



Contactor relay, 4 NO + 4 NC, 24 V DC, Size S00, spring-type terminal, Removable auxiliary switch

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Auxiliary contactor
product type designation	3RH2
General technical data	
size of contactor	S00
product extension auxiliary switch	No
insulation voltage with degree of pollution 3 at AC rated value	690 V
degree of pollution	3
surge voltage resistance rated value	6 kV
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
• at DC	10g / 5 ms, 5g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at DC	15g / 5 ms, 8g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (switching cycles)	
• of contactor typical	10 000 000
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	K
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	
no-load switching frequency	
• at AC	10 000 1/h
• at DC	10 000 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
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	0.8
• full-scale value	1.1
closing power of magnet coil at DC	4 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	4 W

closing delay	
• at DC	30 ... 100 ms
opening delay	
• at DC	7 ... 13 ms
arcing time	10 ... 15 ms
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts	4
• instantaneous contact	4
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts	4
• instantaneous contact	4
identification number and letter for switching elements	44 E
operational current at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current at AC-15	
• 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
operational current at 1 current path at DC-12	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 110 V rated value	3 A
• at 220 V rated value	1 A
• at 440 V rated value	0.3 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.15 A
operational current with 2 current paths in series at DC-12	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 60 V rated value	10 A
• at 110 V rated value	4 A
• at 220 V rated value	2 A
• at 440 V rated value	1.3 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.65 A
operational current with 3 current paths in series at DC-12	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 60 V rated value	10 A
• at 110 V rated value	10 A
• at 220 V rated value	3.6 A
• at 440 V rated value	2.5 A
• at 600 V rated value	1.8 A
operating frequency at DC-12 maximum	1 000 1/h
operational current at 1 current path at DC-13	
• at 24 V rated value	6 A
• at 110 V rated value	1 A
• at 220 V rated value	0.3 A
• at 440 V rated value	0.14 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.1 A
operational current with 2 current paths in series at DC-13	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 60 V rated value	3.5 A
• at 110 V rated value	1.3 A
• at 220 V rated value	0.9 A
• at 440 V rated value	0.2 A
• at 600 V rated value	0.1 A
operational current with 3 current paths in series at DC-13	
• at 24 V rated value	10 A
• at 60 V rated value	4.7 A
• at 110 V rated value	3 A
• at 220 V rated value	1.2 A

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 440 V rated value • at 600 V rated value 	0.5 A 0.26 A
operating frequency at DC-13 maximum	1 000 1/h
design of the miniature circuit breaker for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary circuit up to 230 V	C characteristic: 6 A; 0.4 kA
contact reliability of auxiliary contacts	1 faulty switching per 100 million (17 V, 1 mA)
UL/CSA ratings	
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / Q600
Short-circuit protection	
design of the fuse link for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required	fuse gL/gG: 10 A
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	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail
height	70 mm
width	45 mm
depth	121 mm
required spacing	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • with side-by-side mounting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards — upwards — downwards — at the side • for grounded parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards — upwards — at the side — downwards • for live parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — forwards — upwards — downwards — at the side 	10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 0 mm 10 mm 10 mm 6 mm 10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 10 mm 6 mm
Connections/ Terminals	
type of electrical connection for auxiliary and control circuit	spring-loaded terminals
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — solid or stranded — finely stranded with core end processing — finely stranded without core end processing • at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts 	2x (0,5 ... 4 mm ²) 2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm ²) 2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm ²) 2x (20 ... 12)
Safety related data	
B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920	1 000 000; With 0.3 x I _e
proportion of dangerous failures	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • with low demand rate according to SN 31920 • with high demand rate according to SN 31920 	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
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
Certificates/ approvals	
General Product Approval	



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

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

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