Guide Form Specifications

Double Throw General Duty Heavy Duty Application General Duty Switches are intended for Heavy Duty Switches are intended for use in Double throw switches are intended to applications where reliable performance and applications where: transfer loads from one power source to continuity of service are needed, but where another. All 2 & 3 pole double throw switches 1. Rugged construction, reliable performance. duty requirements are not severe and usual are suitable for use as service equipment. All continuity of service and ease of mainteservice conditions prevail. (These switches are are UL Listed. Switches are rated for use on nance are emphasized, or intended for use primarily with supply systems with an available fault current of up 2. Available fault currents higher than 10,000A circuits rated 240V AC or less where the availto 10,000 AIC when protected with Class H are likely to be encountered, such as in able fault current is less than 100,000A when fuses or either 100,000 or 200,000 AIC when manufacturing plants, mass production used with Class R or T fuses or 10,000A max. protected with Class R. J or Class T fuses. They industries, and commercial, institution-al and can also be used to connect a single source of when used with Class H fuses.) other large buildings served by network syspower to either of two loads, In this application tems or transformers of higher capacities. it is necessary to field modify fusible switches 3. System voltage is 600V AC or DC Max. so that the fuses are on the load side of the switching mechanism. 4. A Type 12 or 4 / 4X enclosure is required. **Short Circuit** Suitable for use on systems capable of Suitable for use on systems capable of delivering not more than 200,000 RMS symmetrical Withstand delivering not more than 100,000 RMS amperes of fault current as follows: **Ratings** symmetrical amperes of fault current as Sw. Rating & Tpye **AIC Rating** Protective Device® follows: All Heavy Duty & DT 10.000 Circuit Breaker 30-600A HD & DT 10,000 Class H Fuse AIC Rating Sw. Rating Protective Device 1 60A Compact HD 100.000 Class R, J or T Fuse 30-600A 10,000 Circuit Breaker GD & 4P DT 100,000 Class R, J or T Fuse Class H Fuse 30-600A 10,000 30-600A HD 200.000 Class R. J or T Fuse 30-600A 100,000 Class R Fuse 30-600A DTF & DTNF DT² 200,000 Class R, J or T Fuse 100-600A 100,000 Class J or T Fuse 800 & 1200A HD & DT² 200,000 Class L or T Fuse **Fuses** Fusible switches will accept the following Fusible switches will accept the following Fusible switches will accept the following UL class fuses: UL class fuses: UL class fuses: 30 "LF" - 30A max plug Fuses 30-600A "HF" Class H & K, Class R with kit 30-200A "DT" & "F" Class H & K, Class R with kit 30-600A "GF" Class H & K, Class R with kit 30-600A, 600V "HF" Class J-move base 30 & 60A 600V "DT" Class J-move base 100-600A "GF" Class J-move base 100-600A, 240V "HF" Class J-move base 100-200A "DT" Class J-move base. Class T with kit 100-200 "GF" Class T with kit 100-200A "HF" Class T with kit 400-600A "DT" Class J-standard, Class T-move bases 400-600A "GF" Class T-move bases 400-600A "HF" Class T-move bases 400A 240v "F" Class H-standard 400A, 600V & 600A "F" Class T-Standard 800-1200A "HF" Class L, Class T with kit® Cover Dual cover interlocks standard on all double Voidable – cover interlocks on switches pre-Voidable dual cover interlocks standard on Interlocks throw switches. Prevents cover from being vent the switch door from being opened when all heavy duty switches. Prevents cover from opened when switch is in the "ON" position in the "ON" position. No cover interlock on being opened when switch is in the "ON" 30A Type 3R or on plug fuse type switches. and prevents switch from being turned "ON" position and prevents switch from being when door is opened. turned "ON" when door is opened. **Underwriters**' Listed by UL under file #E4776 as enclosed switches and also suitable for use as service equipment (where applicable). Laboratories, Inc. UL98 Enclosed and Deadfront Switches. **NEMA** Meet NEMA standard KS-1-2001 for type GD Meet NEMA standard KS-1-2001 for type HD Meet NEMA standard KS-1-2001 type GD **Specifications** switches. for "DTG" & type HD for "DT", "F" & "NF" switches. Seismic All GD & HD switches and "DT" type double throw switches have been tested and comply with the 2010 California Building Code (CBC) Qualifications and with the 2009 International Building Code (IBC) - Compliance Level SDS = 1.85 g Groundable Fusible switches have groundable neutral All switches (both Fusible and Non-Fusible) All except 4 pole switches will accept field Neutral blocks factory installed. Non-fusible switches are either supplied with factory installed neuaddable neutrals except that "DTG" 100 & (All neutrals are accept field addable neutrals. trals or accept field addable neutrals. 200A switches are also available with factory bondable for service installed neutrals. entrance use.) Padlockable cover latch and multiple OFF pad-**Padlocks** Padlockable cover latch. OFF padlock Padlockable cover latch and multiple OFF padlock provisions on handle. provisions on handle. lock provisions on handle. **HP & Load** All General Duty, Heavy Duty and Double Throw Switches are both load break and horsepower rated. **Break Ratings**

The protective device can either be a fuse installed in a fusible switch or an upstream fuse or circuit breaker protecting a non-fusible switch. The ampere rating of the

upstream protective device must not exceed the switch ampere rating.

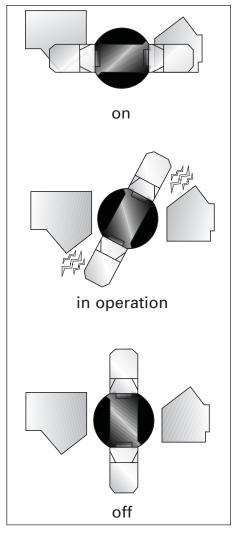
② All 4 pole and fusible double switches with catalog numbers starting with "F" are rated 100,000 AlC max.

[®] Class T kit available for 240V max. applications on 1200A switches.

Feature Comparison

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General Duty	Heavy Duty	Double Throw	Features / Ratings	
			30 thru 600 Amps	
			800 and 1200 Amps	
			240 Volt AC	
			600 Volt AC	
			250 Volt DC	
			600 Volt DC	
•	•	•	Double-break visible blade design (30-200A)	
			Quick-make, quick-break switching action	
			Highly visible ON/OFF handle indication	
			Handle design for hook stick operation	
			Padlockable cover latch	
	•		Padlockable handle	
3			Single voidable cover interlock	
			Dual voidable cover interlock	
			Type 1 enclosure	
	•		Type 3R enclosure	
			Type 12 enclosure	
	•		Type 4 / 4X enclosures	
•	•	•	Generous wiring gutters that meet UL and NEC wire-bending space requirements	
•	•	•	Lugs suitable for copper or aluminum at 60° or 75°C	
•	•	•	CU/AL wire lugs that meet UL 486B requirements	
	•	•	Suitable for field-convertible compression connectors	
•6	•	•	All plated copper current carrying parts (except lugs)	
•	•	•	Spring reinforced Fuse Clips (except 30A general duty) ²	
	•		Clear pivoting line terminal shield	
	•		Replacement parts	
			Field addable 200% neutral	
• ⑦	- 107	- 107	Provisions for UL Class T, R and H Fuses	
		•①	Provisions for UL Class J and L Fuses	
			Metal nameplate	
60-600A			Aux. switch kits	
	4		Type 4X with stainless steel interior parts	
5	•		Rolled flange enclosure design (30-200A)	
			Isolated ground kits	



Double Break Switching Action

Like the time-proven Vacu-Break Design, the Siemens VBII double break switching action breaks the arc in two places in 30-200A ratings. This reduces heat generation and increases switching speed by doubling the breaking distance. The result is enhanced performance and increased longevity. We also provide the most visible blade design available today. Unlike conventional knife blade switches, the blades are self-aligning to ensure positive contact. In addition, they have no wear and friction point since the "electrical hinge" has been eliminated. The result is a very fast, positive and reliable switching action for even the most severe applications.

 ^{0 400, 600}V & 600A fusible, double-throw switches accept only Class J or T fuses. Only 800 & 1200A HD switches will accept Class L fuses.

② 30A general duty switches have fuse clips constructed of spring type copper.

[®] Not supplied on 30A outdoor & plug fuse switches.
@ 30-200A Type VBII in stainless steel enclosures.
® 60-200A.

^{© 200}A general duty switches have aluminum neutral assemblies.

^{© 100-600}A GD & DT and 100-1200A HD switches will accept Class T fuses.

General Duty and Heavy Duty

Enclosure Types

- Type 1 enclosures are intended for indoor use primarily to provide protection against contact with the enclosed equipment in locations where unusual service conditions do not exist.
- B **Type 3R** enclosures are intended for outdoor use primarily to provide a degree of protection against falling rain and sleet and must remain undamaged by the formation of ice on the enclosure. They are not intended to provide protection against conditions such as dust, internal condensation, or internal icing.
- Type 4, 4X enclosures are intended for indoor or outdoor use primarily to provide a degree of protection against windblown dust, rain, splashing water and hose-directed water. They are not intended to provide protection against conditions such as internal condensation or internal icing. Also meets 4X definition by providing a high degree of protection against corrosion. Siemens 30-200A stainless steel 4X switches are supplied stainless interior parts and hardware as standard.
- Type 4 enclosures are intended for indoor or outdoor use primarily to provide a degree of protection against windblown dust, rain, splashing water and hose-directed water. They are not intended to provide protection against conditions such as internal condensation or internal icing.
- E Type 12[®] enclosures are intended for indoor use primarily to provide a degree of protection against dust, falling dirt and dripping water. They are not intended to provide protection against conditions such as internal condensation.

Type 7/9 enclosures for use in hazardous locations. Use with molded case switches listed in Section 7.



All Siemens safety switches are load break rated. The load break rating is assigned by UL after the switching unit has successfully performed the following tests:

Switch	Number of ON/OFF				
Ampere Rating	Operations per Minute	With Current	Without Current	Total	
30–100	6	6000	4000	10000	
200	5	6000	2000	8000	
400	4	1000	5000	6000	
600	3	1000	4000	5000	
800	2	500	3000	3500	
1200	1	500	2000	2500	

Horsepower Ratings

All Siemens safety switches, where appropriate, are horsepower rated. Ratings are approved by UL only after the switching unit has undergone testing to determine its acceptability which includes repeated interruption of the locked rotor current of the motor for which it is to be rated as follows:

Max HP Rating	Number of ON/OFF Operations per minute	Number of Cycles of Operation
100	6	50
500	1	10









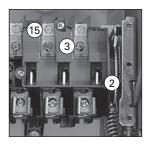
Non-Fusible Safety Switch AIC Ratings When Protected by a Circuit Breaker²³

Breaker Frame	Non-Fused Switch	UL Listed Short Circuit Current Rating
NEG, NGB, ED4	30 DT (240V)	18 kA Thru 240 VAC
NEB, NEG, NGG, NGB, ED4	60-100A GD & DT (240V)	18 kA Thru 240 VAC
NEB, NEG, NGG, NGB, ED4	30-100A HD & DT (600V)	18 kA Thru 480 VAC
ED6	30-100A HD & DT (600V)	18 kA Thru 600 VAC
FD6-A, JD6-A	200A HD & DT (600V)	18 KA Thru 600 VAC
JD6-A, LD6-A	400A GD & DT (240V)	18 kA Thru 240 VAC
JD6-A, LD6-A	400A HD & DT (600V)	18 kA Thru 600 VAC
LD6-A	600A GD & DT (240V)	25kA Thru 240 VAC
LD6-A	600A HD & DT (600V)	25kA Thru 600 VAC
NNG	1200A HD & DT (600V)	25 kA Thru 600 VAC

VBII Type 12 switches are also rated 3R & 3S for outdoor use. Type 3R is defined in B above. 3S rated enclosures provide a degree of protection against windblown dust and allow operation when the enclosure is ice laden.

² All switches above are rated at 10 KA when protected by any UL Listed CB

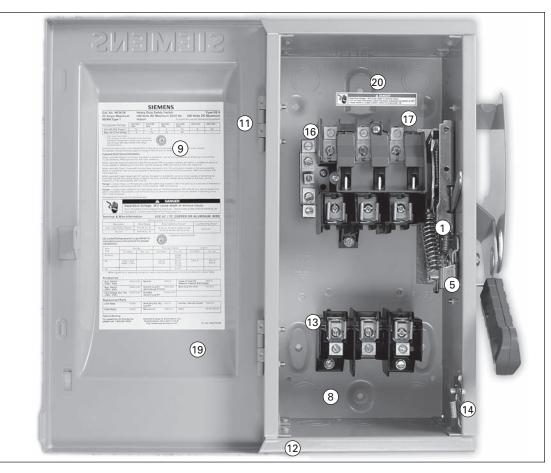
³ Circuit breaker trip rating must not exceed switch ampere rating











- Quick-make, quick-break operating mechanism that ensures positive operation.
- 2. Visible blade, double-break switching action.
- 3. Arc chutes dissipate heat and prolong switch life.
- **4.** Highly visible red handle grip. Designed for hook stick operation.
- 5. Defeatable dual cover interlock.
- Center punch provided for field drilling to allow ON padlocking.
- 7. Handle can be padlocked in the OFF position with up to (3) padlocks with 5/16" hasps.
- Generous top, bottom and side gutters that meet or exceed NEC wire-bending space requirements.
- 9. Informative door labeling which includes replacement parts list.
- Tangential knockouts through 600A for easy conduit lineup.
- **11.** Side-hinged door that opens past 180 degrees for easier wiring.

- Unique enclosure design increases rigidity and prevents cuts and scrapes to conductors and installer's hands.
- **13.** Spring reinforced fuse clips that assure reliable contact for cool operation.
- Door latch securely holds door closed and allows cover padlocking.
- **15.** Front removable mechanical lugs that are suitable for CU/Al 60 or 75° C conductors.
- **16.** Lugs are field convertible to copper body and to a wide variety of compression connectors.
- Hinged clear line terminal shield with probe holes for inspecting or testing line side terminals.
- Embossed aluminum nameplate on Heavy Duty Switches provides highly visible ON/OFF indication.
- **19.** Drawn cover for increased rigidity and resistance to abuse.
- **20.** Top key hole and bottom mounting holes provide easy 2 or 3 point mounting.

Heavy Duty Safety Switches

Special Application Switches / Interlocked Receptacle Switches

Application

Receptacle Safety Switches provide cord connection protection of heavy-duty portable equipment (welders, infrared ovens, batch feeders, portable conveyors, assembly line fixtures and tools, refrigerator trucks, etc.) under load or fault conditions.

Standards

All receptacle switches are UL listed under file #E4776. Those with a viewing window are also CSA certified under file #1079316.

Description[®]

Type 12 and 4/4X Receptacle Safety Switches are available with 3-phase, 4-wire grounded type Crouse-Hinds Arkite™ 2 or Pyle-National receptacle, pre-wired and mounted with interlock linkage to the switch mechanism. Insertion or removal of the plug is prevented by the interlock linkage while the switch is in the "ON" position. Receptacle prevents operation of switch if incorrect plug is inserted.



crouse-		d Receptacle Sw	itches	
Amnara	Type 12 [®]	Type 4/4X [®]	Shipping Wt. (lbs.)	Accepts Crouse-Hinds Arktite [®] Plug
Ampere Rating ^④	Catalog Number	Catalog Number	Std. Pkg.	Catalog Number
240V Fusi	ble, 3-Pole, 3-Wire			
30	HF321JCH	HF321SCH▲	23	APJ3485 & NPJ3485
60	HF322JCH	HF322SCH▲	30	APJ6485 & NPJ6485
100	HF323JCH	HF323SCH▲	36	APJ10487 & NPJ10487
600V Fusi	ble, 3-Pole, 3-Wire			
30	HF361JCH	HF361SCH	24	APJ3485 & NPJ3485
60	HF362JCH	HF362SCH	30	APJ6485 & NPJ6485
100	HF363JCH	HF363SCH▲	36	APJ10487 & NPJ10487
600V Non	-Fusible, 3-Pole, 3-V	Vire		
30	HNF361JCH▲	HNF361SCH▲	22	APJ3485 & NPJ3485
60	HNF362JCH	HNF362SCH	29	APJ6485 & NPJ6485
100	HNF363JCH▲	HNF363SCH▲	35	APJ10487 & NPJ10487
300V Fusi	ble, 3-Pole, 3-Wire v	vith Viewing Windov	V	
30	HF361JCHW▲	HF361SCHW▲	24	APJ3485 & NPJ3485
60	HF362JCHW	HF362SCHW	30	APJ6485 & NPJ6485
100	HF363JCHW▲	HF363SCHW▲	36	APJ10487 & NPJ10487
600V Non	-Fusible, 3-Pole, 3-V	Vire with Viewing Wi	ndow	
30	HNF361JCHW▲	HNF361SCHW▲	22	APJ3485 & NPJ3485
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60	HNF362JCHW	HNF362SCHW▲	29	APJ6485 & NPJ6485

Pyle-National Interlocked Receptacle Switches 3-Poles Fusible and Non-Fusible

	e Rating Receptacle	Voltage Rating	Type 12 Catalog Number ^⑤	Type 12 Stainless Steel Catalog Number®	Shipping Wt. (lbs.) Std. Pkg.	Accepts Pyle-National QuelArc™②③ Plugs Plug Catalog Number
30	30	600 (F) 600 (N-F)	HF361JPN▲ HNF361JPN	HF361SPN▲ HNF361SPN	23 21	JPD-83046
60	60	240 (F) 600 (F) 600 (N-F)	HF322JPN▲ HF362JPN▲ HNF362JPN	— HF362SPN▲ HNF362SPN	28 28 27	JPD-116046

[▲] Built to order. Allow 6-8 weeks for delivery.

Hinds Company. Plugs are not sold or supplied by

² Indicates plug with maximum diameter cable bushing.

③ QuelArc[™] is a registered trademark of the Pyle-National Company.

[@] Ampere rating of both switch and receptacle.

Also rated Type 3R/3S.

[®] Enclosure is constructed of Type 304 stainless steel.