

circuit breaker 3VA1 IEC frame 250 breaking capacity class M
Icu=55kA @ 415V 4-pole, line protection TM240, ATAM, In=160A
overload protection Ir=112A...160A short-circuit protection Ii=5...10 x
In N conductor protection 50% nut keeper kit

Model	
product brand name	SENTRON
product designation	Molded case circuit breaker
Product version	Line protection
design of the overcurrent release	TM240
protection function of the overcurrent release	LI
number of poles	4

General technical data	
Tension assignée d'isolement Ui	800 V
Max. rated operational voltage Ue with AC 50/60Hz	690 V
Max. rated operational voltage Ue with DC	600 V
power loss [W] / maximum	33 W
Active power loss / for rated value of the current / at AC / in hot operating state / per pole	11 W
mechanical service life (switching cycles) / typical	15 000
Electrical endurance (switching cycles) / at AC-1 / at 380/415 V 50/60 Hz	8 000
Electrical endurance (switching cycles) / at AC-1 / at 690 V 50/60 Hz	5 000
Neutral conductors / upgradeable/retrofitable	No
ground fault monitoring version	Without
product function	
• communication function	No
• other measurement function	No
net weight	2.3 kg

Current	
Max. rated operational current of the frame size	250 A
Courant permanent assigné Iu	160 A
operating current	
• at 40 °C	160 A
• at 45 °C	160 A
• at 50 °C	160 A
• at 55 °C	155.6 A
• at 60 °C	151.2 A

• at 65 °C	146.8 A
• at 70 °C	142.4 A

Switching capacity according to IEC 60947

switching capacity class of the circuit breaker	M
maximum short-circuit current breaking capacity (Icu)	
• at 240 V	85 kA
• at 415 V	55 kA
• at 440 V	36 kA
• at 690 V	10 kA
operational short-circuit current breaking capacity (Ics)	
• at 240 V	85 kA
• at 415 V	55 kA
• at 440 V	36 kA
• at 690 V	5 kA
short-circuit current making capacity (Icm)	
• at 240 V	187 kA
• at 415 V	121 kA
• at 440 V	76 kA
• at 690 V	17 kA
design of short-circuit protection	For switching power values in DC networks, see the 3VA molded case circuit breaker device manual; link to be found under Service & Support in the last chapter

Adjustable parameters

Adjustable response value current / I _g min.	112 A
Adjustable response value current / I _g min.	160 A
Short-term delayed / tripping switchable / I _{2t} =ON/OFF	No
Adjustable response value current / I _i min.	800 A
Adjustable response value current / I _i max.	1 600 A
design of the N-conductor protection	50%
Ground fault protection / tripping switchable / I _{2t} =ON/OFF	No

Mechanical Design

height [in]	6.2 in
Height	158 mm
width [in]	5.5 in
Width	140 mm
depth [in]	2.8 in
depth	70 mm

Connections

arrangement of electrical connectors / for main current circuit	Front terminal
Type of connectable conductor cross-section, connection screw, width x thickness , min.	13 x 1 mm
Type of connectable conductor cross-section, connection screw, width x thickness , max.	25 x 8 mm

Auxiliary circuit

number of CO contacts / for auxiliary contacts	0
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Accessories

product extension / optional / motor drive	Yes
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Environmental conditions

protection class IP / on the front	IP40
ambient temperature	
• during operation / minimum	-25 °C
• during operation / maximum	70 °C
• during storage / minimum	-40 °C
• during storage / maximum	80 °C

Certificates

reference code / acc. to DIN EN 81346-2	Q
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General Product Approval				EMC
 CCC	 VDE	Miscellaneous	KC	 EAC
				 RCM

Declaration of Conformity	Test Certificates		Shipping Approval	
 EG-Konf.	Type Test Certificates/Test Report	Miscellaneous	Special Test Certificate	 ABS
				 BUREAU VERITAS

Shipping Approval	other		
 LRS	 RMRS	Manufacturer Declaration	Miscellaneous

Further information

Information- and Downloadcenter (Catalogs, Brochures,...)
<http://www.siemens.com/lowvoltage/catalogs>

Industry Mall (Online ordering system)

<https://mall.industry.siemens.com/mall/en/en/Catalog/product?mlfb=3VA1216-5FF42-0AA0>

Service&Support (Manuals, Certificates, Characteristics, FAQs,...)

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3VA1216-5FF42-0AA0>

Image database (product images, 2D dimension drawings, 3D models, device circuit diagrams, ...)

http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_en.aspx?mlfb=3VA1216-5FF42-0AA0

CAX-Online-Generator

<http://www.siemens.com/cax>

Tender specifications

<http://www.siemens.com/specifications>

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