

power contactor, AC-3e/AC-3, 80 A, 37 kW / 400 V, 3-pole, 230 V AC, 50/60 Hz, auxiliary contacts: 1 NO + 1 NC, main circuit: screw terminal, control and auxiliary circuit: spring-loaded terminal, size: S2, reusable packaging, pack = 30 units

<b>product brand name</b>	SIRIUS
<b>product designation</b>	Power contactor
<b>product type designation</b>	3RT2
<b>General technical data</b>	
<b>size of contactor</b>	S2
<b>product extension</b>	
• function module for communication	No
• auxiliary switch	Yes
<b>power loss [W] for rated value of the current</b>	
• at AC in hot operating state	17.1 W
• at AC in hot operating state per pole	5.7 W
• without load current share typical	6.5 W
<b>type of calculation of power loss current-dependent</b>	quadratic
<b>insulation voltage</b>	
• of main circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
• of auxiliary circuit with degree of pollution 3 rated value	690 V
<b>surge voltage resistance</b>	
• 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
<b>shock resistance at rectangular impulse</b>	
• at AC	11.8 g / 5 ms, 7.4 g / 10 ms
<b>shock resistance with sine pulse</b>	
• at AC	18.5 g / 5 ms, 11.6 g / 10 ms
<b>mechanical service life (operating cycles)</b>	
• of contactor typical	10 000 000
• 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
<b>reference code according to IEC 81346-2</b>	Q
<b>Substance Prohibition (day/month/year)</b>	10/01/2014
<b>Net Weight</b>	0.982 kg
<b>Ambient conditions</b>	
installation altitude at height above sea level maximum	2 000 m
<b>ambient temperature</b>	
• during operation	-25 ... +60 °C
• during storage	-55 ... +80 °C
<b>relative humidity minimum</b>	10 %
<b>relative humidity at 55 °C according to IEC 60068-2-30 maximum</b>	95 %
<b>Main circuit</b>	
<b>number of poles for main current circuit</b>	3
<b>number of NO contacts for main contacts</b>	3
<b>number of NC contacts for main contacts</b>	0
<b>operating voltage</b>	
• at AC-3 rated value maximum	690 V
• at AC-3e rated value maximum	690 V
<b>operational current</b>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-1 at 400 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value</li> </ul>	90 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 40 °C rated value</li> <li>— up to 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	90 A 80 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 400 V rated value</li> <li>— at 500 V rated value</li> <li>— at 690 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	80 A 80 A 58 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-3e <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 400 V rated value</li> <li>— at 500 V rated value</li> <li>— at 690 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	80 A 80 A 58 A
● at AC-4 at 400 V rated value	55 A
● at AC-5a up to 690 V rated value	79.2 A
● at AC-5b up to 400 V rated value	66.4 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-6a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>— up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>— up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>— up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	70 A 70 A 70 A 58 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-6a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>— up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>— up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>— up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	46.7 A 46.7 A 46.7 A 46.7 A
minimum cross-section in main circuit at maximum AC-1 rated value	35 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>operational current for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at 400 V rated value</li> <li>● at 690 V rated value</li> </ul>	30 A 24 A
<b>operational current</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>at 1 current path at DC-1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	55 A 23 A 4.5 A 1 A 0.4 A 0.25 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>with 2 current paths in series at DC-1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	55 A 45 A 45 A 5 A 1 A 0.8 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>with 3 current paths in series at DC-1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	55 A 55 A 55 A 45 A 2.9 A 1.4 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>at 1 current path at DC-3 at DC-5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	35 A 6 A 1 A

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul>	0.1 A 0.06 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>with 2 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <b>with 3 current paths in series at DC-3 at DC-5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 24 V rated value</li> <li>— at 60 V rated value</li> <li>— at 110 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220 V rated value</li> <li>— at 440 V rated value</li> <li>— at 600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	55 A 45 A 25 A 5 A 0.27 A 0.16 A  55 A 55 A 55 A 25 A 0.6 A 0.35 A
<b>operating power</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-2 at 400 V rated value</li> <li>● at AC-3               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 400 V rated value</li> <li>— at 500 V rated value</li> <li>— at 690 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> <li>● at AC-3e               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 400 V rated value</li> <li>— at 500 V rated value</li> <li>— at 690 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	37 kW  22 kW 37 kW 37 kW 45 kW  22 kW 37 kW 37 kW 45 kW
<b>operating power for approx. 200000 operating cycles at AC-4</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at 400 V rated value</li> <li>● at 690 V rated value</li> </ul>	15.8 kW 21.8 kW
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● up to 230 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>● up to 400 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>● up to 500 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> <li>● up to 690 V for current peak value n=20 rated value</li> </ul>	27.8 kVA 48.4 kVA 60.6 kVA 69.3 kVA
<b>operating apparent power at AC-6a</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● up to 230 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>● up to 400 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>● up to 500 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> <li>● up to 690 V for current peak value n=30 rated value</li> </ul>	18.6 kVA 32.3 kVA 40.4 kVA 55.8 kVA
<b>short-time withstand current in cold operating state up to 40 °C</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● limited to 1 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 5 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 10 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 30 s switching at zero current maximum</li> <li>● limited to 60 s switching at zero current maximum</li> </ul>	1 298 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 898 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 640 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 414 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value 333 A; Use minimum cross-section acc. to AC-1 rated value
<b>no-load switching frequency</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC</li> </ul>	5 000 1/h
<b>operating frequency</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● at AC-1 maximum</li> <li>● at AC-2 maximum</li> <li>● at AC-3 maximum</li> <li>● at AC-3e               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— maximum</li> </ul> </li> <li>● at AC-4 maximum</li> </ul>	700 1/h 350 1/h 500 1/h  500 1/h 150 1/h
<b>Control circuit/ Control</b>	

<b>type of voltage of the control supply voltage</b>	AC
<b>control supply voltage at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz rated value	230 V
• at 60 Hz rated value	230 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	0.85 ... 1.1
<b>apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz	210 VA
• at 60 Hz	188 VA
<b>inductive power factor with closing power of the coil</b>	
• at 50 Hz	0.69
• at 60 Hz	0.65
<b>apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC</b>	
• at 50 Hz	17.2 VA
• at 60 Hz	16.5 VA
<b>inductive power factor with the holding power of the coil</b>	
• at 50 Hz	0.36
• at 60 Hz	0.39
<b>closing delay</b>	
• at AC	10 ... 80 ms
<b>opening delay</b>	
• at AC	10 ... 18 ms
<b>arcing time</b>	10 ... 20 ms
<b>control version of the switch operating mechanism</b>	Standard A1 - A2
<b>Auxiliary circuit</b>	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts instantaneous contact	1
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
• at 500 V rated value	2 A
• at 690 V rated value	1 A
<b>operational current at DC-12</b>	
• 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
<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 125 V rated value	0.9 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>full-load current (FLA) for 3-phase AC motor</b>	
• at 480 V rated value	65 A
• at 600 V rated value	62 A
<b>yielded mechanical performance [hp]</b>	
• for single-phase AC motor	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 110/120 V rated value</li> <li>— at 230 V rated value</li> <li>● for 3-phase AC motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— at 200/208 V rated value</li> <li>— at 220/230 V rated value</li> <li>— at 460/480 V rated value</li> <li>— at 575/600 V rated value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>5 hp</p> <p>15 hp</p> <p>20 hp</p> <p>25 hp</p> <p>50 hp</p> <p>60 hp</p>
<b>contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL</b>	A600 / P600
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	
design of the miniature circuit breaker for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary circuit up to 230 V	C characteristic: 10 A; 0.4 kA
<b>design of the fuse link</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● for short-circuit protection of the main circuit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— with type of coordination 1 required</li> <li>— with type of coordination 2 required</li> </ul> </li> <li>● for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required</li> </ul>	<p>gG: 250 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 160 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 200 A (415 V, 80 kA)</p> <p>gG: 160 A (690 V, 100 kA), aM: 80 A (690 V, 100 kA), BS88: 125 A (415 V, 80 kA)</p> <p>gG: 10 A (500 V, 1 kA)</p>
<b>Installation/ mounting/ dimensions</b>	
<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 60715
<b>height</b>	114 mm
<b>width</b>	55 mm
<b>depth</b>	130 mm
<b>required spacing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● with side-by-side mounting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards</li> <li>— upwards</li> <li>— downwards</li> <li>— at the side</li> </ul> </li> <li>● for grounded parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards</li> <li>— upwards</li> <li>— at the side</li> <li>— downwards</li> </ul> </li> <li>● for live parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— forwards</li> <li>— upwards</li> <li>— downwards</li> <li>— at the side</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>0 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>6 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>10 mm</p> <p>6 mm</p>
<b>Connections/ Terminals</b>	
<b>type of electrical connection</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● for main current circuit</li> <li>● for auxiliary and control circuit</li> <li>● at contactor for auxiliary contacts</li> <li>● of magnet coil</li> </ul>	<p>screw-type terminals</p> <p>spring-loaded terminals</p> <p>Spring-type terminals</p> <p>Spring-type terminals</p>
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— solid or stranded</li> <li>— finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul> </li> <li>● for AWG cables for main contacts</li> </ul>	<p>2x (1 ... 35 mm<sup>2</sup>), 1x (1 ... 50 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (1 ... 25 mm<sup>2</sup>), 1x (1 ... 35 mm<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>2x (18 ... 2), 1x (18 ... 1)</p>
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for main contacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	1 ... 35 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>connectable conductor cross-section for auxiliary contacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● solid or stranded</li> <li>● finely stranded with core end processing</li> <li>● finely stranded without core end processing</li> </ul>	<p>0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup></p> <p>0.5 ... 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup></p> <p>0.5 ... 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup></p>
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	

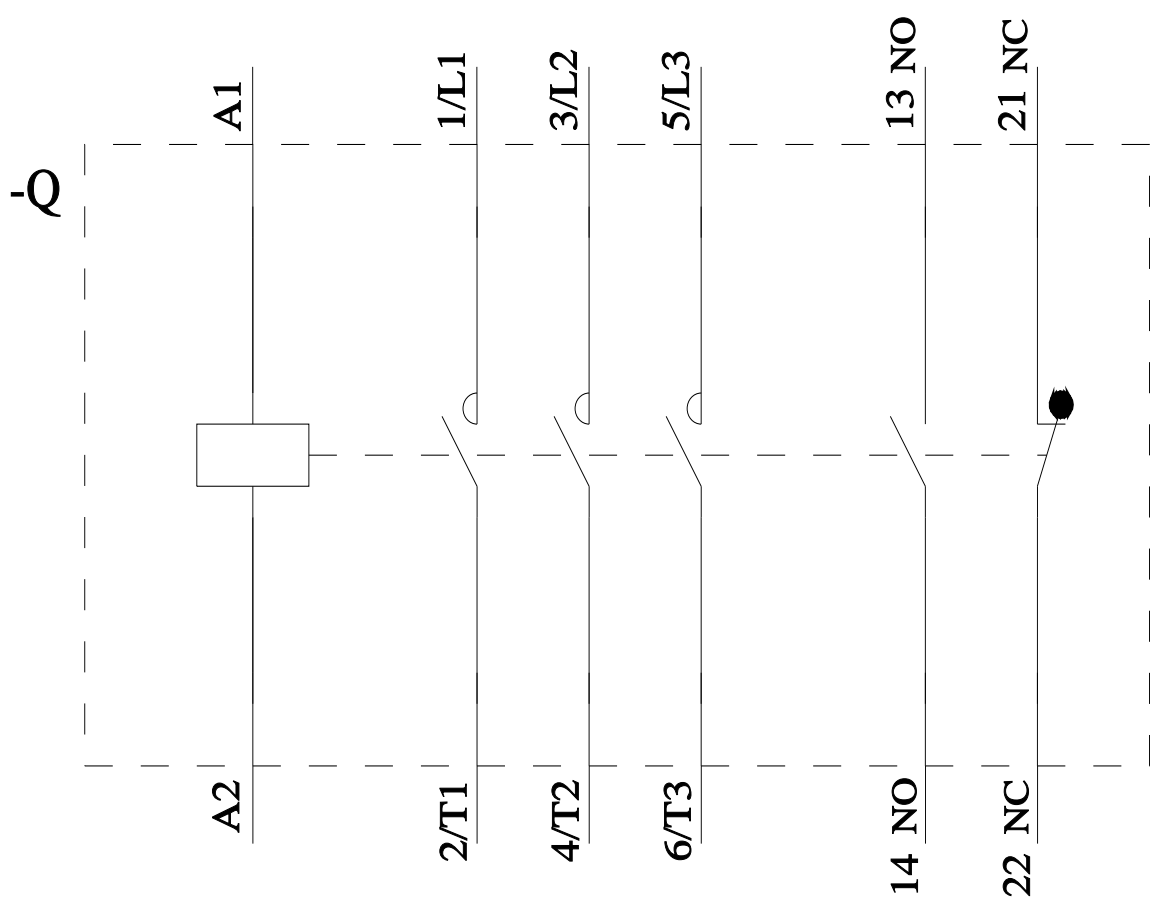
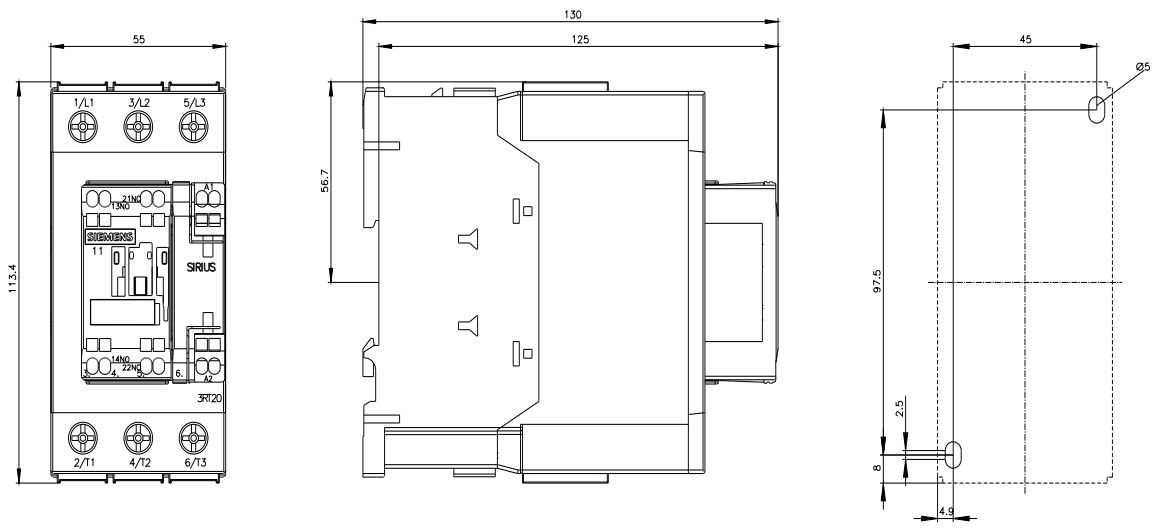
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— solid or stranded</li> <li>— finely stranded with core end processing</li> <li>— finely stranded without core end processing</li> </ul> </li> <li>• for AWG cables for auxiliary contacts</li> </ul>	2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ) 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ) 2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ) 2x (20 ... 14)
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for main contacts</b>	18 ... 1
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for auxiliary contacts</b>	20 ... 14

#### Safety related data

<b>product function</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1</li> <li>• positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1</li> <li>• suitable for safety function</li> </ul>	Yes No Yes
suitability for use safety-related switching OFF	Yes
<b>service life maximum</b>	20 a
<b>test wear-related service life necessary</b>	Yes
<b>proportion of dangerous failures</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• with low demand rate according to SN 31920</li> <li>• with high demand rate according to SN 31920</li> </ul>	40 % 73 %
<b>B10 value with high demand rate according to SN 31920</b>	1 000 000
<b>failure rate [FIT] with low demand rate according to SN 31920</b>	100 FIT
<b>ISO 13849</b>	
<b>device type according to ISO 13849-1</b>	3
<b>overdimensioning according to ISO 13849-2 necessary</b>	Yes
<b>IEC 61508</b>	
<b>safety device type according to IEC 61508-2</b>	Type A
<b>Electrical Safety</b>	
<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

#### 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=3RT2038-3AL20-Z X95>  
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<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2038-3AL20-Z X95>  
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<https://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RT2038-3AL20-Z X95>  
**Characteristic curves**  
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