



Power contactor, AC-3 38 A, 18.5 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC, 24 V DC communication-capable, 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"> function module for communication auxiliary switch 	<p>Yes</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>11.4 W</p> <p>3.8 W</p> <p>5.9 W</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
operational current	
• 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
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	12 A
• at 690 V rated value	12 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	
— 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
• 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

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> — at 220 V rated value — at 440 V rated value — at 600 V rated value 	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 	11 kW 18.5 kW 18.5 kW 18.5 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 	6 kW 10.3 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 	12.2 kVA 21.3 kVA 26.6 kVA 25 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 	8.1 kVA 14.2 kVA 18.5 kVA 25 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 	593 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 395 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 260 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 186 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 152 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 ● at AC-4 maximum 	1 000 1/h 750 1/h 750 1/h 250 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 	24 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● initial value ● full-scale value 	0.8 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	
• at DC	15 ... 17.5 ms
arcing time	10 ... 10 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2, optionally via function module
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	
• 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
operational current at DC-12	
• 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
• at 125 V rated value	2 A
• at 220 V rated value	1 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.15 A
operational current at DC-13	
• 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 125 V rated value	0.9 A
• at 220 V rated value	0.3 A
• 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	
• at 480 V rated value	34 A
• at 600 V rated value	27 A
yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
• for single-phase AC motor	
— at 110/120 V rated value	3 hp
— at 230 V rated value	5 hp
• for 3-phase AC motor	
— at 200/208 V rated value	10 hp
— at 220/230 V rated value	10 hp
— at 460/480 V rated value	25 hp
— at 575/600 V rated value	25 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	gG: 125A (690V,100kA), aM: 50A (690V,100kA), BS88: 125A (415V,80kA)
— with type of assignment 2 required	gG: 50A (690V,100kA), aM: 25A (690V, 100kA), BS88: 50A (415V, 80kA)
• for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required	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	85 mm
width	45 mm
depth	107 mm
required spacing	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● with side-by-side mounting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards 10 mm — upwards 10 mm — downwards 10 mm — at the side 0 mm ● for grounded parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards 10 mm — upwards 10 mm — at the side 6 mm — downwards 10 mm ● for live parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards 10 mm — upwards 10 mm — downwards 10 mm — at the side 6 mm 	
Connections/ Terminals	
type of electrical connection	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● for main current circuit screw-type terminals ● for auxiliary and control circuit screw-type terminals ● at contactor for auxiliary contacts Screw-type terminals ● of magnet coil Screw-type terminals 	
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — solid 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm²), 2x (2.5 ... 10 mm²) — solid or stranded 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm²), 2x (2.5 ... 10 mm²) — finely stranded with core end processing 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm²), 2x (2.5 ... 6 mm²), 1x 10 mm² ● at AWG cables for main contacts 2x (16 ... 12), 2x (14 ... 8) 	
connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● solid 1 ... 10 mm² ● stranded 1 ... 10 mm² ● finely stranded with core end processing 1 ... 10 mm² 	
connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● solid or stranded 0.5 ... 2.5 mm² ● finely stranded with core end processing 0.5 ... 2.5 mm² 	
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — solid or stranded 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²) — finely stranded with core end processing 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²) ● at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts 2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14) 	
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● for main contacts 16 ... 8 ● 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 % ● 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	IP20

60529	
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

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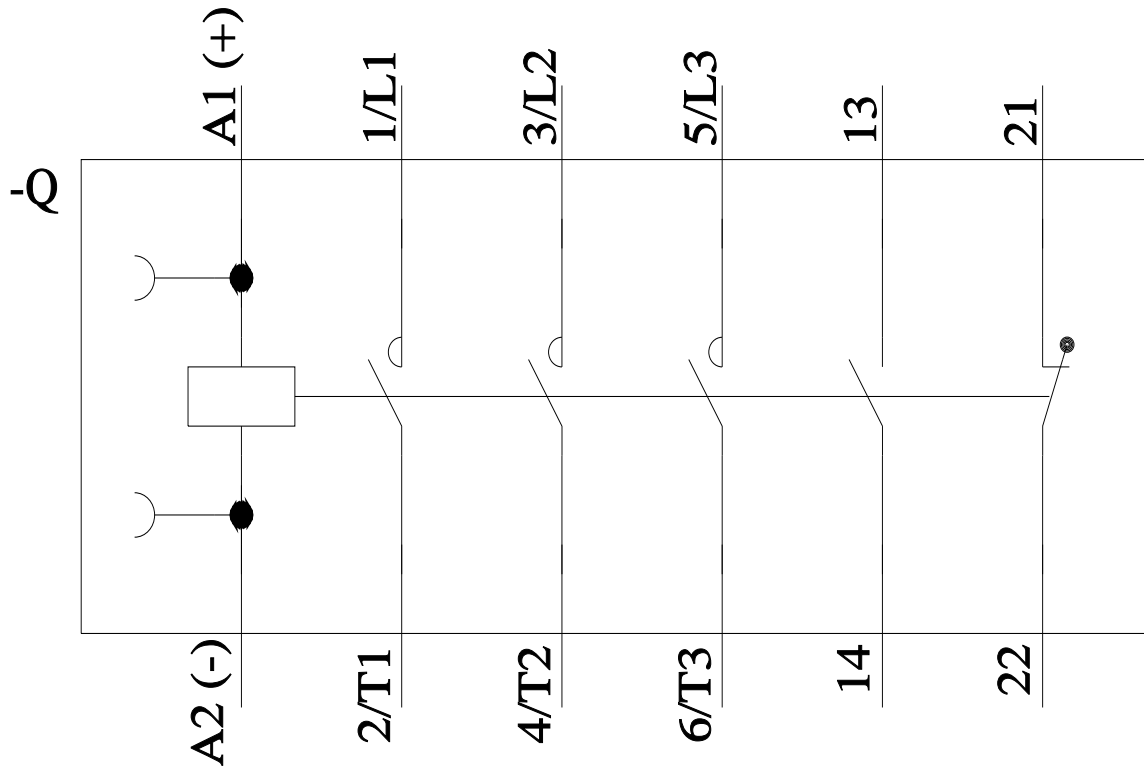
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Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I_t, Let-through current

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

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