



Traction contactor, AC-3 38 A, 18.5 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC with solid-state operating mechanism 125 V DC, 0.7-1.25\* Us with integrated varistor 3-pole Size S0, Spring-type terminals

<b>product brand name</b>	SIRIUS
<b>product designation</b>	Contactor
<b>design of the product</b>	With extended operating range
<b>product type designation</b>	3RT2
<b>General technical data</b>	
<b>size of contactor</b>	S0
<b>product extension</b>	
• function module for communication	No
• auxiliary switch	Yes
<b>power loss [W] for rated value of the current</b>	
• at AC in hot operating state	11.4 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	3.8 W
• without load current share typical	1.6 W
<b>insulation voltage</b>	
• of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
• of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
<b>surge voltage resistance</b>	
• 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 according to EN 60947-1	400 V
<b>shock resistance at rectangular impulse</b>	
• at DC	10g / 5 ms, 7,5g / 10 ms
<b>shock resistance with sine pulse</b>	
• at DC	15g / 5 ms, 10g / 10 ms
<b>mechanical service life (switching cycles)</b>	
• 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
<b>reference code according to IEC 81346-2</b>	Q
<b>Substance Prohibitance (Date)</b>	10/01/2009
<b>Ambient conditions</b>	
installation altitude at height above sea level maximum	2 000 m
<b>ambient temperature</b>	
• during operation	-40 ... +70 °C
• during storage	-55 ... +80 °C
<b>relative humidity minimum</b>	10 %

relative humidity at 55 °C according to IEC 60068-2-30 maximum	95 %
<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	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-2 at 400 V rated value	38 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-3e	
— 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
<b>minimum cross-section in main circuit</b>	
• at maximum AC-1 rated value	10 mm <sup>2</sup>
• at maximum Ith rated value	10 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
• at 400 V rated value	12 A
• at 690 V rated value	12 A
<b>operating power</b>	
• at AC-2 at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
• at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	11 kW
— at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 500 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 690 V rated value	18.5 kW
• at AC-3e	
— at 230 V rated value	11 kW
— at 400 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 500 V rated value	18.5 kW
— at 690 V rated value	18.5 kW
<b>operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
• at 400 V rated value	6 kW
• at 690 V rated value	10.3 kW
<b>short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C</b>	
• limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum	593 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	395 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	260 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum	186 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	152 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>no-load switching frequency</b>	
• at DC	1 500 1/h
<b>operating frequency</b>	
• at AC-1 maximum	750 1/h
• at AC-2 maximum	750 1/h
• at AC-3 maximum	750 1/h

- at AC-3e maximum 750 1/h
- at AC-2 at AC-3e maximum 750 1/h
- at AC-4 maximum 250 1/h

#### Ratings for railway applications

##### thermal current (I<sub>th</sub>) up to 690 V

- up to 40 °C according to IEC 60077 rated value 50 A
- up to 70 °C according to IEC 60077 rated value 38 A

#### Control circuit/ Control

<b>type of voltage</b>	DC
<b>type of voltage of the control supply voltage</b>	DC
<b>control supply voltage at DC</b>	
• rated value	72 V
<b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC</b>	
• initial value	0.7
• full-scale value	1.25
<b>design of the surge suppressor</b>	with varistor
<b>duration of locked-rotor current</b>	180 ms
<b>closing power of magnet coil at DC</b>	13.2 W
<b>holding power of magnet coil at DC</b>	1.3 W
<b>closing delay</b>	
• at DC	50 ... 75 ms
<b>opening delay</b>	
• at DC	30 ... 50 ms
<b>arcing time</b>	10 ... 10 ms
<b>control version of the switch operating mechanism</b>	Standard A1 - A2

#### Auxiliary circuit

<b>number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts</b>	1
• instantaneous contact	1
<b>number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts</b>	1
• 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

#### UL/CSA ratings

<b>full-load current (FLA) for 3-phase AC motor</b>	
• at 480 V rated value	34 A
• at 600 V rated value	27 A
<b>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>	
• for single-phase AC motor	
— at 110/120 V rated value	3 hp

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> <li>● for 3-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 200/208 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220/230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 460/480 V rated value</li> <li>— at 575/600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>5 hp</p> <p>10 hp</p> <p>10 hp</p> <p>25 hp</p> <p>25 hp</p>
<b>contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL</b>	A600 / Q600
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	
<b>product function short circuit protection</b>	No
<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>	<p>gG: 125A (690V,100kA), aM: 50A (690V,100kA), BS88: 125A (415V,80kA)</p> <p>gG: 50A (690V,100kA), aM: 25A (690V, 100kA), BS88: 50A (415V, 80kA)</p> <p>gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)</p>
<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
<b>fastening method</b>	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 60715
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● side-by-side mounting</li> </ul>	Yes
<b>height</b>	102 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>	<p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>0 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>6 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>6 mm</p>
<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>	<p>spring-loaded terminals</p> <p>spring-loaded terminals</p> <p>Spring-type terminals</p> <p>Spring-type terminals</p>
<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> <li>— finely stranded without core end processing</li> </ul> </li> <li>● at AWG cables for main contacts</li> </ul>	<p>2x (1 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (1 ... 10 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (1 ... 6 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (1 ... 6 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (18 ... 8)</p>
<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> <li>— finely stranded without core end processing</li> </ul> </li> <li>● at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	<p>2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (20 ... 14)</p>

<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for main contacts</li> <li>• for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	18 ... 8 20 ... 14

**Safety related data**

<b>product function</b>	
<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>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• with low demand rate according to SN 31920</li> <li>• with high demand rate according to SN 31920</li> </ul>	40 % 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
<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

**Communication/ Protocol**

<b>product function bus communication</b>	No
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**General Product Approval**



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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2028-2XJ40-0LA2/char>

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

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