



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 12 A, 5.5 kW / 400 V, 3-pole, 110 V DC, auxiliary contacts: 2 NO + 2 NC, spring-loaded terminal, size: S0, removable auxiliary switch

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Power contactor
product type designation	3RT2
General technical data	
size of contactor	S0
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	5.9 W
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	10g / 5 ms, 7,5g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at DC	15g / 5 ms, 10g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (operating 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 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	
• 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 %
Main circuit	
number of poles for main current circuit	3

<b>number of NO contacts for main contacts</b>	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	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 <sup>2</sup>
<b>operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
• at 400 V rated value	5.5 A
• at 690 V rated value	5.5 A
<b>operational current</b>	
• <b>at 1 current path at DC-1</b>	
— at 24 V rated value	35 A
— at 60 V rated value	20 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
• <b>with 2 current paths in series at DC-1</b>	
— at 24 V rated value	35 A
— at 60 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
• <b>with 3 current paths in series at DC-1</b>	
— at 24 V rated value	35 A
— at 60 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
• <b>at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5</b>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul>	20 A 5 A 2.5 A 1 A 0.09 A 0.06 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	35 A 35 A 15 A 3 A 0.27 A 0.16 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	35 A 35 A 35 A 10 A 0.6 A 0.6 A
<b>operating power</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 400 V rated value</li> <li>— at 500 V rated value</li> <li>— at 690 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>● at AC-3e <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 400 V rated value</li> <li>— at 500 V rated value</li> <li>— at 690 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	3 kW 5.5 kW 5.5 kW 7.5 kW  3 kW 5.5 kW 5.5 kW 7.5 kW
<b>operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at 400 V rated value</li> <li>● at 690 V rated value</li> </ul>	2.6 kW 4.6 kW
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>● up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>● up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>● up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> </ul>	4.5 kVA 7.8 kVA 9.8 kVA 10.7 kVA
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>● up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>● up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>● up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> </ul>	3 kVA 5.2 kVA 6.5 kVA 9 kVA
<b>short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum</li> </ul>	210 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 210 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 170 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 126 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 105 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>no-load switching frequency</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at DC</li> </ul>	1 500 1/h
<b>operating frequency</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-1 maximum</li> <li>● at AC-2 maximum</li> <li>● at AC-3 maximum</li> <li>● at AC-3e maximum</li> <li>● at AC-4 maximum</li> </ul>	1 000 1/h 1 000 1/h 1 000 1/h 1 000 1/h 300 1/h
<b>Control circuit/ Control</b>	

<b>type of voltage of the control supply voltage</b>	DC
<b>control supply voltage at DC</b>	
• rated value	110 V
<b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC</b>	
• initial value	0.8
• full-scale value	1.1
<b>closing power of magnet coil at DC</b>	5.9 W
<b>holding power of magnet coil at DC</b>	5.9 W
<b>closing delay</b>	
• at DC	50 ... 170 ms
<b>opening delay</b>	
• at DC	15 ... 18 ms
<b>arcing time</b>	10 ... 10 ms
<b>control version of the switch operating mechanism</b>	Standard A1 - A2
<b>Auxiliary circuit</b>	
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
<b>operational current at AC-15</b>	
• 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
<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	6 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
<b>contact reliability of auxiliary contacts</b>	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	11 A
• at 600 V rated value	11 A
<b>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>	
• for single-phase AC motor	
— at 110/120 V rated value	1 hp
— at 230 V rated value	2 hp
• for 3-phase AC motor	
— at 200/208 V rated value	3 hp
— at 220/230 V rated value	3 hp
— at 460/480 V rated value	7.5 hp
— at 575/600 V rated value	10 hp
<b>contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL</b>	A600 / Q600
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	
<b>design of the fuse link</b>	
• for short-circuit protection of the main circuit	
— with type of coordination 1 required	gG: 63A (690V,100kA), aM: 32A (690V,100kA), BS88: 63A (415V,80kA)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— with type of assignment 2 required</li><li>• for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required</li></ul>	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 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• side-by-side mounting</li></ul>	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm DIN rail according to DIN EN 60715 Yes
height	102 mm
width	45 mm
depth	154 mm
required spacing <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• with side-by-side mounting<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— forwards10 mm</li><li>— upwards10 mm</li><li>— downwards10 mm</li><li>— at the side0 mm</li></ul></li><li>• for grounded parts<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— forwards10 mm</li><li>— upwards10 mm</li><li>— at the side6 mm</li><li>— downwards10 mm</li></ul></li><li>• for live parts<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— forwards10 mm</li><li>— upwards10 mm</li><li>— downwards10 mm</li><li>— at the side6 mm</li></ul></li></ul>	
Connections/ Terminals	
type of electrical connection <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• for main current circuit</li><li>• for auxiliary and control circuit</li><li>• at contactor for auxiliary contacts</li><li>• of magnet coil</li></ul>	spring-loaded terminals spring-loaded terminals Spring-type terminals Spring-type terminals
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• solid2x (1 ... 10 mm²)</li><li>• solid or stranded2x (1 ... 10 mm²)</li><li>• finely stranded with core end processing2x (1 ... 6 mm²)</li><li>• finely stranded without core end processing2x (1 ... 6 mm²)</li></ul>	
connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• solid1 ... 10 mm²</li><li>• stranded1 ... 10 mm²</li><li>• finely stranded with core end processing1 ... 6 mm²</li><li>• finely stranded without core end processing1 ... 6 mm²</li></ul>	
connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• solid or stranded0.5 ... 2.5 mm²</li><li>• finely stranded with core end processing0.5 ... 1.5 mm²</li><li>• finely stranded without core end processing0.5 ... 2.5 mm²</li></ul>	
type of connectable conductor cross-sections <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• for auxiliary contacts<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— solid or stranded2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm²)</li><li>— finely stranded with core end processing2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²)</li><li>— finely stranded without core end processing2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm²)</li></ul></li><li>• for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts2x (20 ... 14)</li></ul>	
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• for main contacts18 ... 8</li><li>• for auxiliary contacts20 ... 14</li></ul>	
Safety related data	
product function <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1</li><li>• positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1</li></ul>	Yes No
B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920	450 000

<b>proportion of dangerous failures</b>	
• 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 a
<b>protection class IP on the front according to IEC 60529</b>	IP20
<b>touch protection on the front according to IEC 60529</b>	finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front
<b>suitability for use</b>	
• safety-related switching OFF	Yes

#### Certificates/ approvals

##### General Product Approval



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#### Further information

Siemens has decided to exit the Russian market (see here).

<https://press.siemens.com/global/en/pressrelease/siemens-wind-down-russian-business>

Siemens is working on the renewal of the current EAC certificates.

Please contact your local Siemens office on the status of validity of the EAC certification if you intend to import or offer to supply these products to an EAC relevant market (other than the sanctioned EAEU member states Russia or Belarus).

Information on the packaging

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

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=3RT2024-2BF44>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2024-2BF44>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2024-2BF44>

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

[http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax\\_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2024-2BF44&lang=en](http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2024-2BF44&lang=en)

Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I<sub>t</sub>, Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2024-2BF44/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2024-2BF44&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>



