



!!! phased-out product !!! the preferred successor is 3RQ4038-1AF01 input coupler relay coupler, 1 change-over contact hard gold-plated contacts 230 V AC/DC screw terminal width 6.2 mm thermal current 6 A

product brand name	SIRIUS
product category	SIRIUS 3RQ3 coupling relays in slim design
product designation	Coupling relays with relay output (not plug-in)
design of the product	Input coupling link
product type designation	3RQ3
<b>General technical data</b>	
display version LED	Yes
product feature protective coating on printed-circuit board	No
product component	
• relay output	Yes
• semi-conductor output	No
consumed active power	1 W
insulation voltage for overvoltage category III according to IEC 60664 with degree of pollution 3 rated value	300 V
surge voltage resistance rated value	4 kV
maximum permissible voltage for protective separation	
• between control and auxiliary circuit	300 V
percental drop-out voltage related to the input voltage	10 %
flammability class of enclosure material	UL94 V-0
shock resistance	
• according to IEC 60068-2-27	sinusoidal half-wave 15g / 11 ms
vibration resistance	
• according to IEC 60068-2-6	6 ... 150 Hz: 2 g
operating frequency maximum	72 000 1/h
switching behavior	monostable
mechanical service life (operating cycles) typical	10 000 000
thermal current	6 A
reference code according to IEC 81346-2	K
Substance Prohibitance (Date)	03/25/2015
Weight	0.035 kg
<b>Control circuit/ Control</b>	
control supply voltage at AC	
• at 50 Hz rated value	230 V
• at 60 Hz rated value	230 V
control supply voltage frequency	
• 1 rated value	50 Hz
• 2 rated value	60 Hz
control supply voltage at DC rated value	230 V
operating range factor control supply voltage rated value at DC	
• initial value	0.8

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• full-scale value</li> </ul>	1.1
<b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value at AC at 50 Hz</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• initial value</li> </ul>	0.8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• full-scale value</li> </ul>	1.1
<b>operating range factor control supply voltage rated value at AC at 60 Hz</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• initial value</li> </ul>	0.8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• full-scale value</li> </ul>	1.1
<b>ON-delay time</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at AC maximum</li> </ul>	9 ms
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at DC maximum</li> </ul>	8 ms
<b>OFF-delay time maximum</b>	19 ms
<b>Mechanical data</b>	
<b>product component plug-in socket</b>	No
<b>design of the relay operating mechanism</b>	poled
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	
design of the fuse link for short-circuit protection of the auxiliary switch required	fuse gG: 4 A
<b>Auxiliary circuit</b>	
<b>type of switching contact</b>	Changeover contact
<b>material of switching contacts</b>	AgSnO <sub>2</sub> hard gold-plated
number of CO contacts for auxiliary contacts	1
<b>operational current of auxiliary contacts at AC-15</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 24 V</li> </ul>	3 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 250 V</li> </ul>	3 A
<b>operational current of auxiliary contacts at DC-13</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 24 V</li> </ul>	1 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 125 V</li> </ul>	0.2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 250 V</li> </ul>	0.1 A
<b>contact reliability of auxiliary contacts</b>	one incorrect switching operation of 100 million switching operations (5 V, 1 mA)
<b>Main circuit</b>	
<b>type of voltage</b>	AC/DC
<b>Inputs/ Outputs</b>	
<b>property of the output short-circuit proof</b>	No
ampacity of the output relay at AC-15 at 250 V at 50/60 Hz	3 A
<b>ampacity of the output relay at DC-13</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 24 V</li> </ul>	1 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 125 V</li> </ul>	0.2 A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at 250 V</li> </ul>	0.1 A
<b>Electromagnetic compatibility</b>	
EMC emitted interference according to IEC 60947-1	ambience A (industrial sector)
EMC immunity according to IEC 60947-1	corresponds to degree of severity 3
<b>conducted interference</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• due to burst according to IEC 61000-4-4</li> </ul>	2 kV
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• due to conductor-earth surge according to IEC 61000-4-5</li> </ul>	2 kV
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• due to conductor-conductor surge according to IEC 61000-4-5</li> </ul>	1 kV
<b>field-based interference according to IEC 61000-4-3</b>	10 V/m
<b>electrostatic discharge according to IEC 61000-4-2</b>	6 kV contact discharge / 8 kV air discharge
<b>Display</b>	
display version as status display by LED	LED green
<b>Connections/ Terminals</b>	
<b>product function removable terminal</b>	No
<b>type of electrical connection</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for auxiliary and control circuit</li> </ul>	screw-type terminals
wire length	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at AC maximum</li> </ul>	500 m
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• at DC maximum</li> </ul>	1 000 m
<b>type of connectable conductor cross-sections</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• solid</li> </ul>	1x (0.25 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> )

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>finely stranded with core end processing</li> <li>for AWG cables solid</li> </ul>	1x (0.25 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> ) 1x (20 ... 14)
<b>connectable conductor cross-section</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>solid</li> <li>finely stranded with core end processing</li> </ul>	0.25 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> 0.25 ... 1.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
<b>AWG number as coded connectable conductor cross section</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>solid</li> </ul>	20 ... 14
tightening torque with screw-type terminals	0.5 ... 0.6 N·m

### Installation/ mounting/ dimensions

<b>mounting position</b>	any
<b>fastening method</b>	snap-on mounting
<b>height</b>	93 mm
<b>width</b>	6.2 mm
<b>depth</b>	72.5 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>backwards</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>backwards</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>backwards</li> <li>upwards</li> <li>downwards</li> <li>at the side</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	0 mm 0 mm 0 mm 0 mm 0 mm  0 mm 0 mm 0 mm 0 mm 0 mm  0 mm 0 mm 0 mm 0 mm 0 mm

### Ambient conditions

installation altitude at height above sea level maximum	2 000 m
<b>ambient temperature</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>during operation</li> <li>during storage</li> <li>during transport</li> </ul>	-25 ... +60 °C -40 ... +85 °C -40 ... +85 °C
relative humidity during operation	10 ... 95 %

### Approvals Certificates

#### General Product Approval



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Information on the packaging

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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=3RQ3038-1AF01>

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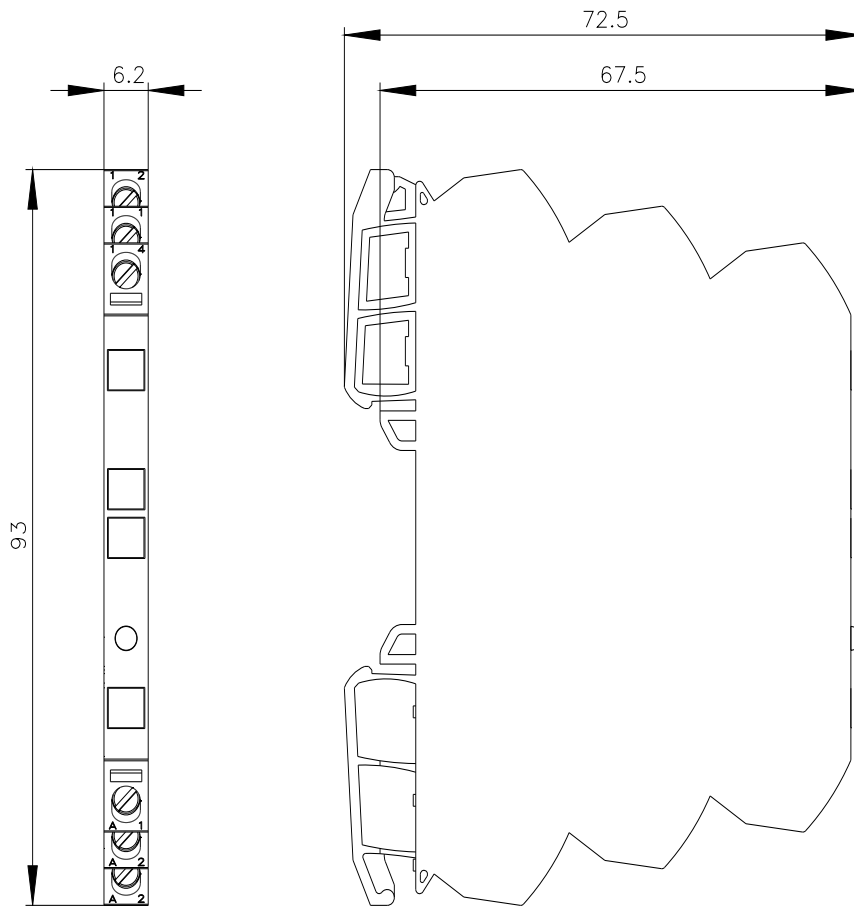
<https://support.automation.siemens.com/WW/CAXorder/default.aspx?lang=en&mlfb=3RQ3038-1AF01>

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

<https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/ps/3RQ3038-1AF01>

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

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