

30mm Command/52, Chrome Finish Heavy Duty, Watertight/Oiltight Complete Metal Unit Non-Illuminated Keyed Selector Switch 2 Position, A-CAM Maintained Lock type 501CH with 2 Keys Key Removal in All Positions with 1 N.O. Heavy Duty Contacts, A600/P600 UL Listed, CSA Certified UL File E22655 in Vol. 6 (7) Sec. 13 (2) NEMA 1,3,3R,4,4X,12,13 & Automotive Standards



product brand name	SIEMENS Pilot Devices
design of the product	Complete unit round
Enclosure	
number of command points	1
delivery state as a kit	No
Actuator	
design of the actuating element	Key-operated switch
product extension optional light source	No
color of the actuating element	chrome
material of the actuating element	metal
number of contact modules	1
type of unlocking device	key unlatching
number of switching positions	2
switch position for key distraction	removable in every position
lock make	ILLINOIS
key number	501CH
Front ring	
product component front ring	Yes
design of the front ring	standard
material of the front ring	metal
color of the front ring	chrome
Holder	
material of the holder	Metal
General technical data	
product function positive opening	No
product component light source	No
insulation voltage rated value	600 V
degree of pollution	1
type of voltage of the operating voltage	AC/DC
surge voltage resistance rated value	4 kV
protection class IP	IP66
protection class IP of the terminal	IP20
vibration resistance according to IEC 60068-2-6	0 ... 2000 Hz, 1.52 mm displacement (peak-to-peak) max./ 10 g max.
operating frequency maximum	600 1/h
thermal current	10 A
Net Weight	0.23 kg
operating voltage	
• at AC at 60 Hz rated value	5 ... 600 V
• at DC rated value	5 ... 600 V

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contact reliability	one incorrect switching operation of 100 million switching operations (5 V, 1 mA)
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts	0
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
operational current at AC-15	
• at 110 V rated value	60 A
• at 230 V rated value	30 A
• at 400 V rated value	15 A
• at 500 V rated value	12 A
Connections/ Terminals	
type of electrical connection	screw terminal
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts	1x (18 ... 12), 2x (18 ... 16), 2x (16 ... 14), 2x 12
tightening torque of the screws in the bracket maximum	20 N·m
tightening torque [lbf·in] with screw-type terminals minimum	8 lbf·in
Electrical Safety	
touch protection against electrical shock	finger-safe
Ambient conditions	
ambient temperature	
• during operation	-35 ... +70 °C
• during storage	-40 ... +85 °C
Installation/ mounting/ dimensions	
shape of the installation opening	round
Further information	
Information on the packaging https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109813875	
Information for data generation and storage https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109995012	
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=US2:52SC6AEK1	
Cax online generator https://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=US2:52SC6AEK1	
Service&Support (Manuals, Certificates, Characteristics, FAQs,...) https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/US2:52SC6AEK1	
Image database (product images, 2D dimension drawings, 3D models, device circuit diagrams, EPLAN macros, ...) https://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=US2:52SC6AEK1&lang=en	

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