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#### **1** INTRODUCTION

This document briefly describes the features and specifications of the Tritium WaveSculptor 3-phase motor drive.



## 2 FEATURES

#### 2.1 OVERVIEW

The WaveSculptor provides an off-the-shelf solution for light electric vehicle drive systems, combining advanced three-phase inverter technology with intelligent software.

A large amount of development time has been devoted to the control software and user interface, making the WaveSculptor compatible with a wide range of electric motors, and easy to use for non-technical customers.

The WaveSculptor provides a three-phase space-vector modulated sinewave output from a high-voltage DC bus, to maximise motor efficiency and minimise noise. It is designed specifically for use with solar vehicle and other light EV applications.

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#### 2.2 MOTOR INTERFACE

The WaveSculptor drives permanent magnet motors with position sensors, including:

- CSIRO surface
- CSIRO halbach
- NGM SC-M150
- Lillington T-Flux
- Permanent magnet synchronous machines (PMSM)
- Brushless DC machines (BLDC)

#### 2.3 VOLTAGE RATINGS

- Maximum battery voltage: 160V
- Output voltage: 110V rms line-to-line

### 2.4 CONTINUOUS RATINGS

- Output power: 10kVA
- Motor current: 50A rms
- Typical vehicle cruising efficiency: ~97%

### 2.5 PEAK RATINGS

- Output power: 20kVA
- Motor current: 100A rms
- Max efficiency: ~98%

#### 2.6 PHYSICAL

- 457(l) x 146(w) x 110(h) mm
- 4kg
- Detachable lightweight tray mounting system
- High-current power connectors no exposed bolt terminals
- Case isolated to 400V

#### 2.7 CONTROL & DIAGNOSTIC INTERFACE

- CAN bus
- Isolated to 400V
- Bit rates to 1 Mbit/s
- Windows setup and control software
- Control and interface powered from 12V DC on CAN bus
- Allows redundant power supply systems and battery backup

#### 2.8 AVAILABLE PERIPHERAL SUPPORT

Tritium provides other peripheral devices using CAN bus, including

- Driver interface / control
- LCD displays
- High voltage DC bus precharge circuit

All specifications are subject to modification due to product improvement.