# Instructions for A200 Size 2, 3 Pole Motor Controller



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Fig. 1 Size 2 A200 Motor Controller (Type B Overload Relay shown)

# THE CONTROLLER

The A200 motor controller, when wired as shown in Figure 6, will operate as a full voltage starter and will give protection against overload, but not against short circuit currents, when wired and provided with overload relay (OLR) heaters as listed in heater selection tables or when used with any means of inherent protection activated by motor temperature.

The controller should be protected against short circuits by providing branch circuit protection not to exceed the maximum protective device ratings listed in Table I.

CONTROLLER RATINGS				
	THREE PHASE HORSEPOWER AT			
NEMA	60 HERTZ		50 HERTZ	60 HERTZ
SIZE	200 V	230 V	380 V	460/575 V
2	10	15	25	25

This industrial type control is designed to be installed, operated, and maintained by adequately trained workmen. These instructions do not cover all details, variations, or combinations of the equipment, its storage, delivery, installation, check out, safe operation, or maintenance. Care must be exercised to comply with local, state, and national regulations, as well as safety practices, for this class of equipment.



Fig. 2 Dimension Drawing (Dim. in inches)

#### AUXILIARY CONTACTS - L56 (RATED B600)

An L56D with one normally open pole is supplied as the holding circuit auxiliary and is mounted in the upper left hand corner recess of the contactor. A maximum of four auxiliary units can be installed in the recesses of each contactor. These may be mounted with the terminals in line with the power poles or may be mounted with the terminals in a right angle relationship to the power poles. They mount by means of a spring clip which snaps into locations provided in the motor controller unit. To remove the L56 disengage the top spring clip, by pressing on the extended tab, and withdraw the unit.

L56 AUXILIARY CONTACTS					
Co	ntact Type	Catalog No.			
1 Normally Close	ed	L56E			
1 Normally Open	1 Normally Open				
2 Normally Close	L56C				
2 Normally Open	L56B				
1 Normally Open	L56				
L56 CONTACT RATINGS (B600)					
AC Volts	Make	Break			
24-120	30A	3A			
120-600	3600VA	360VA			

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## **TYPE B OVERLOAD RELAY (See Figure 1)**

This A200 motor controller is usually equipped with a Type B block type ambient compensated overload relay (with gray reset rod). The controller can also be supplied with a non-ambient compensated overload relay (with red reset rod). The relay is of the bimetal actuated type equipped with a normally closed control contact. An optional isolated normally open control circuit is available for field mounting. When the overload relay trips, a yellow dot will appear flush with the molded surface below the reset rod. Resetting the relay returns this indicator to its normal concealed position.

#### **TYPE A OVERLOAD RELAY (See Figure 3)**

The A200 motor controller can be equipped with a Type A block type non-ambient compensated overload relay (unmarked and with red reset rod) or with a block type temperature compensated overload relay (marked "ambient compensated" and with gray reset rod). The relay is of the bimetal actuated type equipped with trip indicator, trip adjustment covering  $\pm 15\%$  of rating and a normally closed control contact. It may be operated with either hand or automatic reset.

Reset operation is determined by the position of the plate on the load side of the overload base. Position the reset plate away from the panel to set the "hand" position. Loosen the locking screw, move the reset plate toward the panel, and retighten the screw to set the "auto" position.

Automatic reset should not be used with 2-wire control circuits where automatic starting of the motor may be hazardous.





#### **HEATERS**

Heaters are not included with the motor controller and must be ordered separately per the heater selection table and the information listed below. When installing heaters be sure that connecting surfaces are clean and heaters are attached securely to the relay in the proper location with the screws provided. The trip rating of a heater in a 40°C Ambient is 125% of the minimum full load current shown in Table I. When tested at 600 percent of its trip rating, the relay will trip in 20 seconds or less.

Heaters should be selected on the basis of the actual full load current and service factor as shown on the motor nameplate or in the manufacturer's published literature. When the service factor of the motor is 1.15 to 1.25, select heaters from the heater application table. If the service factor of the motor is 1.0, or there is no service factor shown, or a maximum of 115% protection is desired, select one size smaller heater than indicated. When motor and overload relay are in different ambients and when using non-compensated overload relays, select heaters from the table using adjusted motor currents as follows: decrease rated motor current 1% for each °C motor ambient exceeds controller ambient. Increase rated motor current 1% for each °C controller ambient exceeds motor ambient.

TABLE I — F SERIES HEATER SELECTION			
For compensated OLR's in any size enclosure, and non- compensated OLR's in enclosures with volume not less than 5500 cu. in. Wire with 75°C wire.			
Code Marking	Full Load Current of Motor (Amperes) (40°C Ambient)	Max. Protect. Device (Amp)	Load Wire Size
FH46 FH47 FH48 FH49	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	50 60 60 70	#12 #12 #12 #10
FH50 FH51 FH52 FH53	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	80 80 90 100	#10 #10 #8 #8
FH54 FH55 FH56 FH57	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	125 125 125 125 150	#8 #8 #6 #6
Above Heaters for use on Size 2			

**WARNING:** To provide continued protection against fire and shock hazard, the complete overload relay must be replaced if burnout of a current element occurs. See Table II.

TABLE II — REPLACEMENT OVERLOAD RELAY			
OVERLOAD RELAY	CATALOG NUMBER SIZE 2		
Type B Non-ambient Compensated	BN23A		
Type B Ambient Compensated	BA23A		
Type A Non-ambient Compensated	AN23A		
Type A Ambient Compensated	AA23A		

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OVERLOAD RELAY CONTROL CONTACT RATINGS				
	Normally Closed		Normally Open	
AC Volts	Make	Break	Make	Break
Туре А				
24-120	20A	2A	5A	.5A
120-600	2400VA	240VA	600VA	60VA
Туре В				
24-120	30A	3A	30A	3A
1260-600	3600VA	360VA	3600VA	360VA

# COIL

The A200 motor controller is available with a single or dual voltage coil. When equipped with a single voltage coil, the contactor is wired as shown in Figure 5. A connection diagram for a dual voltage coil is shown in Figure 4. When supplied with a dual voltage coil, the motor controller is normally wired for the high voltage connection. The wiring may be changed to the low voltage connection by removing and reconnecting the jumpers as illustrated below.





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NOTES: For separate control, remove lead "A".

CONNECT ONE LEAD OF SEPARATE CONTROL SUPPLY TO OL RELAY TERMINAL "X2" WHERE LEAD "A" WAS REMOVED AND OTHER LEAD TO TERM """ OF THE PUSH BUTTON STATION. (IF STARTER IS WIRED FOR SEPARATE CONTROL AT FACTORY, CONNECT CONTROL SUPPLY LEADS TO TERMINAL "X2" AND TER-MINAL "I" OF THE PB STATION).

Fig. 5 Connection Diagram (Type B overload relay shown)



Fig. 6 Control Station Connection Diagram

POWER CIRCUIT TERMINALS			
NEMA Size	Wire Size		
2	#12 - 3 AWG		

Wire with copper conductors only.

## TABLE IV — RECOMMENDED DRIVING TORQUE

Location (Qty.)	Driving Torque (Ibin.)	Fig. 7 Item
Cover Screw (2)	9—12	7
Coil Wire Connector (2)	9— 12	13
Stationary Contact Screw (6)	14—16	11
Main Power Connector (6)	40—50	4
Overload Relay Connecting Screws (3)	16—18	—
Overload Heater Fastening Screws (6)	16—18	

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# MAINTENANCE — First Turn Off Power

### **To Inspect Contacts**

Refer to Figure 7. Loosen the two arc box assembly screws (7) located immediately above and below the nameplate and remove the arc box (8). Contacts (5) are visible. Retighten the screws per Table IV.

#### To Replace Contacts

After removing the arc box and with replacement contacts at hand, compress the overtravel spring (12) and remove the moving contact (5) from the crossbar (6). Remove the retaining screws (11) and lift out the stationary contact carriers (14).

To replace contacts, reverse the above procedure, making sure that stationary contacts are secure, (see Table IV) moving contacts are free to move, overtravel springs are seated and the crossbar moves freely when the arc box is in position.

The silver cadmium oxide contact buttons need **NO** dressing or lubricant throughout their life. **Important** — Replace all contacts and springs as a group to avoid misalignment.

# To Replace The Coil

Refer to Figure 7. Loosen the assembly screws (10) located to the immediate left and right of the arc box. Remove connector straps to the overload relay. Pull the loosened upper base structure (9) forward. Pull the coil (1) from the upper base, plug in a new coil, replace the upper base structure and check the auxiliary contacts for secureness when repositioning the upper base. Tighten the assembly screws and the connector straps screws referring to Table IV.

## Magnet — Armature Assembly

Self alignment and permanent air gap features of the magnet armature make replacement unnecessary. Mating pole face surfaces should be kept clean.

Arcbox must be in place when controller interrupts a circuit.

TABLE V — ACCESSORIES				
Alarm Circuit Contact for Type B Overload Relay Rated B600 (1 normally open pole)Cat. No. B3NO				
Fuse Block Kits — Meet requirements of NEC concerning common control fusing.				
Order Cat. No.	Qty.	Descrip	tion	
F56	2	Contactor mounted Fuse Holder		
FKR	1	Panel mounted Fuse Class CC (Bussman	Holder for 2 KTKR) Fuses*	
* Use when available fault current exceeds 10,000 amperes.				
Order Fuses Separately By Ampere Rating.				
Controller Size 2	Size	Minimum Wire in Control Circuit #16 AWG	Suggested Fuse Size† 10 AMP	
†When using a control transformer, select fuse per the National Electrical Code.				

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