# LT3 Protection Relays

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Application Information - Thermistor Protection Relays Provide additional motor protection and should be used to supplement a conventional current sensing overload relay.

LT3S• thermistor protection units continuously monitor the temperature of the machines to be protected (motors, generators, etc.) by means of PTC thermistor probes embedded in the machine windings.

If the nominal operating temperature of the probes is reached, they convert the rapid increase in resistance into a switching function which can be used to switch off the machine or signal a fault (see "Thermistor probes" below).

Accidental breaks in the supply circuits of the thermistors are also detected.

### Electromagnetic compatibility

Conforming to "Electromagnetic compatibility" directive, draft standard EN 500.82.2

Resistance to electrostatic discharge (conforming to IEC 1000-4-2)

Level 3

Resistance to fast transients (conforming to IEC 1000-4-4) Level 3

Susceptibility to electromagnetic fields (conforming to IEC 1000-4-3) Level 3

Surge resistance 1.2/50 - 8/20 (conforming to IEC 1000-4.5) Level 4

Immunity to microbreaks and voltage drops (IEC 1000-4-11)

Suitable for use with variable speed controllers

#### Thermistor probes

Thermistor protection relays provide additional motor protection and should be used to supplement a conventional current sensing overload relay.

Range of most commonly used PTC thermistor probes: from 90 to 160 °C, in steps of 10 °C. Curve R = f ( $\theta$ ), characteristic of a PTC thermistor probe is defined by standard IEC 34-11.

The choice of PTC thermistor probe to be incorporated in the motor winding depends on the insulation class, the type of motor and the most suitable location for the probe. This choice is usually made by the motor manufacturer or the motor rewinder, who have all the necessary information

Application example Insulation class of rotating machines	NOT Nominal	Temperature at which r increase in resistance of		
conforming to IEC 34-11-2	operating	Probes used for		
(S1 duty)	temperature	Alarm	Fault	
	°C	°C	°C	
A	100	100	110	
В	110	110	120	
<u>E</u>	120	120	130	
F	140	140	150	
<u>H</u>	160	160	170	



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## LT3 Protection Relays Thermistor Protection

Thermistor Protection To Monitor The Temperature of Motor Windings, Transformer Laminations etc..



LT3SE00M



LT3SA00M

LT3SM00M

## Protection Relays (without fault memory).

Voltage		Output	Part Number	Weight
 		contact		kg
$\sim$ 50/60 Hz	115 VAC	N/C	LT3SE00F	0.220
<u>50/00 HZ</u>				
	230 VAC	N/C	LT3SE00M	0.220
	24 VDC	N/C	LT3SE00BD	0.220

#### Units with automatic reset with thermistor short-circuit detection On front face : fault and voltage signalling indicator.

Voltage		Output contact	Part Number	Weight kg
$\sim$ 50/60 Hz	115/230 V	N/C + N/O	LT3SA00M	0.220
	24/48 V	N/C + N/O	LT3SA00ED	0.220
$\sim$ 50/60 Hz or <del></del>	24230 V	2 C/O	LT3SA00MW	0.220

## Protection units (with fault memory)

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## Units with manual reset with thermistor short-circuit detection.

On front face : - fault and voltage signalling LED,

- Test and Reset button.

Voltage		Output contact	Part Number	Weight kg
$\sim$ 50/60 Hz	400 V	N/C + N/O	LT3SM00V	0.220
	24/48 V	N/C + N/O	LT3SM00E	0.220
	115/230 V	N/C + N/O	LT3SM00M	0.220
	24/48 VAC	N/C + N/O	LT3SM00ED	0.220
$\sim$ 50/60 Hz or	24230 VAC	2 C/O	LT3SM00MW	0.220

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# For use with LT3 Protection Relays



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PTC Thermistor Probes	S
Description	

Description	Nominal operating temperature ° <b>C</b>	Sold in lots of	Part Number	Weight kg
Integrated triple probes	90	10	DA1TT090	0.010
	110	10	DA1TT110	0.010
	120	10	DA1TT120	0.010
	130	10	DA1TT130	0.010
	140	10	DA1TT140	0.010
	150	10	DA1TT150	0.010
	160	10	DA1TT160	0.010
	170	10	DA1TT170	0.010
Surface probes	60	10	DA1TS060	0.005
	70	10	DA1TS070	0.005
	80	10	DA1TS080	0.005
	90	10	DA1TS090	0.005
	100	10	DA1TS100	0.005

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# LT3 Protection Relays Characteristics

# **Control Circuit Characteristics**

Туре			LT3SE	LT3SA	LT3SM	
Resistance	Tripping	Ω	27003100	27003100	27003100	
	Reset	Ω	15001650	15001650	15001650	
Maximum number of probes used in series	Probes $\leq$ 250 $\Omega$ to 25°		6	6	6	
Voltage at terminals in	Normal operation, R=1500Ω	v	< 2.5	< 2.5	< 2.5	
the thermistor circuit	Conforming to IEC 34-11-2, R=4000Ω	v	< 7.5	< 7.5	< 7.5	
Short-circuit detection	Operating threshold	Ω	< 20	< 20	< 20	
	Distance	ft	985	1312	1640	
Connection of probes to the LT3		m	300	400	500 1000	
	Minimum size of conductors	AWG	18 AWG	18 AWG	18 AWG	
		mm²	<b>mm</b> <sup>2</sup> .75 mm <sup>2</sup> (min) to 2 x 2 mm <sup>2</sup> (max)			

# Electrical characteristics of the output relay contacts

Contact type	Single voltage or dual voltage		1 N/C	1 N/C + 1 N/O	1 N/C + 1 N/O	
	Multi-voltage		-	2 C/O	2 C/O	
Rated insulation voltage		v	$\sim$ 500			
Maximum operational voltage		v	∼250 (∼400 V for <b>LT3SM00V</b> )			
Rated impulse withstand voltage	U imp	kV	2.5			
Conventional thermal current		Α	5			
Operational power	At 220 V	VA	100 for 0.5 million operating cycles			
Breaking capacity	Cos φ = 0.4 - 24, 48, 127, 240 V	VA	500	500	500	
	L/R = 25 ms	w	50	50	50	
Cabling (Box Lug connector)	Without cable end	AWG	up to 2 #18 to #14 A	WG		
for flexible or solid cable		mm²	.75 mm <sup>2</sup> (min) to 2 x 2 mm <sup>2</sup> (max)			
Tightening torque		in lb.	7.0			
		Nem	0.8			

# Thermistor probe characteristics

Туре			DA1TTeee	DA1TS•••
Conforming to standards			IEC 34-11-2 Mark A	
			UL 508/CSA	
Resistance	At 25 °C	Ω	3 x 250 in series	250
Rated operational voltage (Ue)	Per probe	v	2.5 V max	2.5 V max
Rated insulation voltage (Ui)		kV	2.5	1
Insulation			Reinforced	Reinforced
Length of connecting cables		Inches	9.84	
	Between probes	mm	250	_
	Between probes and			
	motor terminal plate	m	1	1

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## LT3 Thermistor Protection Relay Characteristics

Туре			LT3SE	LT3SA	LT3SM	
Reset method			Automatic	Automatic	Manual/Automatic	
Fault indication			-	On front face of unit and remote	On front face of unit and remote	
Fault test			-	-	By pushbutton on front face of unit	
Interchangeability			Label "Mark A" to IEC 34-11-2	Label "Mark A" to IEC 34-11-2	Label "Mark A" to IEC 34-11-2	
Environment	•					
Conforming to standards			UL508/CSA IEC 34-11-2 VDE 0660	UL508/CSA IEC 34-11-2 VDE 0660	UL508/CSA IEC 34-11-2 VDE 0660	
Approvals			CSA, UL	CSA, UL, PTB, R	INA, BV, GL, DNV, LROS	
Degree of protection			IP 20 conforming to IEC 529, VDE 0106			
C€ marking			LT3S• protection units have been designed to comply with the basic recommendations of European directives relating to low voltage and EMC. Therefore, LT3S• products bear the European Community C6 mark.			
Ambient air temperature around the device	Storage Conforming to IEC 68-2-1/68-2-2	°F °C	40 to 185 - 40+ 85			
	Operation	°F °C	-10 to 140 - 25+ 60			
Maximum operating altitude	Without derating With derating	m	1500 Up to 3000 m, the maximum permissible ambient air temperature for operation (60 °C) must be reduced by 5 °C per additional 500 m above 1500 m			
Vibration resistance	Conforming to IEC 68-2-6		2.5 g (225 Hz) 1 g (25150 Hz)			
Shock resistance	Conforming to IEC 68-2-27		5 g (11 ms)			
Operating positions without derating	In relation to normal vertical mounting position		Any			

Rated control circuit voltage (Uc)	$\sim$ 50/60 Hz 0.851.1 of Nominal Voltage	Single voltage Dual voltage Multi-voltage	v	115 or 230 - -	_ 115/230 24230	400 115/230, 24/48 24230
	 0.851.25 Uc	Single voltage Dual voltage Multi-voltage	v	24 _ _	_ 24/48 24230	_ 24/48 24230
Average consumption	Sealed	$\sim$	VA	< 2.5	< 2.5	< 2.5
			w	< 1	< 1	< 1

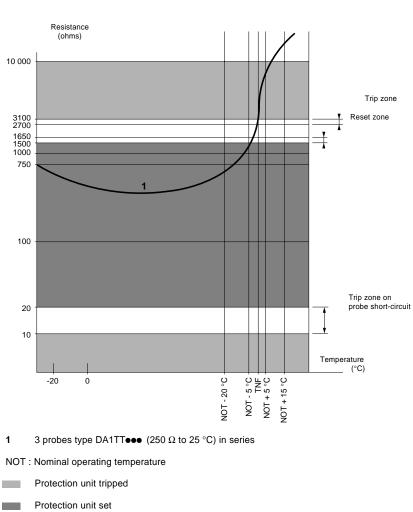


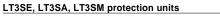
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## LT3S protection unit/thermistor probe combination

Guaranteed operating zones : examples with 3 probes type DA1TTeee (250  $\Omega$  to 25 °C) in series, conforming to IEC 34-11-2, mark A.



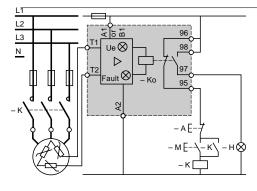


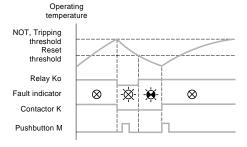
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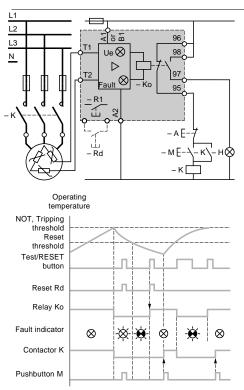
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## LT3SA Protection Relays





## LT3SM Protection Relays



### Starting

The LT3SA is normally energized and its internal relay is in the pre-energized position.

The motor is started by operating pushbutton M and automatically held in by K (3-wire control circuit).

#### Thermal fault

The rapid increase in resistance of the PTC probes at the moment their temperature reaches the nominal operating temperature is detected by the LT3SA unit and causes the relay to drop out; indicator H comes on, as does the built-in indicator on unit LT3SA.

Contactor K drops out and pressing button M has no effect. Falt indicator will illuminate when the thermistor relay trips.

#### Reset

As the motor cools it reaches the reset threshold, 2 to  $3^\circ$  C below the nominal operating temperature. The relay resets and the motor can be started by pressing button M.

Operation is very similar to that described above, except for the following:

### Reset

After tripping on thermal fault and cooling to the reset threshold, the Test/RESET button on the unit (R1) or a remote reset button (Rd) must be pressed to energize the relay.

The fault is therefore memorized, even though the temperature of the probes has dropped to well below the reset threshold.

#### Signalling circuit

Since the relay has 2 separate contacts, the signalling voltage may be different from the contactor control voltage.

### Test

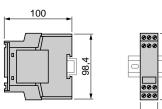
Pressing the Test/RESET button simulates a fault and causes the relay to drop out: the FAULT indicator comes on, as does the remote signalling indicator. The unit is reset by pressing the Test/RESET button again.

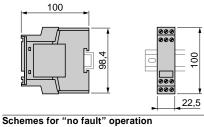


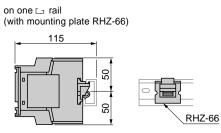
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# LT3 Protection Relays Dimensions and Wiring Diagrams

Dimensions LT3SE, SA, SM Mounting on rail AM1-DP200

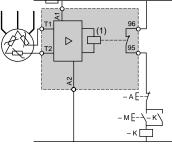


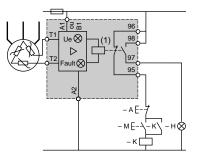


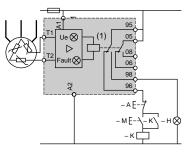


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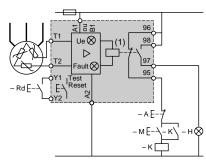
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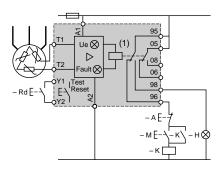


LT3SM dual voltage and 400 V (without B1)



## LT3SM multi-voltage

LT3SA dual voltage



Contacts shown in Energized State

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