



Capacitor contactor, AC-6b 50 kVA_r, / 400 V 1 NO + 1 NC, 230 V AC, 50/60 Hz 3-pole, Size S2 screw terminal

product brand name	SIRIUS
product designation	capacitor contactors
product type designation	3RT26
General technical data	
size of contactor	S2
product extension auxiliary switch	Yes
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 safe isolation between coil and main contacts according to EN 60947-1	400 V
shock resistance at rectangular impulse	
• at AC	6.8g / 5 ms, 4g / 10 ms
shock resistance with sine pulse	
• at AC	10.6g / 5 ms, 6.2g / 10 ms
mechanical service life (switching cycles)	
• of the contactor with added auxiliary switch block typical	3 000 000
electrical endurance (switching cycles)	200 000
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	Q
Substance Prohibitance (Date)	05/01/2014
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 NO contacts for main contacts	3
number of NC contacts for main contacts	0
operational current at AC-6b at 690 V at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	72.2 A
operating reactive power at AC-6b	
• at 230 V at 50/60 Hz at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value	10 ... 29 kvar

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 400 V at 50/60 Hz at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value 	17 ... 50 kvar
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 500 V at 50/60 Hz at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value 	21 ... 63 kvar
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 690 V at 50/60 Hz at ambient temperature 60 °C rated value 	29 ... 86 kvar
no-load switching frequency	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC 	500 1/h
operating frequency at AC-6b	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 230 V maximum 	100 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 240 V maximum 	100 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 400 V maximum 	100 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 480 V maximum 	60 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 500 V maximum 	55 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 600 V maximum 	40 1/h
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 690 V maximum 	30 1/h
Control circuit/ Control	
type of voltage	AC
type of voltage of the control supply voltage	AC
control supply voltage at AC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 50 Hz rated value 	230 V
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 60 Hz rated value 	230 V
control supply voltage frequency	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 rated value 	50 Hz
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value of magnet coil at AC	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 50 Hz 	0.8 ... 1.1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 60 Hz 	0.85 ... 1.1
apparent pick-up power of magnet coil at AC	210 VA
inductive power factor with closing power of the coil	0.69
apparent holding power of magnet coil at AC	17.2 VA
inductive power factor with the holding power of the coil	0.36
closing delay	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC 	10 ... 80 ms
opening delay	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at AC 	10 ... 18 ms
arcing time	10 ... 20 ms
control version of the switch operating mechanism	Standard A1 - A2
Auxiliary circuit	
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • attachable 	1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • instantaneous contact 	1
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • attachable 	1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • instantaneous contact 	1
operational current of auxiliary contacts at AC-12 maximum	10 A
operational current of auxiliary contacts at AC-15	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 230 V 	6 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 400 V 	3 A
operational current of auxiliary contacts at DC-13	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 24 V 	6 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 60 V 	2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 110 V 	1 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 125 V 	0.9 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 220 V 	0.3 A
contact reliability of auxiliary contacts	0.00000001
UL/CSA ratings	
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL	A600 / Q600
Short-circuit protection	

design of the fuse link	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for short-circuit protection of the main circuit with type of coordination 1 required • for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required 	gG: 160 A (690 V, 50 kA) gG: 10 A (500 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	screw and snap-on mounting onto 35 mm standard mounting rail according to DIN EN 50022
height	114 mm
width	65 mm
depth	130 mm
required spacing	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • with side-by-side mounting at the side • for grounded parts at the side 	10 mm 10 mm

Connections/ Terminals

type of electrical connection	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for main current circuit • for auxiliary and control circuit • at contactor for auxiliary contacts • of magnet coil 	screw-type terminals screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals Screw-type terminals
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for main contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — solid — stranded — solid or stranded — finely stranded with core end processing • at AWG cables for main contacts 	2x (1 ... 16 mm ²) 2x (10 ... 35 mm ²), 1x (10 ... 50 mm ²) 2x (1 ... 35 mm ²), 1x (1 ... 50 mm ²) 2x (1 ... 25 mm ²), 1x (1 ... 35 mm ²) 2x (18 ... 2), 1x (18 ... 0)
type of connectable conductor cross-sections	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for auxiliary contacts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — solid — solid or stranded — finely stranded with core end processing • at AWG cables for auxiliary contacts 	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), 2x 4 mm ² 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm ²), 2x (0.75 ... 2.5 mm ²) 2x (20 ... 16), 2x (18 ... 14), 2x 12
type of minimum connectable cross-section for main contacts at AC-6b	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at 40 °C • at 60 °C 	1x 35 mm ² 1x 50 mm ²
AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section for main contacts	18 ... 0

Safety related data

product function	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • mirror contact according to IEC 60947-4-1 • positively driven operation according to IEC 60947-5-1 	No No
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

Certificates/ approvals

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Cax online generator

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<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2636-1AL23>

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http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RT2636-1AL23&lang=en

Characteristic: Tripping characteristics, I²t, Let-through current

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RT2636-1AL23/char>

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

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