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## ACT ENERGY RECOVERY Systems



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# INFORMATION



#### Mark Stevens

Mark Stevens brings over 25 years of product management, product development and field application experience in the area of industrial controls & automation systems. Mark has been with ACT for nearly 10 years and was instrumental in the launch of the HVAC Energy Recovery Product in 2012 and the Sealed Enclosure Cooling Product line 2016. Mark supports our Manufacturers' Reps in the South East U.S. states.



#### **Devin Pellicone**

Devin is the Lead Engineer of the Industrial Products Group at Advanced Cooling Technologies. He has over 10 years of experience designing and building both passive and active two-phase cooling systems. Devin has been leading the development of ACT's pumped-passive HVAC energy recovery products, he holds numerous patents and has authored a score of journal publications.

#### Full bios are located in the handouts tab



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# AGENDA

- ACT overview
- Heat Pipes and HVAC Technology
- AAHX demo
- Case studies
- Pump Assisted Split Loop AAHX
- Q&A with Devin and Mark





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#### PROVIDING CUSTOM THERMAL MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS

#### Founded in 2003

- Profitable and growing each year
- Over 155 Employees
- Over 83,000ft<sup>2</sup>

#### Core Values

- Innovation
- Team Work
- Customer Care

Awards

- Mil/Aero 2020 Technology Innovators award
- AHR 2021 Product of the year award in Green Building category
- 2020 Central Penn Business Journal names ACT as #12 fastest growing company in central PA
- 2018 Supplier Excellence Award from L3 Technologies
- Tibbetts Award for SBIR Commercialization
- 2011 Outstanding Supplier Award, Aerospace Prime Contractor

# ACT BUSINESS UNITS





### DEFENSE & AEROSPACE

- Power Electronics Cooling
- Spacecraft Thermal Control50 Million Hours on Orbit
- Directed Energy Weapons
- Embedded Computing
- Sea, Land, Air and Space

### INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS

Photonics Cooling
 Medical
 Transportation
 Energy
 Temperature Calibration
 HVAC Energy Recovery
 Electronics Enclosure Cooling

## HEAT PIPES ARE THERMAL SUPER CONDUCTORS

#### HVAC DEHUMIDIFICATION TECHNOLOGY



#### HEAT PIPE OPERATING PRINCIPLE:

Heat pipes function by absorbing heat at the evaporator end of the cylinder, boiling and converting the fluid to vapor. The vapor travels to the condenser end and condenses to liquid, the condensed liquid flows back to the evaporator, aided by gravity.

This phase change cycle continues as long as there is heat (warm outside air) at the evaporator end of the heat pipe. This process occurs passively (no external electrical energy required). A typical ACT-HP-WA HVAC system moves thousands of Watts of heat from warm outside air to the chilled dry air.



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Vapor Space

# HEAT PIPES APPLIED TO HVAC SYSTEMS



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## ACT ENERGY RECOVERY HVAC TECHNOLOGY TYPES





#### RETROFIT

Install ACT Heat Exchangers in an existing installation



#### ACT FACTORY INSTALLATION

The entire air handler or sections are sent to ACT for modification and installation. Finished AHU is sent to job site.



#### **OEM FACTORY INSTALLATION**

ACT sends heat exchangers directly to AHU OEM for installation.

## **3 WAYS TO INSTALL** ACT ENERGY RECOVERY HEAT EXCHANGERS

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# IS THIS A GREEN TECHNOLOGY?

#### YES- Here's why:

- Passive, environmentally friendly heat pipes
- Less energy consumption than energy wheels and other traditional HVAC technology
- Optimize energy recovery for increased number of air exchanges
- Heat pipes are generally passive.... or (when assisted with a pump, they are passive by the designed season)





### ACT- HP-AAHX AIR-TO-AIR HEAT PIPE HEAT EXCHANGERS

- Captures Building's Energy for Pre-Cooling or Pre-Heating in a Counter Flow or Split Designs
- Sizes can match all existing coils
- Typical installations where duct work is side-by-side or Split
- No cross contamination of airstreams
- ASHRAE Standard 62-2010 ventilation for acceptable indoor air quality.





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Counter Flow Side-by-Side AAHX





### ACT AIR-TO-AIR HEAT PIPE HEAT EXCHANGERS

# FLEXIBLE Aspect Ratios

WE CAN MATCH EXISTING DUCT PROFILES

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## AAHX WITH FACE AND BYPASS DAMPERS

### **Project Details**

- 45.0" Tall x 40.0" Long
- 6 Rows





## SAMSUNG MEDICAL CENTER SITE INSTALLATION



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### PASSIVE AIR-TO AIR SPLIT LOOP THERMOSYPHON WITH SUMMER/WINTER OPERATION & FROST CONTROL



Control Panel to turn reheat ON/OFF



DVANCED COOLING TECHNOL ermal Management Experts | www.1-ACT.con Valve control located between air streams



Valves Control the Reheat in each of the 6 rows On/Off for frost control

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**Counter Flow Heat Exchanger** Entering Air & Exhaust Air

# A I R – T O – A I R P UMP – A S S I S T E O S P L I T L O O P E N E R G Y R E C O V E R Y



## PUMP-ASSISTED ENERGY RECOVERY PRODUCTS

- All Season Energy Recovery
- Customizable coil geometries
- Ducts can be side-by-side horizontal, vertical or split
- Zero cross-contamination
- Low energy consumption by fractional horsepower pumps
- <u>3 Design Options:</u>
  - Pumped-passive vertical
  - Pumped-passive split loop
  - Fully pumped split loop



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HEAT PIPES

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NCOMING HOT AIR

#### PUMP-ASSISTED SPLIT LOOP ENERGY RECOVERY HEAT EXCHANGER SUMMER SEASON PASIVE HEAT PIPE OPERATION EVALUATION E





### PUMPED-PASSIVE VERTICAL ENERGY RECOVERY

- Ideal for applications with vertically stacked supply and exhaust AHUs
  - Direct replacement for energy wheel applications
- Highly customizable coil aspect ratios to fit most applications
- Operates half of the year with no energy input (passive mode)
  - Fractional horsepower pumps for active mode operation
- Payback periods as low as 2 years
- Sizes up to 25,000 CFM+

#### Hot Air Stream on the Top





### PUMPED-PASSIVE SPLIT LOOP ENERGY RECOVERY

- Ideal for applications with supply and exhaust AHUs located long distances apart from each other
  - 100's of feet separation between coils is possible
- Split loop configuration
- Fin heights restricted to 36" for passive mode operation

- Highly customizable coil sizing to fit any application Supply and Exhaust coils can be different sizes if needed
- Operates half of the year with no energy input (passive mode)
   Fractional horsepower pumps for active mode operation





### FULLY PUMPED SPLIT LOOP ENERGY RECOVERY

- Ideal for applications with supply and exhaust AHUs located long distances apart from each other
  - 100's of feet separation between coils is possible
- Split loop configuration
- Enables single coil heights greater than 36" by pumping in all seasons
- A fraction of the pumping power and pump size as compared to a glycol run-around loop



# CONTROL SCHEMATIC EXAMPLE

#### ACT AIR-to-AIR PASSIVE/PUMPED ENERGY RECOVERY SYSTEM WITH FOUR PUMPS WIRING DIAGRAM



#### QUICK DISCONNECT INSTALLATION (BY INSTALLER)

Installer must disconnect wires so that the 1/2" seal tight tubing can fit easily through the wall of the AHU. Wires are marked from the factory to correspond to the quick disconnect's screw terminations. Reassemble the housing and snap to the enclosures mating locking flange.



Typical Enclosure Size:12"H x 12"L x 8"D



### PROJECT: Lehigh University

#### PUMP-ASSISTED AAHX





**PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS** 

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Retro-fit to replace energy wheel

Provided a low maintenance solution

Payback estimated at 2 years



#### EXPECTED PAYBACK PERIOD



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