



SIRIUS soft starter Values at 400 V, 40 °C standard: 356 A, 200 kW  
Inside-delta: 617 A, 355 kW 200-460 V AC, 230 V AC Screw  
terminals !!! Phased-out product !!! Successor is SIRIUS 3RW5,  
Preferred successor type is >>3RW5546-6HA14<<

### General technical data

product brand name		SIRIUS
product feature		
• integrated bypass contact system		Yes
• thyristors		Yes
product function		
• intrinsic device protection		Yes
• motor overload protection		Yes
• evaluation of thermistor motor protection		Yes
• external reset		Yes
• adjustable current limitation		Yes
• inside-delta circuit		Yes
product component motor brake output		Yes
insulation voltage rated value	V	690
degree of pollution		3, acc. to IEC 60947-4-2
reference code according to EN 61346-2		Q
reference code according to DIN 40719 extended according to IEC 204-2 according to IEC 750		G

### Power Electronics

product designation		Soft starter
operational current		
• at 40 °C rated value	A	356
• at 50 °C rated value	A	315
• at 60 °C rated value	A	280
operational current for 3-phase motors at inside-delta circuit		
• at 40 °C rated value	A	617
• at 50 °C rated value	A	546
• at 60 °C rated value	A	485
yielded mechanical performance for 3-phase motors		
• at 230 V		
— at standard circuit at 40 °C rated value	kW	110
— at inside-delta circuit at 40 °C rated value	kW	200
• at 400 V		
— at standard circuit at 40 °C rated value	kW	200
— at inside-delta circuit at 40 °C rated value	kW	355
yielded mechanical performance [hp] for 3-phase AC motor at 200/208 V at standard circuit at 50 °C rated value	hp	100
operating frequency rated value	Hz	50 ... 60
relative negative tolerance of the operating frequency	%	-10
relative positive tolerance of the operating frequency	%	10

operating voltage at standard circuit rated value	V	200 ... 460
relative negative tolerance of the operating voltage at standard circuit	%	-15
relative positive tolerance of the operating voltage at standard circuit	%	10
operating voltage at inside-delta circuit rated value	V	200 ... 460
relative negative tolerance of the operating voltage at inside-delta circuit	%	-15
relative positive tolerance of the operating voltage at inside-delta circuit	%	10
minimum load [%]	%	8
adjustable motor current for motor overload protection minimum rated value	A	71
continuous operating current [% of I <sub>e</sub> ] at 40 °C	%	115
power loss [W] at operational current at 40 °C during operation typical	W	174

#### Control circuit/ Control

type of voltage of the control supply voltage		AC
control supply voltage frequency 1 rated value	Hz	50
control supply voltage frequency 2 rated value	Hz	60
relative negative tolerance of the control supply voltage frequency	%	-10
relative positive tolerance of the control supply voltage frequency	%	10
control supply voltage 1 at AC		
• at 50 Hz rated value	V	230
• at 60 Hz rated value	V	230
relative negative tolerance of the control supply voltage at AC at 50 Hz	%	-15
relative positive tolerance of the control supply voltage at AC at 50 Hz	%	10
relative negative tolerance of the control supply voltage at AC at 60 Hz	%	-15
relative positive tolerance of the control supply voltage at AC at 60 Hz	%	10
display version for fault signal		Display

#### Mechanical data

width	mm	210
height	mm	230
depth	mm	298
fastening method		screw fixing
mounting position		with vertical mounting surface +/-90° rotatable, with vertical mounting surface +/- 22.5° tiltable to the front and back
required spacing with side-by-side mounting		
• upwards	mm	100
• at the side	mm	5
• downwards	mm	75
wire length maximum	m	500
number of poles for main current circuit		3

#### Connections/ Terminals

type of electrical connection		
• for main current circuit		busbar connection
• for auxiliary and control circuit		screw-type terminals
number of NC contacts for auxiliary contacts		0
number of NO contacts for auxiliary contacts		3
number of CO contacts for auxiliary contacts		1
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts for box terminal using the front clamping point		
• finely stranded with core end processing		70 ... 240 mm <sup>2</sup>
• finely stranded without core end processing		70 ... 240 mm <sup>2</sup>
• stranded		95 ... 300 mm <sup>2</sup>
type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts for box terminal using the back clamping point		
• finely stranded with core end processing		120 ... 185 mm <sup>2</sup>
• finely stranded without core end processing		120 ... 185 mm <sup>2</sup>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• stranded</li> </ul>		120 ... 240 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections for main contacts for box terminal using both clamping points</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• finely stranded with core end processing</li> <li>• finely stranded without core end processing</li> <li>• stranded</li> </ul>		min. 2x 50 mm <sup>2</sup> , max. 2x 185 mm <sup>2</sup> min. 2x 50 mm <sup>2</sup> , max. 2x 185 mm <sup>2</sup> max. 2x 70 mm <sup>2</sup> , max. 2x 240 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections for AWG cables for main contacts for box terminal</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• using the back clamping point</li> <li>• using the front clamping point</li> <li>• using both clamping points</li> </ul>		250 ... 500 kcmil 3/0 ... 600 kcmil min. 2x 2/0, max. 2x 500 kcmil
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections for DIN cable lug for main contacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• finely stranded</li> <li>• stranded</li> </ul>		50 ... 240 mm <sup>2</sup> 70 ... 240 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections for auxiliary contacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• solid</li> <li>• finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>		2x (0.5 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ) 2x (0.5 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> )
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections for AWG cables</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for main contacts</li> <li>• for auxiliary contacts</li> <li>• for auxiliary contacts finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>		2/0 ... 500 kcmil 2x (20 ... 14) 2x (20 ... 16)

#### Ambient conditions

<b>installation altitude at height above sea level</b>	m	5 000
<b>environmental category</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• during transport according to IEC 60721</li> <li>• during storage according to IEC 60721</li> <li>• during operation according to IEC 60721</li> </ul>		2K2, 2C1, 2S1, 2M2 (max. fall height 0.3 m) 1K6 (only occasional condensation), 1C2 (no salt mist), 1S2 (sand must not get inside the devices), 1M4 3K6 (no formation of ice, no condensation), 3C3 (no salt mist), 3S2 (sand must not get into the devices), 3M6
<b>ambient temperature</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• during operation</li> <li>• during storage</li> </ul>	°C °C	60 -25 ... +80
<b>derating temperature</b>	°C	40
<b>protection class IP on the front according to IEC 60529</b>		IP00; IP20 with box terminal/cover
<b>touch protection on the front according to IEC 60529</b>		finger-safe, for vertical contact from the front with box terminal/cover

#### Certificates/ approvals

##### General Product Approval



[Confirmation](#)



General Product Approval	EMV	Test Certificates	Marine / Shipping
		<a href="#">Type Test Certificates/Test Report</a>	
		<a href="#">Special Test Certificate</a>	
Marine / Shipping	other		
			<a href="#">Confirmation</a>

UL/CSA ratings

yielded mechanical performance [hp] for 3-phase AC motor		
• at 200/208 V		
— at inside-delta circuit at 50 °C rated value	hp	150
• at 220/230 V		
— at standard circuit at 50 °C rated value	hp	125
— at inside-delta circuit at 50 °C rated value	hp	200
• at 460/480 V		
— at standard circuit at 50 °C rated value	hp	250
— at inside-delta circuit at 50 °C rated value	hp	450
contact rating of auxiliary contacts according to UL		B300 / R300

Further information

Simulation Tool for Soft Starters (STS)  
<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/101494917>  
Information on the packaging  
<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109813875>  
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=3RW4446-6BC44>  
Cax online generator  
<http://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RW4446-6BC44>  
Service&Support (Manuals, Certificates, Characteristics, FAQs,...)  
<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RW4446-6BC44>  
Image database (product images, 2D dimension drawings, 3D models, device circuit diagrams, EPLAN macros, ...)  
[http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax\\_de.aspx?mlfb=3RW4446-6BC44&lang=en](http://www.automation.siemens.com/bilddb/cax_de.aspx?mlfb=3RW4446-6BC44&lang=en)



