# **SIEMENS**

Data sheet 3RT2038-1AL20

> Power contactor, AC-3 80 A, 37 kW / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC, 230 V AC 50/60 Hz, 3-pole Size S2, screw terminals



Figure similar

Product brand name	SIRIUS	
Product designation	Power contactor	
Product type designation	3RT2	

General technical data	
Size of contactor	S2
Product extension	
<ul> <li>function module for communication</li> </ul>	No
Auxiliary switch	Yes
Surge voltage resistance	
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 acc. to EN	400 V
60947-1	
Protection class IP	
• on the front	IP20
<ul><li>of the terminal</li></ul>	IP00

Shock resistance at rectangular impulse	44.00 / 5 7 - 7 40 / 40 7 -
• at AC	11.8g / 5 ms, 7.4g / 10 ms
Shock resistance with sine pulse	10 Fa / F ma 11 Fa / 10 ma
• at AC	18.5g / 5 ms, 11.6g / 10 ms
Mechanical service life (switching cycles)	40,000,000
of contactor typical	10 000 000
<ul> <li>of the contactor with added electronics- compatible auxiliary switch block typical</li> </ul>	5 000 000
<ul> <li>of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical</li> </ul>	10 000 000
Reference code acc. to DIN 40719 extended	K
according to IEC 204-2 acc. to IEC 750	
Reference code acc. to DIN EN 81346-2	Q
Ambient conditions	
Installation altitude at height above sea level	
• maximum	2 000 m
Ambient temperature	
<ul><li>during operation</li></ul>	-25 +60 °C
during storage	-55 +80 °C
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
Operating current	
● at AC-1 at 400 V	
— at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	90 A
• at AC-1	
<ul> <li>up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value</li> </ul>	90 A
<ul> <li>up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value</li> </ul>	80 A
● at AC-2 at 400 V rated value	80 A
• at AC-3	
— at 400 V rated value	80 A
— at 500 V rated value	80 A
— at 690 V rated value	58 A
● at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	55 A
Connectable conductor cross-section in main circuit at AC-1	
	25 mm²
at 40 °C minimum permissible     at 40 °C minimum permissible	25 mm <sup>2</sup>
<ul> <li>at 40 °C minimum permissible</li> </ul>	JJ IIIIII

Operating current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4	
• at 400 V rated value	30 A
• at 690 V rated value	24 A
Operating current	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	55 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
<ul><li>with 2 current paths in series at DC-1</li></ul>	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	45 A
— at 220 V rated value	5 A
— at 440 V rated value	1 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.8 A
<ul> <li>with 3 current paths in series at DC-1</li> </ul>	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	55 A
— at 220 V rated value	45 A
— at 440 V rated value	2.9 A
— at 600 V rated value	1.4 A
Operating current	
• at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	35 A
— at 110 V rated value	2.5 A
— at 220 V rated value	1 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.1 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.06 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	25 A
— at 220 V rated value	5 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.27 A
— at 600 V rated value	0.16 A
• with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V rated value	55 A
— at 110 V rated value	55 A
— at 220 V rated value	25 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.6 A

— at 600 V rated value	0.35 A
Operating power	
• at AC-1	
— at 230 V rated value	34 kW
— at 230 V at 60 °C rated value	28 kW
— at 400 V rated value	59 kW
— at 400 V at 60 °C rated value	49 kW
— at 690 V rated value	102 kW
— at 690 V at 60 °C rated value	85 kW
• at AC-2 at 400 V rated value	37 kW
• at AC-3	
— at 230 V rated value	22 kW
— at 400 V rated value	37 kW
— at 500 V rated value	37 kW
— at 690 V rated value	45 kW
Operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles	
at AC-4	
● at 400 V rated value	15.8 kW
● at 690 V rated value	21.8 kW
Thermal short-time current limited to 10 s	640 A
Power loss [W] at AC-3 at 400 V for rated value of	5.7 W
the operating current per conductor	
No-load switching frequency  • at AC	5 000 1/h
Operating frequency	3 000 1/11
at AC-1 maximum	700 1/h
• at AC-1 maximum • at AC-2 maximum	350 1/h
• at AC-3 maximum	500 1/h
• at AC-4 maximum	150 1/h
at AC-4 maximum	100 1/11
Control circuit/ Control	
Type of voltage of the control supply voltage	AC
Control supply voltage at AC	
• at 50 Hz rated value	230 V
at 60 Hz rated value	230 V
Operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC	
● at 50 Hz	0.8 1.1
● at 60 Hz	0.85 1.1
Apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC	
● at 50 Hz	210 V·A
● at 60 Hz	188 V·A
Inductive power factor with closing power of the coil	

● at 50 Hz	0.69
● at 60 Hz	0.65
Apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC	
● at 50 Hz	17.2 V·A
● at 60 Hz	16.5 V·A
Inductive power factor with the holding power of the	
coil	
● at 50 Hz	0.36
● at 60 Hz	0.39
Closing delay	
• at AC	10 80 ms
Opening delay	
• at AC	10 18 ms
Arcing time	10 20 ms
Control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
Auxilian/ circuit	

Auxiliary circuit			
Number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts			
• instantaneous contact	1		
Number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts			
• instantaneous contact	1		
Operating current at AC-12 maximum	10 A		
Operating current at AC-15			
• 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		
Operating current at DC-12			
• 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		
Operating current at DC-13			
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)	
UL/CSA ratings		

JL/CSA ratings		
Full-load current (FLA) for three-phase AC motor		
• at 480 V rated value	65 A	
• at 600 V rated value	62 A	
Yielded mechanical performance [hp]		
<ul> <li>for single-phase AC motor</li> </ul>		
— at 110/120 V rated value	5 hp	
— at 230 V rated value	15 hp	
<ul> <li>for three-phase AC motor</li> </ul>		
— at 200/208 V rated value	20 hp	
— at 220/230 V rated value	25 hp	
— at 460/480 V rated value	50 hp	
— at 575/600 V rated value	60 hp	
Contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / P600	

Short-circuit	protection
Design of th	e fuse link

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• for short-circuit protection of the main circuit

— with type of coordination 1 required

gG: 250A (690V,100kA), aM: 160A (690V,100kA), BS88: 200A

(415V,80kA)

— with type of assignment 2 required

gG: 160A (690V,100kA), aM: 80A (690V,100kA), BS88: 125A

(415V,80kA)

• for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required

fuse 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	
Mounting type	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 60715	
<ul> <li>Side-by-side mounting</li> </ul>	Yes	
Height	114 mm	
Width	55 mm	
Depth	130 mm	
Required spacing		
<ul><li>with side-by-side mounting</li></ul>		
— forwards	10 mm	
— upwards	10 mm	
— downwards	10 mm	
— at the side	0 mm	
<ul> <li>for grounded parts</li> </ul>		
— 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

Connections/Terminals	
Type of electrical connection	
• for main current circuit	screw-type terminals
<ul> <li>for auxiliary and control current circuit</li> </ul>	screw-type terminals
Type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• for main contacts	
<ul> <li>single or multi-stranded</li> </ul>	2x (1 35 mm²), 1x (1 50 mm²)
<ul> <li>finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	2x (1 25 mm²), 1x (1 35 mm²)
<ul> <li>at AWG conductors for main contacts</li> </ul>	2x (18 2), 1x (18 1)
Connectable conductor cross-section for main	
contacts	
<ul> <li>finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	1 35 mm²
Connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary	
contacts	
<ul> <li>single or multi-stranded</li> </ul>	0.5 2.5 mm²
<ul> <li>finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	0.5 2.5 mm²
Type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
<ul> <li>for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>single or multi-stranded</li> </ul>	2x (0,5 1,5 mm²), 2x (0,75 2,5 mm²)
<ul> <li>finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	2x (0.5 1.5 mm²), 2x (0.75 2.5 mm²)
<ul> <li>at AWG conductors for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	2x (20 16), 2x (18 14)
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross	
section	
• for main contacts	18 1
• for auxiliary contacts	20 14

Safety related data	
B10 value	
<ul> <li>with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920</li> </ul>	1 000 000
Proportion of dangerous failures	
<ul> <li>with low demand rate acc. to SN 31920</li> </ul>	40 %
• with high demand rate acc. to SN 31920	73 %
Failure rate [FIT]	
• with low demand rate acc. to SN 31920	100 FIT

Product function	
<ul> <li>Mirror contact acc. to IEC 60947-4-1</li> </ul>	Yes
• positively driven operation acc. to IEC 60947-5-1	No
T1 value for proof test interval or service life acc. to IEC 61508	20 y
Protection against electrical shock	finger-safe when touched vertically from front acc. to IEC 60529

## Certificates/approvals

## **General Product Approval**

Functional Safety/Safety of Machinery Declaration of Conformity









Type Examination
Certificate



#### **Test Certificates**

Marine / Shipping

Type Test
Certificates/Test
Report

Special Test Certificate





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Marine / Shipping

other







Confirmation

#### Further information

Information- and Downloadcenter (Catalogs, Brochures,...)

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Industry Mall (Online ordering system)

https://mall.industry.siemens.com/mall/en/en/Catalog/product?mlfb=3RT2038-1AL20

Cax online generator

http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2038-1AL20

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

https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2038-1AL20

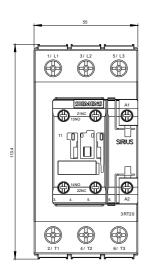
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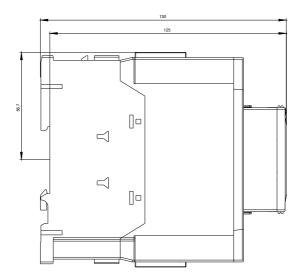
Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I2t, Let-through current

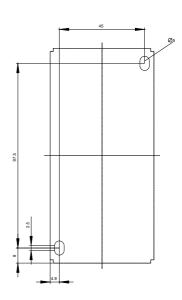
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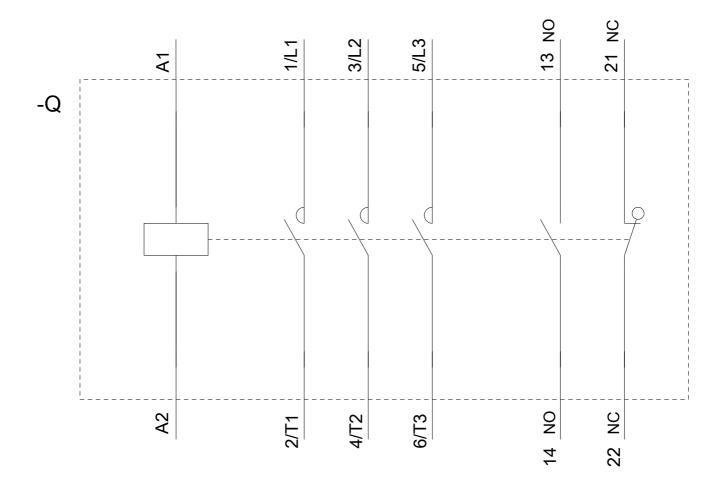
Further characteristics (e.g. electrical endurance, switching frequency)

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