



power contactor, AC-3 40 A, 18.5 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC, 24 V DC with varistor, 3-pole, Size S2, screw terminal Suitable for 2 A PLC outputs

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Coupling contactor
product type designation	3RT2

General technical data

size of contactor	S2
product extension	
- function module for communication - auxiliary switch	No Yes
power loss [W] for rated value of the current	
- at AC in hot operating state - at AC in hot operating state per pole - without load current share typical	6.6 W 2.2 W 1 W
insulation voltage	
- of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value - of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V 690 V
surge voltage resistance	
- of main circuit rated value - of auxiliary circuit rated value	6 kV 6 kV
maximum permissible voltage for safe isolation between coil and main contacts according to EN 60947-1	400 V
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
at DC	7.7g / 5 ms, 4.5g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
at DC	12g / 5 ms, 7g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (switching cycles)	
- of contactor typical - of the contactor with added electronically optimized auxiliary switch block typical - of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical	10 000 000 5 000 000 10 000 000
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	Q
Substance Prohibitance (Date)	10/01/2014

Ambient conditions

installation altitude at height above sea level maximum	2 000 m
ambient temperature	
- during operation - during storage	-25 ... +60 °C -55 ... +80 °C
relative humidity minimum	10 %
relative humidity at 55 °C according to IEC 60068-2-30 maximum	95 %

Main circuit

number of poles for main current circuit	3
number of NO contacts for main contacts	3
operating voltage	
• at AC-3 rated value maximum	690 V
• at AC-3e rated value maximum	690 V
operational current	
• at AC-1 at 400 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	60 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	60 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	55 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	41 A
— at 500 V rated value	41 A
— at 690 V rated value	24 A
• at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	41 A
— at 500 V rated value	41 A
— at 690 V rated value	24 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	35 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	52.8 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	33.2 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	36.5 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	36.5 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	36.5 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	24 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	24.2 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	24.2 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	24.2 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	24 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	16 mm ²
operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	22 A
• at 690 V rated value	18.5 A
operational current	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	4.5 A
— at 220 V rated value	1 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.4 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.25 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	45 A
— at 220 V rated value	5 A
— at 440 V rated value	1 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.8 A
• with 3 current paths in series at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	55 A
— at 220 V rated value	45 A
— at 440 V rated value	2.9 A

— at 600 V rated value	1.4 A
• at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	35 A
— at 220 V rated value	1 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.1 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.06 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	25 A
— at 220 V rated value	5 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.27 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.16 A
• with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	55 A
— at 220 V rated value	25 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.6 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.35 A
operating power	
• at AC-2 at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
• at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	11 kW
— at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 500 V rated value	22 kW
— at 690 V rated value	22 kW
• at AC-3e	
— at 230 V rated value	11 kW
— at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 500 V rated value	22 kW
— at 690 V rated value	22 kW
operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	11.6 kW
• at 690 V rated value	16.8 kW
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
• up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	14.5 kVA
• up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	25.2 kVA
• up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	31.6 kVA
• up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	28.6 kVA
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
• up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	9.6 kVA
• up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	16.8 kVA
• up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	21 kVA
• up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	28.6 kVA
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C	
• limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum	843 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	596 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	400 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum	241 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	196 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
no-load switching frequency	
• at DC	1 500 1/h
operating frequency	
• at AC-1 maximum	1 200 1/h
• at AC-2 maximum	750 1/h
• at AC-3 maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-3e maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-4 maximum	300 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	DC
control supply voltage at DC	
• rated value	24 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated	

value of magnet coil at DC	
• initial value	0.8
• full-scale value	1.2
design of the surge suppressor	with varistor
inrush current peak	2.6 A
duration of inrush current peak	50 µs
locked-rotor current mean value	0.9 A
locked-rotor current peak	2.1 A
duration of locked-rotor current	230 ms
holding current mean value	40 mA
closing power of magnet coil at DC	21.5 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	1 W
closing delay	
• at DC	35 ... 80 ms
opening delay	
• at DC	30 ... 55 ms
arcing time	10 ... 20 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2

Auxiliary circuit

number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
• at 230 V rated value	10 A
• at 400 V rated value	3 A
• at 500 V rated value	2 A
• at 690 V rated value	1 A
operational current at DC-12	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 48 V rated value	6 A
• at 60 V rated value	6 A
• at 110 V rated value	3 A
• at 125 V rated value	2 A
• at 220 V rated value	1 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.15 A
operational current at DC-13	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 48 V rated value	2 A
• at 60 V rated value	2 A
• at 110 V rated value	1 A
• at 125 V rated value	0.9 A
• at 220 V rated value	0.3 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.1 A
contact reliability of auxiliary contacts	1 faulty switching per 100 million (17 V, 1 mA)

UL/CSA ratings

full-load current (FLA) for 3-phase AC motor	
• at 480 V rated value	40 A
• at 600 V rated value	41 A
yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
• for single-phase AC motor	
— at 110/120 V rated value	3 hp
— at 230 V rated value	7.5 hp
• for 3-phase AC motor	
— at 200/208 V rated value	10 hp
— at 220/230 V rated value	15 hp
— at 460/480 V rated value	30 hp
— at 575/600 V rated value	40 hp
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / P600

Short-circuit protection

design of the fuse link	
• for short-circuit protection of the main circuit	
— with type of coordination 1 required	gG: 160 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 80 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 125 A (415

- with type of assignment 2 required
- for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required

V, 80 kA)
gG: 80A (690V,100kA), aM: 50A (690V,100kA), BS88: 63A (415V,80kA)
gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)

Installation/ mounting/ dimensions

mounting position	+/-180° rotation possible on vertical mounting surface; can be tilted forward and backward by +/- 22.5° on vertical mounting surface
fastening method	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 60715
• side-by-side mounting	Yes
height	114 mm
width	55 mm
depth	130 mm
required spacing	
• with side-by-side mounting	
— forwards	10 mm
— upwards	10 mm
— downwards	10 mm
— at the side	0 mm
• for grounded parts	
— forwards	10 mm
— upwards	10 mm
— at the side	6 mm
— downwards	10 mm
• for live parts	
— forwards	10 mm
— upwards	10 mm
— downwards	10 mm
— at the side	6 mm

Connections/ Terminals

type of electrical connection	
• for main current circuit	screw-type terminals
• for auxiliary and control circuit	screw-type terminals
• at contactor for auxiliary contacts	Screw-type terminals
• of magnet coil	Screw-type terminals
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• for main contacts	
— solid or stranded	2x (1 ... 35 mm²), 1x (1 ... 50 mm²)
— finely stranded with core end processing	2x (1 ... 25 mm²), 1x (1 ... 35 mm²)
• at AWG cables for main contacts	2x (18 ... 2), 1x (18 ... 1)
connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts	
• finely stranded with core end processing	1 ... 35 mm²
connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts	
• solid or stranded	0.5 ... 2.5 mm²
• finely stranded with core end processing	0.5 ... 2.5 mm²
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• for auxiliary contacts	
— solid or stranded	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²)
— finely stranded with core end processing	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²)
• at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14)
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section	
• for main contacts	18 ... 1
• for auxiliary contacts	20 ... 14

Safety related data

product function	
• mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1	Yes
• positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1	No
B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920	1 000 000
proportion of dangerous failures	
• with low demand rate according to SN 31920	40 %

- with high demand rate according to SN 31920
- failure rate [FIT] with low demand rate according to SN 31920
- T1 value for proof test interval or service life according to IEC 61508
- protection class IP on the front according to IEC 60529
- touch protection on the front according to IEC 60529
- suitability for use
 - safety-related switching OFF

73 %
100 FIT
20 y
IP20
finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front
Yes

Certificates/ approvals

General Product Approval

EMC



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Industry Mall (Online ordering system)

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Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2035-1KB40>

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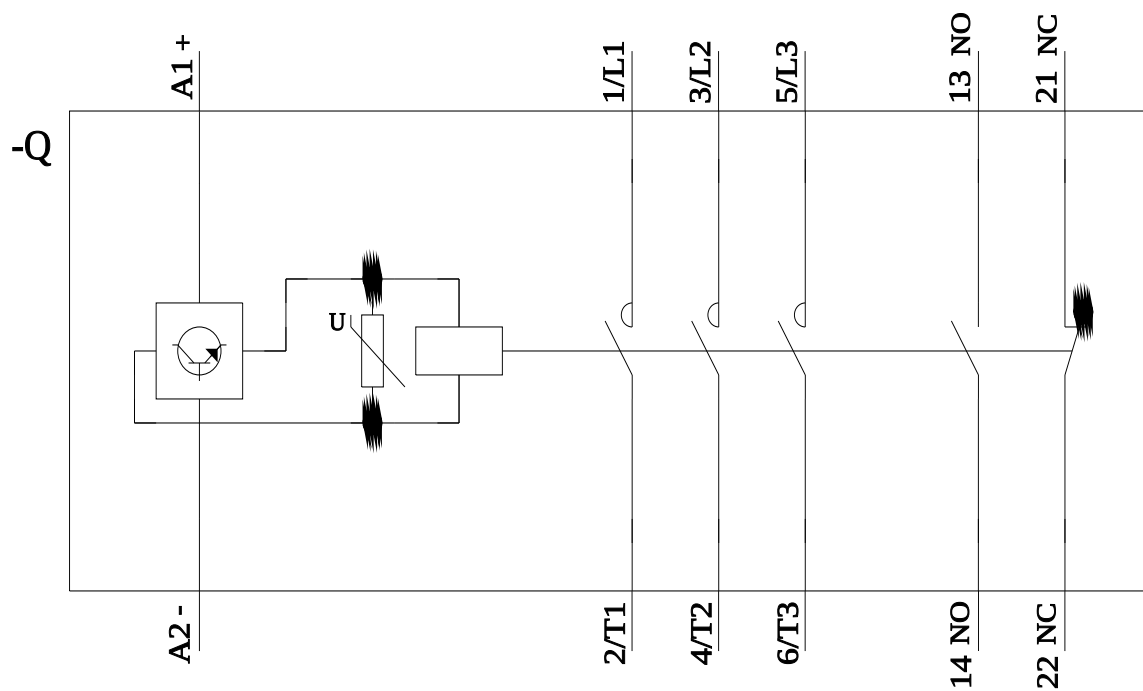
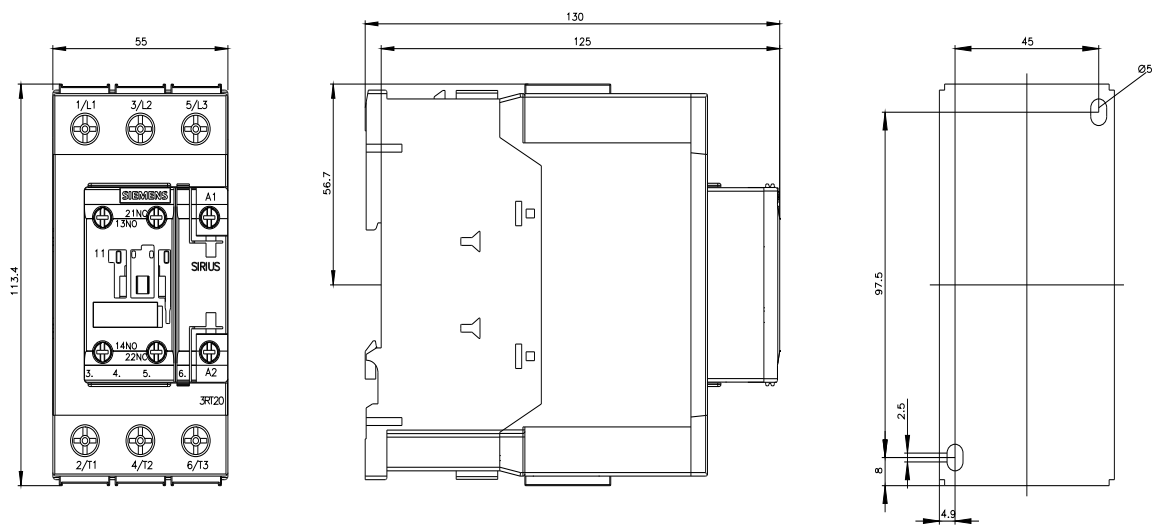
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Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I_t, Let-through current

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Further characteristics (e.g. electrical endurance, switching frequency)

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