



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3 185 A, 90 kW / 400 V AC (50-60 Hz) / DC
Uc: 21-27, 3 V PLC input 24 V DC 3-pole, auxiliary contacts 2 NO + 2 NC
permanently mounted drive: electronic main circuit: busbar control and
auxiliary circuit: screw terminal

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Power contactor
product type designation	3RT1

General technical data

size of contactor	S6
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	39 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	13 W
• without load current share typical	2.8 W
insulation voltage	
• of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	1 000 V
• of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	500 V
surge voltage resistance	
• of main circuit rated value	8 kV
• of auxiliary circuit rated value	6 kV
maximum permissible voltage for safe isolation between coil and main contacts according to EN 60947-1	690 V
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
• at AC	8,5g / 5 ms, 4,2g / 10 ms
• at DC	8,5g / 5 ms, 4,2g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at AC	13,4g / 5 ms, 6,5g / 10 ms
• at DC	13,4g / 5 ms, 6,5g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (switching 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)	05/01/2012

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	1 000 V
• at AC-3e rated value maximum	1 000 V
operational current	
• at AC-1 at 400 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	215 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	215 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	185 A
— up to 1000 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	100 A
— up to 1000 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	100 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	185 A
— at 500 V rated value	185 A
— at 690 V rated value	170 A
— at 1000 V rated value	65 A
• at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	185 A
— at 500 V rated value	185 A
— at 690 V rated value	170 A
— at 1000 V rated value	65 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	160 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	189 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	153 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	157 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	157 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	157 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	157 A
— up to 1000 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	65 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	105 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	105 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	105 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	105 A
— up to 1000 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	65 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	95 mm ²
operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	81 A
• at 690 V rated value	65 A
operational current	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	160 A
— at 110 V rated value	18 A
— at 220 V rated value	3.4 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.8 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.5 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-1	

— at 24 V rated value	160 A
— at 110 V rated value	160 A
— at 220 V rated value	20 A
— at 440 V rated value	3.2 A
— at 600 V rated value	1.6 A
● with 3 current paths in series at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	160 A
— at 110 V rated value	160 A
— at 220 V rated value	160 A
— at 440 V rated value	11.5 A
— at 600 V rated value	4 A
● at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	160 A
— at 220 V rated value	0.6 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.17 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.12 A
● with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	160 A
— at 110 V rated value	160 A
— at 220 V rated value	2.5 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.65 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.37 A
● with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	160 A
— at 110 V rated value	160 A
— at 220 V rated value	160 A
— at 440 V rated value	1.4 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.75 A
operating power	
● at AC-2 at 400 V rated value	90 kW
● at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	55 kW
— at 400 V rated value	90 kW
— at 500 V rated value	132 kW
— at 690 V rated value	160 kW
— at 1000 V rated value	90 kW
● at AC-3e	
— at 230 V rated value	55 kW
— at 400 V rated value	90 kW
— at 500 V rated value	132 kW
— at 690 V rated value	160 kW
— at 1000 V rated value	90 kW
operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
● at 400 V rated value	45 kW
● at 690 V rated value	65 kW
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
● up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	60 000 kVA
● up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	100 000 VA
● up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	130 000 VA
● up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	180 000 VA
● up to 1000 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	110 000 VA
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
● up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	40 000 VA
● up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	70 000 VA
● up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	90 000 VA
● up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	120 000 VA
● up to 1000 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	110 000 VA
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C	
● limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum	2 900 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	2 084 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
● limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	1 480 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value

• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum • limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	968 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
no-load switching frequency	801 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• at AC • at DC	1 000 1/h
operating frequency	1 000 1/h
• at AC-1 maximum • at AC-2 maximum • at AC-3 maximum • at AC-3e maximum • at AC-4 maximum	800 1/h
	300 1/h
	750 1/h
	750 1/h
	130 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	AC/DC
control supply voltage at AC	
• at 50 Hz rated value • at 60 Hz rated value	21 ... 27.3 V
control supply voltage at DC	21 ... 27.3 V
• rated value	21 ... 27.3 V
type of PLC-control input according to IEC 60947-1	Type 2
consumed current at PLC-control input according to IEC 60947-1 maximum	20 mA
voltage at PLC-control input rated value	24 V
operating range factor of the voltage at PLC-control input	0.8 ... 1.1
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC	
• initial value • full-scale value	0.8
	1.1
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC	
• at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz	0.8 ... 1.1
	0.8 ... 1.1
design of the surge suppressor	with varistor
apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC	
• at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz	280 VA
	280 VA
inductive power factor with closing power of the coil	
• at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz	0.8
	0.8
apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC	
• at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz	4.4 VA
	4.4 VA
inductive power factor with the holding power of the coil	
• at 50 Hz • at 60 Hz	0.5
	0.5
closing power of magnet coil at DC	320 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	2.8 W
closing delay	
• at AC • at DC	35 ... 75 ms
	35 ... 75 ms
opening delay	
• at AC • at DC	80 ... 90 ms
	80 ... 90 ms
arcing time	10 ... 15 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	PLC-IN or Standard A1 - A2 (adjustable)
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts	2
instantaneous contact	
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts	2
instantaneous contact	
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
• at 230 V rated value • at 400 V rated value	6 A
	3 A

• at 500 V rated value • at 690 V rated value	2 A 1 A
operational current at DC-12	
• 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	
• 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 2 A 2 A 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	
• at 480 V rated value • at 600 V rated value	180 A 192 A
yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
• for single-phase AC motor — at 230 V rated value • for 3-phase AC motor — at 200/208 V rated value — at 220/230 V rated value — at 460/480 V rated value — at 575/600 V rated value	30 hp 60 hp 75 hp 150 hp 200 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: 355 A (690 V, 100 kA) gG: 315 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 200 A (690 V, 50 kA), BS88: 315 A (415 V, 50 kA) gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)

Installation/ mounting/ dimensions

mounting position	with vertical mounting surface +/-90° rotatable, with vertical mounting surface +/- 22.5° tiltable to the front and back
fastening method	screw fixing
• side-by-side mounting	Yes
height	172 mm
width	120 mm
depth	170 mm
required spacing	
• with side-by-side mounting — forwards — upwards — downwards — at the side • for grounded parts — forwards — upwards — at the side — downwards • for live parts — forwards — upwards — downwards — at the side	20 mm 10 mm 10 mm 0 mm 20 mm 10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 20 mm 10 mm 10 mm 10 mm

Connections/ Terminals

type of electrical connection

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

width of connection bar

thickness of connection bar

diameter of holes

number of holes

type of connectable conductor cross-sections

- at AWG cables for main contacts

connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts

- stranded

connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts

- solid or stranded
- finely stranded with core end processing

type of connectable conductor cross-sections

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

AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section

- for auxiliary contacts

Connection bar
screw-type terminals
Screw-type terminals
Screw-type terminals
17 mm
3 mm
9 mm
1
4 ... 250 kcmil
25 ... 120 mm²
0.5 ... 4 mm²
0.5 ... 2.5 mm²
2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²), max. 2x (0.75 ... 4 mm²)
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2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²)
2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 1x 12
18 ... 14

Safety related data

product function

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

B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920

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 on
- safety-related switching OFF

Yes
No
1 000 000
IP00; IP20 with box terminal/cover
finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front with box terminal/cover
No
Yes

Certificates/ approvals

General Product Approval



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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=3RT1056-6NB36-3PA0>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT1056-6NB36-3PA0>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT1056-6NB36-3PA0>

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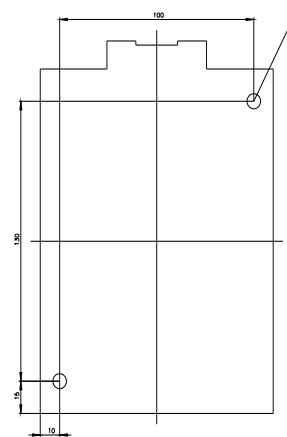
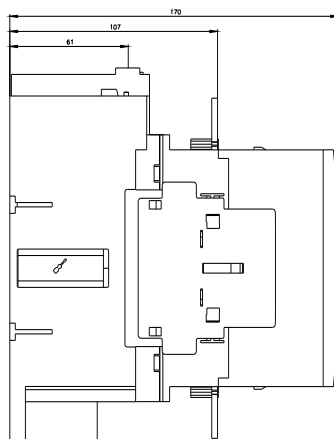
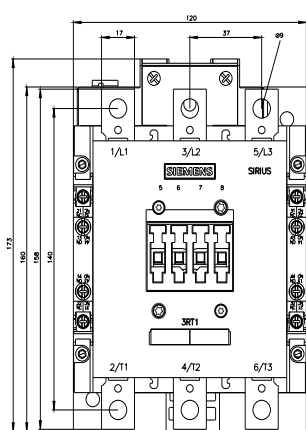
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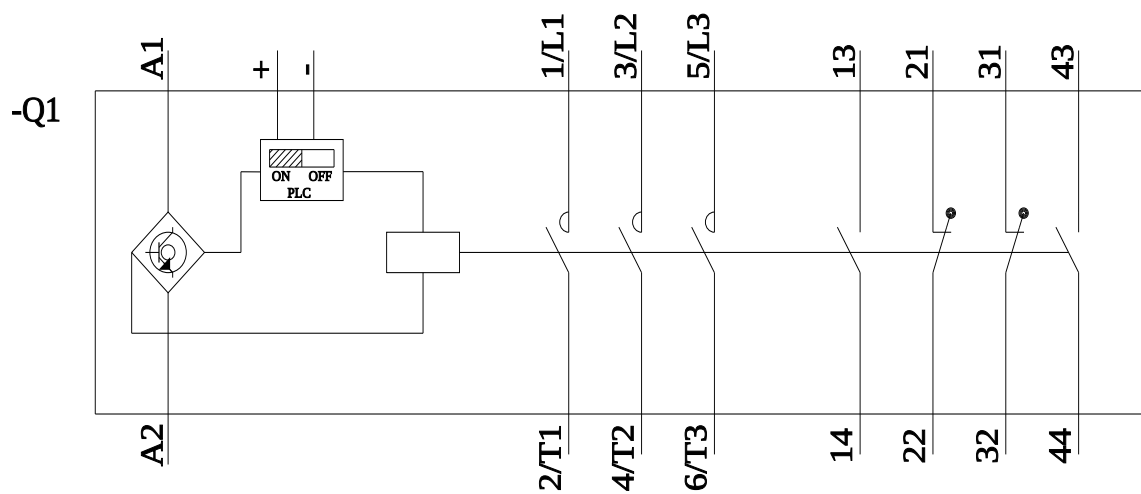
Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I²t, Let-through current

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

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