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DIMENSION **Q-Series**

QT20.241, QT20.241-C1

24V, 20A, THREE PHASE INPUT



POWER SUPPLY

- 3AC 380-480V Wide-range Input
- Also Specified for 2-Phase Operation
- Extra Long Lifetime
- 95% Full Load and Excellent Partial Load Efficiencies
- Width only 65mm, Weight only 870g
- 50% BonusPower®, 720W for up to 4s
- Active Power Factor Correction PFC
- Active Filtering of Input Transients
- Full Power Between -25°C and +60°C
- Extremely Low Input Inrush Current Surge
- DC-OK Relay Contact
- Quick-connect Spring-clamp Terminals
- 3 Year Warranty

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The most outstanding features of the DIMENSION Q-Series DIN-rail power supplies are the extremely high efficiencies and the compact sizes which are achieved by a synchronous rectification and other unique design details.

Large power reserves of 150% support the starting of heavy loads such as DC-motors or capacitive loads. In many cases this allows the use of a unit from a lower wattage class which saves space and money.

High immunity to transients and power surges as well as low electromagnetic emission makes usage in nearly every environment possible.

The integrated output power manager and virtually no input inrush current make installation and usage simple with no jumper and switches necessary. Diagnostics are easy due to the DC-ok relay, a green DC-OK LED and the red overload LED.

Unique quick-connect spring-clamp terminals allow a safe and fast installation and a large international approval package for a variety of applications makes this unit suitable for nearly every application.

SHORT-FORM DATA

Output voltage Adjustment range	DC 24V 24 - 28V	nominal
Output current	20 – 17.5A 30 – 26A	continuous short term (4s)
Output power	480W 720W	continuous short term (4s)
Output ripple	< 100mVpp	20Hz to 20MHz
Input voltage Mains frequency AC Input current Power factor AC Inrush current	3AC 380-480V 50-60Hz 0.79 / 0.65A 0.94 / 0.95 typ. 3A peak	±15% ±6% at 3x400 / 480Vac at 3x400 / 480Vac
Efficiency Losses	95.0 / 94.8% 25.3 / 26.4W	at 3x400 / 480Vac at 3x400 / 480Vac
Temperature range Derating	-25°C to +70°C 12W/°C	operational +60 to +70°C
Hold-up time	typ. 22 / 22ms	at 3x400 / 480Vac
Dimensions Weight	65x124x127mm 870g / 1.92lb	WxHxD

ORDER NUMBERS

Power Supply	**QT20.241**	24-28V Standard unit
	QT20.241-C1	24-28V Unit with conformal coated pc board
Accessory	ZM1.WALL	Wall mount bracket
	ZM14.SIDE	Side mount bracket
	UF20.241	Buffer unit
	YR40.241	Redundancy module

MARKINGS

c UL US LISTED IND. CONT. EQ.
UL 508

c US
UL 60950-1

c SP US
Class I Div 2

Power Standards Lab PSL SEMI F47

GL
Marine

CE
EMC, LVD

All parameters are specified at 24V, 20A, 3x 400Vac, 50Hz, symmetrical mains voltages, 25°C ambient and after a 5 minutes run-in time unless otherwise noted.

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TERMINOLOGY AND ABREVIATIONS

PE and ⏚ symbol	PE is the abbreviation for **P**rotective **E**arth and has the same meaning as the symbol ⏚.
Earth, Ground	This document uses the term "earth" which is the same as the U.S. term "ground".
T.B.D.	To be defined, value or description will follow later.
AC 400V	A figure displayed with the AC or DC before the value represents a nominal voltage with standard tolerances included. E.g.: DC 12V describes a 12V battery disregarding whether it is full (13.7V) or flat (10V)
400Vac	A figure with the unit (Vac) at the end is a momentary figure without any additional tolerances included.
50Hz vs. 60Hz	As long as not otherwise stated, AC 230V parameters are valid at 50Hz mains frequency.
may	A key word indicating flexibility of choice with no implied preference.
shall	A key word indicating a mandatory requirement.
should	A key word indicating flexibility of choice with a strongly preferred implementation.

1. INTENDED USE

This device is designed for installation in an enclosure and is intended for the general professional use such as in industrial control, office, communication, and instrumentation equipment.

Do not use this power supply in equipment, where malfunction may cause severe personal injury or threaten human life.

2. INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

This device may only be installed and put into operation by qualified personnel.

This device does not contain serviceable parts.

The tripping of an internal fuse is caused by an internal defect.

If damage or malfunction should occur during installation or operation, immediately turn power off and send unit to the factory for inspection.

Mount the unit on a DIN-rail so that the input terminals are located on the bottom of the unit. For other mounting orientations see de-rating requirements in this document. See chapter 22.13.

This device is designed for convection cooling and does not require an external fan. Do not obstruct airflow and do not cover ventilation grid (e.g. cable conduits) by more than 15%!

Keep the following installation clearances:
40mm on top,
20mm on the bottom,
5mm on the left and right sides are recommended when the device is loaded permanently with more than 50% of the rated power. Increase this clearance to 15mm in case the adjacent device is a heat source (e.g. another power supply).

Caution: For use in a controlled environment according to CSA 22.2 No 107.1-01.

⚠ WARNING Risk of electrical shock, fire, personal injury or death.

- Do not use the power supply without proper grounding (Protective Earth). Use the terminal on the input block for earth connection and not one of the screws on the housing.
- Turn power off before working on the device. Protect against inadvertent re-powering.
- Make sure that the wiring is correct by following all local and national codes.
- Do not modify or repair the unit.
- Do not open the unit as high voltages are present inside.
- Use caution to prevent any foreign objects from entering the housing.
- Do not use in wet locations or in areas where moisture or condensation can be expected.
- Do not touch during power-on, and immediately after power-off. Hot surfaces may cause burns.

Notes for use in hazardous location areas:

The QT20.241 is suitable for use in Class I Division 2 Groups A, B, C, D locations.

WARNING EXPLOSION HAZARDS!

Substitution of components may impair suitability for this environment. Do not disconnect the unit or operate the voltage adjustment unless power has been switched off or the area is known to be non-hazardous.

A suitable enclosure must be provided for the end product which has a minimum protection of IP54 and fulfils the requirements of the EN 60079-15:2010.

3. AC-INPUT

The unit is optimized to operate on a three phase system. An operation on only two legs of a three-phase system is possible with slightly different parameters. See chapter 22.4 for details.

AC input	nom.	3AC 380-480V	Wide-range input
AC input range	min.	3x 323-552Vac	Continuous operation
Suitable mains systems		TN, TT, IT	Line (L) must not be earthed (grounded)
Allowed voltage L to Earth	max.	400Vac	Continuous, IEC 60664-1
Input frequency	nom.	50–60Hz	±6%
Turn-on voltage	typ.	3x 263Vac	Steady-state value, load independent, see Fig. 3-1
Shut-down voltage	typ.	3x 242Vac	Steady-state value, load independent, see Fig. 3-1

		3AC 400V	3AC 480V	
Input current	typ.	0.79A	0.65A	At 24V, 20A, see Fig. 3-3
Power factor*)	typ.	0.94	0.95	At 24V, 20A, see Fig. 3-4
Start-up delay	typ.	350ms	290ms	See Fig. 3-2
Rise time	typ.	30ms	30ms	At 24V, 20A, only resistive load see Fig. 3-2
	typ.	40ms	40ms	At 24V, 20A, resistive load with an additional 20mF capacitor
Turn-on overshoot	max.	500mV	500mV	See Fig. 3-2

*) The power factor is the ratio of the true (or real) power to the apparent power in an AC circuit.

Fig. 3-1 **Input voltage range**

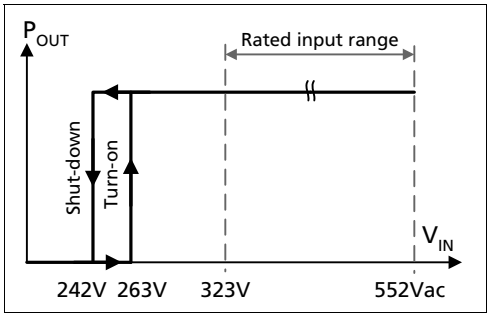


Fig. 3-2 **Turn-on behavior, definitions**

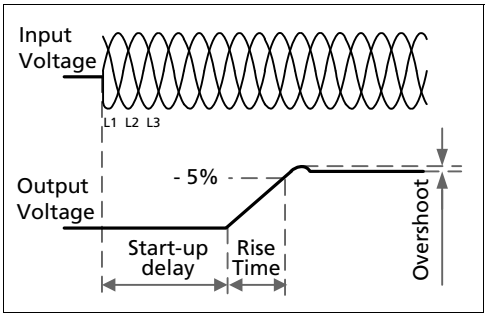


Fig. 3-3 **Input current vs. output load at 24V**

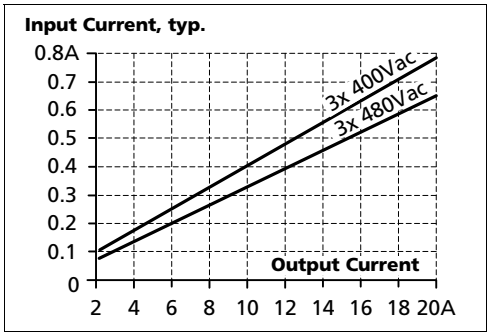
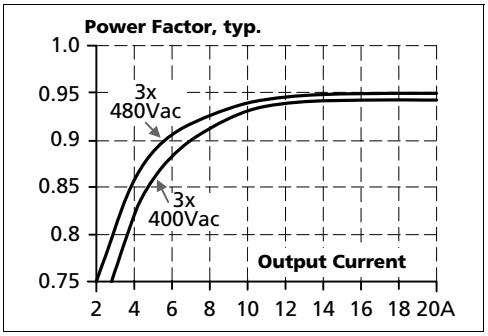


Fig. 3-4 **Power factor vs. output load at 24V**



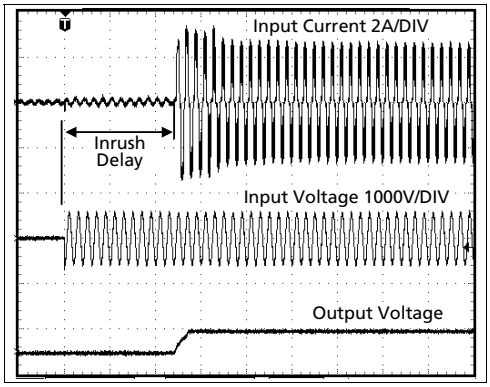
4. INPUT INRUSH CURRENT

The power supply is equipped with an active inrush current limitation circuit, which limits the input inrush current after turn-on and after short input voltage interruptions to a very low value.

		3AC 400V	3AC 480V	
Inrush current*)	max.	$10A_{peak}$	$10A_{peak}$	Over entire temperature range
	typ.	$3A_{peak}$	$3A_{peak}$	Over entire temperature range
Inrush energy	max.	$1A^2s$	$1A^2s$	Over entire temperature range
Inrush delay	typ.	270ms	220ms	

*) The charging current into EMI suppression capacitors is disregarded in the first microseconds after switch-on.

Fig. 4-1 **Typical turn-on behavior at nominal load and 25°C ambient temperature**



5. DC-INPUT

Do not operate this power supply with DC-input voltage.
Investigate using the QTD20.241 instead for DC-input voltages.

6. OUTPUT

Output voltage	nom.	24V	
Adjustment range	min.	24-28V	Guaranteed
	max.	30V***)	At clockwise end position of potentiometer
Factory setting	typ.	24.1V	±0.2%, at full load, cold unit
Line regulation	max.	10mV	At 3x 323-552Vac voltage change
Load regulation	max.	100mV	Static value, 0A→20A
Ripple and noise voltage	max.	100mVpp	20Hz to 20MHz, 50Ohm
Output current – continuous	nom.	20A	At 24V, see Fig. 6-1
	nom.	17.5A	At 28V, see Fig. 6-1
Output current – up to 4s*)	nom.	30A	At 24V, see Fig. 6-1 and Fig. 6-2
	nom.	26A	At 28V, see Fig. 6-1 and Fig. 6-2
Output power – continuous	nom.	480W	At 24-28V
Output power – up to 4s*)	nom.	720W*)	At 24-28V
BonusPower® time	typ.	4s	Duration until the output voltage dips, see Fig. 6-2
BonusPower® recovery time	typ.	7s	Overload free time to reset power manager, see Fig. 6-3
Overload behavior		cont. current	See Fig. 6-1
Short-circuit current**)	min.	20A	Continuous, load impedance 50mOhm, see Fig. 6-1
	max.	23A	Continuous, load impedance 50mOhm, see Fig. 6-1
	min.	30A	Short-term (4s), load impedance 50mOhm, see Fig. 6-1
	max.	34A	Short-term (4s), load impedance 50mOhm, see Fig. 6-1
	max.	25A	Continuous, load impedance <10mOhm
Output capacitance	typ.	950µF	Included in the power supply

*) **BonusPower®, short term power capability (up to typ. 4s)**
The power supply is designed to support loads with a higher short-term power requirement without damage or shutdown. The short-term duration is hardware controlled by an output power manager. This BonusPower® is repeatedly available. Detailed information can be found in chapter 22.1. If the power supply is loaded longer with the BonusPower® than shown in the bonus-time diagram (see Fig. 6-2), the max. output power is automatically reduced to 480W.

**) Discharge current of output capacitors is not included.

***) This is the maximum output voltage which can occur at the clockwise end position of the potentiometer due to tolerances. It is not guaranteed value which can be achieved. The typical value is about 28.5V.

Fig. 6-1 **Output voltage vs. output current, typ.**

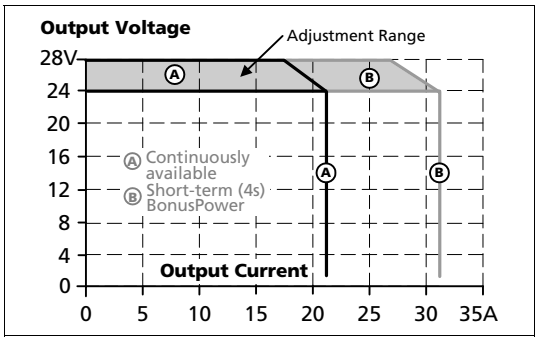


Fig. 6-2 **Bonus time vs. output power**

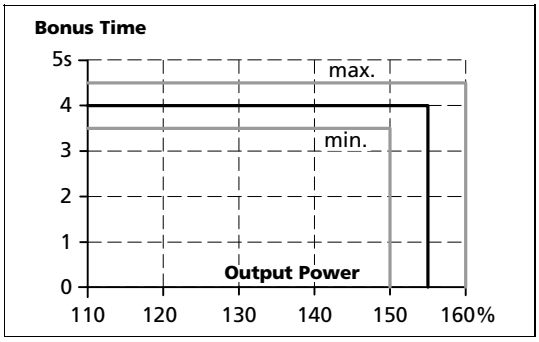
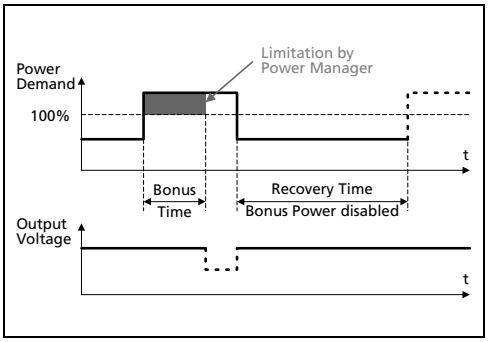


Fig. 6-3 **BonusPower® recovery time**



The BonusPower® is available as soon as power comes on and after the end of an output short circuit or output overload.

Fig. 6-4 **BonusPower® after input turn-on**

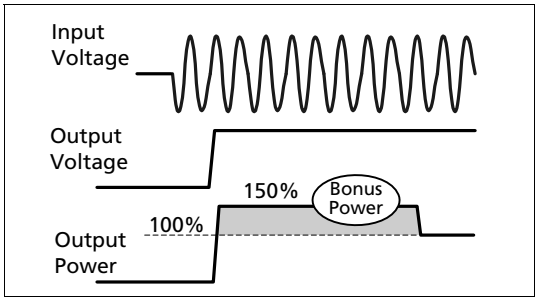
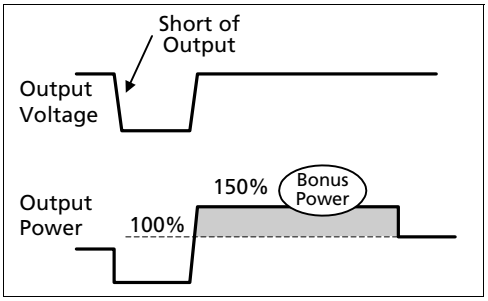


Fig. 6-5 **BonusPower® after output short**



7. HOLD-UP TIME

		3AC 400V	3AC 480V	
Hold-up Time	typ.	44ms	44ms	At 24V, 10A, see Fig. 7-1
	min.	36ms	36ms	At 24V, 10A, see Fig. 7-1
	typ.	22ms	22ms	At 24V, 20A, see Fig. 7-1
	min.	18ms	18ms	At 24V, 20A, see Fig. 7-1

Fig. 7-1 **Hold-up time vs. input voltage**

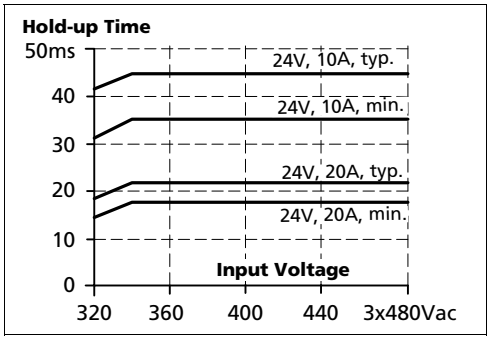
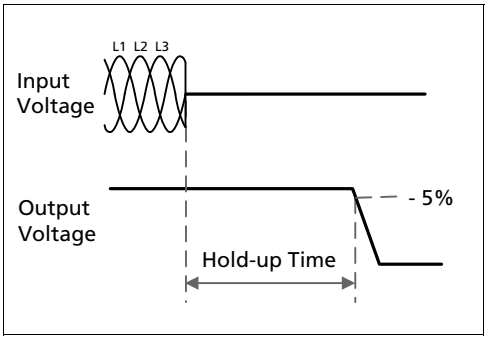


Fig. 7-2 **Shut-down behavior, definitions**

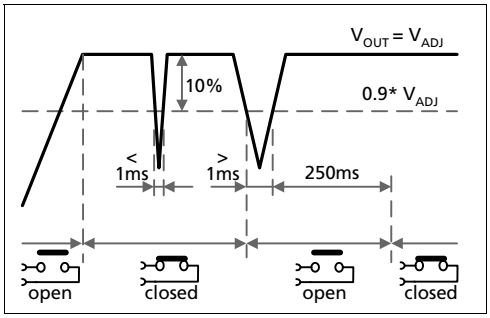


8. DC-OK RELAY CONTACT

This feature monitors the output voltage, which is produced by the power supply itself. It is independent of a back-fed voltage from a unit connected in parallel to the power supply output.

Contact closes	As soon as the output voltage reaches the adjusted output voltage.		
Contact opens	As soon as the output voltage dips more than 10% below the adjusted output voltage. Short dips will be extended to a signal length of 250ms. Dips shorter than 1ms will be ignored.		
Contact re-closes	As soon as the output voltage exceeds 90% of the adjusted voltage.		
Contact ratings	max.	60Vdc 0.3A, 30Vdc 1A, 30Vac 0.5A	Resistive load
	min.	1mA at 5Vdc	Min. permissible load
Isolation voltage	See dielectric strength table in section 18.		

Fig. 8-1 **DC-ok relay contact behavior**



9. EFFICIENCY AND POWER LOSSES

		3AC 400V	3AC 480V	
Efficiency	typ.	95.0%	94.8%	At 24V, 20A
Average efficiency*)	typ.	94.2%	93.6%	25% at 5A, 25% at 10A, 25% at 15A and 25% at 20A
Power losses	typ.	8.2W	10.0W	At 24V, 0A (no load)
	typ.	14.5W	16.0W	At 24V, 10A (half load)
	typ.	25.3W	26.4W	At 24V, 20A (full load)

*) The average efficiency is an assumption for a typical application where the power supply is loaded with 25% of the nominal load for 25% of the time, 50% of the nominal load for another 25% of the time, 75% of the nominal load for another 25% of the time and with 100% of the nominal load for the rest of the time.

Fig. 9-1 **Efficiency vs. output current at 24V, typ.**

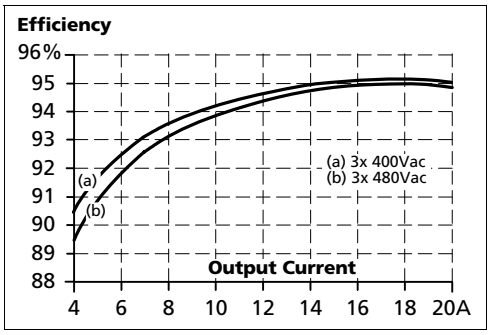


Fig. 9-2 **Losses vs. output current at 24V, typ.**

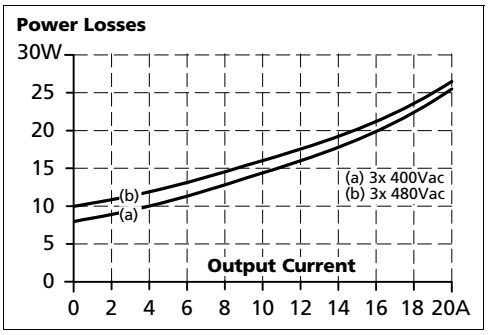


Fig. 9-3 **Efficiency vs. input voltage at 24V, 20A, typ.**

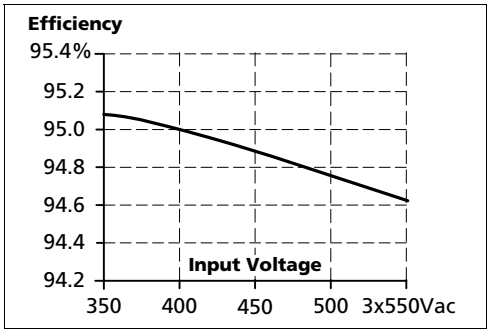
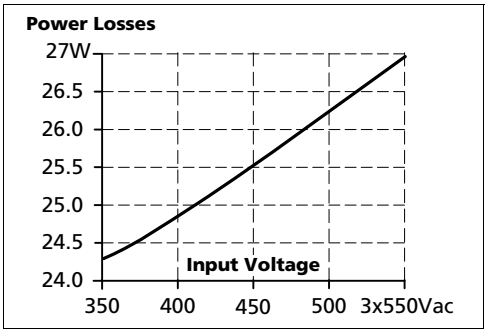


Fig. 9-4 **Losses vs. input voltage at 24V, 20A, typ.**



10. LIFETIME EXPECTANCY AND MTBF

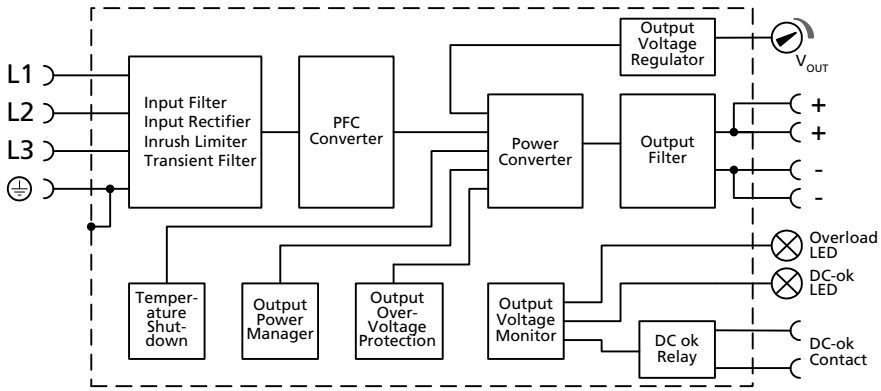
	3AC 400V	3AC 480V	
Calculated lifetime expectancy*)	495 000h *)	485 000h *)	At 24V, 10A and 25°C
	175 000h *)	171 000h *)	At 24V, 10A and 40°C
	297 000h *)	299 000h *)	At 24V, 20A and 25°C
	105 000h	106 000h	At 24V, 20A and 40°C
MTBF**) SN 29500, IEC 61709	1 194 000h	1 159 000h	At 24V, 20A and 25°C
	690 000h	670 000h	At 24V, 20A and 40°C
MTBF**) MIL HDBK 217F	389 000h	371 000h	At 24V, 20A and 25°C; Ground Benign GB25
	284 000h	271 000h	At 24V, 20A and 40°C; Ground Benign GB40

*) The **calculated lifetime expectancy** shown in the table indicates the minimum operating hours (service life) and is determined by the lifetime expectancy of the built-in electrolytic capacitors. Lifetime expectancy is specified in operational hours and is calculated according to the capacitor's manufacturer specification. The manufacturer of the electrolytic capacitors only guarantees a maximum life of up to 15 years (131 400h). Any number exceeding this value is a calculated theoretical lifetime which can be used to compare devices.

) **MTBF stands for **M**ean **T**ime **B**etween **F**ailure, which is calculated according to statistical device failures, and indicates reliability of a device. It is the statistical representation of the likelihood of a unit to fail and does not necessarily represent the life of a product. The MTBF figure is a statistical representation of the likelihood of a device to fail. A MTBF figure of e.g. 1 000 000h means that statistically one unit will fail every 100 hours if 10 000 units are installed in the field. However, it can not be determined if the failed unit has been running for 50 000h or only for 100h.

11. FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM

Fig. 11-1 **Functional diagram**



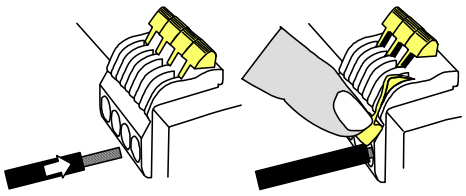
12. TERMINALS AND WIRING

The terminals are IP20 Finger safe constructed and suitable for field and factory wiring.

	All terminals
Type	Quick-connect spring-clamp terminals
Solid wire	Max. 6mm²
Stranded wire	Max. 4mm²
American Wire Gauge	Max. AWG10
Wire diameter	Max. 2.8mm (including ferrules)
Wire stripping length	Typ. 10mm / 0.4inch
Screwdriver	Not applicable
Recommended tightening torque	Not applicable

Instructions:

a) Use appropriate copper cables that are designed for minimum operating temperatures of:
60°C for ambient up to 45°C and
75°C for ambient up to 60°C minimum
90°C for ambient up to 70°C minimum.
b) Follow national installation codes and installation regulations!
c) Ensure that all strands of a stranded wire enter the terminal connection!
d) Do not use the unit without PE connection.
e) Ferrules are allowed.



1. Insert the wire **2.** Snap the lever

To disconnect wire: same procedure vice versa

Daisy chaining:

Daisy chaining (jumping from one power supply output to the next) is allowed as long as the average output current through one terminal pin does not exceed 27A. If the current is higher, use a separate distribution terminal block as shown in Fig. 12-2.

Fig. 12-1 Daisy chaining of outputs

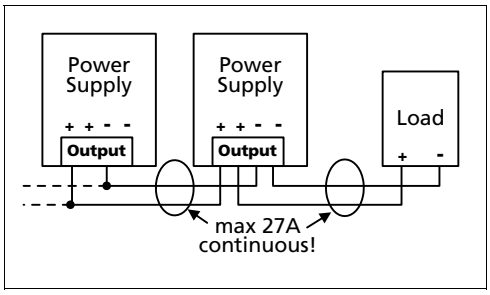
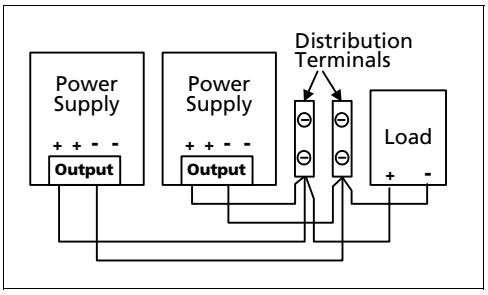
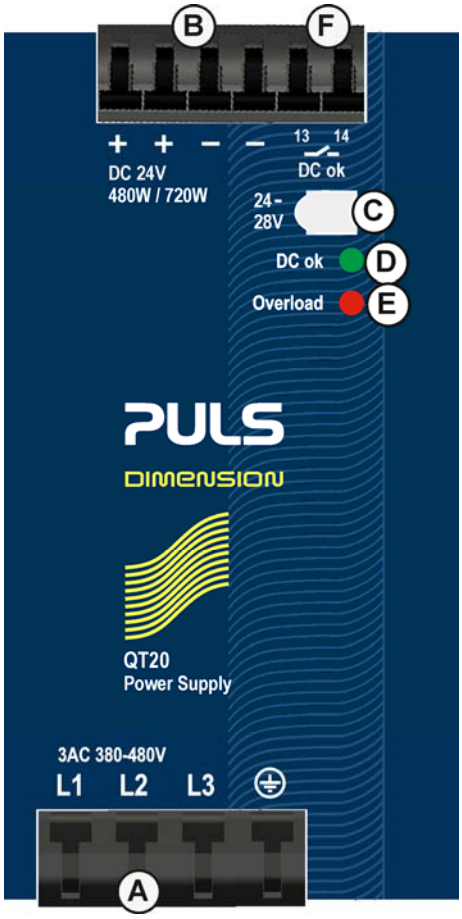


Fig. 12-2 Using distribution terminals



13. FRONT SIDE AND USER ELEMENTS

Fig. 13-1 **Front side**



A **Input Terminals** (Quick-connect spring-clamp terminals)
L1, L2, L3 Line input
⏚ ...PE (Protective Earth) input

B **Output Terminals** (Quick-connect spring-clamp terminals, two pins per pole)
+ Positive output
– Negative (return) output

C **Output Voltage Potentiometer**
Multi turn potentiometer;
Open the flap to set the output voltage.
Factory set: 24.1V at full output current

D **DC-OK LED** (green)
On, when the voltage on the output terminals is >90% of the adjusted output voltage.

E **Overload LED** (red)
- On, when the voltage on the output terminals is <90% of the adjusted output voltage, or in case of a short circuit in the output.
- On, when the unit has switched off due to over-temperature.
- Input voltage is always required

F **DC-OK Relay Contact** (Quick-connect spring-clamp terminals)
The DC-OK relay contact is synchronized with the DC-OK LED.
See chapter 8 for details.

Indicators, LEDs:	**Overload LED**	**DC-OK LED**	**DC-OK Contact**
Normal mode	OFF	ON	Closed
During BonusPower®	OFF	ON	Closed
Overload (Vout < 90%)	ON	OFF	Open
Output short circuit	ON	OFF	Open
Temperature Shut-down	ON	OFF	Open
No input power	OFF	OFF	Open

14. EMC

The power supply is suitable for applications in industrial environment as well as in residential, commercial and light industry environment without any restrictions.

All results assume a three phase operation of the power supply.

EMC Immunity	According to generic standards: EN 61000-6-1 and EN 61000-6-2			
Electrostatic discharge	EN 61000-4-2	contact discharge air discharge	8kV 15kV	Criterion A Criterion A
Electromagnetic RF field	EN 61000-4-3	80MHz-2.7GHz	10V/m	Criterion A
Fast transients (Burst)	EN 61000-4-4	input lines output lines DC-OK signal (coupling clamp)	4kV 2kV 1kV	Criterion A Criterion A Criterion A
Surge voltage on input	EN 61000-4-5	L1 → L2, L2 → L3, L1 → L3 L1 / L2 / L3 → PE	2kV 4kV	Criterion A Criterion A
Surge voltage on output	EN 61000-4-5	+ → - + / - → PE	500V 1kV	Criterion A Criterion A
Surge voltage on DC-OK	EN 61000-4-5	DC-OK signal → PE	1kV	Criterion A
Conducted disturbance	EN 61000-4-6	0.15-80MHz	10V	Criterion A
Mains voltage dips (Dips on three phases)	EN 61000-4-11	0% of 380Vac (0Vac) 0% of 480Vac (0Vac)	0Vac, 20ms 0Vac, 20ms	Criterion A, Criterion A
Mains voltage dips (Dips on two phases)	EN 61000-4-11	40% of 380Vac (152Vac) 40% of 480Vac (192Vac) 70% of 380Vac (266Vac) 70% of 480Vac (336Vac)	200ms 200ms 500ms 500ms	Criterion A Criterion A Criterion A Criterion A
Voltage interruptions	EN 61000-4-11	0Vac	5000ms	Criterion C
Voltage sags	SEMI F47 0706	dips on two phases according to section 7.2. of the SEMI F47 standard		
		80% of 380Vac (304Vac) 70% of 380Vac (266Vac) 50% of 380Vac (160Vac)	1000ms 500ms 200ms	Criterion A Criterion A Criterion A
Powerful transients	VDE 0160	over entire load range	1550V, 1.3ms	Criterion A

Criterions:

A: Power supply shows normal operation behavior within the defined limits.

C: Temporary loss of function is possible. Power supply may shut-down and restarts by itself. No damage or hazards for the power supply will occur.

EMC Emission	According to generic standards: EN 61000-6-3 and EN 61000-6-4	
Conducted emission input lines	EN 55011, EN 55022, FCC Part 15, CISPR 11, CISPR 22	Class B
Conducted emission output lines	IEC/CISPR 16-1-2, IEC/CISPR 16-2-1	12dB higher than average limits for DC power port according to EN 61000-6-3**)
Radiated emission	EN 55011, EN 55022	Class B
Harmonic input current	EN 61000-3-2	fulfilled for class A equipment
Voltage fluctuations, flicker	EN 61000-3-3	fulfilled*)

This device complies with FCC Part 15 rules.

Operation is subjected to following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

*) Tested with constant current loads, non pulsing

**) Restrictions apply for applications in residential, commercial and light-industrial environments, where local DC power networks according to EN 61000-6-3 are involved. No restrictions for all kinds of industrial applications.

Switching Frequencies	The power supply has three converters with three different switching frequencies included. One is nearly constant. The others are input voltage and load dependent.	
Switching frequency 1	100kHz	Resonant converter, nearly constant
Switching frequency 2	30kHz to 90kHz	Boost converter, load dependent
Switching frequency 3	40kHz to 220kHz	PFC converter, input voltage and load dependent

15. ENVIRONMENT

Operational temperature*)	-25°C to +70°C (-13°F to 158°F)	Reduce output power according Fig. 15-1
Storage temperature	-40 to +85°C (-40°F to 185°F)	For storage and transportation
Output de-rating	12W/°C	60-70°C (140°F to 158°F)
Humidity**)	5 to 95% r.H.	IEC 60068-2-30
Vibration sinusoidal	2-17.8Hz: ±1.6mm; 17.8-500Hz: 2g 2 hours / axis	IEC 60068-2-6
Vibration random	0.5m²(s³) 2 hours / axis	IEC 60068-2-64
Shock	30g 6ms, 20g 11ms 3 bumps / direction, 18 bumps in total	IEC 60068-2-27
Altitude	0 to 2000m (0 to 6 560ft)	Without any restrictions
	2000 to 6000m (6 560 to 20 000ft)	Reduce output power or ambient temperature, see Fig. 15-2 IEC 62103, EN 50178, overvoltage category II
Altitude de-rating	30W/1000m or 5°C/1000m	> 2000m (6500ft), see Fig. 15-2
Over-voltage category	III	IEC 62103, EN 62477-1, altitudes up to 2000m
	II	For altitudes from 2000m to 6000m
Degree of pollution	2	IEC 62103, EN 62477-1, not conductive
LABS compatibility	The unit does not release any silicone or other LABS-critical substances and is suitable for use in paint shops.	

*) Operational temperature is the same as the ambient or surrounding temperature and is defined as the air temperature 2cm below the unit. Curves and figures for operation on only 2 legs of a 3-phase system can be found in chapter 22.4.

**) Do not energize while condensation is present.

Fig. 15-1 **Output current vs. ambient temp.**

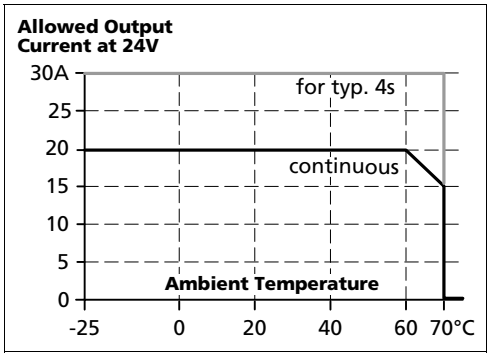
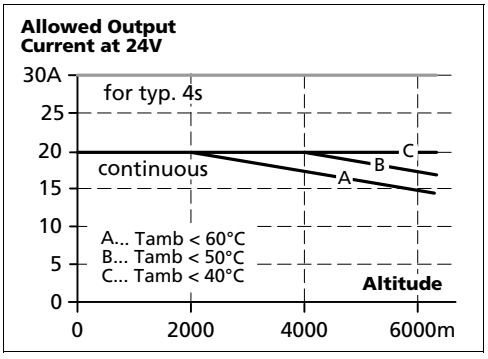


Fig. 15-2 **Output current vs. altitude**



16. PROTECTION FEATURES

Output protection	Electronically protected against overload, no-load and short-circuits*)	
Output over-voltage protection	typ. 32Vdc max. 35Vdc	In case of an internal power supply defect, a redundant circuit limits the maximum output voltage. The output shuts down and automatically attempts to restart.
Degree of protection	IP 20	EN/IEC 60529
Penetration protection	> 3.5mm	E.g. screws, small parts
Over-temperature protection	yes	Output shut-down with automatic restart
Input transient protection	MOV (Metal Oxide Varistor)	
Internal input fuse	Not included	

*) In case of a protection event, audible noise may occur.

17. SAFETY FEATURES

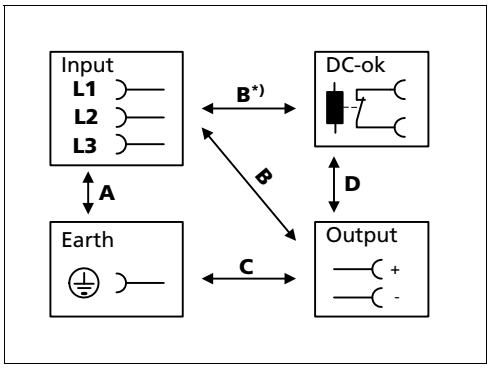
Input / output separation*)	SELV	IEC/EN 60950-1
	PELV	IEC/EN 60204-1, EN 62477-1, IEC 62103, IEC 60364-4-41
Class of protection	I	PE (Protective Earth) connection required
Isolation resistance	> 500MOhm	Input to output, 500Vdc
PE resistance	< 0.1Ohm	
Touch current (leakage current)	typ. 0.44mA / 0.94mA	At 3x400Vac, 50Hz, TN-,TT-mains / IT-mains
	typ. 0.62mA / 1.31mA	At 3x480Vac, 60Hz, TN-,TT-mains / IT-mains
	max. 0.54mA / 1.12mA	At 3x440Vac, 50Hz, TN-,TT-mains / IT-mains
	max. 0.78mA / 1.62mA	At 3x528Vac, 60Hz, TN-,TT-mains / IT-mains

*) double or reinforced insulation

18. DIELECTRIC STRENGTH

The output voltage is floating and has no ohmic connection to the ground. Type and factory tests are conducted by the manufacturer. Field tests may be conducted in the field using the appropriate test equipment which applies the voltage with a slow ramp (2s up and 2s down). Connect all phase terminals together as well as all output poles before conducting the test. When testing, set the cut-off current settings to the value in the table below.

Fig. 18-1 **Dielectric strength**



		A	B	C	D
Type test	60s	2500Vac	3000Vac	500Vac	500Vac
Factory test	5s	2500Vac	2500Vac	500Vac	500Vac
Field test	5s	2000Vac	2000Vac	500Vac	500Vac
Cut-off current setting		> 10mA	> 10mA	> 30mA	> 1mA

To fulfil the PELV requirements according to EN 60204-1 § 6.4.1, we recommend that either the + pole, the – pole or any other part of the output circuit shall be connected to the protective earth system. This helps to avoid situations in which a load starts unexpectedly or can not be switched off when unnoticed earth faults occur.

B*) When testing input to DC-OK ensure that the max. voltage between DC-OK and the output is not exceeded (column D). We recommend connecting DC-OK pins and the output pins together when performing the test.

19. APPROVALS

EC Declaration of Conformity	CE	The CE mark indicates conformance with the - EMC directive and the - Low-voltage directive
IEC 60950-1 2nd Edition	IECEE CB SCHEME	CB Scheme, Information Technology Equipment Applicable for altitudes up to 2000m.
UL 508	c UL US LISTED IND. CONT. EQ.	Listed for use as Industrial Control Equipment; U.S.A. (UL 508) and Canada (C22.2 No. 107-1-01); E-File: E198865
UL 60950-1, 2nd Edition	c UL US	Recognized for use as Information Technology Equipment, Level 5; U.S.A. (UL 60950-1) and Canada (C22.2 No. 60950-1); E-File: E137006 Applicable for altitudes up to 2000m.
ANSI / ISA 12.12.01-2007 (Class I Div 2)	C SP US	Recognized for use in Hazardous Location Class I Div 2 T4 Groups A,B,C,D systems; U.S.A. (ANSI / ISA 12.12.01-2007) and Canada (C22.2 No. 213-M1987)
SEMI F47	Power Standards Lab PSL SEMI F47	SEMI F47-0706 Ride-through compliance for the semiconductor industry. Full SEMI range compliance (Dips on two phases: 304Vac for 1000ms, 266Vac for 500ms and 190Vac for 200ms, Pout < 480W)
Marine	GL ABS	GL (Germanischer Lloyd) classified and ABS (American Bureau for Shipping) PDA Environmental category: C, EMC2 Marine and offshore application
EAC TR Registration	EAC	Registration for the Eurasian Customs Union market (Russia, Kazakhstan, Belarus)

20. PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHT

Width	65mm 2.56''
Height	124mm 4.88''
Depth	127mm 5.0'' The DIN-rail height must be added to the unit depth to calculate the total required installation depth.
Weight	870g / 1.92lb
DIN-Rail	Use 35mm DIN-rails according to EN 60715 or EN 50022 with a height of 7.5 or 15mm.
Housing material	Body: Aluminium alloy Cover: zinc-plated steel
Installation clearances	See chapter 2

Fig. 20-1 **Front view**

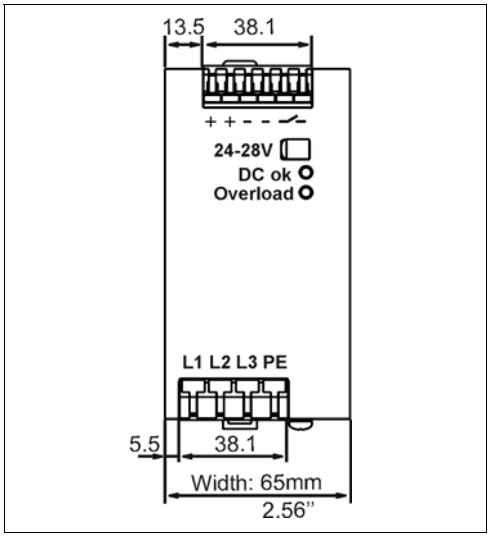
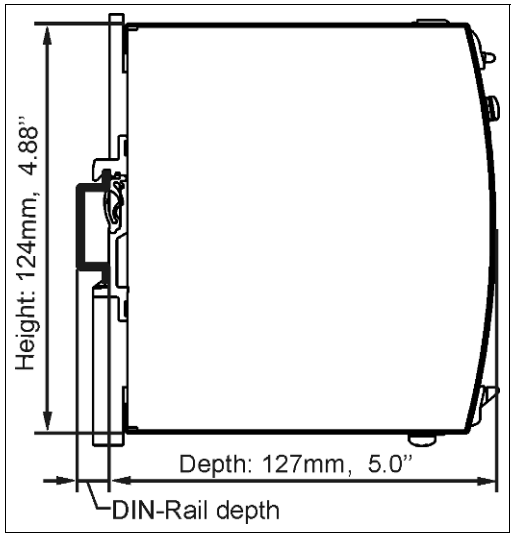


Fig. 20-2 **Side view**



21. ACCESSORIES

21.1. ZM1.WALL – WALL/PANEL MOUNTING



This bracket is used to mount the QT20 power supply on a wall/panel without utilizing a DIN-Rail.

The two aluminum brackets and the black plastic slider of the unit have to be detached, so that the steel brackets can be mounted.

Fig. 21-1 **Wall/panel mounting**

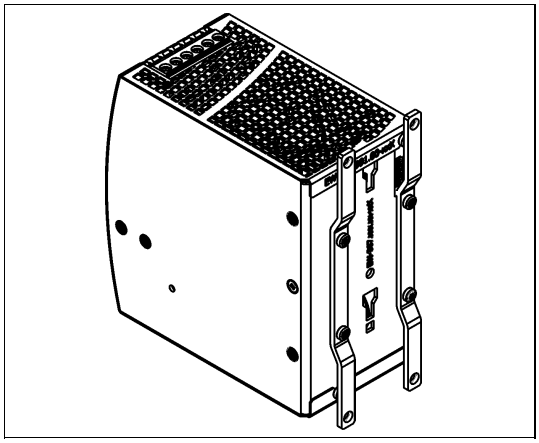
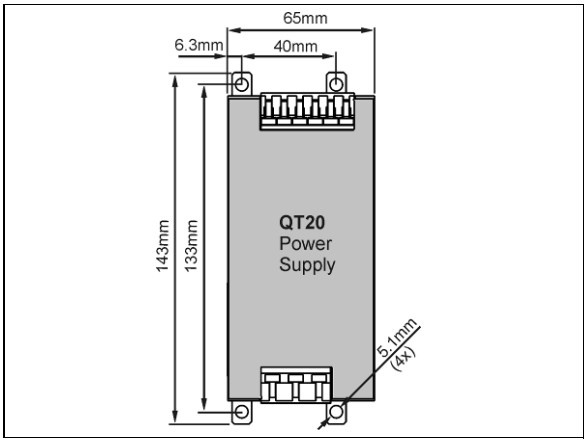


Fig. 21-2 **Mounting Dimensions - Wall mounting bracket**



21.2. ZM14.SIDE - SIDE MOUNTING BRACKET



This bracket is used to mount the QT20 power supply sideways with or without utilizing a DIN-Rail.

The two aluminum brackets and the black plastic slider of the unit have to be detached, so that the steel brackets can be mounted.

For sideway DIN-rail mounting, the removed aluminum brackets and the black plastic slider need to be mounted on the steel bracket.

Fig. 21-3
Side mounting without DIN-rail brackets

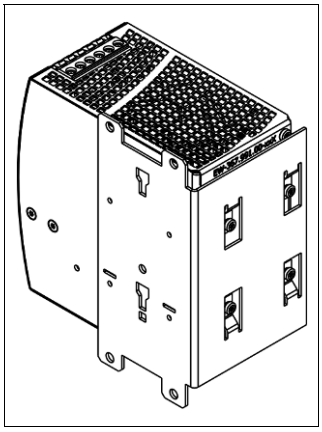


Fig. 21-4
Side mounting with DIN-rail brackets

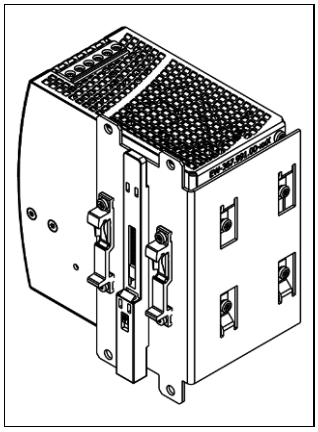
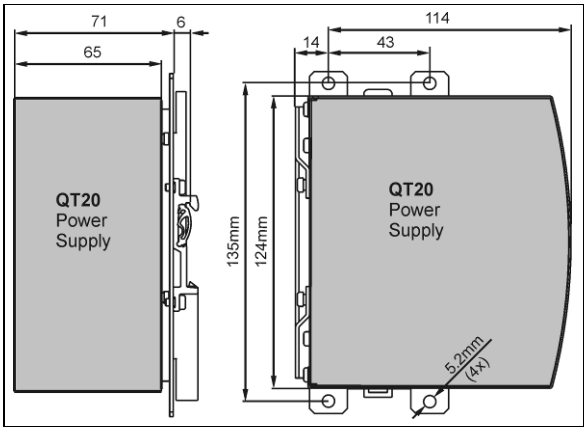


Fig. 21-5
Mounting Dimensions Side mounting bracket

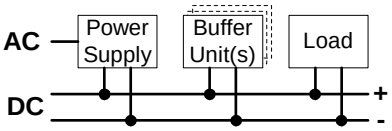


21.3. UF20.241 - BUFFER MODULE



This buffer unit is a supplementary device for DC 24V power supplies. It delivers power to bridge typical mains failures or extends the hold-up time after turn-off of the AC power. In times when the power supply provides sufficient voltages, the buffer unit stores energy in the integrated electrolytic capacitors. In case of mains voltage fault, this energy is released again in a regulated process.

The buffer unit does not require any control wiring. It can be added in parallel to the load circuit at any given point. Buffer units can be added in parallel to increase the output ampacity or the hold-up time.



21.4. YR40.241 - REDUNDANCY MODULE



The YR40.241 redundancy module is equipped with two input channels (20A each), which are individually decoupled by utilizing MOSFET technology. The output current can go as high as 40A.

Using MOSFET instead of diodes reduces the heat generation and the voltage drop between input and output. The YR40.241 does not require an additional auxiliary voltage and is self-powered even in case of a short circuit across the output.

Due to the low power losses, the unit is very slender and only requires 36mm width on the DIN-rail.

Fig. 21-6 **Typical 1+1 Redundant configuration for 20A with one dual redundancy module und two power supplies**

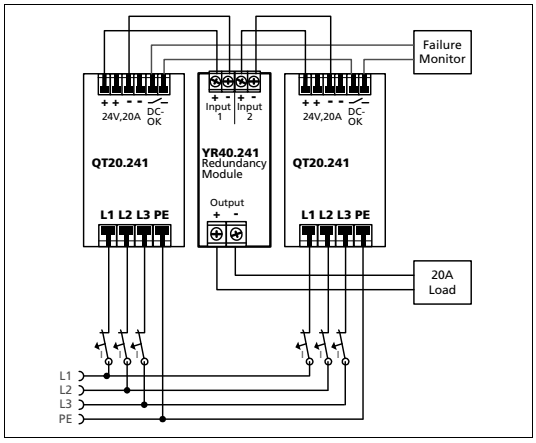
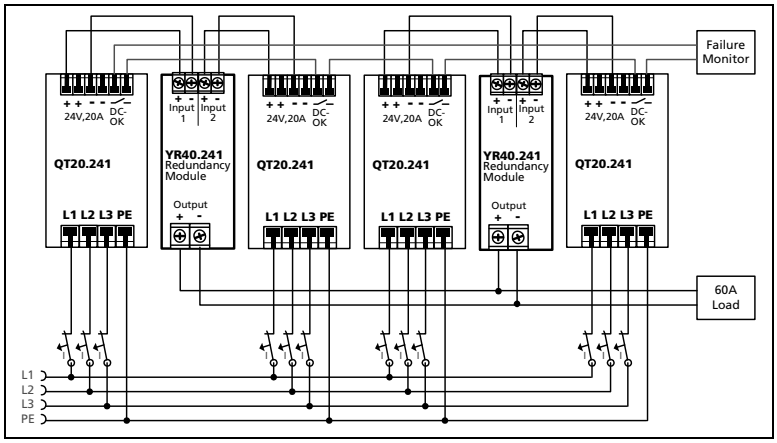


Fig. 21-7 **Typical N+1 Redundant configuration for 60A with two dual redundancy modules and four power supplies**



22. APPLICATION NOTES

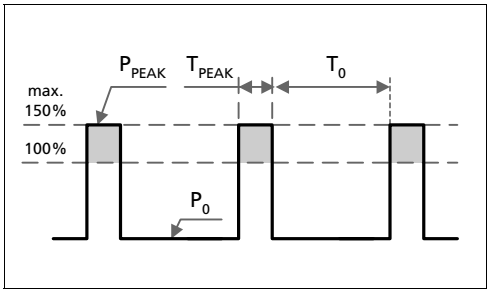
22.1. REPETITIVE PULSE LOADING

Typically, a load current is not constant and varies over time. This power supply is designed to support loads with a higher short-term power demand (=BonusPower®). The short-term duration is hardware controlled by an output power manager and is available on a repeated basis. If the BonusPower® load lasts longer than the hardware controller allows it, the output voltage will dip and the next BonusPower® is available after the BonusPower® recovery time (see chapter 6) has elapsed.

To avoid this, the following rules must be met:

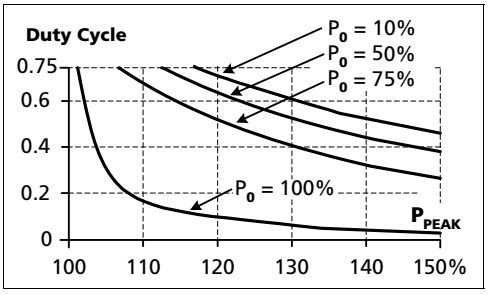
a) The power demand of the pulse must be below 150% of the nominal output power.
b) The duration of the pulse power must be shorter than the allowed BonusPower® time. (see output section)
c) The average (R.M.S.) output current must be below the specified continuous output current.
If the R.M.S. current is higher, the unit will respond with a thermal shut-down after a period of time. Use the maximum duty cycle curve (Fig. 22-2) to check if the average output current is below the nominal current.
d) The duty cycle must be below 0.75.

Fig. 22-1 **Repetitive pulse loads, definitions**



P_0 Base load (W)
P_{PEAK} Pulse load (above 100%)
T_0 Duration between pulses (s)
T_{PEAK} Pulse duration (s)

Fig. 22-2 **Max. duty cycle curve**



$$DutyCycle = \frac{T_{peak}}{T_{peak} + T_0}$$

$$T_0 = \frac{T_{peak} - (DutyCycle \times T_{peak})}{DutyCycle}$$

Example: A load is powered continuously with 240W (= 50% of the rated output load). From time to time a peak power of 720W (= 150% of the rated output load) is needed for 1 second.

The question is: How often can this pulse be supplied without overloading the power supply?

- Make a vertical line at P_{PEAK} = 150% and a horizontal line where the vertical line crosses the P_0 = 50% curve. Read the max. duty cycle from the duty cycle-axis (= 0.37)
- Calculate the required pause (base load) length T_0:
- Result: The required pause length = 1.7s
- Max. repetition rate = pulse +pause length = **2.7s**

$$T_0 = \frac{T_{peak} - (DutyCycle \times T_{peak})}{DutyCycle} = \frac{1s - (0.37 \times 1s)}{0.37} = \underline{\mathbf{1.7s}}$$

More examples for pulse load compatibility:

P_{PEAK}	P_0	T_{PEAK}	T_0
720W	480W	1s	>25s
720W	0W	1s	>1.3s
600W	240W	1s	> 0.75s

P_{PEAK}	P_0	T_{PEAK}	T_0
720W	240W	0.1s	>0.16s
720W	240W	1s	>1.6s
720W	240W	3s	>4.9s

22.2. PEAK CURRENT CAPABILITY

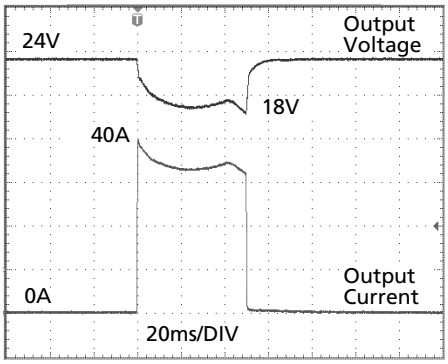
The power supply can deliver peak currents (up to several milliseconds) which are higher than the specified short term currents.

This helps to start current demanding loads. Solenoids, contactors and pneumatic modules often have a steady state coil and a pick-up coil. The inrush current demand of the pick-up coil is several times higher than the steady-state current and usually exceeds the nominal output current (including the BonusPower®). The same situation applies when starting a capacitive load.

The peak current capability also ensures the safe operation of subsequent circuit breakers of load circuits. The load branches are often individually protected with circuit breakers or fuses. In case of a short or an overload in one branch circuit, the fuse or circuit breaker need a certain amount of over-current to open in a timely manner. This avoids voltage loss in adjacent circuits.

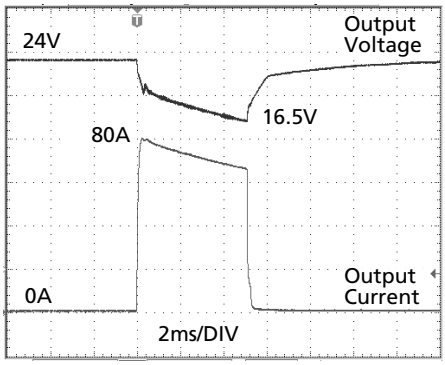
The extra current (peak current) is supplied by the power converter and the built-in large sized output capacitors of the power supply. The capacitors get discharged during such an event, which causes a voltage dip on the output. The following two examples show typical voltage dips:

Fig. 22-3 **Peak load with 2x the nominal current for 50ms, typ.**



40A Peak load (resistive) for 50ms
Output voltage dips from 24V to 18V.

Fig. 22-4 **Peak load with 4x the nominal current for 5ms, typ.**



80A Peak load (resistive) for 5ms
Output voltage dips from 24V to 16.5V.

Please note: The DC-OK relay triggers when the voltage dips more than 10% for longer than 1ms.

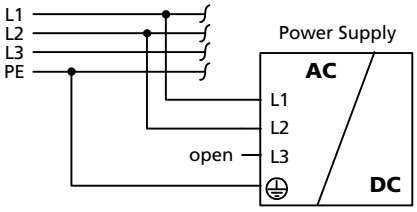
Peak current voltage dips	typ.	from 24V to 18V	At 40A for 50ms, resistive load
	typ.	from 24V to 19V	At 80A for 2ms, resistive load
	typ.	from 24V to 16.5V	At 80A for 5ms, resistive load

22.3. EXTERNAL INPUT PROTECTION

The unit is tested and approved for branch circuits up to 15A (U.S.A.) and 16A (IEC). An external protection is only required if the supplying branch has an ampacity greater than this. Check also local codes and local requirements. In some countries local regulations might apply.

If an external fuse is necessary or utilized, minimum requirements need to be considered to avoid nuisance tripping of the circuit breaker. A minimum value of 6A B- or 3A C-Characteristic breaker should be chosen.

22.4. USING ONLY 2 LEGS OF A 3-PHASE SYSTEM



No external protection devices are required to protect against a phase-loss failure.

This power supply can also be permanently operated on two legs of a 3-phase system. However, it is not recommended for this power class since the supplying 3-phase network can become unbalanced.

The output power must be reduced according to the curves below when operation on only two legs of a 3-phase system. A long-term exceeding of these limits will result in a thermal shut-down of the unit.

EMC performance, hold-up time, losses and output ripple differ from a three phase operation. Therefore, check suitability of your individual application.

Such use is not included in the UL approval. Additional tests might be necessary when the complete system has to be approved according to UL 508 or UL60950-1.

Fig. 22-5
Output current vs. ambient temperature - 2-phase operation

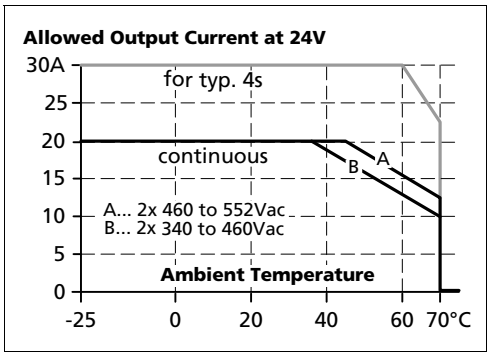
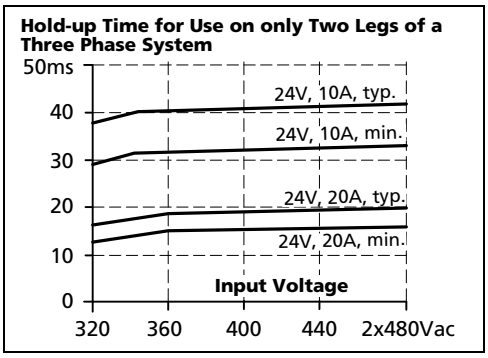


Fig. 22-6
Hold-up time – 2-phase operation



22.5. CHARGING OF BATTERIES

The power supply can be used to charge lead-acid or maintenance free batteries. (Two 12V batteries in series)

Instructions for charging batteries:

a) Set output voltage (measured at no load and at the battery end of the cable) very precisely to the end-of-charge voltage.

End-of-charge voltage	27.8V	27.5V	27.15V	26.8V
Battery temperature	10°C	20°C	30°C	40°C

b) Use a 25A circuit breaker (or blocking diode) between the power supply and the battery.

c) Ensure that the output current of the power supply is below the allowed charging current of the battery.

d) Use only matched batteries when putting 12V types in series.

e) The return current to the power supply (battery discharge current) is typ. 16mA when the power supply is switched off (except in case a blocking diode is utilized).

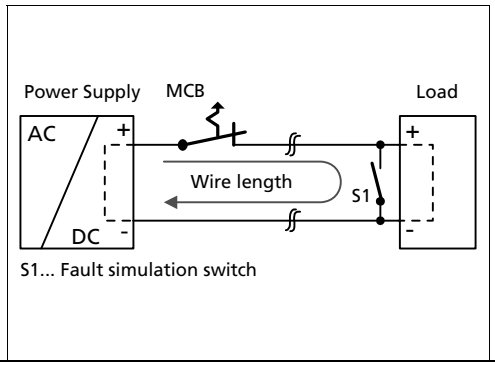
22.6. OUTPUT CIRCUIT BREAKERS

Standard miniature circuit breakers (MCB's or UL1077 circuit breakers) are commonly used for AC-supply systems and may also be used on DC branches.

MCB's are designed to protect wires and circuits. If the ampere value and the characteristics of the MCB are adapted to the wire size that is used, the wiring is considered as thermally safe regardless of whether the MCB opens or not.

To avoid voltage dips and under-voltage situations in adjacent 24V branches which are supplied by the same source, a fast (magnetic) tripping of the MCB is desired. A quick shutdown within 10ms is necessary corresponding roughly to the ride-through time of PLC's. This requires power supplies with high current reserves and large output capacitors. Furthermore, the impedance of the faulty branch must be sufficiently small in order for the current to actually flow. The best current reserve in the power supply does not help if Ohm's law does not permit current flow. The following table has typical test results showing which B- and C-Characteristic MCBs magnetically trip depending on the wire cross section and wire length.

Fig. 22-7 **Test circuit**



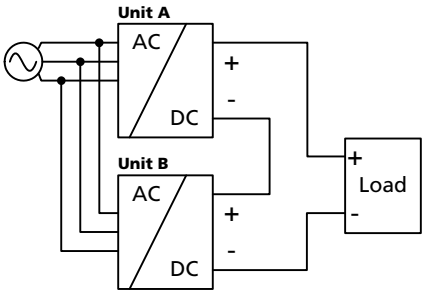
Maximal wire length*) for a fast (magnetic) tripping:

	0.75mm²	1.0mm²	1.5mm²	2.5mm²
C-2A	24m	33m	44m	70m
C-3A	23m	29m	39m	58m
C-4A	13m	17m	27m	47m
C-6A	3m	6m	8m	13m
C-8A	1m	3m	4m	5m
C-10A	1m	1m	2m	3m
B-6A	18m	21m	33m	56m
B-10A	3m	4m	6m	11m

*) Don't forget to consider twice the distance to the load (or cable length) when calculating the total wire length (+ and – wire).

22.7. SERIES OPERATION

Power supplies of the same type can be connected in series for higher output voltages. It is possible to connect as many units in series as needed, providing the sum of the output voltage does not exceed 150Vdc. Voltages with a potential above 60Vdc are not SELV any more and can be dangerous. Such voltages must be installed with a protection against touching.

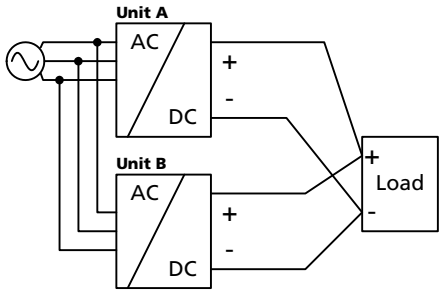


Avoid return voltage (e.g. from a decelerating motor or battery) which is applied to the output terminals.

Keep an installation clearance of 15mm (left / right) between two power supplies and avoid installing the power supplies on top of each other. Do not use power supplies in series in mounting orientations other than the standard mounting orientation (input terminals on the bottom of the unit).

Pay attention that leakage current, EMI, inrush current, harmonics will increase when using multiple power supplies.

22.8. PARALLEL USE TO INCREASE OUTPUT POWER



Power supplies from the same series (Q-Series) can be paralleled to increase the output power. The output voltage shall be adjusted to the same value (±100mV) or the units can be left with the factory settings.

If more than three units are connected in parallel, a fuse or circuit breaker with a rating of 25A is required on each output. Alternatively, a diode or redundancy module can also be utilized.

Keep an installation clearance of 15mm (left / right) between two power supplies and avoid installing the power supplies on top of each other. Do not use power supplies in parallel in mounting orientations other than the standard mounting orientation (input terminals on the bottom of the unit) or in any other condition where a derating of the output current is required (e.g. altitude, above 60°C, …).

Pay attention that leakage current, EMI, inrush current, harmonics will increase when using multiple power supplies.

22.9. PARALLEL USE FOR REDUNDANCY

Power supplies can be paralleled for redundancy to gain higher system availability. Redundant systems require a certain amount of extra power to support the load in case one power supply unit fails. The simplest way is to put two power supplies in parallel. This is called a 1+1 redundancy. In case one power supply unit fails, the other one is automatically able to support the load current without any interruption. Redundant systems for a higher power demand are usually built in a N+1 method. E.g. five power supplies, each rated for 20A are paralleled to build a 80A redundant system. For N+1 redundancy the same restrictions apply as for increasing the output power, see also chapter 22.8.

Please note: This simple way to build a redundant system does not cover failures such as an internal short circuit in the secondary side of the power supply. In such a case, the defective unit becomes a load for the other power supplies and the output voltage can not be maintained any more. This can be avoided by utilizing redundancy modules, which have decoupling devices (diodes or MOSFETs) included. Further information and wiring configurations can be found in chapter 21.4.

Recommendations for building redundant power systems:

a) Use separate input fuses for each power supply. A separate source for each supply when possible increases the reliability of the redundant system.
b) Monitor the individual power supply units. Therefore, use the DC-OK relay contact of the QT20 power supply.
c) It is desirable to set the output voltages of all units to the same value (± 100mV) or leave it at the factory setting.

22.10. INDUCTIVE AND CAPACITIVE LOADS

The unit is designed to supply any kind of loads, including capacitive and inductive loads.

22.11. BACK-FEEDING LOADS

Loads such as decelerating motors and inductors can feed voltage back to the power supply. This feature is also called return voltage immunity or resistance against Back- E.M.F. (Electro Magnetic Force).

This power supply is resistant and does not show malfunctioning when a load feeds back voltage to the power supply. It does not matter whether the power supply is on or off.

The maximum allowed feed-back-voltage is 34Vdc. The absorbing energy can be calculated according to the built-in output capacitor which is specified in chapter 6.

22.12. USE IN A TIGHTLY SEALED ENCLOSURE

When the power supply is installed in a tightly sealed enclosure, the temperature inside the enclosure will be higher than outside. In such situations, the inside temperature defines the ambient temperature for the power supply.

The following measurement results can be used as a reference to estimate the temperature rise inside the enclosure.

The power supply is placed in the middle of the box, no other heat producing items are inside the box

Enclosure:	Rittal Typ IP66 Box PK 9519 100, plastic, 180x180x165mm
Load:	24V, 16A; (=80%) load is placed outside the box
Input:	3x 400Vac
Temperature inside enclosure:	55.9°C (in the middle of the right side of the power supply with a distance of 2cm)
Temperature outside enclosure:	24.9°C
Temperature rise:	31.0K

22.13. MOUNTING ORIENTATIONS

Mounting orientations other than all terminals on the bottom require a reduction in continuous output power or a limitation in the maximum allowed ambient temperature. The amount of reduction influences the lifetime expectancy of the power supply. Therefore, two different derating curves for continuous operation can be found below:

Curve A1 Recommended output current.
Curve A2 Max allowed output current (results in approximately half the lifetime expectancy of A1).

Fig. 22-8
Mounting Orientation A
(Standard orientation)

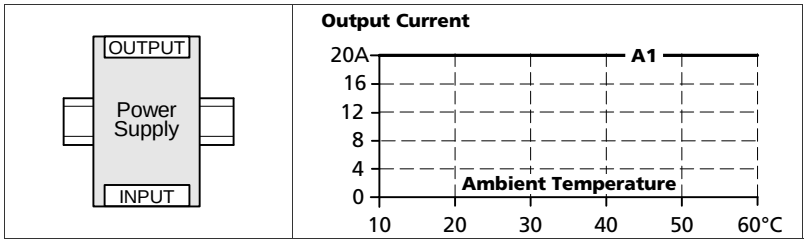


Fig. 22-9
Mounting Orientation B
(Upside down)

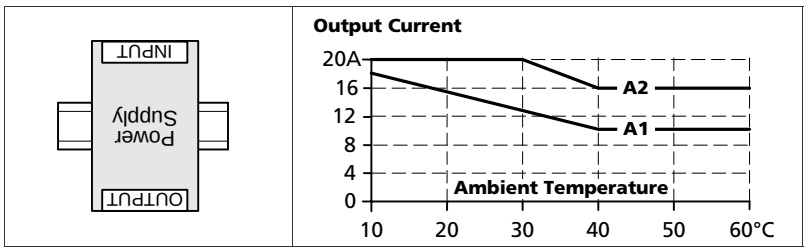


Fig. 22-10
Mounting Orientation C
(Table-top mounting)

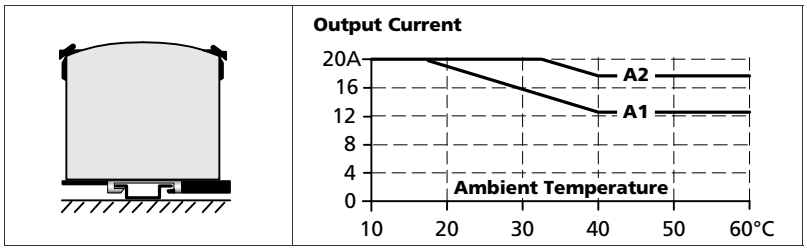


Fig. 22-11
Mounting Orientation D
(Horizontal cw)

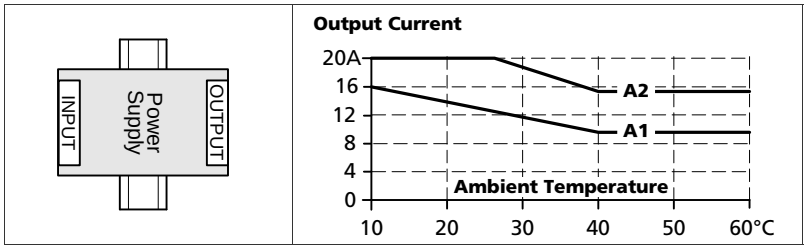


Fig. 22-12
Mounting Orientation E
(Horizontal ccw)

