



Product designation  
Product type designation

Power contactor  
BF160

### Contact characteristics

|                                                                                |                                                   |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Number of poles                                                                | Nr.                                               | 3     |
| Rated insulation voltage $U_i$ IEC/EN                                          | V                                                 | 1000  |
| Rated impulse withstand voltage $U_{imp}$                                      | kV                                                | 8     |
| Operational frequency                                                          | min Hz                                            | 25    |
|                                                                                | max Hz                                            | 400   |
| IEC Conventional free air thermal current $I_{th}$                             | A                                                 | 250   |
| Operational current $I_e$                                                      | AC-1 ( $\leq 40^\circ\text{C}$ )                  | A 250 |
|                                                                                | AC-1 ( $\leq 55^\circ\text{C}$ )                  | A 210 |
|                                                                                | AC-1 ( $\leq 70^\circ\text{C}$ )                  | A 180 |
|                                                                                | AC-3 ( $\leq 440\text{V} \leq 55^\circ\text{C}$ ) | A 160 |
|                                                                                | AC-4 (400V)                                       | A 75  |
| Rated operational power AC-3 ( $T \leq 55^\circ\text{C}$ )                     | 230V kW                                           | 45    |
|                                                                                | 400V kW                                           | 75    |
|                                                                                | 415V kW                                           | 90    |
|                                                                                | 440V kW                                           | 90    |
|                                                                                | 500V kW                                           | 110   |
|                                                                                | 690V kW                                           | 132   |
|                                                                                | 1000V kW                                          | 75    |
| Rated operational current AC-3 ( $T \leq 55^\circ\text{C}$ )                   | 230V A                                            | 160   |
|                                                                                | 400V A                                            | 160   |
|                                                                                | 415V A                                            | 160   |
|                                                                                | 440V A                                            | 160   |
|                                                                                | 500V A                                            | 150   |
|                                                                                | 690V A                                            | 135   |
|                                                                                | 1000V A                                           | 60    |
| Rated operational power AC-1 ( $T \leq 40^\circ\text{C}$ )                     | 230V kW                                           | 95    |
|                                                                                | 400V kW                                           | 165   |
|                                                                                | 500V kW                                           | 181   |
|                                                                                | 690V kW                                           | 284   |
| IEC max current $I_e$ in DC1 with $L/R \leq 1\text{ms}$ with 1 poles in series | $\leq 24\text{V}$ A                               | 250   |
|                                                                                | 48V A                                             | 250   |
|                                                                                | 75V A                                             | 250   |
|                                                                                | 110V A                                            | 110   |
|                                                                                | 220V A                                            | —     |
| IEC max current $I_e$ in DC1 with $L/R \leq 1\text{ms}$ with 2 poles in series | $\leq 24\text{V}$ A                               | 250   |

|                                                                                  |          |    |      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----|------|
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 150  |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | 130  |
| IEC max current I <sub>e</sub> in DC1 with L/R ≤ 1ms with 3 poles in series      |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | ≤24V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 160  |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | 150  |
|                                                                                  | 330V     | A  | 130  |
| IEC max current I <sub>e</sub> in DC1 with L/R ≤ 1ms with 4 poles in series      |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | ≤24V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | 250  |
| IEC max current I <sub>e</sub> in DC3-DC5 with L/R ≤ 15ms with 1 poles in series |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | ≤24V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 160  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 80   |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | —    |
| IEC max current I <sub>e</sub> in DC3-DC5 with L/R ≤ 15ms with 2 poles in series |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | ≤24V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 160  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 120  |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | 90   |
| IEC max current I <sub>e</sub> in DC3-DC5 with L/R ≤ 15ms with 3 poles in series |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | ≤24V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 160  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 140  |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | 120  |
|                                                                                  | 330V     | A  | 90   |
| IEC max current I <sub>e</sub> in DC3-DC5 with L/R ≤ 15ms with 4 poles in series |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | ≤24V     | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 48V      | A  | 250  |
|                                                                                  | 75V      | A  | 160  |
|                                                                                  | 110V     | A  | 140  |
|                                                                                  | 220V     | A  | 140  |
|                                                                                  | 330V     | A  | 140  |
|                                                                                  | 460V     | A  | 90   |
| Short-time allowable current for 10s (IEC/EN60947-1)                             |          | A  | 1280 |
| Protection fuse                                                                  |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | gG (IEC) | A  | 315  |
|                                                                                  | aM (IEC) | A  | 200  |
| Making capacity (RMS value)                                                      |          | A  | 1360 |
| Breaking capacity at voltage                                                     |          |    |      |
|                                                                                  | 440V     | A  | 1360 |
|                                                                                  | 500V     | A  | 1326 |
|                                                                                  | 690V     | A  | 1139 |
| Resistance per pole (average value)                                              |          | mΩ | 0.18 |

|                                                     |                     |        |                       |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------|-----------------------|
| Power dissipation per pole (average value)          |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | Ith<br>AC-3         | W<br>W | 11<br>4.5             |
| Tightening torque for terminals                     |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | min                 | Nm     | 18                    |
|                                                     | max                 | Nm     | 18                    |
|                                                     | min                 | Ibin   | 159                   |
|                                                     | max                 | Ibin   | 159                   |
| Tightening torque for coil terminal                 |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | min                 | Nm     | 0.8                   |
|                                                     | max                 | Nm     | 1                     |
| Power terminal protection according to IEC/EN 60529 |                     |        | IP00                  |
| Mechanical features                                 |                     |        |                       |
| Operating position                                  |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | normal<br>allowable |        | Vertical plan<br>±30° |
| Fixing                                              |                     |        | Screw                 |
| Weight                                              |                     | g      | 3000                  |
| Operations                                          |                     |        |                       |
| Mechanical life                                     |                     | cycles | 10000000              |
| Electrical life                                     |                     | cycles | 1000000               |
| Safety related data                                 |                     |        |                       |
| Performance level B10d according to EN/ISO 13489-1  |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | rated load          | cycles | 1000000               |
| EMC compatibility                                   |                     |        | yes                   |
| AC coil operating                                   |                     |        |                       |
| Rated AC voltage at 50/60Hz, 60Hz                   |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | min                 | V      | 60                    |
|                                                     | max                 | V      | 130                   |
| AC operating voltage                                |                     |        |                       |
| of 50/60Hz coil powered at 50Hz                     |                     |        |                       |
| pick-up                                             |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | min                 | %Us    | 80 Us min             |
|                                                     | max                 | %Us    | 110 Us max            |
| drop-out                                            |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | max                 | %Us    | ≤70 Us min            |
| of 50/60Hz coil powered at 60Hz                     |                     |        |                       |
| pick-up                                             |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | min                 | %Us    | 80 Us min             |
|                                                     | max                 | %Us    | 110 Us max            |
| drop-out                                            |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | max                 | %Us    | ≤70 Us min            |
| AC average coil consumption at 20°C                 |                     |        |                       |
| of 50/60Hz coil powered at 50Hz                     |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | in-rush             | VA     | 160...230             |
|                                                     | holding             | VA     | 1.5...3.0             |
| of 50/60Hz coil powered at 60Hz                     |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | in-rush             | VA     | 160...230             |
|                                                     | holding             | VA     | 1.5...3.0             |
| of 60Hz coil powered at 60Hz                        |                     |        |                       |
|                                                     | in-rush             | VA     | 160...230             |
|                                                     | holding             | VA     | 1.5...3.0             |
| Dissipation at holding ≤20°C 50Hz                   |                     |        | W 1.5...3.0           |

### DC coil operating

DC rated control voltage

|     |   |     |
|-----|---|-----|
| min | V | 60  |
| max | V | 130 |

DC operating voltage

pick-up

|     |     |            |
|-----|-----|------------|
| min | %Us | 85 Us min  |
| max | %Us | 110 Us max |

drop-out

|     |     |            |
|-----|-----|------------|
| max | %Us | ≤70 Us min |
|-----|-----|------------|

Average coil consumption ≤20°C

|         |   |           |
|---------|---|-----------|
| in-rush | W | 160...230 |
| holding | W | 1.5...3.0 |

### Max cycles frequency

Mechanical operation

cycles/h 1000

### Operating times

Average time for Us control

in AC

Closing NO

|     |    |     |
|-----|----|-----|
| min | ms | 50  |
| max | ms | 100 |

Opening NO

|     |    |    |
|-----|----|----|
| min | ms | 35 |
| max | ms | 75 |

### UL technical data

Yielded mechanical performance

for three-phase AC motor

|          |    |     |
|----------|----|-----|
| 200/208V | HP | 50  |
| 220/230V | HP | 60  |
| 460/480V | HP | 125 |
| 575/600V | HP | 150 |

General USE

Contactor

|            |   |     |
|------------|---|-----|
| AC current | A | 250 |
|------------|---|-----|

Short-circuit protection fuse, 600V

High fault

|                       |    |     |
|-----------------------|----|-----|
| Short circuit current | kA | 100 |
| Fuse rating           | A  | 400 |
| Fuse class            |    | J   |

Standard fault

|                       |    |     |
|-----------------------|----|-----|
| Short circuit current | kA | 10  |
| Fuse rating           | A  | 400 |
| Fuse class            |    | RK5 |

### Ambient conditions

Temperature

Operating temperature

|     |    |     |
|-----|----|-----|
| min | °C | -40 |
| max | °C | 70  |

Storage temperature

|     |    |     |
|-----|----|-----|
| min | °C | -50 |
| max | °C | 80  |

Max altitude

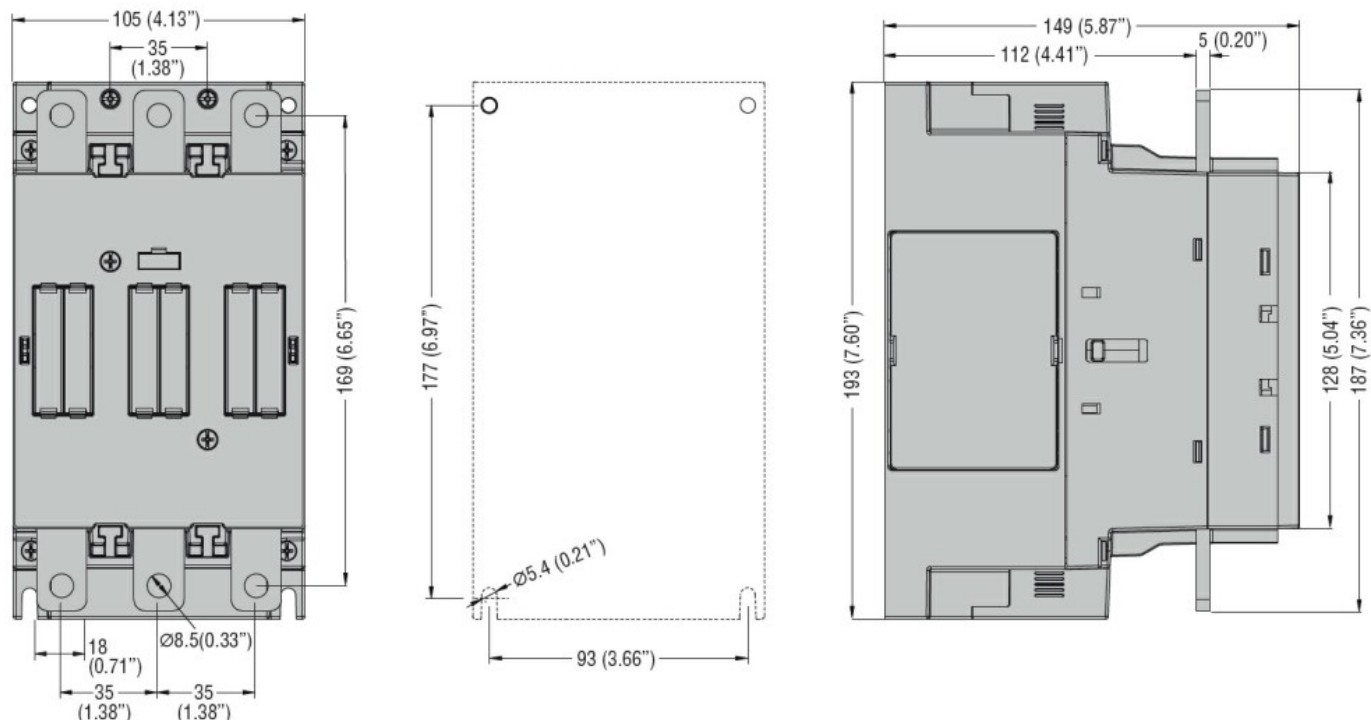
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### Resistance & Protection

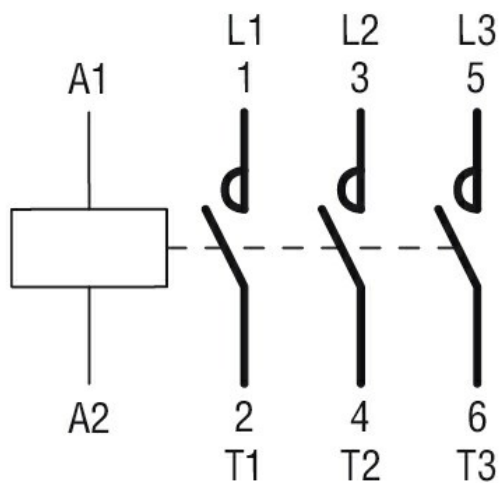
Pollution degree

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## Dimensions



## Wiring diagrams



## Certifications and compliance

### Compliance

CSA C22.2 n° 60947-1

CSA C22.2 n° 60947-4-1

IEC/EN/BS 60947-1

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UL 60947-1

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### Certificates

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## ETIM classification

ETIM 8.0

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Power contactor,  
AC switching