



contactor AC-1, 18 A, 400 V / 40 °C, 4-pole, 12 V DC, screw terminal, size: S00

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	Contacteur
product type designation	3RT23
General technical data	
size of contactor	S00
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	4.4 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	1.1 W
• without load current share typical	4 W
insulation voltage	
• of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
• of the auxiliary and control 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
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
• at DC	6,7g / 5 ms, 4,2g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at DC	10,5g / 5 ms, 6,6g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (operating cycles)	
• of contactor typical	30 000 000
• of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical	10 000 000
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	Q
Substance Prohibition (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	4
number of NO contacts for main contacts	4
operational current	
• at AC-1 at 400 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated	18 A

value	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> at AC-1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value at AC-3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at 400 V rated value at AC-4 at 400 V rated value 	18 A 16 A 9 A 8.5 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	2.5 mm ²
operating power <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at AC-3 at 400 V rated value at AC-4 at 400 V rated value 	4 kW 4 kW
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum 	Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
no-load switching frequency <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at DC 	10 000 1/h
operating frequency at AC-1 maximum	1 000 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage	DC
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	DC
control supply voltage at DC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> rated value 	12 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at DC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> initial value full-scale value 	0.8 1.1
closing power of magnet coil at DC	4 W
holding power of magnet coil at DC	4 W
closing delay <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at DC 	30 ... 100 ms
opening delay <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at DC 	7 ... 13 ms
arcing time	10 ... 15 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> attachable 	2
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> attachable 	2
Short-circuit protection	
product function short circuit protection	No
design of the fuse link <ul style="list-style-type: none"> for short-circuit protection of the main circuit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> with type of coordination 1 required with type of assignment 2 required for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required 	gG: 35 A (690 V, 100 kA) gG: 20 A (690 V, 100 kA) gG: 10 A (690 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"> side-by-side mounting 	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm DIN rail according to DIN EN 60715 Yes
height	58 mm
width	45 mm
depth	73 mm
required spacing	

- with side-by-side mounting
 - forwards 10 mm
 - upwards 10 mm
 - downwards 10 mm
 - at the side 0 mm
- for grounded parts
 - 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
• for auxiliary and control circuit	screw-type terminals
• at contactor for auxiliary contacts	Screw-type terminals
• of magnet coil	Screw-type terminals
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts	
• solid	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²), 2x 4 mm ²
• solid or stranded	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²), 2x 4 mm ²
• finely stranded with core end processing	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²)
connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts	
• solid	0.5 ... 4 mm ²
• solid or stranded	0.5 ... 4 mm ²
• stranded	0.5 ... 4 mm ²
• finely stranded with core end processing	0.5 ... 2.5 mm ²
connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts	
• solid or stranded	0.5 ... 4 mm ²
• finely stranded with core end processing	0.5 ... 2.5 mm ²
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
• for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — solid — solid or stranded — finely stranded with core end processing 	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²) 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²), 2x 4 mm ² 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²)
• for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 2x 12
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section	
• for main contacts	20 ... 12
• for auxiliary contacts	20 ... 12

Safety related data

product function	
• mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1	Yes; with 3RH29
T1 value for proof test interval or service life according to IEC 61508	20 a
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

Communication/ Protocol

product function bus communication	No
---	----

Certificates/ approvals

General Product Approval	EMC
---------------------------------	-----



[Confirmation](#)



Safety/Safety of Machinery			
----------------------------	--	--	--

[Type Examination Certificate](#)



[Special Test Certificate](#)

[Type Test Certificates/Test Report](#)



Marine / Shipping



other	Railway	Dangerous Good	Environment
-------	---------	----------------	-------------

[Confirmation](#)



[Vibration and Shock](#)

[Transport Information](#)

[Environmental Confirmations](#)

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=3RT2316-1BA40>

Cax online generator

<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2316-1BA40>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2316-1BA40>

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

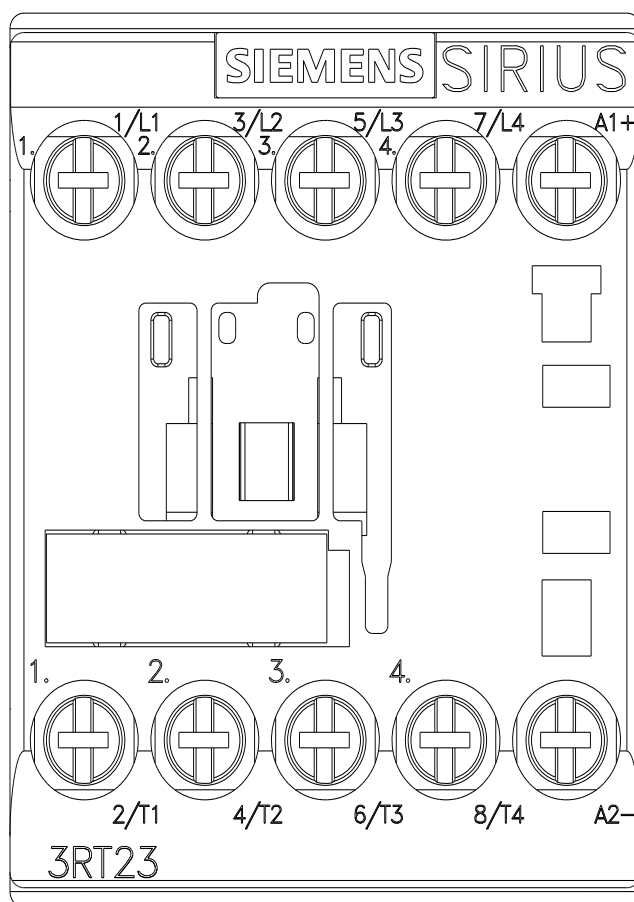
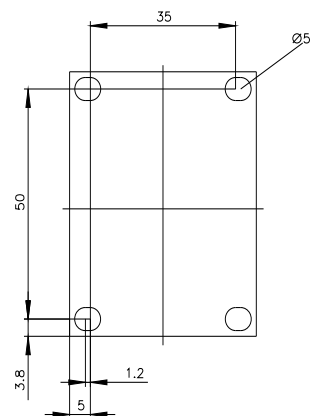
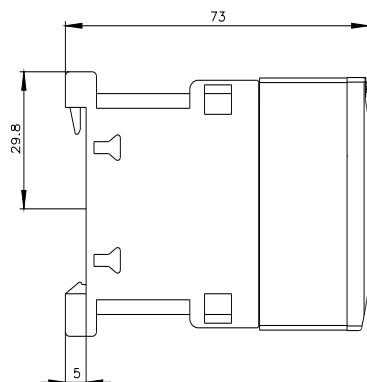
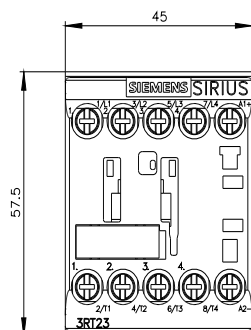
http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2316-1BA40&lang=en

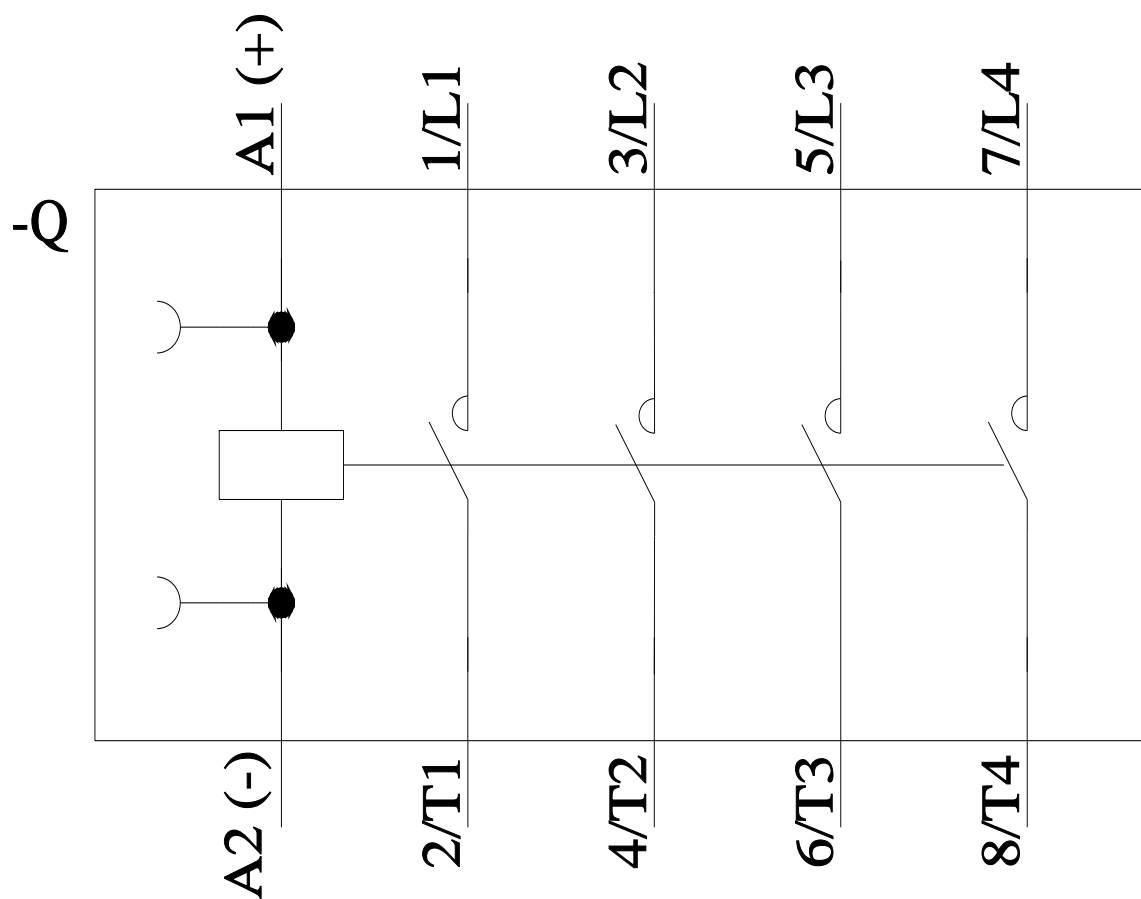
Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I²t, Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2316-1BA40/char>

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

<http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/index.aspx?view=Search&mlfb=3RT2316-1BA40&objecttype=14&gridview=view1>





last modified:

11/21/2022