

# Motor Circuits

## Application

### General

#### Protection of Motor Circuits

Molded case circuit breakers are used in motor circuits as a disconnecting means and for short-circuit protection. They should be used in conjunction with motor-running, over-current-protection devices, and should permit the motor to start without nuisance tripping from motor-inrush current. The circuit breaker should have a continuous-current rating of not less than 115% of the motor full-load current.

The recommended motor circuit protectors (Siemens ETI instantaneous only circuit breakers) listed have

continuous-current ratings of at least 115% of motor full-load currents. The trip-setting positions are approximately 11 times motor full-load currents. The suggested trip settings may have to be adjusted upward to no higher than 1300% of full-load current for non-design E type motors, and no greater than 1700% of full load current for design E motors, to allow for motor start-up due to inrush currents.

#### Breaker Mounted Immediately Ahead of Motor Starter

Siemens ETI motor circuit protectors are recommended for use in combination motor starters to provide selective short-circuit protection for the motor

branch circuit. The adjustable instantaneous-trip feature of the Siemens ETI motor circuit protector provides for a trip setting slightly above the peak motor-inrush current. With this setting, no delay is introduced in opening the circuit when a fault occurs. This circuit breaker has no time-delay trip element. Therefore it must be used in conjunction with, and immediately ahead of, the motor-running overcurrent protective device.

Important: The information below does not apply to all motor applications: it is recommended that the user refer to the National Electrical Code (NEC) for specific needs.

**Table 1 (When Breaker is Mounted Immediately Ahead of Motor Starter)**

3-Phase Induction Type Motors (Siemens ETI motor circuit protectors for branch circuit use with alternating-current combination, full voltage motor starters).

Motor Full Load Amperes	Catalog Number	ETI Trip Setting	
		Adjustment	Amperes
0.69 – 0.91	HEM3M003L	A (min)	9
1.1 – 1.3		B	15
1.6 – 1.7		C	21
2.0 – 2.2		D	27
2.3 – 2.5		E	30
2.6 – 2.8		F (max)	33
1.5 – 2.0	HEM3M007L	A (min)	21
2.6 – 3.1		B	35
3.7 – 3.9		C	49
4.8 – 5.2		D	63
5.3 – 5.7		E	70
5.8 – 6.1		F (max)	77
3.4 – 4.5	HEM3M015L	A (min)	45
5.7 – 6.8		B	75
8.0 – 9.1		C	100
10.4 – 11.4		D	135
11.5 – 12.6		E	150
12.7 – 13.0		F (max)	165
3.9 – 9.1	HEM3M030L	A (min)	90
11.5 – 13.7		B	150
16.1 – 18.3		C	210
20.7 – 22.9		D	270
23.0 – 25.2		E	300
25.3 – 26.1		F (max)	330
11.5 – 15.2	HEM3M050L	A (min)	150
19.2 – 22.9		B	250
26.9 – 30.6		C	350
34.6 – 38.3		D	450
38.4 – 42.1		E	500
42.2 – 43.5		F (max)	550
16.1 – 30.6	HEM3M070L	A (min)	210
26.9 – 32.2		B	350
37.6 – 42.9		C	490
48.4 – 53.7		D	630
53.8 – 59.1		E	700
59.2 – 60.9		F (max)	770
23.0 – 30.9	HEM3M100L	A (min)	300
38.4 – 46.0		B	500
53.8 – 61.4		C	700
69.2 – 76.8		D	900
76.9 – 84.5		E	1000
84.6 – 87.0		F (max)	1100
.20 – .33	ED63A001 CED63A001	Low	2.6
.34 – .45		2	4.5
.46 – .56		3	6
.57 – .68		4	7.5
.69 – .81		High	9
.53 – .83	ED63A002 CED63A002	Low	7
.84 – 1.14		2	11
1.15 – 1.45		3	15
1.46 – 1.68		4	19
1.69 – 2.00	High	22	
.76 – 1.29	ED63A003 CED63A003	Low	10
1.30 – 1.75		2	17
1.76 – 2.29		3	23
2.30 – 2.68		4	30
2.69 – 3.18		High	35
1.23 – 1.99	ED63A005 CED63A005	Low	16
2.00 – 2.75		2	26
2.76 – 3.52		3	36
3.53 – 4.14		4	46
4.15 – 4.90		High	54
2.30 – 3.83	ED63A010 CED63A010	Low	30
3.84 – 5.37		2	50
5.38 – 6.52		3	70
6.53 – 7.68		4	85
7.69 – 9.10		High	100
4.23 – 6.91	ED63A025 CED63A025	Low	55
6.92 – 9.61		2	90
9.62 – 11.91		3	125
11.92 – 13.83		4	155
13.84 – 16.40	High	180	
6.15 – 10.37	ED63A030 CED63A030	Low	80
10.38 – 14.22		2	135
14.23 – 18.06		3	185
18.07 – 20.75		4	235
20.76 – 24.50	High	270	
8.84 – 14.22	ED63A040 CED63A040	Low	115
14.23 – 19.60		2	185
19.61 – 24.99		3	255
25.00 – 28.83		4	325
28.84 – 34.00	High	375	
13.84 – 23.06	ED63A050 CED63A050	Low	180
23.07 – 31.52		2	300
31.53 – 39.99		3	410
40.00 – 46.14		4	520
46.15 – 54.50	High	600	
24.23 – 41.52	ED63A100 CED63A100	Low	315
41.53 – 56.91		2	540
56.92 – 68.45		3	740
68.46 – 76.91		4	890
76.92 – 90.90		High	1000
38.46 – 55.37	ED63A125 CED63A125	Low	500
55.38 – 70.75		2	720
70.76 – 84.60		3	920
84.61 – 96.14		4	1100
96.15 – 113.60		High	1250
30.76 – 35.37	FXD63L150 CFD63L150	Low	400
35.38 – 39.99		2	460
44.51 – 49.23		4	580
53.84 – 58.45		6	700
58.46 – 63.06		7	760
63.07 – 74.50		High	820
61.53 – 69.22		FXD63A150 CFD63A150	Low
69.23 – 76.91	2		910
84.61 – 92.29	4		1100
100.00 – 108.00	6		1300
108.00 – 115.00	7		1400
115.00 – 136.00	High		1500
85.00 – 100.00	FXD63A250 CFD63A250		Low
100.00 – 115.00		2	1300
131.00 – 146.00		4	1700
162.00 – 177.00		6	2100
177.00 – 192.00		7	2300
192.00 – 227.00		High	2500
95.00 – 110.00		JXD63L400 CJD63L400	Low
110.00 – 124.00	2		1430
138.00 – 151.00	4		1790
165.00 – 178.00	6		2140
178.00 – 192.00	7		2320
192.00 – 227.00	High		2500
154.00 – 176.00	JXD63H400 CJD63H400		Low
176.00 – 198.00		2	2290
220.00 – 242.00		4	2860
264.00 – 285.00		6	3430
285.00 – 308.00		7	3710
308.00 – 326.00		High	4000
155.00 – 176.00		LXD63L600 CLD63L600	Low
176.00 – 198.00	2		2290
220.00 – 242.00	4		2860
264.00 – 285.00	6		3430
285.00 – 308.00	7		3710
308.00 – 326.00	High		4000
231.00 – 264.00	LXD63H600 CLD63H600		Low
264.00 – 292.00		2	3430
330.00 – 362.00		4	4290
395.00 – 428.00		6	5140
428.99 – 462.00		7	5570
462.00 – 490.00		High	6000
215.00 – 238.00		LMD63L800	Low
238.00 – 261.00	2		3100
261.00 – 284.00	3		3400
308.00 – 369.00	5		4000
369.00 – 423.00	6		4800
423.00 – 462.00	7		5500
462.00 – 490.00	High		6000
246.00 – 269.00	LMD63A800	Low	3200
269.00 – 284.00		2	3500
284.00 – 323.00		3	3700
362.00 – 492.00		5	4700
492.00 – 562.00		6	6400
562.00 – 616.00		7	7300
616.00 – 660.00		High	8000
231.00 – 264.00	MXD63L800 CMD63L800	Low	3000
264.00 – 292.00		2	3430
292.00 – 330.00		3	3800
362.00 – 395.00		5	4710
428.00 – 462.00		7	5570
462.00 – 490.00		High	6000
308.00 – 352.00		MXD63A800 CMD63A800	Low
352.00 – 442.00	2		4570
442.00 – 447.00	3		5740
483.00 – 527.00	5		6280
571.00 – 616.00	7		7240
616.00 – 660.00	High		8000
385.00 – 440.00	MXD63H800 CMD63H800		Low
495.00 – 550.00		3	6430
605.00 – 660.00		5	7860
660.00 – 695.00		6	8575

Note: Lowest instantaneous settings have a -20%/+30% tolerance and all other settings have a -20%/+20% tolerance.

# Adjustable Installments Magnetic Trip Settings

## Application

Breaker Type	Maximum Continuous Amperes	Nominal AC Adjustable Trip Range								ETI Motor Circuit Protector Catalog Number	Thermal Magnetic Catalog Number	
		Low	2	3	4	5	6	7	High		2-Pole	3-Pole
HEM	3	9	15	21	27	30	—	—	33	HEM3M003L	—	—
	7	21	35	49	63	70	—	—	77	HEM3M007L	—	—
	15	45	75	100	135	150	—	—	165	HEM3M015L	—	—
	30	90	150	210	270	300	—	—	330	HEM3M030L	—	—
	50	150	250	350	450	500	—	—	550	HEM3M050L	—	—
	70	210	350	490	630	700	—	—	770	HEM3M070L	—	—
	100	300	500	700	900	1000	—	—	1100	HEM3M100L	—	—
ED6	1	2.6	4.5	6	7.5	—	—	—	9	ED63A001	—	—
	2	7	11	15	19	—	—	—	22	ED63A002	—	—
	3	10	17	23	30	—	—	—	35	ED63A003	—	—
	5	16	26	36	46	—	—	—	54	ED63A005	—	—
	10	30	50	70	85	—	—	—	100	ED63A010	—	—
	25	55	90	125	155	—	—	—	180	ED63A025	—	—
	30	80	135	185	235	—	—	—	270	ED63A030	—	—
	40	115	185	255	325	—	—	—	375	ED63A040	—	—
	50	180	300	410	520	—	—	—	600	ED63A050	—	—
	100	315	540	740	890	—	—	—	1000	ED63A100	—	—
	125	500	720	920	1100	—	—	—	1250	ED63A125	—	—
	CED6	1	2.6	4.5	6	7.5	—	—	—	9	CED63A001■	—
2		7	11	15	19	—	—	—	22	CED63A002■	—	—
3		10	17	23	30	—	—	—	35	CED63A003■	—	—
5		16	26	36	46	—	—	—	54	CED63A005■	—	—
10		30	50	70	85	—	—	—	100	CED63A010■	—	—
25		55	90	125	155	—	—	—	180	CED63A025■	—	—
30		80	135	185	235	—	—	—	270	CED63A030■	—	—
40		115	185	255	325	—	—	—	375	CED63A040■	—	—
50		180	300	410	520	—	—	—	600	CED63A050	—	—
100		315	540	740	890	—	—	—	1000	CED63A100	—	—
125		500	720	920	1100	—	—	—	1250	CED63A125	—	—
FXD6-A		70	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	FXD62B070
	80	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	FXD62B080	FXD63B080
	90	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	FXD62B090	FXD63B090
	100	700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	FXD62B100	FXD63B100
	110	700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	FXD62B110	FXD63B110
	125	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	FXD62B125	FXD63B125
	150	400	460	520	580	640	700	760	820	FXD63L150	—	—
	150	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	FXD63A150	FXD62B150	FXD63B150
	150	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	FXD63H150	—	—
	175	900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	FXD62B175	FXD63B175
	200	900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	FXD62B200	FXD63B200
	225	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	FXD62B225	FXD63B225
250	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	FXD63A250	FXD62B250	FXD63B250	
FD6-A	70	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	FD62B070	FD63B070
	80	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	FD62B080	FD63B080
	90	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	FD62B090	FD63B090
	100	700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	FD62B100	FD63B100
	110	700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	FD62B110	FD63B110
	125	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	FD62B125	FD63B125
	150	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	FD62B150	FD63B150
	175	900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	FD62B175	FD63B175
	200	900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	FD62B200	FD63B200
	225	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	FD62B225	FD63B225
	250	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	FD62B250	FD63B250
	HFD6	70	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	HFD62B070
80		600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	HFD62B080	HFD63B080
90		600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	HFD62B090	HFD63B090
100		700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	HFD62B100	HFD63B100
110		700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	HFD62B110	HFD63B110
125		800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	HFD62B125	HFD63B125
150		800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	HFD62B150	HFD63B150
175		900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	HFD62B175	HFD63B175
200		900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	HFD62B200	HFD63B200
225		1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	HFD62B225	HFD63B225
250		1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	HFD62B250	HFD63B250
HHFD6		70	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	—
	80	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	—	HHFD63B080
	90	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	—	HHFD63B090
	100	700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	—	HHFD63B100
	110	700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	—	HHFD63B110
	125	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	—	HHFD63B125
	150	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	—	HHFD63B150
	175	900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	—	HHFD63B175
	200	900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	—	HHFD63B200
	225	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	—	HHFD63B225
	250	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	—	HHFD63B250
	CFD6	70	600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	CFD62B070
80		600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	CFD62B080	CFD63B080
90		600	640	690	730	770	810	850	900	—	CFD62B090	CFD63B090
100		700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	CFD62B100	CFD63B100
110		700	770	840	920	990	1060	1140	1200	—	CFD62B110	CFD63B110
125		800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	—	CFD62B125	CFD63B125
150		400	460	520	580	640	700	760	820	CFD63L150	—	—
150		800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	CFD63A150	CFD62B150	CFD63B150
150		1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	CFD63H150	—	—
175		900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	CFD62B175	CFD63B175
200		900	1060	1210	1370	1520	1780	1930	2000	—	CFD62B200	CFD63B200
225		1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	—	CFD62B225	CFD63B225
250	1100	1300	1500	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500	CFD63A250	CFD62B250	CFD63B250	

**Note:** Tolerances for instantaneous trip points meet UL 489 (7.3). Nominal AC instantaneous trip points are given in the tables. For DC instantaneous trip points, add 15% to nominal values.

Instantaneous trip adjustment is made through the breaker cover on all frame breakers. To change instantaneous trip point on circuit breaker, depress indicating knob, then rotate to desired position.

■ Built to order. Allow 2–3 weeks for delivery.