

DESICCANT AIR DRYERS



AVAILABLE EQUIPMENT

Available Equipment	Heatless QDTH	Heated Purge QDHP	Blower Purge QDBP
Sequence Annunciator	Standard	Standard	Optional
Information Center	Standard	Standard	Not Applicable
Q-Sorb Enhanced Desiccant	Standard	Standard	Standard
Micro Processor	Standard	Standard	Standard
Demand Control	Optional	Optional	Optional
MicroBurst Regeneration System	Optional	Optional	Not Applicable
Digital Dewpoint Readout	Optional	Optional	Optional
Adjustable Dewpoint	Optional	Optional	Optional
Communications Port	Optional	Optional	Optional
*Dry Contacts for Remote Alarm	Optional	Optional	Optional
NEMA 4	Standard	Standard	Standard
NEMA 7-9	Optional	Optional	Optional
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Stainless-Steel Diffuser Screens	Standard	Standard	Standard
Pressure Equalization	Standard	Standard	Standard
Exhaust Mufflers	Standard	Standard	Standard
Pressure Gauges	Standard	Standard	Standard
ASME Vessels	Standard	Standard	Standard
Control Air Filter	Standard	Standard	Standard
Diaphragm Switching Valves	Standard	Standard	Not Applicable
Premium Butterfly or Ball Switching Valves	Optional	Optional	Standard
Purge Flow Meter	Optional	Optional	Optional
Manual Cycle Test Mode	Standard	Standard	Standard
Moisture Indicator	Optional	Optional	Optional
Factory Packages	Optional	Optional	Optional
Control Transformer	Standard	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Power Failure Program Protection	Standard	Standard	Standard
Low Watt Density Heaters	Not Applicable	Standard	Standard
Heater Thermostat	Not Applicable	Standard	Standard
High Humidity Alarm	Optional	Optional	Optional
Failure to Switch Alarms	Optional	Optional	Optional
Heater Failure Alarm	Not Applicable	Optional	Optional
Low Dewpoint Control	Optional	Optional	Optional
Heavy-Duty Paint	Optional	Optional	Optional
Certified Drawings	Optional	Optional	Optional
Stainless-Steel Control Tubing	Optional	Optional	Optional

*(Included with optional alarms)



The Science of Compressed Air

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HEATED PURGE
BLOWER PURGE

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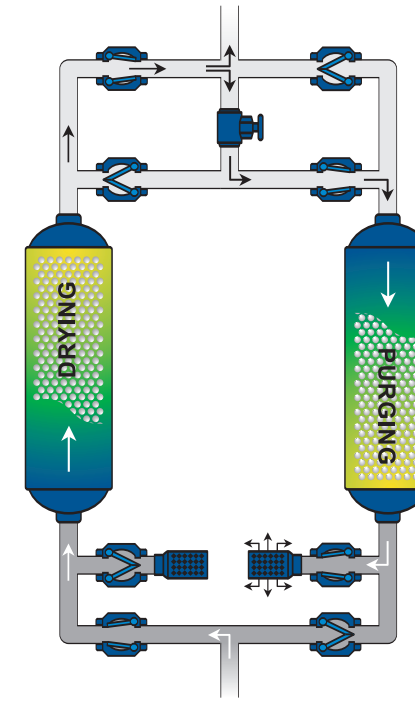
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QDTH-HEATLESS, QDHP-HEATED PURGE, QDBP-BLOWER PURGE

- -40°F to -100°F Pressure Dewpoint
- Enhanced Q-Sorb Desiccant
 - Longer Life
 - Lower Pressure Drop
 - Less Dusting
- Sequence Annunciator
- NEMA 4 Standard
- Microprocessor Control
- Demand Control Option
- MicroBurst Regeneration System (QDHP Heated Purge Only)
- Extended Warranty Option

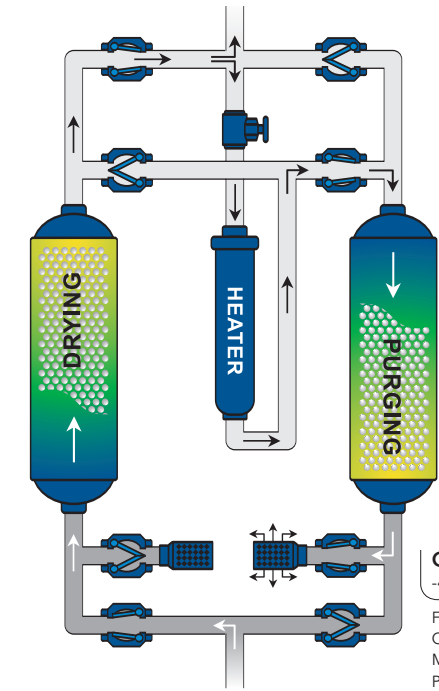


FLOW SCHEMATICS



QDTH Heatless
-40°F to -100°F Dewpoint

First Cost:	Low
Operating Cost:	Medium to High
Maintenance:	Low
Purge:	15%



QDHP Heated Purge
-40°F to -100°F Dewpoint

First Cost:	Medium
Operating Cost:	Low
Maintenance:	Low
Purge:	3.5% to 7%

OPERATION & DESIGN

Quincy desiccant air dryers purify compressed air by adsorbing water vapor. Pressure dewpoints of -40°F to -100°F are attained by directing the flow of wet compressed air through a bed of highly adsorbent desiccant.

Quincy desiccant dryers are supplied with “Q-Sorb”, an enhanced formula of activated alumina. This high performance desiccant provides better uniformity, more efficient use of available surface area, less dusting, longer life and lower pressure drop. It is available only from Quincy and Quincy associates.

The Q-Sorb desiccant is contained in two pressure vessels, commonly referred to as “dual” or “twin towers”.

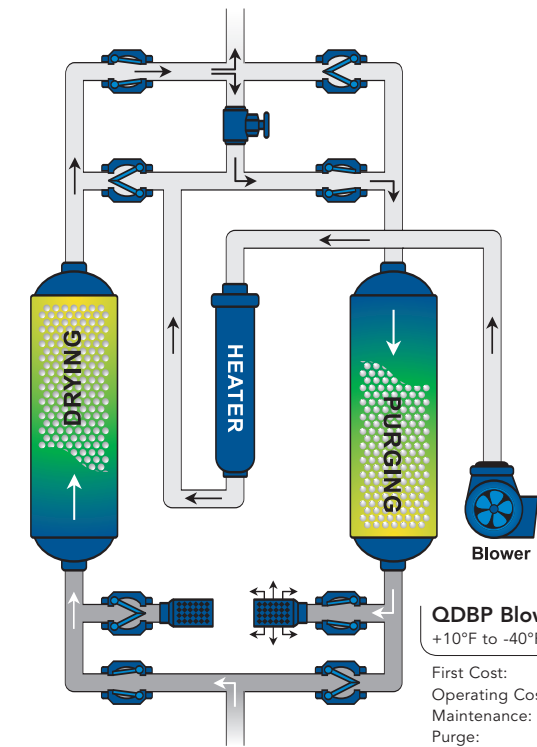
As the compressed air passes through the on-line, or drying vessel, the trapped moisture adheres to the surface of the desiccant material. The dry compressed air then exits the vessel and is directed to the afterfilter for final polishing. The dry air then enters the compressed air distribution system.

An Electronic Control Processor (ECP) switches the air flow from tower to tower. While one tower is on-line and drying, the other tower is off-line, regenerating the wet desiccant. Regeneration, also referred to as purging, uses air to strip away the moisture collected on the desiccant while the tower was on-line.

Heatless dryers use a small portion of the dried compressed air to purge the off-line tower. Heated Purge dryers, also referred to as Externally Heated, use an even smaller portion of the dried compressed air that is heated for regeneration. Blower Purge dryers combine heat with forced ambient air for regeneration.

To regenerate the off-line tower, low pressure, dry purge flows through the regenerating bed. Moisture that had adhered to the surface of the desiccant during the on-line cycle is attracted to the air. The moisture is desorbed by the air and carried out of the tower. Each tower has an exhaust valve where the wet air is discharged into the atmosphere.

Quincy desiccant dryers are designed for maximum performance. Moisture load, velocity, contact time and cycle time determine the amount of desiccant required and the size of the vessels. Bed fluidization, or destruction of the desiccant caused by rapid and inconsistent air flow, is prevented by keeping air flow velocities below 50 feet per minute. This means air is in contact with the desiccant for at least 4.5 seconds, which balances drying and pressure drop.



QDBP Blower Purge
+10°F to -40°F Dewpoint

First Cost:	High
Operating Cost:	Low
Maintenance:	Medium
Purge:	1.75 Avg.

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ELECTRONIC CONTROL PROCESSOR

- Information Center
- Visual Display
- Manual Test Mode
- -40°F to -100°F Dewpoint
- Protected Program



ELECTRONIC CONTROL PROCESSOR

All dryer functions are managed by Quincy's Electronic Control Processor. On Heatless dryers the controller can be set for a standard 10-minute cycle to deliver a -40°F dewpoint, or a 5-minute Short Cycle that will provide dewpoints from -80°F to -100°F.

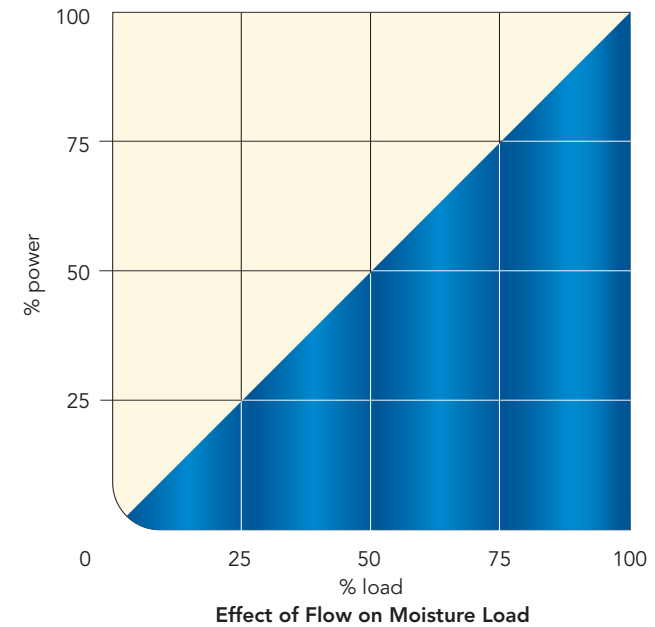
Heated Purge dryers are programmed for an 8-hour operating cycle. A manual test mode is provided to allow the operator to quickly step the dryer through a complete cycle. The LCD Information Center displays tower sequence, timing cycle, function alarms, and optional equipment operation. The integral LED Sequence Annunciator visually indicates which tower is on-line drying, and whether the off-line regenerating tower is purging, heating, repressurizing or cooling. The information center also displays the function of the optional demand control and failure to shift, high humidity and low pressure alarms.

Blower Purge dryers are programmed for an 8-hour operating cycle. Dryer operation and all control functions are managed by an on board PLC programmed for optimum dryer performance. Optional Sequence Annunciator lights are available.

Inlet Temp °F	100	95	90	85	80	75	70
Factor	1.0	.87	.75	.65	.55	.47	.40

Effect of Temperature on Moisture Load

OMNIPOINT DIGITAL DEMAND CONTROL



- Saves Energy
- Digital Dewpoint Readout
- Adjustable Dewpoint
- Dry Contacts
- Optional RS 232 or RS 485 Communication Port
- NIST Traceable
- High Speed Ceramic Sensor



Dewpoint

OMNIPOINT DIGITAL DEMAND CONTROL

Quincy's OmniPoint Digital Demand Control option significantly reduces energy consumption by automatically regulating purge in response to actual moisture load. Inlet temperature, pressure flow, and relative humidity determine moisture load. These conditions change throughout the day and almost never combine in a manner that would produce maximum moisture loads. For example, a dryer operating 20°F cooler than design point would have to deal with only 50% of its design moisture loading. Normal dryer controls fix the cycle for worst case moisture loading. Because loads and conditions fluctuate throughout the day, fixed cycle operation wastes energy by regeneration more often than is necessary.

Quincy's OmniPoint Digital Demand Control delays regeneration until the total design saturation point is achieved. A sensor samples moisture load and signals the controller to adjust the purge cycle. The sensor is protected from normal wear and tear by a rugged stainless-steel enclosure and sintered metal guard. Calibration data is stored directly in the sensor's memory.

The instrument automatically compensates for fluctuating ambient temperatures. Dry contacts for remote monitoring of high humidity and failure to switch alarms are included. A scaled 4 to 20mA linear output is also provided as standard equipment. Additional dry contacts and RS232 or RS485 communications port are available. The entire OmniPoint system is certifiable and traceable to the National Institute of Standards and Technology. OmniPoint Digital Demand Control can provide annual energy savings as high as \$6,700 on 1000 cfm heated purge dryers and up to \$10,000 on 1000 cfm heatless dryers. OmniPoint Digital Demand Control reduces cycling frequency, resulting in longer desiccant life, longer valve life and less overall maintenance. The panel mounted dewpoint display provides an up-to-the-minute performance readout and the adjustable dewpoint control can save additional energy by allowing for higher dewpoint settings.

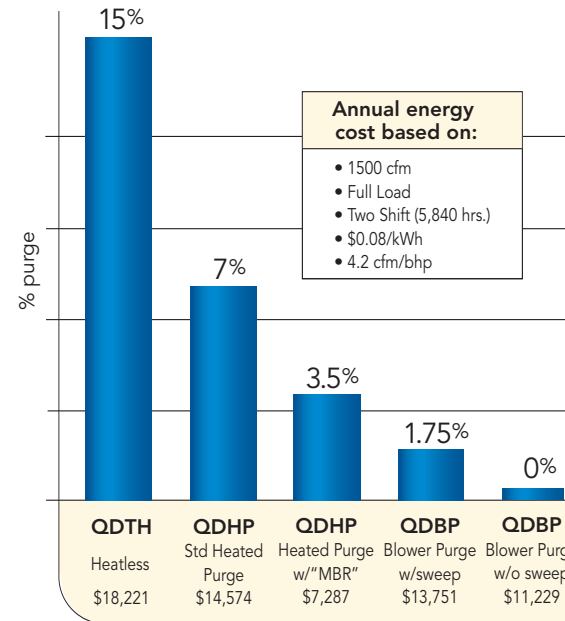


Probe

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MICROBURST REGENERATION FULL LOAD ENERGY SAVER

- Average Purge 3.5%
- 50% Energy Savings
- Fast Payback
- PLC Control
- Full Purge Default Mode
- Digital Dewpoint Readout
- Hour Meters



Relative Purge Requirement & Energy Cost Desiccant Dryers

Q-SORB ENHANCED DESICCANT

- Enhanced Formula
- Improves Adsorption
- Lower Pressure Drop
- More Efficient
- Longer Life
- Higher Crush Strength
- Reduced Channeling
- Less Dusting
- Direct Replacement

MICROBURST REGENERATION

The Quincy MicroBurst Regeneration (MBR) system is the only Full Load Energy Saver available for use with Heated Purge desiccant air dryers.

The Quincy MBR cuts purge requirements in half and significantly reduces heater "on" time. When equipped with the Quincy MBR, Quincy Heated Purge dryers use 50% less energy. Assuming an energy cost of \$0.08 per kWh, a standard QDHP 1500 running fully loaded for two shifts would cost \$14,574 annually for electricity. With the Quincy MBR that cost would be reduced to \$7,287. Typical payback is as quick as 5 months, depending on the size of the dryer and local power costs.

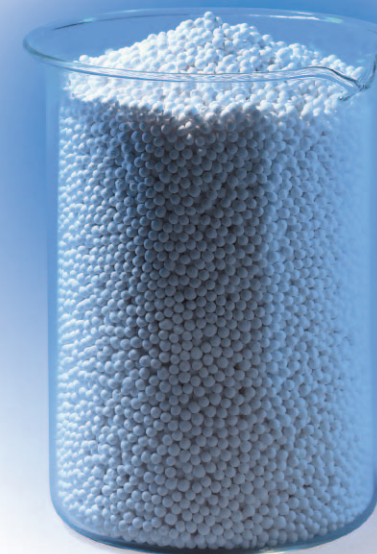
The Quincy MBR system combines a series of precisely timed, short "bursts" of heated purge with timed periods of heated purge and dwell to regenerate the off-line tower. The microburst rapidly depressurizes the regenerating tower. A short period of low pressure heated purge follows the microburst. The tower is then refilled with heated purge and held until the

next microburst release. The heated microbursts and rapid depressurization quickly desorb moisture that had adhered to the surface of the desiccant during the drying cycle. The "Burst/Purge/Dwell/Burst" sequence completely regenerates the off-line tower while using only half as much purge as a standard system. The Quincy MBR makes Quincy's QDHP the best overall value for most mid to large flow installations.

All Quincy MBR functions are managed by a dedicated PLC. If for any reason the system should detect a deteriorating dewpoint, the PLC will shift to the standard constant purge mode until full performance recovery has been achieved. When the system senses full recovery the Quincy MBR will automatically shift back to full operation. The default mode ensures a reliable dewpoint.

The Quincy MBR includes a digital dewpoint monitor and two hour meters to record both dryer and heater run time.

For fluctuating loads, the most comprehensive and energy efficient operation is achieved by combining MicroBurst Regeneration with the Digital Demand Control. This combination includes a third hour meter to record "Demand Hold Time".



Q-SORB DESICCANT

All Quincy desiccant air dryers are supplied with Quincy Q-Sorb desiccant.

Quincy's exclusive Q-Sorb desiccant is the first significant improvement in activated alumina in many years. It is not available anywhere except Quincy and Quincy associates.

Q-Sorb is an enhanced formula of activated alumina that significantly reduces operating costs. The uniform size of the beads minimize channeling and allow more efficient use of the entire tower area. Its higher crush strength and low abrasion characteristics reduce desiccant dusting. Reducing desiccant dust results in longer afterfilter element life, longer desiccant life and lower pressure drop. The greater surface area improves adsorption capacity yielding lower dewpoint potential and more consistent performance.

Q-Sorb is a direct replacement for all activated alumina commonly used in desiccant air dryers. It is affordable and will improve the efficiency of any desiccant dryer.

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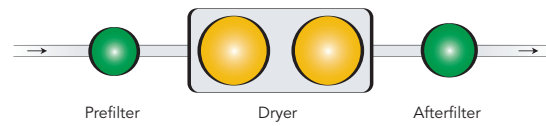
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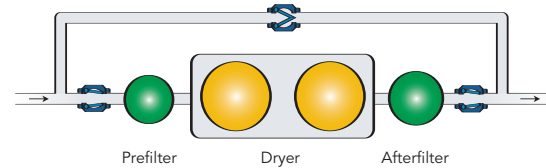
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Desiccant air dryers are designed to remove water vapor from compressed air. It is very important to protect the desiccant bed from liquid, especially oil. Should the desiccant bed be exposed to oil laden air, the desiccant beads would become coated and would be unable to adsorb any more water vapor. In severe cases of bed contamination, the desiccant must be replaced. A properly sized coalescing prefilter equipped with an element condition indicator and reliable drain must be properly installed upstream of the dryer to protect the desiccant from liquid contamination. A properly sized particulate afterfilter must also be installed immediately downstream of the dryer to protect downstream equipment from abrasive desiccant dust.

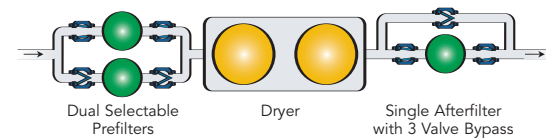
Quincy offers several factory filter packages that optimize filter selection and component placement. These factory mounted filter packages ensure total system integrity and reduce installation costs.



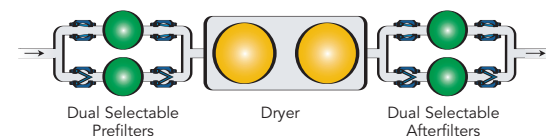
Package A:
Includes Dryer with Mounted Filters



Package B:
Includes Dryer with Mounted Filters and 3 Valve Bypass



Package C:
Includes Dryer with Dual Selectable Prefilters, Single Afterfilter and 7 Valve Bypass



Package D:
Includes Dryer with Dual Selectable Prefilters, Dual Selectable Afterfilters and 8 Valves



PACKAGE FILTRATION

Quincy factory packages optimize system performance and reliability by integrating our high efficiency desiccant dryers with selected high performance compressed air coalescers and particulate filters.

PACKAGE FILTRATION

- Coalescer - .008 ppm
99.97% DOP
1.25 psid, Dry
- Particulate -3 Micron Absolute
.25 psid Dry

PREFILTER

The factory selected coalescing prefilter is installed at the dryer inlet. The filter protects the dryer from liquid contamination. The standard grade coalescing prefilter includes an electronic condensate drain and element condition indicator. The filter assembly combines a deep bowl housing design with a micro-glass fiber element to remove 99.97% of the liquid contaminants down to .01 micron. This reduces the contaminant level of the compressed air to .008 ppm by weight. Coalescing is a process that uses the principles of Directed Impaction, Interception and Diffusion to remove submicronic liquid contaminants.

Aerosols and mists flow through the micro-glass matrix, come in contact with one another and grow into droplets heavy enough to be affected by gravity. Gravitational settling pulls the droplets to the bottom of the housing where they are removed through the drain valve.



AFTERFILTER

To protect downstream equipment from the harmful effects of desiccant dust, Quincy has selected a high efficiency afterfilter specifically designed to remove particulates from compressed air. The high capacity interceptor element is made of pleated cellulose. The element provides high dirt retention, low pressure drop and is 100% efficient in removing particles 3 micron and larger. The filter is equipped with an element condition indicator and electronic drain.

Aluminum housings are used on prefilters 35 cfm through 1000 cfm and afterfilters 35 cfm through 1250 cfm. Steel housings are used on larger filters. Element condition indicators and electronic drains are standard.



