



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 80 A, 37 kW / 400 V, 3-pole, 20-33 V AC/DC, 50/60 Hz, with integrated varistor, auxiliary contacts: 1 NO + 1 NC, main circuit: screw terminal, control and auxiliary circuit: spring-loaded terminal

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

General technical data

size of contactor	S2
product extension	
• function module for communication	No
• auxiliary switch	Yes
power loss [W] for rated value of the current	
• at AC in hot operating state	17.1 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	5.7 W
• without load current share typical	2 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 AC	7.7g / 5 ms, 4.5g / 10 ms
• at DC	7.7g / 5 ms, 4.5g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at AC	12g / 5 ms, 7g / 10 ms
• at DC	12g / 5 ms, 7g / 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 Prohibition (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	90 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	90 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	80 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	80 A
— at 500 V rated value	80 A
— at 690 V rated value	58 A
• at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	80 A
— at 500 V rated value	80 A
— at 690 V rated value	58 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	55 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	79.2 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	66.4 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	70 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	70 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	70 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	58 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	46.7 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	46.7 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	46.7 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	46.7 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	35 mm ²
operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	30 A
• at 690 V rated value	24 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	37 kW
● at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	22 kW
— at 400 V rated value	37 kW
— at 500 V rated value	37 kW
— at 690 V rated value	45 kW
● at AC-3e	
— at 230 V rated value	22 kW
— at 400 V rated value	37 kW
— at 500 V rated value	37 kW
— at 690 V rated value	45 kW
operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
● at 400 V rated value	15.8 kW
● at 690 V rated value	21.8 kW
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
● up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	27.8 kVA
● up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	48.4 kVA
● up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	60.6 kVA
● up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	69.3 kVA
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
● up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	18.6 kVA
● up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	32.3 kVA
● up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	40.4 kVA
● up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	55.8 kVA
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C	
● limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum	1 298 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	898 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	640 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum	414 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	333 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
no-load switching frequency	
● at AC	1 500 1/h
● at DC	1 500 1/h
operating frequency	
● at AC-1 maximum	700 1/h
● at AC-2 maximum	350 1/h

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC-3 maximum • at AC-3e maximum • at AC-4 maximum 	500 1/h 500 1/h 150 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	AC/DC
control supply voltage at AC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 50 Hz rated value • at 60 Hz rated value 	20 ... 33 V 20 ... 33 V
control supply voltage at DC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rated value 	20 ... 33 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • initial value • full-scale value 	0.8 1.1
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz 	0.8 ... 1.1 0.8 ... 1.1
design of the surge suppressor	with varistor
inrush current peak	3 A
duration of inrush current peak	50 µs
locked-rotor current mean value	1 A
locked-rotor current peak	2.6 A
duration of locked-rotor current	230 ms
holding current mean value	40 mA
apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz 	40 VA 40 VA
apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz 	2 VA 2 VA
closing power of magnet coil at DC	23 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	1 W
closing delay	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC • at DC 	35 ... 110 ms 35 ... 110 ms
opening delay	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC • at DC 	30 ... 55 ms 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	1
instantaneous contact	
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
instantaneous contact	
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 230 V rated value • at 400 V rated value • at 500 V rated value • at 690 V rated value 	10 A 3 A 2 A 1 A
operational current at DC-12	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 24 V rated value • at 48 V rated value • at 60 V rated value • at 110 V rated value • at 125 V rated value • at 220 V rated value • at 600 V rated value 	10 A 6 A 6 A 3 A 2 A 1 A 0.15 A
operational current at DC-13	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 24 V rated value • at 48 V rated value • at 60 V rated value 	10 A 2 A 2 A

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 110 V rated value • at 125 V rated value • at 220 V rated value • at 600 V rated value 	1 A 0.9 A 0.3 A 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	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 480 V rated value • at 600 V rated value 	65 A 62 A
yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for single-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 110/120 V rated value — at 230 V rated value • for 3-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 200/208 V rated value — at 220/230 V rated value — at 460/480 V rated value — at 575/600 V rated value 	5 hp 15 hp 20 hp 25 hp 50 hp 60 hp
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / P600
Short-circuit protection	
design of the fuse link	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for short-circuit protection of the main circuit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — with type of coordination 1 required — with type of assignment 2 required • for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required 	gG: 250 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 160 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 200 A (415 V, 80 kA) gG: 160 A (690V,100kA), aM: 80A (690V,100kA), BS88: 125A (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
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • side-by-side mounting 	Yes
height	114 mm
width	55 mm
depth	130 mm
required spacing	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • with side-by-side mounting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards — upwards — downwards — at the side • for grounded parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards — upwards — at the side — downwards • for live parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards — upwards — downwards — at the side 	10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 0 mm 10 mm 10 mm 6 mm 10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 6 mm
Connections/ Terminals	
type of electrical connection	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for main current circuit • for auxiliary and control circuit • at contactor for auxiliary contacts • of magnet coil 	screw-type terminals spring-loaded terminals Spring-type terminals Spring-type terminals
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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
- finely stranded without core end processing

0.5 ... 2.5 mm²0.5 ... 1.5 mm²0.5 ... 2.5 mm²**type of connectable conductor cross-sections**

- for auxiliary contacts
 - solid or stranded
 - finely stranded with core end processing
 - finely stranded without core end processing
- at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts

2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm²)2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²)2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm²)

2x (20 ... 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
- with high demand rate according to SN 31920

40 %

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**[Confirmation](#)[Miscellaneous](#)[KC](#)

General Product Approval	EMC	Functional Safety/Safety of Machinery	Declaration of Conformity	Test Certificates
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[Special Test Certificate](#)

Test Certificates	Marine / Shipping
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[Type Test Certificates/Test Report](#)

Marine / Shipping	other	Railway	Dangerous Good
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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=3RT2038-3NB30>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2038-3NB30>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2038-3NB30>

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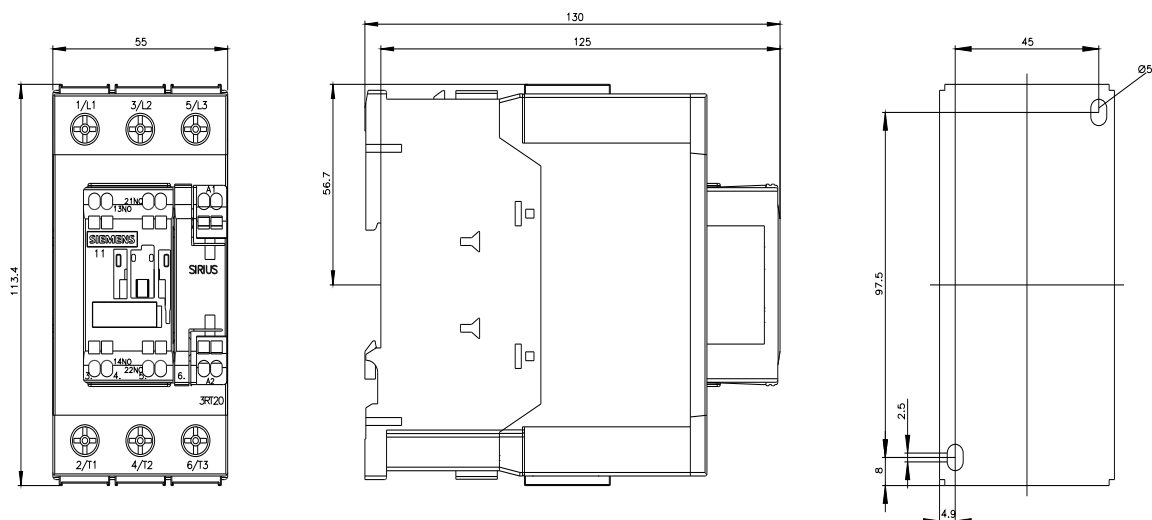
http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2038-3NB30&lang=en

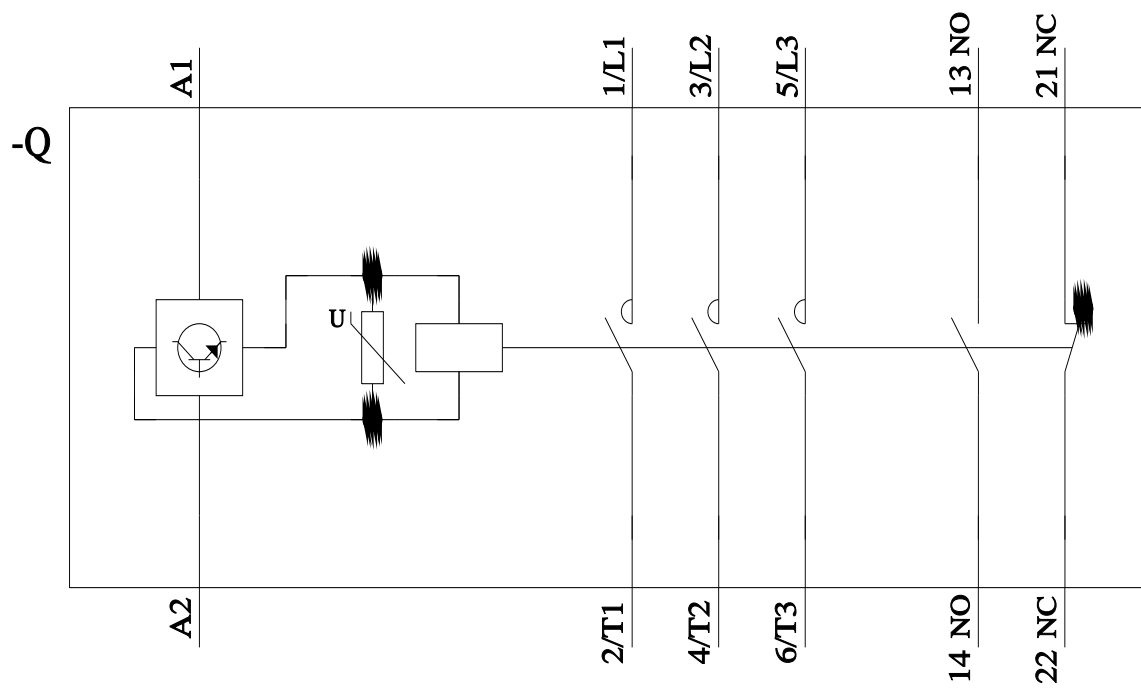
Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I²t, Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2038-3NB30/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2038-3NB30&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>





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