



power contactor, AC-3, 16 A, 7.5 kW / 400 V, 4-pole, 110 V AC, 50 Hz / 120 V, 60 Hz, main contacts: 2 NO + 2 NC, screw terminal, size: S00

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	contactor
product type designation	3RT2518-1AK60
<b>General technical data</b>	
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 per pole	1 W
• without load current share typical	1.7 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 AC	7,3g / 5 ms, 4,7g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at AC	11,4g / 5 ms, 7,3g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (operating cycles)	
• of contactor typical	30 000 000
• 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
Net Weight	0.234 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 %

Main circuit	
number of poles for main current circuit	4
number of NO contacts for main contacts	2
number of NC contacts for main contacts	2
operational current	
• at AC-1 up to 690 V	
— at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value	22 A
— at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	20 A
• at AC-2 at AC-3 at 400 V	
— per NO contact rated value	16 A
— per NC contact rated value	9 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	4 mm <sup>2</sup>
operational current	
• at 1 current path at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	2.1 A
— at 220 V rated value	0.8 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.6 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-1	
— at 24 V rated value	20 A
— at 110 V rated value	12 A
— at 220 V rated value	1.6 A
— at 440 V rated value	0.8 A
• at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V per NC contact rated value	20 A
— at 24 V per NO contact rated value	20 A
— at 110 V per NC contact rated value	0.075 A
— at 110 V per NO contact rated value	0.15 A
— at 220 V per NC contact rated value	0.375 A
— at 220 V per NO contact rated value	0.75 A
• with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5	
— at 24 V per NC contact rated value	20 A
— at 24 V per NO contact rated value	20 A
— at 110 V per NC contact rated value	0.175 A
— at 110 V per NO contact rated value	0.35 A
operating power at AC-2 at AC-3	
• at 230 V per NC contact rated value	2.2 kW
• at 230 V per NO contact rated value	4 kW
• at 400 V per NC contact rated value	4 kW
• at 400 V per NO contact rated value	7.5 kW
short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C	
• limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum	165 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum	165 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum	128 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum	92 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
• limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum	74 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
power loss [W] at AC-3 at 400 V for rated value of the operational current per conductor	1 W
power loss [W] at AC-3e at 400 V for rated value of the operational current per conductor	1 W
no-load switching frequency	
• at AC	10 000 1/h
• at DC	10 000 1/h
operating frequency	
• at AC-1 maximum	1 000 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	AC
control supply voltage at AC	

• at 50 Hz rated value	110 V
• at 60 Hz rated value	120 V
<b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz	0.8 ... 1.1
• at 60 Hz	0.8 ... 1.1
<b>apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC</b>	43 VA
• at 50 Hz	43 VA
• at 60 Hz	43 VA
<b>inductive power factor with closing power of the coil</b>	0.8
• at 50 Hz	0.77
• at 60 Hz	0.77
<b>apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC</b>	6.5 VA
• at 50 Hz	6.5 VA
• at 60 Hz	6.5 VA
<b>inductive power factor with the holding power of the coil</b>	0.25
• at 50 Hz	0.25
• at 60 Hz	0.25
<b>closing delay</b>	
• at AC	9 ... 35 ms
<b>opening delay</b>	
• at AC	4 ... 15 ms
<b>arcng time</b>	10 ... 15 ms
<b>residual current of the electronics for control with signal &lt;0&gt;</b>	
• at AC at 230 V maximum permissible	0.004 A
<b>Auxiliary circuit</b>	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	0
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	0
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
<b>operational current at DC-12</b>	
• 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 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>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>	
• for single-phase AC motor at 230 V rated value	2 hp
• for 3-phase AC motor at 460/480 V rated value	5 hp
<b>contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL</b>	A600 / Q600
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	
<b>design of the fuse link</b>	
• for short-circuit protection of the main circuit	
— with type of coordination 1 required	gG: 35 A (690 V, 100 kA)
— with type of coordination 2 required	gG: 20 A (690 V, 100 kA)

Installation/ mounting/ dimensions	
<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 50022
<b>height</b>	57.5 mm
<b>width</b>	45 mm
<b>depth</b>	73 mm
<b>required spacing</b>	
• with side-by-side mounting	
— forwards	0 mm
— backwards	0 mm
— upwards	0 mm
— downwards	0 mm
— at the side	0 mm
• for grounded parts	
— forwards	0 mm
— backwards	0 mm
— upwards	0 mm
— at the side	6 mm
— downwards	0 mm
• for live parts	
— forwards	0 mm
— backwards	0 mm
— upwards	0 mm
— downwards	0 mm
— at the side	6 mm
Connections/ Terminals	
<b>type of electrical connection</b>	
• 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
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	
• for main contacts	
— solid	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
— solid or stranded	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
— finely stranded with core end processing	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> )
• for AWG cables for main contacts	2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 2x 12
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	
• for auxiliary contacts	
— solid	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
— solid or stranded	2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ), 2x 4 mm <sup>2</sup>
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<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for main contacts</b>	20 ... 12
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for auxiliary contacts</b>	20 ... 12
Safety related data	
<b>product function</b>	
• mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1	Yes; with 3RH29
• positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1	No
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
Approvals Certificates	
Environmental Product Declaration	
• global warming potential [CO <sub>2</sub> eq] / during manufacturing	1.18 kg
• global warming potential [CO <sub>2</sub> eq] / during operation	38.5 kg

- global warming potential [CO2 eq] / after end of life
- global warming potential [CO2 eq] / total

-0.155 kg  
39.6 kg

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<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109995012>

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<https://www.siemens.com/ic10>

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<https://mall.industry.siemens.com/mall/en/en/Catalog/product?mlfb=3RT2518-1AK60>

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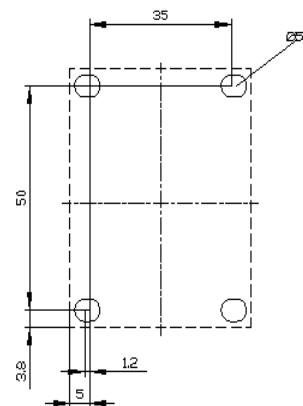
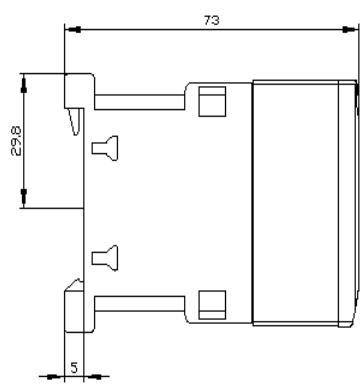
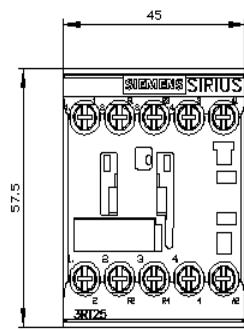
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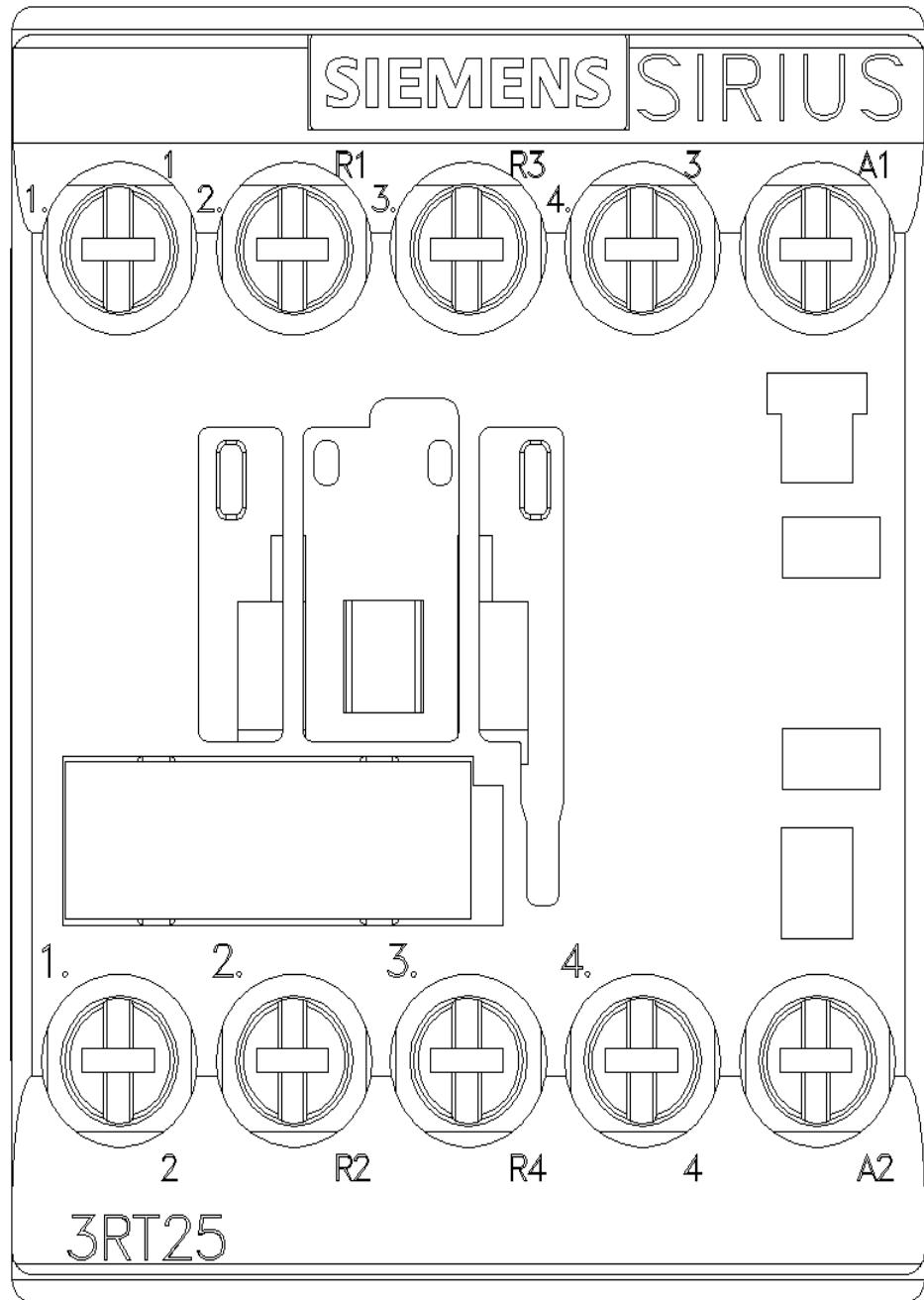
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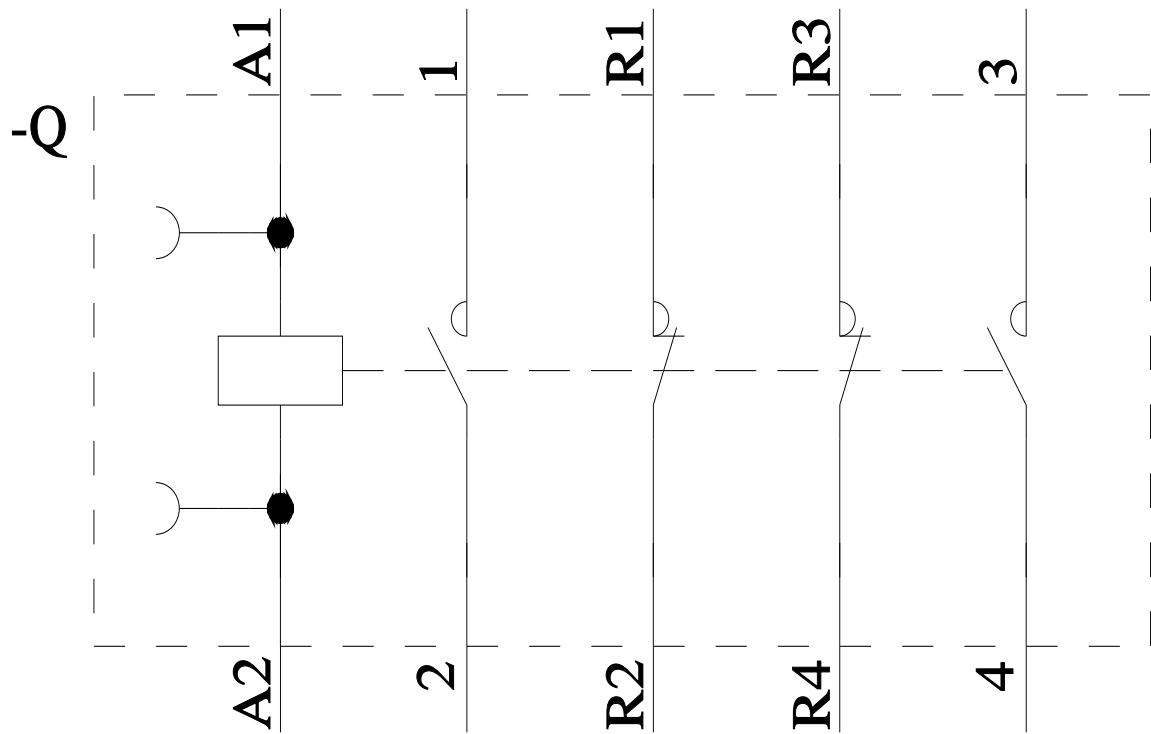
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