

Power contactor, AC-3 38 A, 18.5 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC, 230 V  
AC 50 Hz, 3-pole, size S0 screw terminals

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

### General technical data

size of contactor	S0
product extension	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>function module for communication</li> <li>auxiliary switch</li> </ul>	No Yes
power loss [W] for rated value of the current	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>at AC in hot operating state</li> <li>at AC in hot operating state per pole</li> </ul>	11.4 W 3.8 W
power loss [W] for rated value of the current without load current share typical	9.8 W
surge voltage resistance	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>of main circuit rated value</li> <li>of auxiliary circuit rated value</li> </ul>	6 kV 6 kV
maximum permissible voltage for safe isolation	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>between coil and main contacts acc. to EN 60947-1</li> </ul>	400 V
protection class IP	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>on the front</li> <li>of the terminal</li> </ul>	IP20 IP20
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>at AC</li> </ul>	8,3g / 5 ms, 5,3g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>at AC</li> </ul>	13,5g / 5 ms, 8,3g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (switching cycles)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>of contactor typical</li> <li>of the contactor with added electronically optimized auxiliary switch block typical</li> <li>of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical</li> </ul>	10 000 000 5 000 000 10 000 000
reference code acc. to IEC 81346-2	Q

### Ambient conditions

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>installation altitude at height above sea level maximum</li> </ul>	2 000 m
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<b>ambient temperature</b>	
• during operation	-25 ... +60 °C
• during storage	-55 ... +80 °C
<b>Main circuit</b>	
<b>number of poles for main current circuit</b>	3
<b>number of NO contacts for main contacts</b>	3
<b>operating voltage</b>	
• at AC-3 rated value maximum	690 V
<b>operational current</b>	
• at AC-1 at 400 V	
— at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	50 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	50 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	42 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	38 A
— at 500 V rated value	32 A
— at 690 V rated value	21 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	22 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	44 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	31.5 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	30.8 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	30.8 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	30.8 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	21 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	20.5 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	20.5 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	21.4 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	21 A
<b>minimum cross-section in main circuit</b>	
• at maximum AC-1 rated value	10 mm²

<b>operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
• at 400 V rated value	12 A
• at 690 V rated value	12 A
<b>operational current</b>	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	35 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	35 A
— at 110 V rated value	35 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	35 A
— at 110 V rated value	35 A
— at 220 V rated value	35 A
— at 440 V rated value	2.9 A
— at 600 V rated value	1.4 A
<b>operational current</b>	
• at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	2.5 A
— at 220 V rated value	1 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.09 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	35 A
— at 110 V rated value	15 A
— at 220 V rated value	3 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	35 A
— at 110 V rated value	35 A
— at 220 V rated value	10 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.6 A

— at 600 V rated value	0.6 A
<b>operating power</b>	
• at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	11 kW
— at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 500 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 690 V rated value	18.5 kW
<b>operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
• at 400 V rated value	6 kW
• at 690 V rated value	10.3 kW
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b>	
• up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	12.2 kV·A
• up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	21.3 kV·A
• up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	26.6 kV·A
• up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	25 kV·A
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b>	
• up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	8.1 kV·A
• up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	14.2 kV·A
• up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	18.5 kV·A
• up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	25 kV·A
<b>short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C</b>	
• limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum	593 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	395 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	260 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum	186 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	152 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>no-load switching frequency</b>	
• at AC	5 000 1/h
<b>operating frequency</b>	

• at AC-1 maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-2 maximum	750 1/h
• at AC-3 maximum	750 1/h
• at AC-4 maximum	250 1/h

#### Control circuit/ Control

<b>type of voltage of the control supply voltage</b>	AC
<b>control supply voltage at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz rated value	230 V
<b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz	0.8 ... 1.1
<b>apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz	77 V·A
<b>inductive power factor with closing power of the coil</b>	
• at 50 Hz	0.82
<b>apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz	9.8 V·A
<b>inductive power factor with the holding power of the coil</b>	
• at 50 Hz	0.25
<b>closing delay</b>	
• at AC	8 ... 40 ms
<b>opening delay</b>	
• at AC	4 ... 16 ms
<b>arcing time</b>	10 ... 10 ms
<b>control version of the switch operating mechanism</b>	Standard A1 - A2

#### Auxiliary circuit

<b>number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts</b>	
• instantaneous contact	1
<b>number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts</b>	
• instantaneous contact	1
<b>operational current at AC-12 maximum</b>	10 A
<b>operational current at AC-15</b>	
• at 230 V rated value	10 A
• at 400 V rated value	3 A
• at 500 V rated value	2 A
• at 690 V rated value	1 A
<b>operational current at DC-12</b>	
• 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

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 125 V rated value</li> <li>• at 220 V rated value</li> <li>• at 600 V rated value</li> </ul>	2 A 1 A 0.15 A
<b>operational current at DC-13</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 24 V rated value</li> <li>• at 48 V rated value</li> <li>• at 60 V rated value</li> <li>• at 110 V rated value</li> <li>• at 125 V rated value</li> <li>• at 220 V rated value</li> <li>• at 600 V rated value</li> </ul>	10 A 2 A 2 A 1 A 0.9 A 0.3 A 0.1 A
<b>contact reliability of auxiliary contacts</b>	1 faulty switching per 100 million (17 V, 1 mA)

#### UL/CSA ratings

<b>full-load current (FLA) for 3-phase AC motor</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 480 V rated value</li> <li>• at 600 V rated value</li> </ul>	34 A 27 A
<b>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for single-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 110/120 V rated value</li> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for 3-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 200/208 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220/230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 460/480 V rated value</li> <li>— at 575/600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	3 hp 5 hp  10 hp 10 hp 25 hp 25 hp
<b>contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL</b>	A600 / P600

#### Short-circuit protection

<b>design of the fuse link</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for short-circuit protection of the main circuit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— with type of coordination 1 required</li> <li>— with type of assignment 2 required</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required</li> </ul>	gG: 125A (690V,100kA), aM: 50A (690V,100kA), BS88: 125A (415V,80kA) gG: 50A (690V,100kA), aM: 25A (690V, 100kA), BS88: 50A (415V, 80kA) gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)

#### Installation/ mounting/ dimensions

<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 standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 60715
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• side-by-side mounting</li> </ul>	Yes

<b>height</b>	85 mm
<b>width</b>	45 mm
<b>depth</b>	97 mm
<b>required spacing</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• with side-by-side mounting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards 10 mm</li> <li>— upwards 10 mm</li> <li>— downwards 10 mm</li> <li>— at the side 0 mm</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for grounded parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards 10 mm</li> <li>— upwards 10 mm</li> <li>— at the side 6 mm</li> <li>— downwards 10 mm</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for live parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards 10 mm</li> <li>— upwards 10 mm</li> <li>— downwards 10 mm</li> <li>— at the side 6 mm</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

## Connections/ Terminals

<b>type of electrical connection</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for main current circuit</li> <li>• for auxiliary and control circuit</li> <li>• at contactor for auxiliary contacts</li> <li>• of magnet coil</li> </ul>	screw-type terminals screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— solid 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>), 2x (2.5 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup>)</li> <li>— solid or stranded 2x (1 ... 2,5 mm<sup>2</sup>), 2x (2,5 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup>)</li> <li>— finely stranded with core end processing 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>), 2x (2.5 ... 6 mm<sup>2</sup>), 1x 10 mm<sup>2</sup></li> </ul> </li> <li>• at AWG cables for main contacts 2x (16 ... 12), 2x (14 ... 8)</li> </ul>	
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• solid 1 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup></li> <li>• stranded 1 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup></li> <li>• finely stranded with core end processing 1 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• solid or stranded 0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup></li> <li>• finely stranded with core end processing 0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup></li> <li>• type of connectable conductor cross-sections for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	

— solid or stranded	2x (0,5 ... 1,5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0,75 ... 2,5 mm <sup>2</sup> )
— finely stranded with core end processing	2x (0,5 ... 1,5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0,75 ... 2,5 mm <sup>2</sup> )
• type of connectable conductor cross-sections at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14)
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section</b>	
• for main contacts	16 ... 8
• for auxiliary contacts	20 ... 14

Safety related data	
<b>B10 value</b>	
• with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920	1 000 000
<b>proportion of dangerous failures</b>	
• with low demand rate acc. to SN 31920	40 %
• with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920	73 %
<b>failure rate [FIT]</b>	
• with low demand rate acc. to SN 31920	100 FIT
<b>product function</b>	
• mirror contact acc. to IEC 60947-4-1	Yes
<b>T1 value for proof test interval or service life acc. to IEC 61508</b>	20 y
<b>touch protection against electrical shock</b>	finger-safe
<b>suitability for use safety-related switching OFF</b>	Yes

#### Certificates/ approvals

General Product Approval	EMC
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<https://www.siemens.com/ic10>

### **Industry Mall (Online ordering system)**

<https://mall.industry.siemens.com/mall/en/en/Catalog/product?mlfb=3RT2028-1AP00>

### **Cax online generator**

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2028-1AP00>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2028-1AP00>

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

[http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax\\_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2028-1AP00&lang=en](http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2028-1AP00&lang=en)

### **Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I<sup>2</sup>t, Let-through current**

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2028-1AP00/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2028-1AP00&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>

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