



power contactor, AC-3 12 A, 5.5 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC, 48 V DC 3-pole, Size S0 Spring-type terminal

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"> function module for communication auxiliary switch 	<p>No</p> <p>Yes</p>
power loss [W] for rated value of the current	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> at AC in hot operating state at AC in hot operating state per pole without load current share typical 	<p>0.9 W</p> <p>0.3 W</p> <p>5.9 W</p>
insulation voltage	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value 	<p>690 V</p> <p>690 V</p>
surge voltage resistance	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> of main circuit rated value of auxiliary circuit rated value 	<p>6 kV</p> <p>6 kV</p>
maximum permissible voltage for safe isolation between coil and main contacts according to EN 60947-1	400 V
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> at DC 	10g / 5 ms, 7,5g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> at DC 	15g / 5 ms, 10g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (switching cycles)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> of contactor typical of the contactor with added electronically optimized auxiliary switch block typical of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical 	<p>10 000 000</p> <p>5 000 000</p> <p>10 000 000</p>
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	Q
Substance Prohibitance (Date)	10/01/2009
Ambient conditions	
installation altitude at height above sea level maximum	2 000 m
ambient temperature	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> during operation during storage 	<p>-25 ... +60 °C</p> <p>-55 ... +80 °C</p>
relative humidity minimum	10 %
relative humidity at 55 °C according to IEC 60068-2-30 maximum	95 %

Main circuit

number of poles for main current circuit	3
number of NO contacts for main contacts	3
operating voltage	
• at AC-3 rated value maximum	690 V
• at AC-3e rated value maximum	690 V
operational current	
• at AC-1 at 400 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	40 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	40 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	35 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	12 A
— at 500 V rated value	12 A
— at 690 V rated value	9 A
• at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	12 A
— at 500 V rated value	12 A
— at 690 V rated value	9 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	12.5 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	35.2 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	9.9 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	11.4 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	11.4 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	11.3 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	9 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	7.6 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	7.6 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	7.6 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	7.6 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	10 mm ²
operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	5.5 A
• at 690 V rated value	5.5 A
operational current	
• 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	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> — 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 	35 A 35 A 35 A 2.9 A 1.4 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — 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 	20 A 2.5 A 1 A 0.09 A 0.06 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — 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 	35 A 15 A 3 A 0.27 A 0.16 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — 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 	35 A 35 A 10 A 0.6 A 0.6 A
operating power <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● at AC-3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 230 V rated value — at 400 V rated value — at 500 V rated value — at 690 V rated value ● at AC-3e <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 230 V rated value — at 400 V rated value — at 500 V rated value — at 690 V rated value 	3 kW 5.5 kW 5.5 kW 7.5 kW 3 kW 5.5 kW 5.5 kW 7.5 kW
operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● at 400 V rated value ● at 690 V rated value 	2.6 kW 4.6 kW
operating apparent power at AC-6a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 	4.5 kVA 7.8 kVA 9.8 kVA 10.7 kVA
operating apparent power at AC-6a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 	3 kVA 5.2 kVA 6.5 kVA 9 kVA
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 	210 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 210 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 162 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 103 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 88 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
no-load switching frequency <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● at DC 	1 500 1/h
operating frequency <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● at AC-1 maximum ● at AC-2 maximum ● at AC-3 maximum 	1 000 1/h 1 000 1/h 1 000 1/h

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC-3e maximum 	1 000 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC-4 maximum 	300 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	DC
control supply voltage at DC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rated value 	48 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • initial value 	0.8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • full-scale value 	1.1
closing power of magnet coil at DC	5.9 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	5.9 W
closing delay	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at DC 	50 ... 170 ms
opening delay	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at DC 	15 ... 17.5 ms
arcing time	10 ... 10 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 230 V rated value 	10 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 400 V rated value 	3 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 500 V rated value 	2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 690 V rated value 	1 A
operational current at DC-12	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 24 V rated value 	10 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 48 V rated value 	6 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 60 V rated value 	6 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 110 V rated value 	3 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 125 V rated value 	2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 220 V rated value 	1 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 600 V rated value 	0.15 A
operational current at DC-13	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 24 V rated value 	10 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 48 V rated value 	2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 60 V rated value 	2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 110 V rated value 	1 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 125 V rated value 	0.9 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 220 V rated value 	0.3 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 600 V rated value 	0.1 A
contact reliability of auxiliary contacts	1 faulty switching per 100 million (17 V, 1 mA)
UL/CSA ratings	
full-load current (FLA) for 3-phase AC motor	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 480 V rated value 	11 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 600 V rated value 	11 A
yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for single-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 110/120 V rated value — at 230 V rated value 	1 hp 2 hp
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for 3-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 200/208 V rated value — at 220/230 V rated value — at 460/480 V rated value — at 575/600 V rated value 	3 hp 3 hp 7.5 hp 10 hp
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / P600

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: 63A (690V,100kA), aM: 32A (690V,100kA), BS88: 63A (415V,80kA)
gG: 25A (690V,100kA), aM: 20A (690V,100kA), BS88: 25A (415V,80kA)
gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)

Installation/ mounting/ dimensions

mounting position

+/-180° rotation possible on vertical mounting surface; can be tilted forward and backward by +/- 22.5° on vertical mounting surface

fastening method

screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 60715

- side-by-side mounting

Yes

height

102 mm

width

45 mm

depth

107 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

10 mm
10 mm
10 mm
0 mm
10 mm
10 mm
6 mm
10 mm
10 mm
10 mm
10 mm
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
- at AWG cables for main contacts

2x (1 ... 10 mm²)
2x (1 ... 10 mm²)
2x (1 ... 6 mm²)
2x (1 ... 6 mm²)
2x (18 ... 8)

connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts

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

1 ... 10 mm²
1 ... 10 mm²
1 ... 6 mm²
1 ... 6 mm²

connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts

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

0.5 ... 2.5 mm²
0.5 ... 1.5 mm²
0.5 ... 2.5 mm²

type of connectable conductor cross-sections

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

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

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts 	2x (20 ... 14)
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> for main contacts 	18 ... 8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> for auxiliary contacts 	20 ... 14
Safety related data	
product function	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1 	Yes
B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920	450 000
proportion of dangerous failures	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> with low demand rate according to SN 31920 	40 %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> with high demand rate according to SN 31920 	73 %
failure rate [FIT] with low demand rate according to SN 31920	100 FIT
T1 value for proof test interval or service life according to IEC 61508	20 y
protection class IP on the front according to IEC 60529	IP20
touch protection on the front according to IEC 60529	finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front
suitability for use	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> safety-related switching OFF 	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=3RT2024-2BW40>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WWW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2024-2BW40>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2024-2BW40>

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

http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2024-2BW40&lang=en

Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I²t, Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2024-2BW40/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2024-2BW40&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>

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