



## Compressed air

When managed correctly, compressed air systems can be cost effective as well safe, clean, flexible and reliable.

- Ensure that the compressor and receiver are the correct type and size for your needs.
- Use compressed air only where it is necessary; not as a broom or for combustion air.
- Maintain air pressure at the lowest pressure acceptable for the process.
- Ensure that compressed air power tools and the air receiver are maintained in good condition. Repair air leaks and inspect regularly for leakage.
- Schedule the use of multi-compressor installations.
- Install compressor air intakes where they will receive the coolest air available.
- Use air dryers where necessary for the required air quality.
- Consider gas-driven air compressors.