



power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 12 A, 5.5 kW / 400 V, 3-pole, 24 V DC, auxiliary contacts: 1 NO + 1 NC, screw terminal, size: S0

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Power contactor
product type designation	3RT2
<b>General technical data</b>	
size of contactor	S0
product extension	
• function module for communication	No
• auxiliary switch	Yes
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
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	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
Weight	0.6 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 %

Environmental footprint	
Environmental Product Declaration(EPD)	Yes
global warming potential [CO2 eq] total	221 kg
global warming potential [CO2 eq] during manufacturing	2.65 kg
global warming potential [CO2 eq] during operation	219 kg
global warming potential [CO2 eq] after end of life	-0.639 kg
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 <sup>2</sup>
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 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
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-1	
— 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

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• with 3 current paths in series at DC-1 <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> <li>• at 1 current path 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> <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> <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
	35 A
	2.9 A
	1.4 A
	20 A
	5 A
	2.5 A
	1 A
	0.09 A
	0.06 A
	35 A
	35 A
	15 A
	3 A
	0.27 A
	0.16 A
	35 A
	35 A
	35 A
	10 A
	0.6 A
	0.6 A
operating power	
<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
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operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
<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
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
<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
operating apparent power at AC-6a	
<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
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C	
<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
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	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
no-load switching frequency	

• at DC	1 500 1/h
<b>operating frequency</b>	
• at AC-1 maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-2 maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-3 maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-3e maximum	1 000 1/h
• at AC-4 maximum	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 rated value</b>	24 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	1
number of NO 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
<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 / P600
<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
<b>design of the fuse link</b> <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 assignment 2 required</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required</li> </ul>	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)
<b>Installation/ mounting/ dimensions</b>	
<b>mounting position</b>	+/-180° rotation possible on vertical mounting surface; can be tilted forward and backward by +/- 22.5° on vertical 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>	85 mm
<b>width</b>	45 mm
<b>depth</b>	107 mm
<b>required spacing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• with side-by-side mounting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards</li> <li>— upwards</li> <li>— downwards</li> <li>— at the side</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for grounded parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards</li> <li>— upwards</li> <li>— at the side</li> <li>— downwards</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for live parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards</li> <li>— upwards</li> <li>— downwards</li> <li>— at the side</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 0 mm  10 mm 10 mm 6 mm 10 mm  10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 6 mm
<b>Connections/ Terminals</b>	
<b>type of electrical connection</b> <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>	screw-type terminals screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— solid</li> <li>— solid or stranded</li> <li>— finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for AWG cables for main contacts</li> </ul>	2x (1 ... 2.5 mm²), 2x (2.5 ... 10 mm²) 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm²), 2x (2.5 ... 10 mm²) 2x (1 ... 2.5 mm²), 2x (2.5 ... 6 mm²), 1x 10 mm² 2x (16 ... 12), 2x (14 ... 8)
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• solid</li> <li>• stranded</li> <li>• finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	1 ... 10 mm² 1 ... 10 mm² 1 ... 10 mm²
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• solid or stranded</li> <li>• finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	0.5 ... 2.5 mm² 0.5 ... 2.5 mm²
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— solid or stranded</li> <li>— finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²) 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm²) 2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14)
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section</b>	

- for main contacts
- for auxiliary contacts

16 ... 8  
20 ... 14

#### Safety related data

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

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#### Further information

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=3RT2024-1BB40>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2024-1BB40>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2024-1BB40>

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

[http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax\\_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2024-1BB40&lang=en](http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2024-1BB40&lang=en)

Characteristic: Tripping characteristics,  $I^2t$ , Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2024-1BB40/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2024-1BB40&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>



