

Specifications



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Eaton 168485

Eaton Moeller series Molded case circuit breaker, Electronic, NZMN3, 450 A, Three-pole, 690 V, Screw connection, plug-in technology

General specifications

PRODUCT NAME	Eaton Moeller series NZM molded case circuit breaker electronic
CATALOG NUMBER	168485
MODEL CODE	NZMN3-ME450-SVE
EAN	4015081649655
PRODUCT LENGTH/DEPTH	335 mm
PRODUCT HEIGHT	215.2 mm
PRODUCT WIDTH	140 mm
PRODUCT WEIGHT	7.72 kg
COMPLIANCES	RoHS conform
CERTIFICATIONS	IEC IEC/EN 60947

Additional information

FUNCTIONS

Motor protection
Phase failure sensitive

Delivery programme

ACCESSORIES REQUIRED NZM3-XSVS

AMPERAGE RATING 450 A

APPLICATION Use in unearthed supply systems at 690 V

CIRCUIT BREAKER FRAME TYPE NZM3

FITTED WITH: Thermal protection

NUMBER OF POLES Three-pole

RELEASE SYSTEM Electronic release

SPECIAL FEATURES

- Maximum back-up fuse, if the expected short-circuit currents at the installation location exceed the switching capacity of the circuit breaker (Rated short-circuit breaking capacity I_{cn})
- Rated current = rated uninterrupted current: 450 A
- Terminal capacity hint: Up to 240 mm² can be connected depending on the cable manufacturer.
- Tripping class 10 A
- IEC/EN 60947-4-1, IEC/EN 60947-2
- The circuit-breaker fulfills all requirements for AC-3 switching category.

TYPE Circuit breaker

Design verification to IEC/EN 61439

10.10 TEMPERATURE RISE	The panel builder is responsible for the temperature rise calculation. Eaton will provide heat dissipation data for the devices.
10.11 SHORT-CIRCUIT RATING	Is the panel builder's responsibility. The specifications for the switchgear must be observed.
10.12 ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY	Is the panel builder's responsibility. The specifications for the switchgear must be observed.
10.13 MECHANICAL FUNCTION	The device meets the requirements, provided the information in the instruction leaflet (IL) is observed.
10.2.2 CORROSION RESISTANCE	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.2.3.1 VERIFICATION OF THERMAL STABILITY OF ENCLOSURES	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.2.3.2 VERIFICATION OF RESISTANCE OF INSULATING MATERIALS TO NORMAL HEAT	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.2.3.3 RESIST. OF INSUL. MAT. TO ABNORMAL HEAT/FIRE BY INTERNAL ELECT. EFFECTS	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.2.4 RESISTANCE TO ULTRA-VIOLET (UV) RADIATION	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.2.5 LIFTING	Does not apply, since the entire switchgear needs to be evaluated.
10.2.6 MECHANICAL IMPACT	Does not apply, since the entire switchgear needs to be evaluated.
10.2.7 INSCRIPTIONS	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.3 DEGREE OF PROTECTION OF ASSEMBLIES	Does not apply, since the entire switchgear needs to be evaluated.
10.4 CLEARANCES AND CREEPAGE DISTANCES	Meets the product standard's requirements.
10.5 PROTECTION	Does not apply, since the

Design verification to IEC/EN 61439 - technical data

AMBIENT OPERATING TEMPERATURE - MAX	70 °C
AMBIENT STORAGE TEMPERATURE - MAX	70 °C
AMBIENT OPERATING TEMPERATURE - MIN	-25 °C
AMBIENT STORAGE TEMPERATURE - MIN	-40 °C
EQUIPMENT HEAT DISSIPATION, CURRENT-DEPENDENT	60.75 W
RATED OPERATIONAL CURRENT FOR SPECIFIED HEAT DISSIPATION (IN)	450 A

AGAINST ELECTRIC SHOCK	entire switchgear needs to be evaluated.
10.6 INCORPORATION OF SWITCHING DEVICES AND COMPONENTS	Does not apply, since the entire switchgear needs to be evaluated.
10.7 INTERNAL ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS AND CONNECTIONS	Is the panel builder's responsibility.
10.8 CONNECTIONS FOR EXTERNAL CONDUCTORS	Is the panel builder's responsibility.
10.9.2 POWER-FREQUENCY ELECTRIC STRENGTH	Is the panel builder's responsibility.
10.9.3 IMPULSE WITHSTAND VOLTAGE	Is the panel builder's responsibility.
10.9.4 TESTING OF ENCLOSURES MADE OF INSULATING MATERIAL	Is the panel builder's responsibility.

Technical data - electrical

AMPERAGE RATING	450 A
DIRECTION OF INCOMING SUPPLY	As required
ELECTRICAL CONNECTION TYPE OF MAIN CIRCUIT	Screw connection
HANDLE TYPE	Rocker lever
INSTANTANEOUS CURRENT SETTING (II) - MAX	5400 A
INSTANTANEOUS CURRENT SETTING (II) - MIN	900 A
ISOLATION	300 V AC (between the auxiliary contacts) 500 V AC (between auxiliary contacts and main contacts)
LIFESPAN, ELECTRICAL	2000 operations at 400 V AC-3 3000 operations at 690 V AC-1 2000 operations at 415 V AC-3 2000 operations at 690 V AC-3 5000 operations at 400 V AC-1 5000 operations at 415 V AC-1
NUMBER OF OPERATIONS PER HOUR - MAX	60
OVERLOAD CURRENT SETTING (IR) - MAX	450 A
OVERLOAD CURRENT SETTING (IR) - MIN	225 A
OVERVOLTAGE CATEGORY	III
POLLUTION DEGREE	3
RATED IMPULSE WITHSTAND VOLTAGE (UIMP) AT AUXILIARY CONTACTS	6000 V
RATED IMPULSE WITHSTAND VOLTAGE (UIMP) AT MAIN CONTACTS	8000 V
RATED INSULATION VOLTAGE (UI)	1000 V
RATED OPERATING	132 kW

Technical data - mechanical

CLIMATIC PROOFING	Damp heat, cyclic, to IEC 60068-2-30 Damp heat, constant, to IEC 60068-2-78
DEGREE OF PROTECTION	IP20 (basic degree of protection, in the operating controls area) IP20
DEGREE OF PROTECTION (IP), FRONT SIDE	IP40 (with insulating surround) IP66 (with door coupling rotary handle)
DEGREE OF PROTECTION (TERMINATIONS)	IP10 (tunnel terminal) IP00 (terminations, phase isolator and strip terminal)
LIFESPAN, MECHANICAL	15000 operations
MOUNTING METHOD	Plug-in unit Built-in device plug-in technique
PROTECTION AGAINST DIRECT CONTACT	Finger and back-of-hand proof to VDE 0106 part 100
SHOCK RESISTANCE	20 g (half-sinusoidal shock 20 ms)

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- Tripping class 10 A
- IEC/EN 60947-4-1, IEC/EN 60947-2
- The circuit-breaker fulfills all

POWER AT AC-3, 230 V	
RATED OPERATING POWER AT AC-3, 400 V	250 kW
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT BREAKING CAPACITY ICS (IEC/EN 60947) AT 230 V, 50/60 HZ	85 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT BREAKING CAPACITY ICS (IEC/EN 60947) AT 400/415 V, 50/60 HZ	35 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT BREAKING CAPACITY ICS (IEC/EN 60947) AT 440 V, 50/60 HZ	35 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT BREAKING CAPACITY ICS (IEC/EN 60947) AT 525 V, 50/60 HZ	13 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT BREAKING CAPACITY ICS (IEC/EN 60947) AT 690 V, 50/60 HZ	5 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT MAKING CAPACITY ICM AT 240 V, 50/60 HZ	187 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT MAKING CAPACITY ICM AT 400/415 V, 50/60 HZ	105 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT MAKING CAPACITY ICM AT 440 V, 50/60 HZ	74 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT MAKING CAPACITY ICM AT 525 V, 50/60 HZ	53 kA
RATED SHORT-CIRCUIT MAKING CAPACITY ICM AT 690 V, 50/60 HZ	40 kA
RATED SHORT-TIME WITHSTAND CURRENT (T = 0.3 S)	3.3 kA
RATED SHORT-TIME WITHSTAND CURRENT (T = 1 S)	3.3 kA
SHORT-CIRCUIT TOTAL BREAKTIME	< 10 ms
UTILIZATION CATEGORY	A (IEC/EN 60947-2)
VOLTAGE RATING	690 V - 690 V

requirements for AC-3 switching category.

SWITCH OFF TECHNIQUE	Electronic
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Technical data - mechanical - terminals

OPTIONAL TERMINALS	Box terminal. Connection on rear. Tunnel terminal
STANDARD TERMINALS	Screw terminal
TERMINAL CAPACITY (ALUMINUM SOLID CONDUCTOR/CABLE)	16 mm ² (1x) at tunnel terminal
TERMINAL CAPACITY (ALUMINUM STRANDED CONDUCTOR/CABLE)	25 mm ² - 185 mm ² (1x) at tunnel terminal 50 mm ² - 240 mm ² (1x) at 2-hole tunnel terminal 50 mm ² - 240 mm ² (2x) at 2-hole tunnel terminal
TERMINAL CAPACITY (CONTROL CABLE)	0.75 mm ² - 2.5 mm ² (1x) 0.75 mm ² - 1.5 mm ² (2x)
TERMINAL CAPACITY (COPPER BUSBAR)	Min. 20 mm x 5 mm direct at switch rear-side connection M10 at rear-side screw connection Max. 30 mm x 10 mm + 30 mm x 5 mm direct at switch rear-side connection Max. 10 mm x 50 mm (2x) at rear-side width extension
TERMINAL CAPACITY (COPPER SOLID CONDUCTOR/CABLE)	16 mm ² (2x) at box terminal 300 mm ² (2x) at rear-side width extension 16 mm ² (1x) at tunnel terminal 16 mm ² (1x) direct at switch rear-side connection 16 mm ² (2x) direct at switch rear-side connection
TERMINAL CAPACITY (COPPER STRANDED CONDUCTOR/CABLE)	25 mm ² - 240 mm ² (1x) direct at switch rear-side connection 35 mm ² - 240 mm ² (1x) at box terminal 16 mm ² - 185 mm ² (1x) at 1-hole tunnel terminal 25 mm ² - 120 mm ² (2x) at box terminal 25 mm ² - 240 mm ² (2x) direct at switch rear-side connection
TERMINAL CAPACITY (COPPER STRIP)	Max. 10 segments of 32 mm x 1 mm + 5 segments of 32 mm x 1 mm at rear-side connection (punched)

Resources

BROCHURES	eaton-feerum-the-whole-grain-solution-success-story-en-us.pdf eaton-digital-nzm-brochure-br013003en-en-us.pdf
CATALOGUES	eaton-digital-nzm-catalog-ca013003en-en-us.pdf
DECLARATIONS OF CONFORMITY	eaton-molded-case-circuit-breaker-declaration-of-conformity-eu250293en.pdf
DRAWINGS	eaton-circuit-breaker-nzm-mccb-dimensions-020.eps eaton-circuit-breaker-switch-nzm-mccb-dimensions-016.eps eaton-general-ie-ready-dilm-contactor-standards.eps
ECAD MODEL	DA-CE-ETN.NZMN3-ME450-SVE
INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS	eaton-circuit-breaker-basic-device-nzmn-b-il01208009z.pdf eaton-circuit-breaker-plugin-adaptor-nzm2-il01219023z.pdf
INSTALLATION VIDEOS	Introduction of the new digital circuit breaker NZM The new digital NZM Range
MCAD MODEL	nzmh3_me220_sve.stp eaton-motor-protector-mcad-drawings-nzmh3-me220-sve.dwg
PEP ECO-PASSPORT	eaton-molded-case-switches-pep-eato-00219-v0101-en.pdf
TECHNICAL DATA SHEETS	eaton-nzm-technical-information-sheet

Max. 8 segments of 24 mm x 1 mm (2x) at box terminal
Min. 6 segments of 16 mm x 0.8 mm at rear-side connection (punched)
Max. 10 segments of 24 mm x 1 mm + 5 segments of 24 mm x 1 mm at box terminal
10 segments of 50 mm x 1 mm (2x) at rear-side width extension
Min. 6 segments of 16 mm x 0.8 mm at box terminal

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