# Type V2-C Copper Vertical Break Switch

115 - 230 kV 600 - 3000 A.





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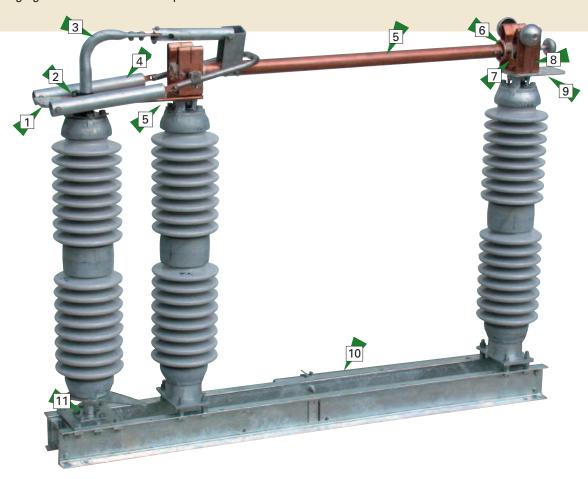
## **Designed for Simplicity**

## **V2-C APPLICATION**

The Cleaveland/Price V2-C is a three pole, group operated, copper vertical break switch for installation in substation or distribution line locations. The switch can be mounted in the horizontal-upright, vertical, or horizontal-underhung position. The V2-C is suitable for use in a variety of applications including line disconnecting and sectionalizing, circuit breaker by-pass and isolation, and transformer isolation.

Arc horns or quick break whips are supplied when small amounts of transformer magnetizing currents and line charging currents must be interrupted. Accessories and options needed to adapt the switch to a customer's particular requirements are available. The V2-C may be manually operated by use of a swing handle or wormgear mechanism or electrically operated by use of a type TP-C2 motor operator.

The V2-C meets NEMA and IEEE Standards and the rating requirements of applicable IEC Standards.



- Unbreakable, non-cast copper terminal pads with NEMA standard hole pattern
- Fully insulated journal bearing
- 3 Unbreakable, non-cast operating crank
- Stainless steel counterbalance springs that are insulated from the current path
- 5 Hard-drawn, high conductivity copper current-carrying parts

- 6 Silver-to-silver contacts at hinge and jaw
- Stainless steel contact springs insulated from the current path
- 8 Hard-drawn, high conductivity copper contact fingers at hinge and jaw
- 9 Plain or tin-plated terminal pads
- 10 Hot-dip galvanized steel base
- 11 Double-sealed, maintence-free bearing assembly

## **Engineered for Performance**

## THE CLEAVELAND/PRICE APPROACH

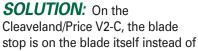
Cleaveland/Price has a very basic approach to design . . . keep it simple. It is an approach that is employed from material selection to mechanical design.

The Cleaveland/Price V2-C disconnect switch current carrying parts are manufactured from high strength, high conductivity copper. All switches are of non-cast design for superior dependability of parts. Switch performance is not troubled by flaws that could occur in the casting process.

Contacts are designed to take advantage of electromagnetic forces by using a reverse loop configuration at both the hinge and jaw of the switch. Current transfer points are kept to a minimum.

**PROBLEM:** When the switch blade on a conventional switch rotates in the breakjaw to the final blade position, it does not consistently stop at the point of optimum contact pressure. The resulting inadequate contact pressure may cause contact pitting and burning.

Many switches use a stop on the rotating insulator to try to set proper blade position. This type of stop is too remote from the blade to accurately control the blade motion because of the cumulative play in the linkage joints. Variation in the speed of the operator can actually affect the amount of blade turnover.





**CUTAWAY VIEW** 

**STOP** 

**HINGE PIN** 

The cutaway view shows how the unique Cleaveland/Price turnover stop allows the blade to rotate until the slot in the blade engages with the hinge pin. This sets the proper turnover angle.

The stop angle is factory-machined for built-in accuracy. No matter how fast or slow the blade moves, it doesn't stop moving until it has fully turned over.

## CLEAVELAND/PRICE FEATURES FOR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE AND LONG LIFE

The V2-C is made of the finest materials for dependable, trouble-free service. Knowledge gained from maintaining switches in the field for over 60 years has played a major part in refining the V2-C. Significant design features include:

- Total non-cast copper and steel construction resulting in the superior dependability of parts
- Live parts constructed from hard-drawn, high conductivity copper producing stronger, more conductive components than parts made of cast materials
- Silver-to-silver moving contacts

 Open construction of the hinge and smooth non-cast surfaces throughout, enabling the V2-C to break ice with amazing ease

ROTATION IN

BREAK-JAW IS CONTROLLED

BY THE STOP

- Wiping action on both the break-jaw and hinge keeps contacts clean for years of reliable service
- Visable hinge contacts allow easy verification of contact condition without disassembly
- Reverse loop electromagnetic design at hinge and break-jaw on all ratings gives outstanding performance under fault conditions

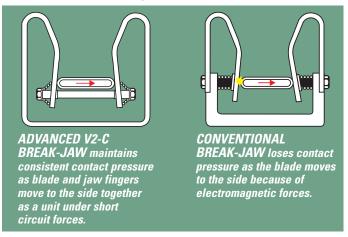
## **Exclusive Cleaveland/Price V2-C Features**

The Cleaveland/Price V2-C is an advanced design vertical break switch with features of genuine value to the customer. It incorporates several patented improvements:

- 1. Positive blade turnover stop is the key to consistent and complete contact pressure to prevent contact burning.
- 2. Insulating journal bearing prevents current flow through the live operating linkage.
- Floating break-jaw contacts allow blade and break-jaw fingers to move together under short circuit and seismic duty to outperform conventional contact systems.

#### UNIQUE BREAK-JAW DESIGN

Short circuit tests prove that the V2-C break-jaw is superior to conventional break-jaws. On the V2-C, phase-to-phase electromagnetic forces that pull the blade side-to-side do not decrease the contact pressure since the fingers of the jaw are joined together to create a floating spring system that moves with the blade. Maximum contact pressure is maintained on all contact surfaces during short circuit and seismic events.



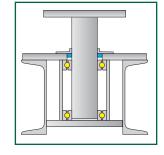
ANSI standards require that a switch pass the rated short circuit test only once. Standards also allow live parts to be changed for each test. The V2-C gives greater confidence in short circuit performance as demonstrated by 12 consecutive test shots on a 2000 amperes switch using the same set of live parts.

### **Superior Bearing Assembly**

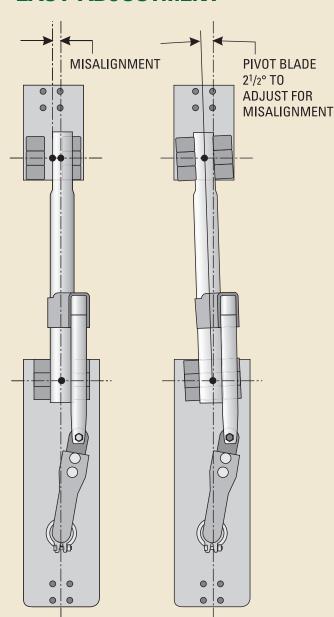
- · High strength, non-cast, hot-dip galvanized steel shaft
- Special ozone and ultraviolet resistant seals outlast

conventional seals and contain no metal parts which typically corrode

- Maintenance free, permanently lubricated construction
- Individually sealed ball bearing assemblies in sealed, greasepacked housing
- · Permanently adjusted bearing



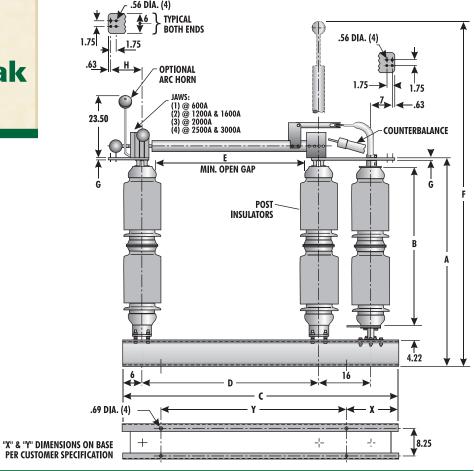
## FEATURE FOR EASY ADJUSTMENT



### **PIVOTING HINGE**

During installation, the blade may be misaligned with the break-jaw, requiring adjustment of the insulators. However, it is often easier to pivot the blade to attain alignment with the jaw contact. This is particularly true when bus and ground blades have been installed at the jaw terminal and the blades are not perfectly adjusted. By loosening the bolts that attach the hinge and jaw to the stationary insulators and closing the switch, the blade and jaw automatically seat themselves in the proper alignment. Retighten the bolts and the adjustment is complete without having to realign the ground switch or bus.

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BASE CONFIGURATION	Nom. kV	Max. kV	kV BIL	Ins. TR#	Amp.	Mom. kA	Switch Style Number	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	Wt./ Pole
OOM IGOM/IIION	IV V	KV	DIL	Πιπ	600	40	C06B036G01									915
•	115	123	550	286	1200	61	C06B036G02	57.78 58.03	45	88	60	52	126.72	.50	7	928
					1600	70	C06B036G03									937
					2000	100	C06B036G04						128.22	.00		942
					2500	100	C06B036G05*						129.72		10	967
					3000	120	C06B036G06*						129.97	.75		992
	138	145	650	288	600	40	C06B036G07	66.78	54	98	70	62		.50	7	1013
					1200	61	C06B036G08						145.72			1025
					1600	70	C06B036G09									1045
					2000	100	C06B036G10						147.22			1050
					2500	100	C06B036G11*						148.72		10	1075
					3000	120	C06B036G12*						148.97			1091
	161	170	750	291	600	40	C06B036G13	74.78 75.03	62	106	78	70		.50	7	1112
					1200	61	C06B036G14						161.72			1125
					1600	70	C06B036G15									1140
					2000	100	C06B036G16						163.22			1145
					2500	100	C06B036G17*						164.72	.75	10	1170
					3000	120	C06B036G18*						164.97			1195
<b>★</b> 8 <b>★</b>	230	242	900	304	600	40	C06B037G01	94.78	80	124.5	94	84	199.41	.50	10	1667
					1200	61	C06B037G02									1683
					1600	70	C06B037G03						200.91			1688
					2000 2500	100 100	C06B037G04* C06B037G05*	95.03					200.51	.75		1570 1609
					3000	120	C06B037G05**						202.66			1634
					600	40	C06B037G07*									1751
	230	242	1050	312	1200	61	C06B037G08*	106.78	92	144.5	114	104	231.65	.50		1770
					1600	70	C06B037G09*								10	1773
					2000	100	C06B037G10*						233.16			1776
					2500	100	C06B037G11*	107.03						.75		1815
					3000	120	C06B037G12*						234.91			1843
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<sup>\*</sup> Supplied with an aluminum blade.

## **Operators/Accessories**



Swing Handle Operator



Motor Operator Type TP-C2



Handcrank Operator

## **Standard Operator Features**

- Swing handle or handcrank operator
- Padlock provision in both the open and closed positions
- Ground strap for vertical operating pipe
- Adjustable stops
- · Clamp-on open/closed indicators
- Self-lubricating, maintenance-free outboard bearing
- 2" IPS galvanized steel vertical operating pipe
- Adjustable radius outboard bearing lever
- Threaded interphase and drive lever adjustment

# Ordering Information

#### Furnish:

Switch type
Voltage
Amperage
Momentary rating
BIL level
Mounting position
Operator type
Accessories required
Base mounting details

# Available Accessories

Arc horns

Auxiliary switch Braidless ground contact Electrical interlock Extended operator Ground blades Ground blade mechanical interlock Insulated vertical pipe Interrupting device Kev interlock Mounting hardware Operator grounding platform Outriggers Quick break whips Spill gaps Terminal connectors

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