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# **DATA SHEET**

residual current operated circuit-breakers with integral overcurrent protection DRCBO 3 C16/0,03/1N-AC sensitive to residual currents Type AC, characteristic C Article number 09933124



### Function

RCCB/MCB combinations (RCBO) are residual current operated circuit-breakers with integral overcurrent protection for protecting systems in the event of a short-circuit and overload as per the requirements of VDE 0100 Part 430, and for protecting persons, farm animals and material items in the event of earth leakage currents as per VDE 0100 Part 410. Overload tripping occurs at currents in the overload range through a short-time delayed, heat-sensitive bimetal trip and at short-circuit currents through an electromagnetic instantaneous trip. The high-quality residual current operated circuit-breakers with integral overcurrent protection from series DRCBO 3 are independent of the mains voltage and have a high switching capacity of 10 kA. The green–red contact position indicator and the residual current tripping indicator allow for a quick overview of the operating status of the devices. Two features make mounting and removal easier: terminal protection against wires being lodged behind them and the tri-stable snap-in slider. Switches with residual current characteristic AC only detect AC residual currents. They cannot detect pulsating DC residual currents so are not permitted for use as residual current operated protective devices in Germany. They are therefore only available as export models. RCBOs with tripping characteristic C are primarily suitable for power circuits with high switch-on or peak currents, as their short-circuit trip value is five to ten times the rated current. Devices in standard design are intended for monitoring circuits with a rated voltage of 230 V or 400 V and a rated frequency of 50 Hz.

### **Features**

auxiliary-voltage-independent tripping, sensitive to AC residual currents (type AC), compact design for all rated currents, high short-circuit resistance, green/red switching position indicator, residual current tripping indicator, Strain-relief clamps with protection against wires being lodged behind them and wide terminal cross-section range for rail and line wiring on both connection sides, Use of conventional wiring rails possible, Neutral conductor right, tri-stable snap-in slider for easy mounting and removal, high electromagnetic compatibility (immunity to interference for industrial applications)

#### Mounting

quick fastening to mounting rail, any installation position, supply as desired

### **Applications**

Power supplies to residential and purpose-built buildings as well as industrial facilities with TN-S, TT and TN-C-S networks. In IT networks, the RCBOs of this series can be set to switch off in the event of a second fault, Not permitted for use in TN-C networks and for protecting systems in which electronic equipment may cause pulsating or smooth DC residual currents or residual currents with frequencies not equal to 50 Hz. Comprehensive protection is not provided with an RCCB type AC. For these applications we recommend our residual current operated circuit-breakers with integral overcurrent protection Type A or our AC-DC sensitive RCBO Type B.

#### Accessories

auxiliary switches DHi, wiring components RCCB and MCB busbars 2-pole, wiring components RCCB and MCB busbars 4-pole, operating current trip FAM, auxiliary switches Hi, restart locks RH-SPE

### **Technical Data**

Technical Data	DRCBO 3 C16/0,03/1N-AC
Series	DRCBO 3
Number of poles	1+N
Residual current type	AC
Rated current (AC)	16 A
Rated residual current IΔn	0.03 A
Short-time delayed	false

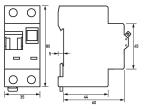
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Technical Data	DRCBO 3 C16/0,03/1N-AC
Selective	false
min. Operating voltage range of test circuit	196 V
max. Operating voltage range of test circuit	253 V
Tripping characteristic	C
	load circuit
Specification	load disconnect contact
Rated voltage (AC)	230 V
Rated current (AC)	16 A
Rated short-circuit current	10 kA
Surge current strength	0.25 kA
max. Total rated switching capacity	10 kA
Rated insulation voltage	440 V
Rated impulse withstand voltage	4 kV
Rated frequency	50 Hz
Current heat loss per current path	1.8 W
Back-up fuse type	gG
Overvoltage class	
	screw-type terminal top, bottom (load circuit)
Neutral conductor position	right
Connection C1 Maximum number of conductors per terminal	2 (conductors of same type and cross-section)
Cross section solid	1-wire: 1 mm <sup>2</sup> 25 mm <sup>2</sup>
Connecting capacity flexible	1-wire: 1 mm <sup>2</sup> 16 mm <sup>2</sup>
Cross section stranded	1-wire: 1 mm <sup>2</sup> 16 mm <sup>2</sup>
Tightening torque	2 Nm 2.4 Nm
	General data
Mechanical endurance	min. 10000 switching cycles
Electrical endurance	min. 4000 switching cycles
Storage temperature	-35 °C 60 °C
Ambient temperature	-25 °C 40 °C
Climate resistance	According to IEC 68-2 (25–55°C / 90–95% RH)
Housing type	distribution board housing
Installation type	Mounting rail (35 mm)
Housing material	thermoplastic
Protection class	IP20 (installed: IP40)
Width	35 mm
Height	80 mm
Depth	74 mm
Installation depth	68 mm
Module widths	2
Weight	0.214 kg
Design requirements/Standards	EN 61009-1, EN 61009-2-1
Power limitation category	3
Degree of pollution	2

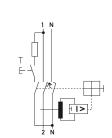
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## Dimensions



Dimensional drawing Group view

Wiring example



Wiring diagram