



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 12 A, 5.5 kW / 400 V, 4-pole, 24 V DC, main contacts: 2 NO + 2 NC, spring-loaded terminal

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| product brand name       | SIRIUS    |
| product designation      | contactor |
| product type designation | 3RT25     |

### General technical data

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| size of contactor                                                                                     | S00                        |
| product extension                                                                                     |                            |
| • function module for communication                                                                   | No                         |
| • auxiliary switch                                                                                    | Yes                        |
| 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                                                                                               | 7.3g / 5 ms, 4.7g / 10 ms  |
| shock resistance with sine pulse                                                                      |                            |
| • at DC                                                                                               | 11,4g / 5 ms, 7,3g / 10 ms |
| mechanical service life (operating cycles)                                                            |                            |
| • of contactor typical                                                                                | 30 000 000                 |
| • 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)                                                                         | 10/01/2009                 |

### Ambient conditions

|                                                                |                |
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| 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 | 4 |
| number of NO contacts for main contacts  | 2 |
| number of NC contacts for main contacts  | 2 |
| operational current                      |   |

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at AC-1 up to 690 V <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value</li> <li>— at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>• at AC-2 at AC-3 at 400 V <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— per NO contact rated value</li> <li>— per NC contact rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 22 A<br>20 A                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 4 mm <sup>2</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>operational current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>at 1 current path at DC-1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>with 2 current paths in series at DC-1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>— at 24 V per NO contact rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V per NO contact rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V per NO contact rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>— at 24 V per NO contact rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V per NO contact rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | 20 A<br>2.1 A<br>0.8 A<br>0.6 A<br><br>20 A<br>12 A<br>1.6 A<br>0.8 A<br><br>20 A<br>20 A<br>0.075 A<br>0.15 A<br>0.375 A<br>0.75 A<br><br>20 A<br>20 A<br>0.175 A<br>0.35 A                                                                                                                               |
| operating power at AC-2 at AC-3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 230 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>• at 230 V per NO contact rated value</li> <li>• at 400 V per NC contact rated value</li> <li>• at 400 V per NO contact rated value</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 2.2 kW<br>3 kW<br>4 kW<br>5.5 kW                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>• limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>• limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>• limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 125 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value<br>123 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value<br>96 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value<br>74 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value<br>61 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value |
| <b>power loss [W] at AC-3 at 400 V for rated value of the operational current per conductor</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>no-load switching frequency</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at AC</li> <li>• at DC</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 10 000 1/h<br>10 000 1/h                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>operating frequency</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at AC-1 maximum</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 1 000 1/h                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Control circuit/ Control</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>type of voltage of the control supply voltage</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>control supply voltage at DC</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• rated value</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 24 V                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• initial value</li> <li>• full-scale value</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 0.8<br>1.1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>closing power of magnet coil at DC</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>holding power of magnet coil at DC</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>closing delay</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at DC</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 30 ... 100 ms                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>opening delay</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at DC</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 7 ... 13 ms                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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| <b>arcing time</b>                                                 | 10 ... 15 ms                                                                                                                         |
| <b>Auxiliary circuit</b>                                           |                                                                                                                                      |
| number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact | 0                                                                                                                                    |
| number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact | 0                                                                                                                                    |
| operational current at AC-12 maximum                               | 10 A                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>operational current at AC-15</b>                                |                                                                                                                                      |
| • at 230 V rated value                                             | 10 A                                                                                                                                 |
| • at 400 V rated value                                             | 3 A                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>operational current at DC-12</b>                                |                                                                                                                                      |
| • 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                                                                                                                               |
| <b>operational current at DC-13</b>                                |                                                                                                                                      |
| • 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 220 V rated value                                             | 0.3 A                                                                                                                                |
| • at 600 V rated value                                             | 0.1 A                                                                                                                                |
| <b>contact reliability of auxiliary contacts</b>                   | 1 faulty switching per 100 million (17 V, 1 mA)                                                                                      |
| <b>UL/CSA ratings</b>                                              |                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>                         |                                                                                                                                      |
| • for single-phase AC motor at 230 V rated value                   | 2 hp                                                                                                                                 |
| • for 3-phase AC motor at 460/480 V rated value                    | 5 hp                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL</b>        | A600 / Q600                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Short-circuit protection</b>                                    |                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>design of the fuse link</b>                                     |                                                                                                                                      |
| • for short-circuit protection of the main circuit                 |                                                                                                                                      |
| — with type of coordination 1 required                             | gG: 35 A (690 V, 100 kA)                                                                                                             |
| — with type of assignment 2 required                               | gG: 20A (690V, 100kA)                                                                                                                |
| • for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required    | fuse gG: 10 A                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Installation/ mounting/ dimensions</b>                          |                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>mounting position</b>                                           | +/-180° rotation possible on vertical mounting surface; can be tilted forward and backward by +/- 22.5° on vertical mounting surface |
| <b>fastening method</b>                                            | screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm DIN rail according to DIN EN 50022                                                             |
| • side-by-side mounting                                            | Yes                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>height</b>                                                      | 70 mm                                                                                                                                |
| <b>width</b>                                                       | 45 mm                                                                                                                                |
| <b>depth</b>                                                       | 73 mm                                                                                                                                |
| <b>required spacing</b>                                            |                                                                                                                                      |
| • with side-by-side mounting                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| — forwards                                                         | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — backwards                                                        | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — upwards                                                          | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — downwards                                                        | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — at the side                                                      | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| • for grounded parts                                               |                                                                                                                                      |
| — forwards                                                         | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — backwards                                                        | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — upwards                                                          | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — at the side                                                      | 6 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — downwards                                                        | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| • for live parts                                                   |                                                                                                                                      |
| — forwards                                                         | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — backwards                                                        | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — upwards                                                          | 0 mm                                                                                                                                 |
| — downwards                                                        | 0 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

spring-loaded terminals  
spring-loaded terminals  
Spring-type terminals  
Spring-type terminals

type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts

- solid
- solid or stranded
- finely stranded with core end processing
- finely stranded without core end processing

2x (0.5 ... 4 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (0,5 ... 4 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)

### type of connectable conductor cross-sections

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

2x (0.5 ... 4 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (0,5 ... 4 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)  
2x (20 ... 12)  
20 ... 12

AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for main contacts

## Safety related data

### product function

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

Yes; with 3RH29  
No

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

## Certificates/ approvals

### General Product Approval

### EMC



[Confirmation](#)



### Functional Safety/Safety of Machinery

### Declaration of Conformity

### Test Certificates

### Marine / Shipping

[Type Examination Certificate](#)



EG-Konf.

[Special Test Certificate](#)

[Type Test Certificates/Test Report](#)



## Marine / Shipping



LRS



PRS



RINA



RMRS

### other

### Railway

### Dangerous Good



## 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=3RT2517-2BB40>

### Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2517-2BB40>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2517-2BB40>

### Image database (product images, 2D dimension drawings, 3D models, device circuit diagrams, EPLAN macros, ...)

[http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax\\_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2517-2BB40&lang=en](http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2517-2BB40&lang=en)

### Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, $I^2t$ , Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2517-2BB40/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2517-2BB40&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>



