



power contactor, AC-3 185 A, 90 kW / 400 V AC (50-60 Hz) / DC operation
220-240 V AC/DC auxiliary contacts 2 NO + 2 NC 3-pole, frame size S6
busbar connections drive: conventional 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	5.2 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 acc. 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 acc. to IEC 81346-2	Q
Substance Prohibitance (Date)	01.05.2012
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 acc. 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
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-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 — at 110 V rated value — at 220 V rated value — at 440 V rated value — at 600 V rated value	160 A 160 A 20 A 3.2 A 1.6 A
● with 3 current paths in series at DC-1 — at 24 V rated value — at 110 V rated value — at 220 V rated value — at 440 V rated value — at 600 V rated value	160 A 160 A 160 A 11.5 A 4 A
● at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5 — at 24 V rated value — at 110 V rated value — at 220 V rated value — at 440 V rated value — at 600 V rated value	160 A 2.5 A 0.6 A 0.17 A 0.12 A
● with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5 — at 24 V rated value — at 110 V rated value — at 220 V rated value — at 440 V rated value — at 600 V rated value	160 A 160 A 2.5 A 0.65 A 0.37 A
● with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5 — at 24 V rated value — at 110 V rated value — at 220 V rated value — at 440 V rated value — at 600 V rated value	160 A 160 A 160 A 1.4 A 0.75 A
operating power ● at AC-3 — at 230 V rated value — at 400 V rated value — at 500 V rated value — at 690 V rated value — at 1000 V rated value	55 kW 90 kW 132 kW 160 kW 90 kW
operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4 ● at 400 V rated value ● at 690 V rated value	45 kW 65 kW
operating apparent power at AC-6a ● up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value ● up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value ● up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value ● up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value ● up to 1000 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	60 000 kVA 100 000 VA 130 000 VA 180 000 VA 110 000 VA
operating apparent power at AC-6a ● up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value ● up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value ● up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value ● up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value ● up to 1000 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	40 000 VA 70 000 VA 90 000 VA 120 000 VA 110 000 VA
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C ● limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum ● limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum ● limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum ● limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum ● limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	2 900 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 2 084 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 1 480 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 968 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 801 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value

no-load switching frequency	
• at AC	2 000 1/h
• at DC	2 000 1/h
operating frequency	
• at AC-1 maximum	800 1/h
• at AC-2 maximum	300 1/h
• at AC-3 maximum	750 1/h
• at AC-4 maximum	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	220 ... 240 V
• at 60 Hz rated value	220 ... 240 V
control supply voltage at DC	
• rated value	220 ... 240 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC	
• initial value	0.8
• full-scale value	1.1
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC	
• at 50 Hz	0.8 ... 1.1
• at 60 Hz	0.8 ... 1.1
design of the surge suppressor	with varistor
apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC	
• at 50 Hz	300 VA
• at 60 Hz	300 VA
inductive power factor with closing power of the coil	
• at 50 Hz	0.9
• at 60 Hz	0.9
apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC	
• at 50 Hz	5.8 VA
• at 60 Hz	5.8 VA
inductive power factor with the holding power of the coil	
• at 50 Hz	0.8
• at 60 Hz	0.8
closing power of magnet coil at DC	360 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	5.2 W
closing delay	
• at AC	20 ... 95 ms
• at DC	20 ... 95 ms
opening delay	
• at AC	40 ... 60 ms
• at DC	40 ... 60 ms
arcing time	10 ... 15 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	2
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	2
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
• at 230 V rated value	6 A
• at 400 V rated value	3 A
• at 500 V rated value	2 A
• at 690 V rated value	1 A
operational current at DC-12	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 48 V rated value	6 A

• at 60 V rated value • at 110 V rated value • at 125 V rated value • at 220 V rated value • at 600 V rated value	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 • side-by-side mounting	screw fixing 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	Connection bar screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals
width of connection bar	17 mm
thickness of connection bar	3 mm
diameter of holes	9 mm
number of holes	1
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• at AWG cables for main contacts	4 ... 250 kcmil
connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts	
• stranded	25 ... 120 mm ²
connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts	
• solid or stranded • finely stranded with core end processing	0.5 ... 4 mm ² 0.5 ... 2.5 mm ²
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	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²), max. 2x (0.75 ... 4 mm ²) 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²), max. 2x (0.75 ... 4 mm ²) 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²) 2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 1x 12
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section	
• for auxiliary contacts	18 ... 14

Safety related data

product function	
• mirror contact acc. to IEC 60947-4-1 • positively driven operation acc. to IEC 60947-5-1	Yes No
B10 value with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920	1 000 000
protection class IP on the front acc. to IEC 60529	IP00; IP20 with box terminal/cover
touch protection on the front acc. to IEC 60529	finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front with box terminal/cover
suitability for use	
• safety-related switching OFF	Yes

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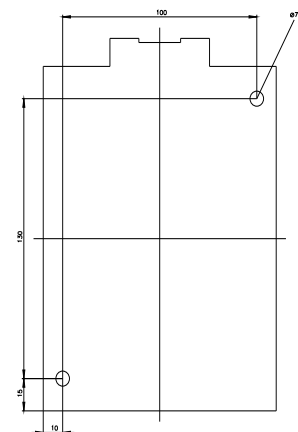
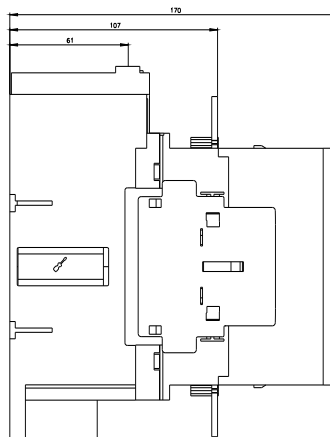
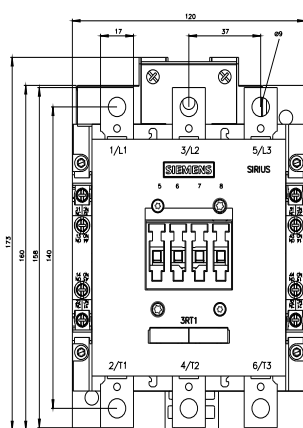
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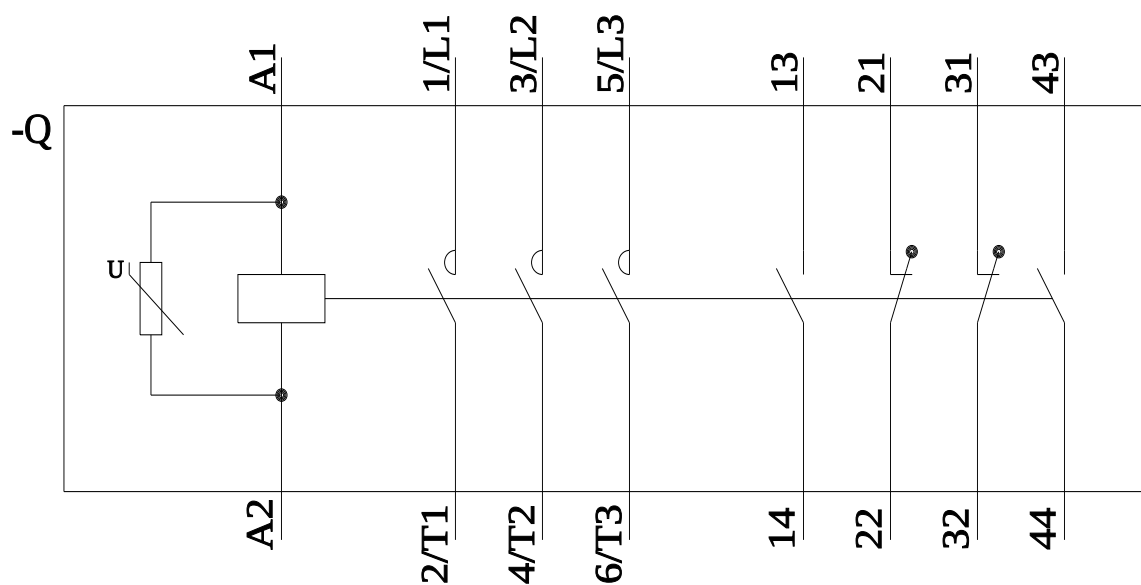
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