technical datasheet

MA3145 (I & II Pole) Class II

Cost effective surge protection designed to cope with secondary currents as described in IEC 61312

- Space saving design, DIN rail mounting
- Full range of AC mains power applications
- Coordinated surge protection to IEC 61312; rated according to IEC 61643
- UL1449 3rd Edition, Type 4 Recognized Component, VZCA2 & VZCA8, File E315539
- 100kA Short Circuit Current Rating

The MA3100 Series offers cost effective, DIN rail mounted, surge protection for applications described by IEC 61312 The Class II range of surge arrestors fit in to the cascade philosophy along side Class I & Class III devices.

All modules are DIN rail mounted for ease of installation and have very small footprints therefore minimising the space required. Each device is simply connected in parallel with the power.

The Class II surge current arrester is designed to work as both a standalone device and in cascade coordination with MTL's Class I lightning arrester. A single width module withstands surge currents up to 50,000A with an 8/20µs waveform. Class II arresters are available in single width modules for maximum user flexibility, double width modules for all-mode protection on single phase systems and quad width modules for all-mode protection on three phase systems.

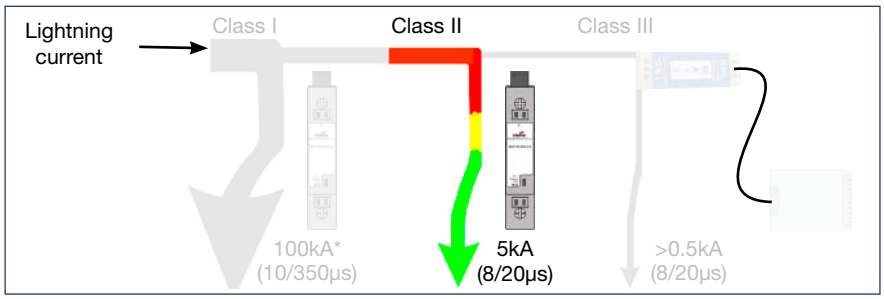
The Class II modules have remote monitoring capabilities as a standard feature. Voltage free, normally open, normally closed contacts can be used for a variety of monitoring tasks.

The MA3145 Class II surge current arrestor has a Short Circuit Current rating (SCCR) of 100kA which removes the need for external fusing and reduces installation cost.

Coordinated IEC 61643 Class I, Class II and Class III surge protection

The MA3100 range offers cost effective surge protection for applications described by IEC 61312, where the AC mains supply can carry a partial share of the lightning surge current. Class I surge protectors (rated according to IEC 61643) are designed to carry up to 50kA (10/350µs). Class II surge protectors are characterized by their ability to protect against 8/20µs impulses up to 50kA, possibly resulting from the operation of a class I device. Finally Class III devices are used to protect individual pieces of equipment. An excellent example of a class III device is the MA15.

Cascade Effect Example



*Total over a 3 phase system

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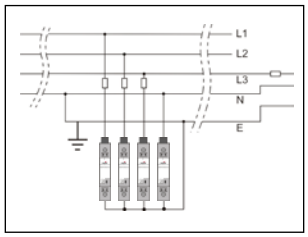

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OR

MA3145-230-2-R

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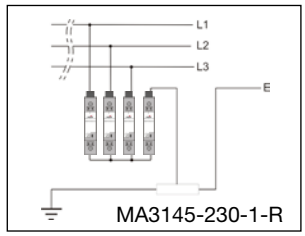

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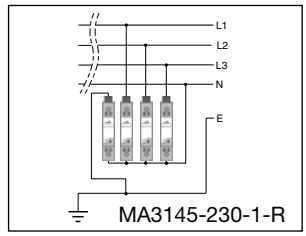

Class II Surge Protection Device

Technical data **MA3145**	**120-1-R**	**230-1-R**	**120-2-R**	**230-2-R**
Dimensions (see Fig. 1 for A and B)	**A (1 pole)**	**A (1 pole)**	**B (2 pole)**	**B (2 pole)**
IEC category/VDE requirement class:	II/C	II/C	II/C	II/C
Nominal voltage U_n:	120V AC	230V AC	120V AC	230V AC
Max. continuous operating voltage U_c:	150V AC	270V AC	150V AC	270V AC
Lightning test current limp (10/350µs) peak value/charge:	15kA	15kA	15kA	15kA
Q charge:	7.5As	7.5As	7.5As	7.5As
Leakage current to PE at U_n:	≤0.3mA	≤0.3mA	≤0.3mA	≤0.3mA
Nominal discharge surge current I_n (8/20µs):	20kA	20kA	20kA	20kA
Max. discharge surge current I_{max} (8/20µs):	50kA	50kA	50kA	50kA
Protection level U_p:	<1.2kV	<1.5kV	<1.2kV	<1.5kV
Residual voltage at 5kA:	570V	880V	570V	880V
Response time t_a:	≤25ns			
Max. required backup fuse:	N/R			
Remote indication contact: max. permited operating voltage U_{max}	125V AC/110V DC 125V AC/110V DC			
max. permited operating current I_{max} AC or DC	3A			
Temperature range:	-40°C to +80°C			
Protection type according to IEC 60 529/EN 60 529:	IP20			
Flammability class according to UL94:	VO			
Stripping length: Biconnect terminal blocks/ remote indicator contact:	14.5/7mm			
Torque: Biconnect term. blks./remote indicator contact:	4.5Nm/0.25Nm			
Weight (typ.):	**(1 pole)**: 105g		**(2 pole)**: 210g	
Approvals: CE				
Test standards: UL1449 3rd Edition; IEC 61643-1:1998-02				

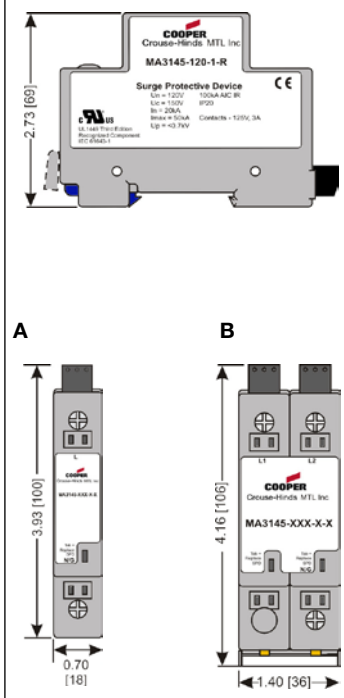

Figure 1 Class II dimensions

To order Class II surge protection devices, specify -

MA31	45	230	1	R

- R = Remote contacts present
- 1 = 1 module width
  2 = 2 module widths
- 120 = operating voltage
  230 = operating voltage
- 45 = Product series
- MA31 = (Product range name)

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