



Non-reversing NEMA contactor, Size 3, Single phase full voltage, Contactor amp rating 90A, 3 wire (NO aux included), 190-220/220-240V 50/60Hz coil, Non-combination type, Enclosure NEMA type 1, Indoor general purpose use, Standard width enclosure

product brand name	Class 40
design of the product	Non-reversing contactor
special product feature	Gravity dropout contacts; 45 degree, wedge action contacts; Self-rising pressure type control terminals; Encapsulated coil
General technical data	
weight [lb]	25 lb
Height x Width x Depth [in]	20 × 12 × 8 in
touch protection against electrical shock	NA for enclosed products
installation altitude [ft] at height above sea level maximum	6560 ft
ambient temperature [°F]	
• during storage	-22 ... +149 °F
• during operation	-4 ... +104 °F
ambient temperature	
• during storage	-30 ... +65 °C
• during operation	-20 ... +40 °C
country of origin	USA
Horsepower ratings	
yielded mechanical performance [hp] for single-phase AC motor	
• at 115 V rated value	7.5 hp
• at 200/208 V rated value	15 hp
• at 220/230 V rated value	15 hp
• at 460/480 V rated value	0 hp
• at 575/600 V rated value	0 hp
Contactor	
size of contactor	NEMA controller size 3
number of NO contacts for main contacts	2
operating voltage for main current circuit at AC at 60 Hz maximum	240 V
operational current at AC at 600 V rated value	90 A
mechanical service life (operating cycles) of the main contacts typical	5000000
Auxiliary contact	
number of NC contacts at contactor for auxiliary contacts	0
number of NO contacts at contactor for auxiliary contacts	1
number of total auxiliary contacts maximum	7
contact rating of auxiliary contacts of contactor according to UL	10A@600VAC (A600), 2.5A@300VDC (Q300)
Coil	
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	AC
control supply voltage	
• at AC at 50 Hz rated value	190 ... 220 V

● at AC at 60 Hz rated value	220 ... 240 V
holding power at AC minimum	14 W
apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC	310 VA
apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC	26 VA
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil	0.85 ... 1.1
percentual drop-out voltage of magnet coil related to the input voltage	50 %
ON-delay time	26 ... 41 ms
OFF-delay time	14 ... 19 ms

Enclosure

degree of protection NEMA rating of the enclosure	NEMA Type 1
design of the housing	indoors, usable on a general basis

Mounting/wiring

mounting position	Vertical
fastening method	Surface mounting and installation
type of electrical connection for supply voltage line-side	Box lug
tightening torque [lbf-in] for supply	120 lbf-in
type of connectable conductor cross-sections at line-side for AWG cables single or multi-stranded	1x (14 ... 2/0 AWG)
temperature of the conductor for supply maximum permissible	75 °C
material of the conductor for supply	AL or CU
type of electrical connection for load-side outgoing feeder	Box lug
tightening torque [lbf-in] for load-side outgoing feeder	120 lbf-in
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for AWG cables for load-side outgoing feeder single or multi-stranded	1x (14 ... 2/0 AWG)
temperature of the conductor for load-side outgoing feeder maximum permissible	75 °C
material of the conductor for load-side outgoing feeder	AL or CU
type of electrical connection of magnet coil	Screw-type terminals
tightening torque [lbf-in] at magnet coil	5 ... 12 lbf-in
type of connectable conductor cross-sections of magnet coil for AWG cables single or multi-stranded	2x (16 ... 12 AWG)
temperature of the conductor at magnet coil maximum permissible	75 °C
material of the conductor at magnet coil	CU
type of electrical connection at contactor for auxiliary contacts	Screw-type terminals
tightening torque [lbf-in] at contactor for auxiliary contacts	10 ... 15 lbf-in
type of connectable conductor cross-sections at contactor for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts single or multi-stranded	1x (12 AWG), 2x (16 ... 14 AWG), 2x (18 ... 16 AWG)
temperature of the conductor at contactor for auxiliary contacts maximum permissible	75 °C
material of the conductor at contactor for auxiliary contacts	CU

Short-circuit current rating

design of the fuse link for short-circuit protection of the main circuit required	10kA@600V (Class H or K); 100kA@600V (Class R or J)
design of the short-circuit trip	Thermal magnetic circuit breaker
maximum short-circuit current breaking capacity (I _{cu})	● at 240 V 14 A ● at 480 V 10 A ● at 600 V 10 A
certificate of suitability	NEMA ICS 2; UL 508; CSA 22.2, No.14

Approvals Certificates

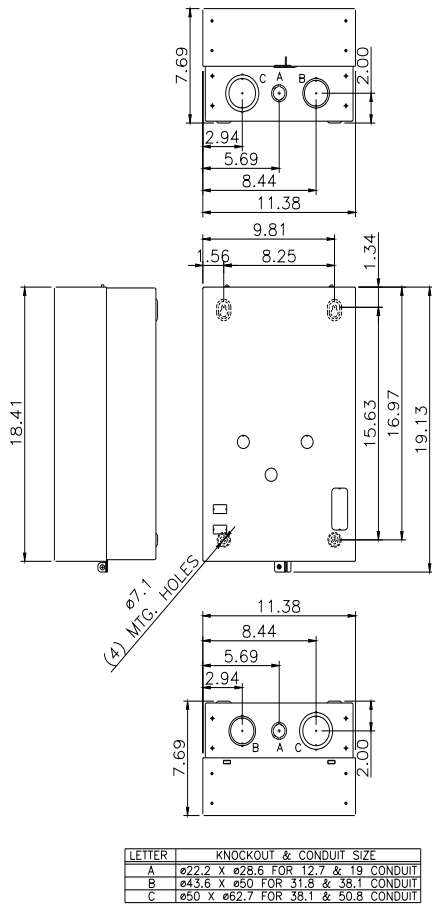
Test Certificates



Further information

Industrial Controls - Product Overview (Catalogs, Brochures,...)

www.usa.siemens.com/iccatalog
Industry Mall (Online ordering system)
<https://mall.industry.siemens.com/mall/en/us/Catalog/product?mlfb=US2:40HP12BG>
Service&Support (Manuals, Certificates, Characteristics, FAQs,...)
<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/US/en/ps/US2:40HP12BG>
Image database (product images, 2D dimension drawings, 3D models, device circuit diagrams, EPLAN macros, ...)
https://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=US2:40HP12BG&lang=en
Certificates/approvals
<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/US/en/ps/US2:40HP12BG/certificate>



WIRING DIAGRAM



D29277001

last modified:

10/23/2025