply force at the end of the working stroke, by using a lifter, pusher, etc.









Air consumption

93%
reduction\*1

**Energy-saving Ejector** 

The digital pressure switch for vacuum with energy-saving function cuts supply air when the pressure reaches the desired vacuum.

Digital pressure switch for vacuum with energy-saving function

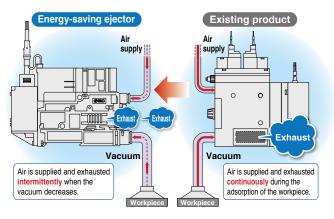
\*1 Based on SMC's measuring conditions

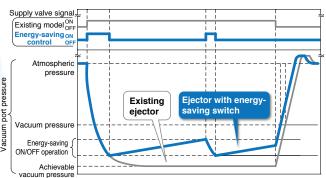
# The digital pressure switch

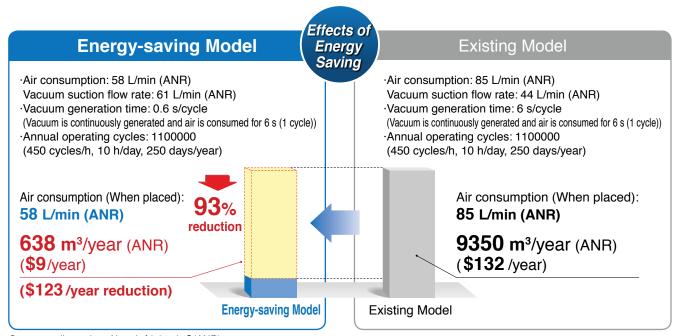
# with energy-saving function can reduce

air consumption by 90%\*2. \*2 Based on SMC's measuring conditions

While the suction signal is ON, the ON/OFF operation of the supply valve is also performed automatically within the set value.











1 m³ to 35.3147 ft³ 1 MPa to 145.038 psi 1 kPa to 0.145038 psi 1 L/min to 0.0353146667 cfm



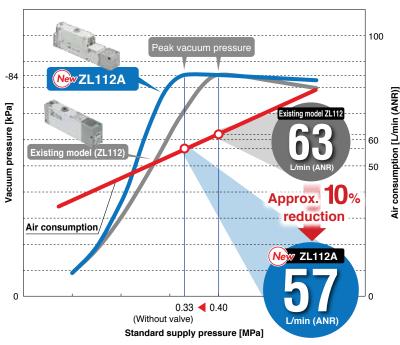
Air consumption

10%
reduction

Air consumption can be reduced reduced by 10% due to the

optimization of the diffuser flow path.

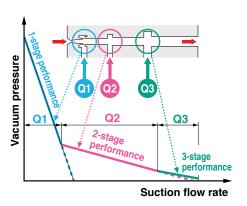


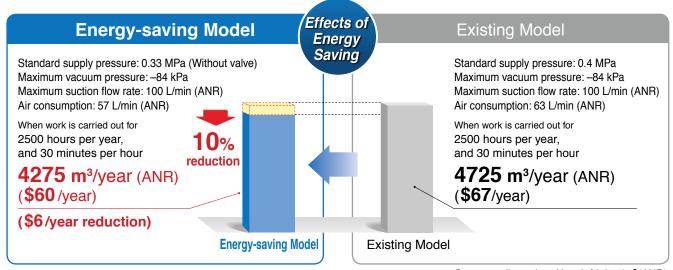


### 3-stage diffuser construction

# Suction flow rate increased by 250%

(Versus ø1.3, 1-stage model)









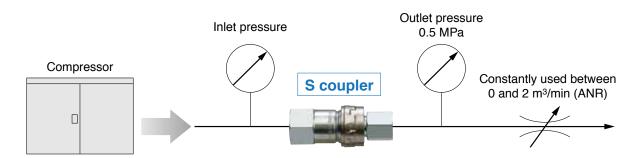


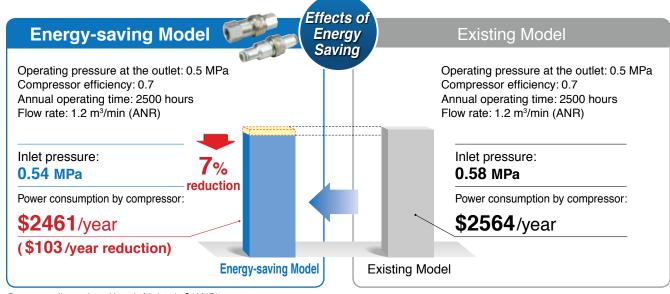
**Pressure loss** 

7% reduction

# The built-in valve is of a special shape, resulting in reduced pressure loss.









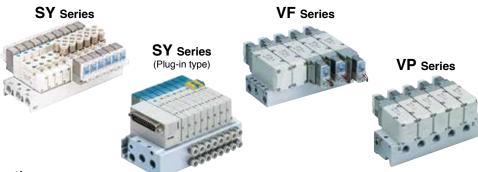




Power consumption

75% reduction

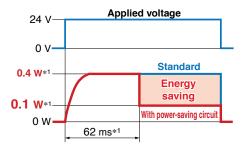
The power-saving circuit can reduce the consumption of electric power when the device is energized.



## Reduces power consumption when energized

Power consumption can be reduced by approx. 1/4 by reducing the wattage required to hold the valve in an energized state. (Effective energizing time is over 62 ms\*<sup>1</sup> at 24 VDC.) Refer to the electrical power waveform as shown below.

#### Electrical power waveform with power-saving circuit



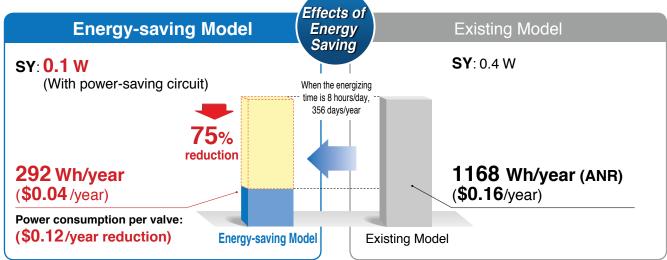
\*1 SY/SYJ series

#### **Low Power Consumption Valve**

**Energy-saving Product** 

Туре		Power consumption W*2		
	Model	Standard	With power- saving circuit	
4/5-port	SJ2000	0.55	0.23	
	SJ3000	0.4	0.15	
	New SY3000/5000/7000	0.4	0.15	
	SY3000/5000/7000/9000	0.4	0.1	
	SYJ3000/5000/7000	0.4	0.1	
	VF1000/3000/5000	1.55	0.55	
3-port	SYJ300/500/700	0.4	0.1	
	VP300/500/700	1.55	0.55	
	V100	0.4	0.1	

\*2 With DC light







# **Double energy-saving** function series

Power consumption reduction

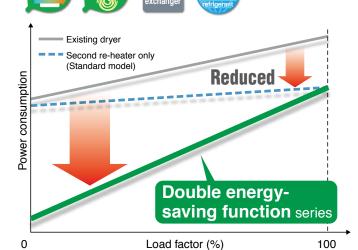
The addition of a second reheater + digital scroll results in high energy savings.

# **Energy-saving design**

(1 kW)\*1 % reduction

- ■Ambient temperature 32°C ■Inlet air temperature 40°C
- ●Inlet air pressure 0.7 MPa ●Air flow rate = Rated flow x 0.4
- ●Power supply frequency 60 Hz ●Power supply voltage 200 V ●Set dew point = 30°C

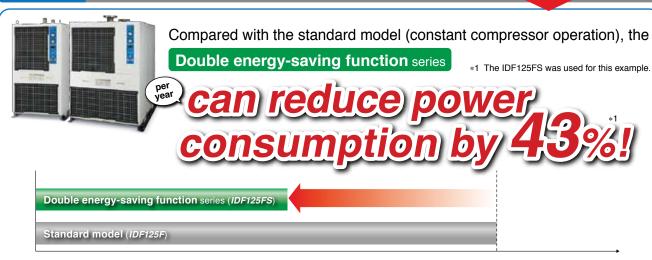
 $T_{({}^{\circ}C)} \times 1.8 + 32 = T_{({}^{\circ}F)}$ 





year (Spring to Winter) Power consumption

Reduced



\* [Trial calculation conditions] Days of operation per year = 240 days (60 days each in spring, summer, autumn, and winter), Operating hours per day = 12 hours

For details about the dryer operating conditions for each season, refer to the **Web Catalog** (IDF□FS series.).







3 piston construction

 The drive chamber on one side can be operated by the exhaust return circuit.

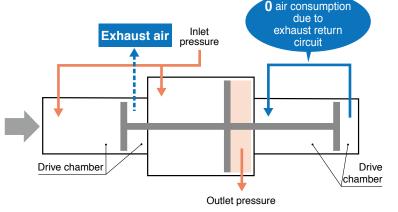


\*1 Based on SMC's measuring conditions

# Operation noise: 65 dB (A)\*2

### 15 dB (A) reduction compared with the existing model (VBA series)

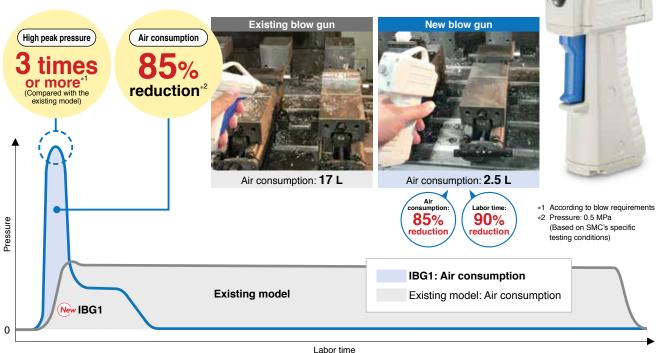
- Exhaust noise: Reduced noise due to exhaust of reused low-pressure air
- Metal noise: Reduced noise due to the adoption of a construction in which the internal switching part doesn't come into contact with any metal parts



\* Please contact your local sales representative for more details.

Air Saving Impact Blow Gun IBG1 Series

# Increased impact force due to higher peak pressure Drastic reduction in air consumption and labor time



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