



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 9 A, 4 kW / 400 V, 3-pole, 24 V DC, 0.7-1.25\* Uc, with integrated diode, auxiliary contacts: 1 NC, screw terminal, frame size: S00, suitable for PLC outputs, no auxiliary switch can be added, upright mounting position

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Coupling contactor
product type designation	3RT2
<b>General technical data</b>	
size of contactor	S00
product extension	
• function module for communication	No
• auxiliary switch	No
power loss [W] for rated value of the current	
• at AC in hot operating state	0.9 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	0.3 W
• without load current share typical	2.8 W
type of calculation of power loss depending on pole	quadratic
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 protective separation between coil and main contacts according to EN 60947-1	400 V
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
• at DC	6,7g / 5 ms, 4,2g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at DC	10,5g / 5 ms, 6,6g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (operating cycles)	
• of contactor typical	30 000 000
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	Q
Substance Prohibition (Date)	10/01/2009
SVHC substance name	Lead - 7439-92-1
Weight	0.296 kg
<b>Ambient conditions</b>	
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 according to IEC 60068-2-30 maximum	95 %
<b>Environmental footprint</b>	
Environmental Product Declaration(EPD)	Yes

global warming potential [CO2 eq] total	153 kg
global warming potential [CO2 eq] during manufacturing	1.42 kg
global warming potential [CO2 eq] during operation	152 kg
global warming potential [CO2 eq] after end of life	-0.305 kg
<b>Main circuit</b>	
number of poles for main current circuit	3
number of NO contacts for main contacts	3
<b>operating voltage</b>	
• at AC-3 rated value maximum	690 V
• at AC-3e rated value maximum	690 V
<b>operational current</b>	
• at AC-1 at 400 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	22 A
• at AC-1	
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	22 A
— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	20 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	9 A
— at 500 V rated value	7.7 A
— at 690 V rated value	6.7 A
• at AC-3e	
— at 400 V rated value	9 A
— at 500 V rated value	7.7 A
— at 690 V rated value	6.7 A
• at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	8.5 A
• at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	19.4 A
• at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	7.4 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	5.3 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	5.3 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	5.3 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value	5 A
• at AC-6a	
— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	3.5 A
— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	3.5 A
— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	3.6 A
— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value	3.3 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	4 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
• at 400 V rated value	4.1 A
• at 690 V rated value	3.3 A
<b>operational current</b>	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 60 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	2.1 A
— at 220 V rated value	0.8 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.6 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.6 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 60 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	12 A
— at 220 V rated value	1.6 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.8 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.7 A
• with 3 current paths in series at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A

— at 60 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	20 A
— at 220 V rated value	20 A
— at 440 V rated value	1.3 A
— at 600 V rated value	1 A
<b>• at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5</b>	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 60 V rated value	0.5 A
— at 110 V rated value	0.15 A
<b>• with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5</b>	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 60 V rated value	5 A
— at 110 V rated value	0.35 A
<b>• with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5</b>	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 60 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	20 A
— at 220 V rated value	1.5 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.2 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.2 A
<b>operating power</b>	
<b>• at AC-2 at 400 V rated value</b>	4 kW
<b>• at AC-3</b>	
— at 230 V rated value	2.2 kW
— at 400 V rated value	4 kW
— at 500 V rated value	4 kW
— at 690 V rated value	5.5 kW
<b>• at AC-3e</b>	
— at 230 V rated value	2.2 kW
— at 400 V rated value	4 kW
— at 500 V rated value	4 kW
— at 690 V rated value	5.5 kW
<b>operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
<b>• at 400 V rated value</b>	2 kW
<b>• at 690 V rated value</b>	2.5 kW
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b>	
<b>• up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</b>	2 kVA
<b>• up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</b>	3.6 kVA
<b>• up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</b>	4.6 kVA
<b>• up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</b>	5.9 kVA
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b>	
<b>• up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</b>	1.3 kVA
<b>• up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</b>	2.4 kVA
<b>• up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</b>	3.1 kVA
<b>• up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</b>	4 kVA
<b>short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C</b>	
<b>• limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum</b>	155 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>• limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum</b>	111 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>• limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum</b>	86 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum</b>	66 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>• limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum</b>	55 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>no-load switching frequency</b>	
<b>• at DC</b>	10 000 1/h
<b>operating frequency</b>	
<b>• at AC-1 maximum</b>	1 000 1/h
<b>• at AC-2 maximum</b>	750 1/h
<b>• at AC-3 maximum</b>	750 1/h
<b>• at AC-3e</b>	
— maximum	750 1/h

• at AC-4 maximum	250 1/h
<b>Control circuit/ Control</b>	
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	0.7
• full-scale value	1.25
design of the surge suppressor	diode
closing power of magnet coil at DC	2.8 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	2.8 W
closing delay	
• at DC	25 ... 130 ms
opening delay	
• at DC	38 ... 65 ms
arcing time	10 ... 15 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
<b>Auxiliary circuit</b>	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
operational current at AC-12 maximum	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
• at 125 V rated value	2 A
• at 220 V rated value	1 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.15 A
<b>operational current at DC-13</b>	
• 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)
<b>UL/CSA ratings</b>	
<b>full-load current (FLA) for 3-phase AC motor</b>	
• at 480 V rated value	7.6 A
• at 600 V rated value	9 A
<b>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>	
• for single-phase AC motor	
— at 110/120 V rated value	0.33 hp
— at 230 V rated value	1 hp
• for 3-phase AC motor	
— at 200/208 V rated value	2 hp
— at 220/230 V rated value	3 hp
— at 460/480 V rated value	5 hp
— at 575/600 V rated value	7.5 hp
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / Q600
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	
design of the miniature circuit breaker for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary circuit up to 230 V	C characteristic: 10 A; 0.4 kA
design of the fuse link	

<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 coordination 2 required</li> </ul> </li> <li>for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required</li> </ul>	gG: 35 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 20 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 35 A (415 V, 80 kA) gG: 20 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 16 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 20 A (415 V, 80 kA) gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)
<b>Installation/ mounting/ dimensions</b>	
<b>mounting position</b>	standing, on horizontal mounting surface
fastening method side-by-side mounting	Yes
<b>fastening method</b>	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm DIN rail according to DIN EN 60715
<b>height</b>	58 mm
<b>width</b>	45 mm
<b>depth</b>	73 mm
<b>required spacing</b>	
• 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	10 mm
— at the side	6 mm
<b>Connections/ Terminals</b>	
<b>type of electrical connection</b>	
• 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
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	
• for main contacts	
— solid	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
— solid or stranded	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 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> )
• for AWG cables for main contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 2x 12
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts</b>	
• solid	0.5 ... 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
• stranded	0.5 ... 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
• finely stranded with core end processing	0.5 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts</b>	
• solid or stranded	0.5 ... 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
• finely stranded with core end processing	0.5 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	
• for auxiliary contacts	
— solid or stranded	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 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> )
• for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 2x 12
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for main contacts</b>	20 ... 12
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for auxiliary contacts</b>	20 ... 12
<b>Safety related data</b>	
<b>product function</b>	
• mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1	Yes
• positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1	No
• suitable for safety function	Yes
<b>suitability for use safety-related switching OFF</b>	Yes

service life maximum	20 a
test wear-related service life necessary	Yes
proportion of dangerous failures	
• with low demand rate according to SN 31920	40 %
• with high demand rate according to SN 31920	73 %
B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920	1 000 000
failure rate [FIT] with low demand rate according to SN 31920	100 FIT
ISO 13849	
device type according to ISO 13849-1	3
overdimensioning according to ISO 13849-2 necessary	Yes
IEC 61508	
safety device type according to IEC 61508-2	Type A
Electrical Safety	
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

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##### Information on the packaging

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109813875>

##### Information for data generation and storage

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109995012>

##### 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=3RT2016-1JB42-1AA0>

##### Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2016-1JB42-1AA0>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2016-1JB42-1AA0>

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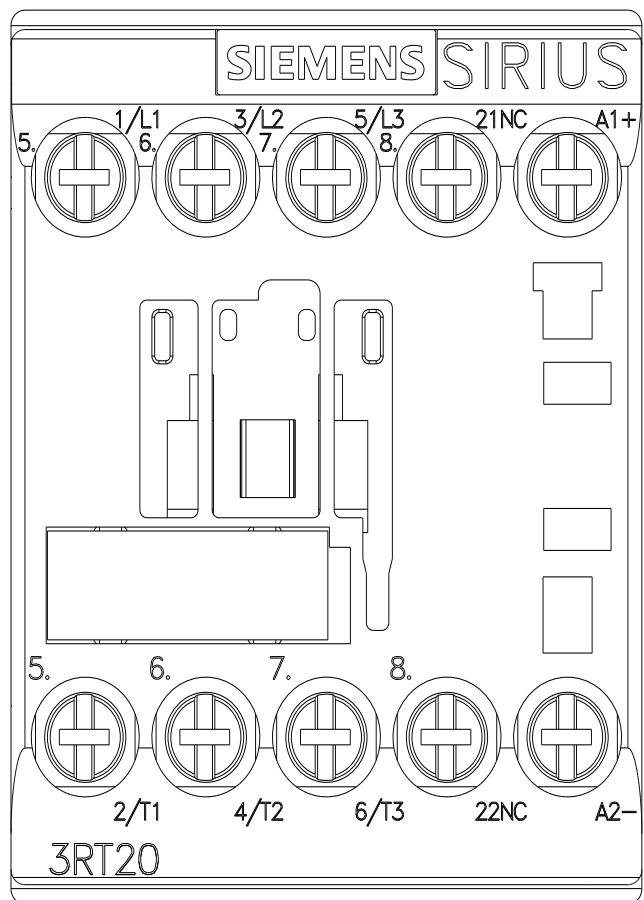
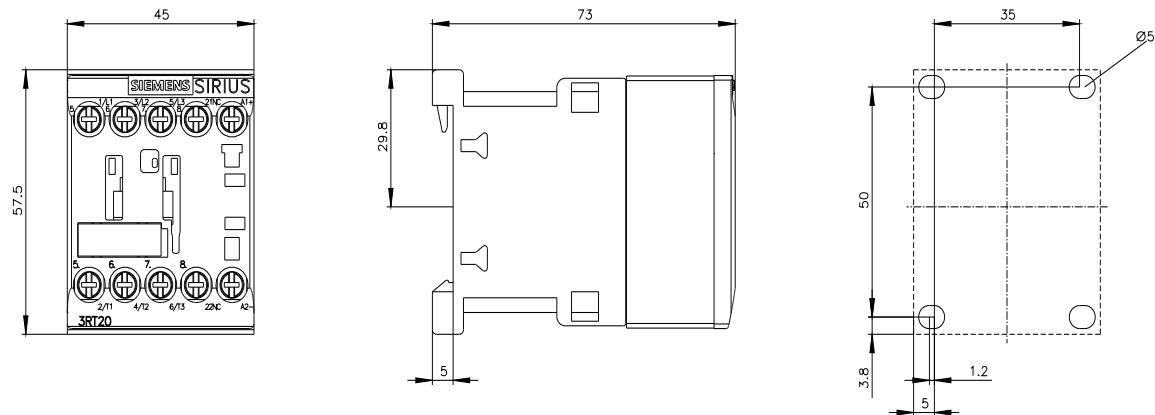
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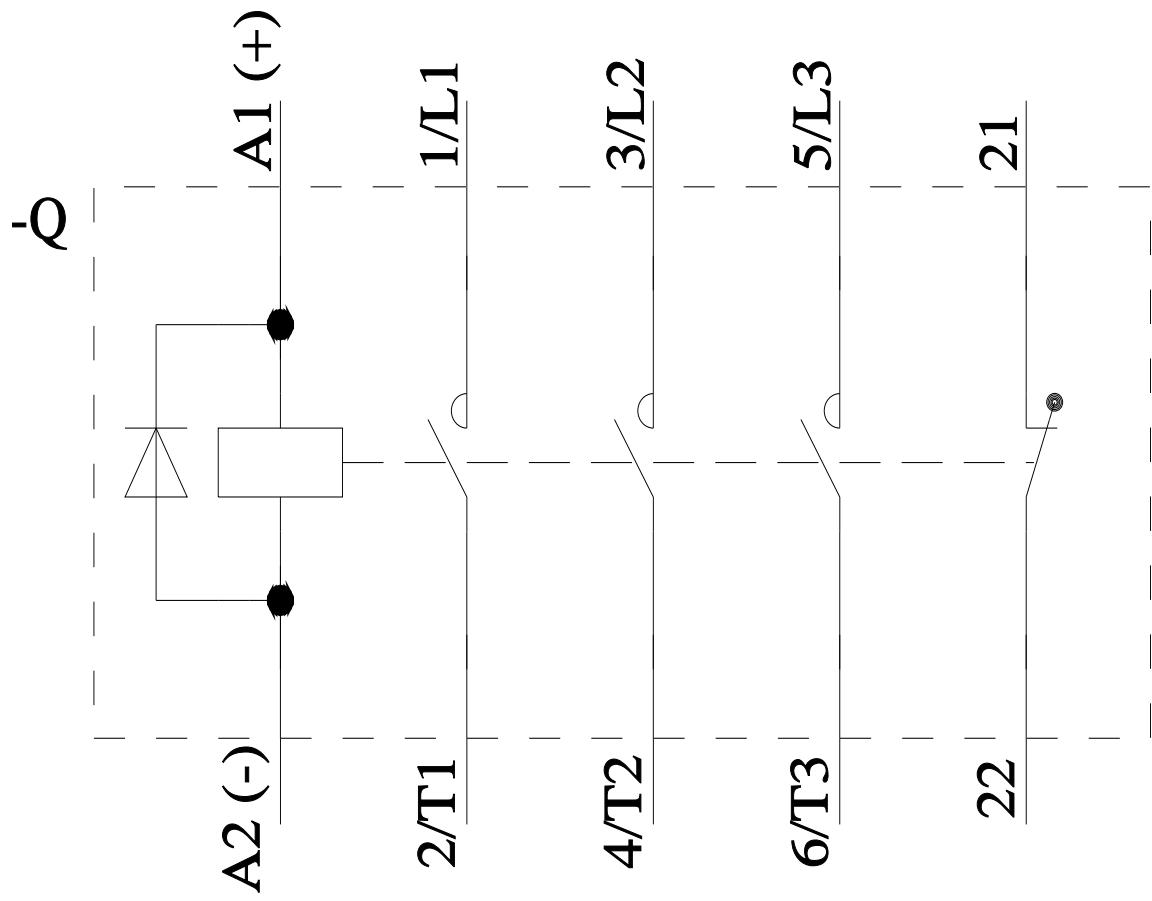
##### Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I<sup>2</sup>t, Let-through current

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

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