



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 51 A, 22 kW / 400 V, 3-pole, 24 V DC, 0.8-1.2* Us, with integrated varistor, auxiliary contacts: 2 NO + 2 NC, screw terminal, suitable for PLC outputs, captive auxiliary switch

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	No
• auxiliary switch	No
power loss [W] for rated value of the current	
• at AC in hot operating state	12 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	4 W
• without load current share typical	1 W
insulation voltage	
• of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
• of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
surge voltage resistance	
• of main circuit rated value	6 kV
• of auxiliary circuit rated value	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	6.1g / 5 ms, 3.7g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at DC	9.6g / 5 ms, 5.8g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (operating cycles)	
• of contactor typical	10 000 000
• of the contactor with added electronically optimized auxiliary switch block typical	5 000 000
• of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical	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	-25 ... +60 °C
• during storage	-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	70 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	70 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	60 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	51 A
— at 500 V rated value	51 A
— at 690 V rated value	24 A
• at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	51 A
— at 500 V rated value	51 A
— at 690 V rated value	24 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	41 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	61.6 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	41.5 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	43.2 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	43.2 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	43.2 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	28.8 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	28.8 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	28.8 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	25 mm ²
operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	24 A
• at 690 V rated value	20 A
operational current	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 60 V rated value	23 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 60 V rated value	45 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 60 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 60 V rated value	6 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 60 V rated value	45 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 60 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	22 kW
● at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	15 kW
— at 400 V rated value	22 kW
— at 500 V rated value	30 kW
— at 690 V rated value	22 kW
● at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	22 kW
— at 500 V rated value	30 kW
— at 690 V rated value	22 kW
operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
● at 400 V rated value	12.6 kW
● at 690 V rated value	18.2 kW
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
● up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	17.2 kVA
● up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	29.9 kVA
● up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	37.4 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	11.4 kVA
● up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	19.9 kVA
● up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	24.9 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	937 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	697 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	468 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum	282 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	229 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	1 000 1/h
● at AC-2 maximum	600 1/h
● at AC-3 maximum	800 1/h
● at AC-3e maximum	800 1/h
● at AC-4 maximum	250 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	2
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	2
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
• at 230 V rated value	6 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	6 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	52 A
• at 600 V rated value	52 A
yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
• for single-phase AC motor	
— at 110/120 V rated value	3 hp
— at 230 V rated value	10 hp
• for 3-phase AC motor	
— at 200/208 V rated value	15 hp
— at 220/230 V rated value	15 hp
— at 460/480 V rated value	40 hp
— at 575/600 V rated value	50 hp

contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL

A600 / Q600

Short-circuit protection**design of the fuse link**

- for short-circuit protection of the main circuit
 - with type of coordination 1 required
 - with type of assignment 2 required
- for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required

gG: 160 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 80 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 125 A (415 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 DIN rail according to DIN EN 60715

- side-by-side mounting

Yes

height

114 mm

width

55 mm

depth

174 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
- for auxiliary and control circuit
- at contactor for auxiliary contacts
- of magnet coil

screw-type terminals
 screw-type terminals
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 Screw-type terminals

type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts

- solid or stranded
- finely stranded with core end processing

2x (1 ... 35 mm²), 1x (1 ... 50 mm²)
 2x (1 ... 25 mm²), 1x (1 ... 35 mm²)

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
- finely stranded with core end processing

0.5 ... 2.5 mm²
 0.5 ... 2.5 mm²

type of connectable conductor cross-sections

- for auxiliary contacts
 - solid or stranded
 - finely stranded with core end processing
- at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts

2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²)
 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²)
 2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14)

AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section

- for main contacts
- for auxiliary contacts

18 ... 1
 20 ... 14

Safety related data**product function**

- mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1
- positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1

Yes
 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	73 %
failure rate [FIT] with low demand rate according to SN 31920	100 FIT
T1 value for proof test interval or service life according to IEC 61508	20 a
protection class IP on the front according to IEC 60529	IP20
touch protection on the front according to IEC 60529	finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front
suitability for use	
• safety-related switching OFF	Yes

Certificates/ approvals

General Product Approval



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EMC	Functional Safety/Safety of Machinery	Declaration of Conformity	Test Certificates
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Marine / Shipping	other	Railway
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Further information

Information on the packaging

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109813875>

Information- and Downloadcenter (Catalogs, Brochures,...)

<https://www.siemens.com/ic10>

Industry Mall (Online ordering system)

<https://mall.industry.siemens.com/mall/en/en/Catalog/product?mlfb=3RT2036-1KB44-3MA0>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2036-1KB44-3MA0>

Service&Support (Manuals, Certificates, Characteristics, FAQs,...)

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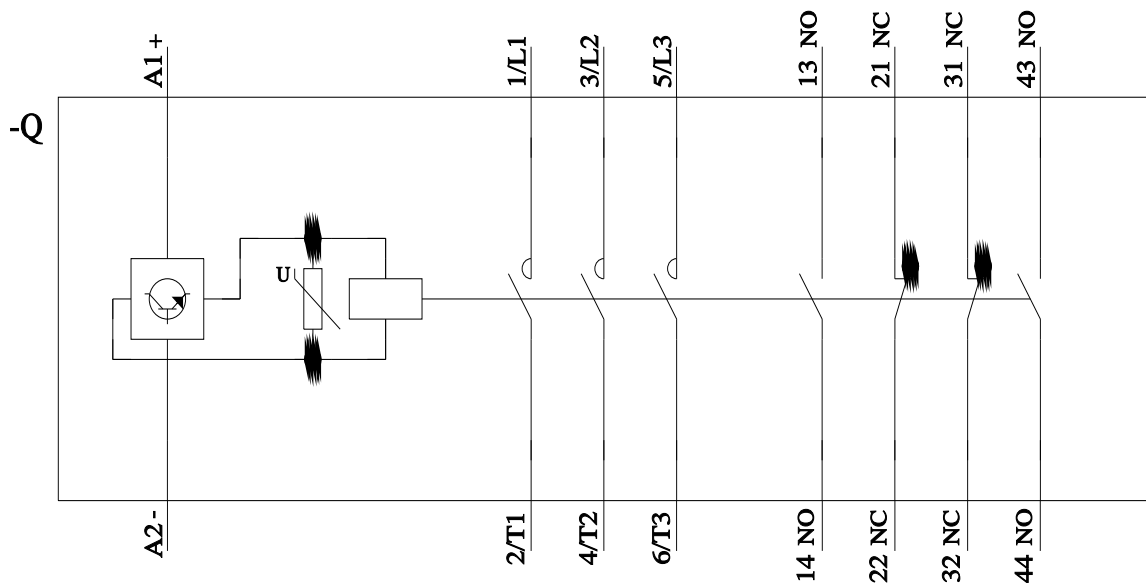
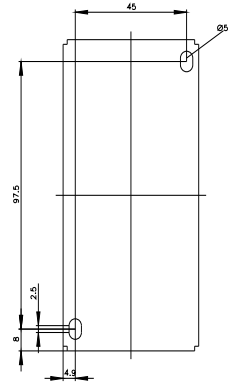
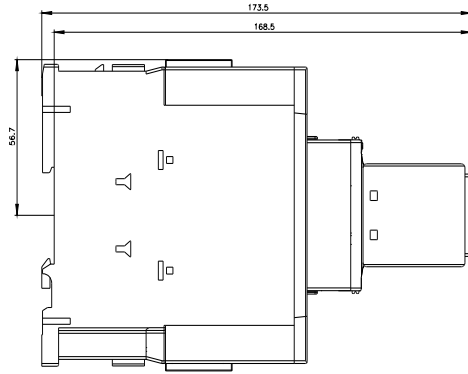
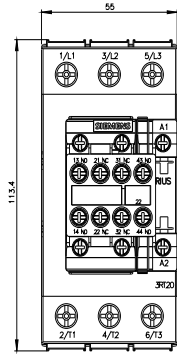
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Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I²t, Let-through current

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

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