

Traction contactor, AC-3 80 A, 37 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC 24 V DC, 0.7-1.25* Us, with varistor 3-pole, Size S2, screw terminals



Product brand name	SIRIUS
Product designation	Power contactor
Product type designation	3RT2
General technical data	
Size of contactor	S2
Product extension	
• function module for communication	No
• Auxiliary switch	Yes
Insulation voltage	
• of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
• of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
Surge voltage resistance	
• of main circuit rated value	6 kV
• of auxiliary circuit rated value	6 kV
maximum permissible voltage for safe isolation	
• between coil and main contacts acc. to EN 60947-1	400 V

Protection class IP	
• on the front	IP20
• of the terminal	IP00
Shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
• at DC	7.7g / 5 ms, 4.5g / 10 ms
Shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at DC	12g / 5 ms, 7g / 10 ms
Mechanical service life (switching cycles)	
• of contactor typical	10 000 000
• of the contactor with added electronics-compatible auxiliary switch block typical	5 000 000
• of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical	10 000 000
Reference code acc. to DIN EN 81346-2	Q

Ambient conditions

Installation altitude at height above sea level	
• maximum	2 000 m

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
Operating current	
• at AC-1 at 400 V	
— rated value	90 A
— at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	90 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	90 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	80 A
• at AC-2 at 400 V rated value	80 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	80 A
— at 500 V rated value	80 A
— at 690 V rated value	58 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	55 A
Minimum cross-section in main circuit	
• at maximum AC-1 rated value	35 mm ²
• at maximum I _{th} rated value	35 mm ²
Operating current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	

• at 400 V rated value	30 A
• at 690 V rated value	24 A
Operating current	
• at 1 current path 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	55 A 4.5 A 1 A 0.4 A 0.25 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	55 A 45 A 5 A 1 A 0.8 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	55 A 55 A 45 A 2.9 A 1.4 A
Operating current	
• 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	35 A 2.5 A 1 A 0.1 A 0.06 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	55 A 25 A 5 A 0.27 A 0.16 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	55 A 55 A 25 A 0.6 A 0.35 A
Operating power	

• at AC-1 — at 230 V at 60 °C rated value — at 400 V rated value — at 400 V at 60 °C rated value — at 690 V at 60 °C rated value • at AC-2 at 400 V rated value • at AC-3 — at 230 V rated value — at 400 V rated value — at 500 V rated value — at 690 V rated value	28 kW 59 kW 49 kW 85 kW 37 kW 22 kW 37 kW 37 kW 45 kW
Operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value • at 690 V rated value	15.8 kW 21.8 kW
Thermal short-time current limited to 10 s	640 A
Power loss [W] at AC-3 at 400 V for rated value of the operating current per conductor	5.7 W
No-load switching frequency	
• at DC	1 500 1/h

Ratings for railway applications

Thermal current (I_{th}) up to 690 V	
• up to 40 °C according to IEC 60077 rated value • up to 70 °C according to IEC 60077 rated value	90 A 75 A

Control circuit/ Control

Type of voltage	DC
Type of voltage of the control supply voltage	DC
Control supply voltage at DC	
• rated value	24 V
Operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC	
• initial value • Full-scale value	0.7 1.25
Design of the surge suppressor	with varistor
Inrush current peak	
• at 24 V	3.3 A
Duration of inrush current peak	
• at 24 V	15 µs
Closing power of magnet coil at DC	23 W
Holding power of magnet coil at DC	1 W
Closing delay	
• at DC	45 ... 60 ms

Opening delay	
• at DC	35 ... 55 ms
Arcing time	10 ... 20 ms
Control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
Residual current of the electronics for control with signal <0>	
• at DC at 24 V maximum permissible	20 mA

Auxiliary circuit

Number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
• instantaneous contact	1
Number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
• instantaneous contact	1
Operating current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
Operating 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
Operating 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
Operating 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 three-phase AC motor	
• at 480 V rated value	65 A
• at 600 V rated value	62 A
Yielded mechanical performance [hp]	
• for single-phase AC motor	

— at 110/120 V rated value	5 hp
— at 230 V rated value	15 hp
• for three-phase AC motor	
— at 200/208 V rated value	20 hp
— at 220/230 V rated value	25 hp
— at 460/480 V rated value	50 hp
— at 575/600 V rated value	60 hp
Contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / P600

Short-circuit protection

Product function Short circuit protection	No
Design of the fuse link	
• for short-circuit protection of the main circuit	
— with type of coordination 1 required	gG: 250 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 160 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 200 A (415 V, 80 kA)
— with type of assignment 2 required	gG: 160A (690V,100kA), aM: 80A (690V,100kA), BS88: 125A (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
Mounting type	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 60715
• Side-by-side mounting	Yes
Height	114 mm
Width	55 mm
Depth	130 mm
Required spacing	
• with side-by-side mounting	
— forwards	10 mm
— upwards	10 mm
— downwards	10 mm
— at the side	0 mm
• for grounded parts	
— forwards	10 mm
— upwards	10 mm
— at the side	6 mm
— downwards	10 mm
• for live parts	
— forwards	10 mm
— upwards	10 mm

- downwards
- at the side

10 mm

6 mm

Connections/ Terminals

Type of electrical connection	
• for main current circuit	screw-type terminals
• for auxiliary and control current circuit	screw-type terminals
• at contactor for auxiliary contacts	Screw-type terminals
• of magnet coil	Screw-type terminals
Type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• for main contacts	
— single or multi-stranded	2x (1 ... 35 mm ²), 1x (1 ... 50 mm ²)
— finely stranded with core end processing	2x (1 ... 25 mm ²), 1x (1 ... 35 mm ²)
• at AWG conductors for main contacts	2x (18 ... 2), 1x (18 ... 1)
Type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• for auxiliary contacts	
— single or multi-stranded	2x (0,5 ... 1,5 mm ²), 2x (0,75 ... 2,5 mm ²)
— finely stranded with core end processing	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²)
• at AWG conductors for auxiliary contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14)
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section	
• for main contacts	18 ... 1
• for auxiliary contacts	20 ... 14

Safety related data

B10 value	
• with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920	1 000 000
Proportion of dangerous failures	
• with low demand rate acc. to SN 31920	40 %
• with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920	73 %
Failure rate [FIT]	
• with low demand rate acc. to SN 31920	100 FIT
Product function	
• Mirror contact acc. to IEC 60947-4-1	Yes
• positively driven operation acc. to IEC 60947-5-1	No
T1 value for proof test interval or service life acc. to IEC 61508	
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Protection against electrical shock	
	finger-safe when touched vertically from front acc. to IEC 60529

Communication/ Protocol

Product function Bus communication	No
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Certificates/ approvals

General Product Approval	EMC	Functional Safety/Safety of Machinery
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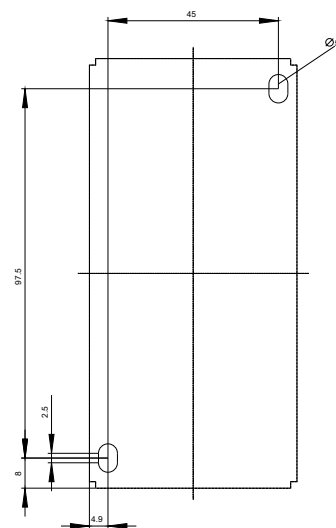
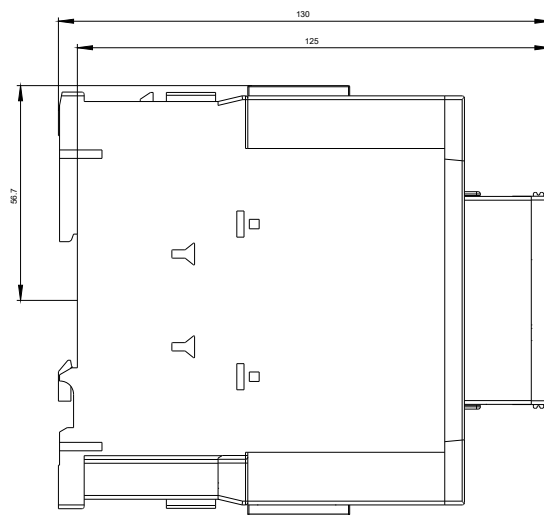
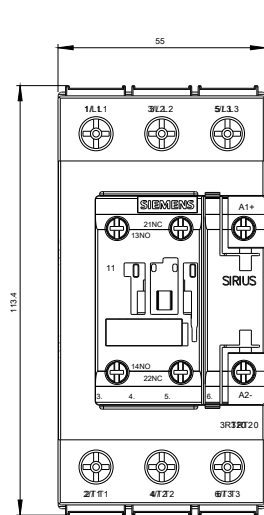
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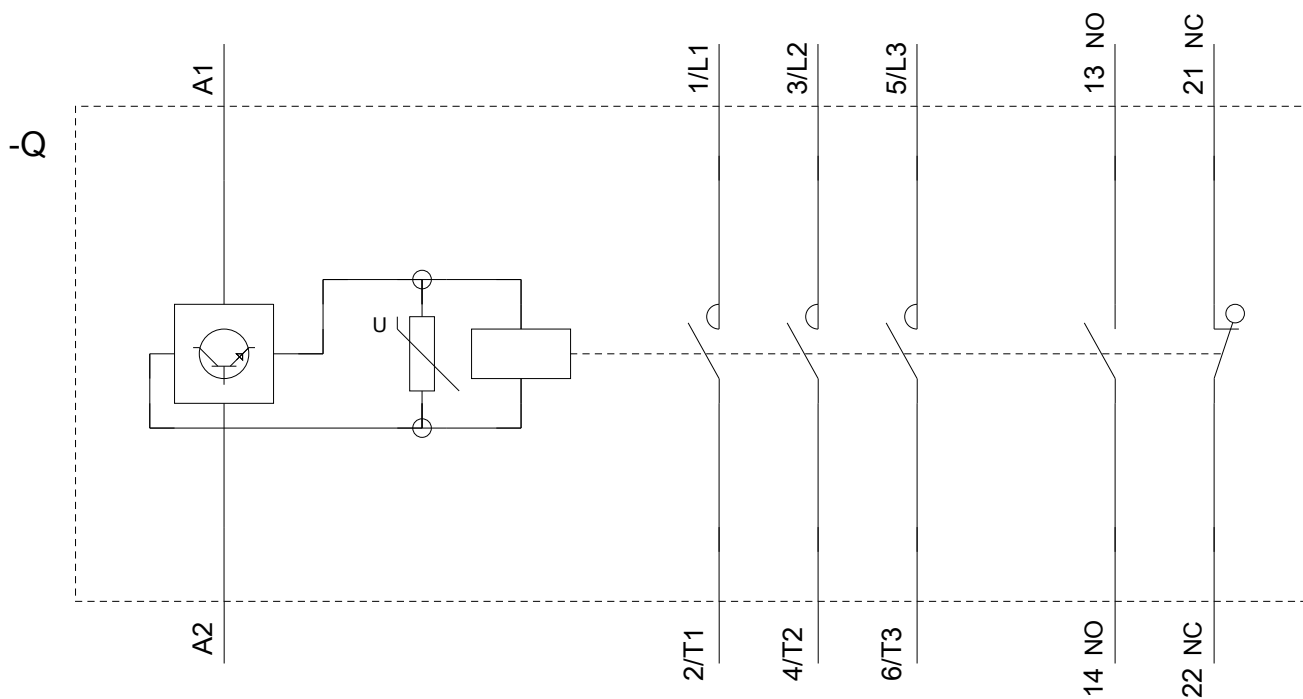
Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I_{Δt}, Let-through current

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

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