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# Softstarters for water and wastewater PSTX



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**Motors use almost one third of the world's generated electricity. So it is safe to say that reliable motor operation is crucial to our modern way of life.**

**The PSTX combines many years of research and product development with extensive knowledge of application specific requirements and needs. It is our latest advancement in motor control & protection, and it adds new functionality and increased reliability.**

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**PSTX SOFTSTARTERS**

# PSTX Softstarters

## For water & wastewater applications



ABB's PSTX softstarters provide industry-specific features that will help optimize your water & wastewater (W&WW) pumping system and provide essential information at your fingertips.

**Simplify use**

Application wizards simplify commissioning and control of your pump. Innovative pumping features designed for water and wastewater applications make it easier for you to program complex systems. Because ABB softstarters are part of the all-compatible experience, once you've learned the user interface, you can easily transfer your knowledge to the rest of ABB's all-compatible portfolio.

**Keep your pipes and pumps clean**

ABB softstarters are well-suited for full speed pump applications. The soft ramping features increase pump life by reducing water hammer, and the pump cleaning feature reduces impeller buildup to prevent and clear pump clogging thereby eliminating downtime.

**Protect your system**

Prolong the life of your system and increase uptime with features, such as motor preheat, which ensures a dry and warm motor. In addition, coated boards and IP66 / UL Type 4x externally mounted keypads make the PSTX suitable for installation in harsh conditions.

**Prolong the life of your pipes and pumps**

The PSTX uses torque control to provide soft pipe fill to gently open and close valves and reduce water hammer during starts and stops.



# Common applications for softstarters

## Pumps and blowers

A softstarter can do wonders with your operations. Packed with useful features, it reduces the wear of your equipment, improve the reliability of your processes and increase overall productivity.



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### Pump

#### Eliminating water hammer with torque control

Water hammer is a common problem with pumps and typically results in wear in pipes and valves when starting and stopping the pump. The ABB softstarter feature torque control provides a soft pipe fill during start and eliminates water hammer during stop. The benefits are prolonged lifetime of the system and increased uptime.

#### Keep pipes and pumps clean

Many pumps risk getting clogged over time. This will cause reduced flow and increased risk of pump damage. Thanks to the feature to reverse the direction of the flow and start again with kick-start, ABB softstarters can help prevent and solve pump clogging and associated downtime.

#### Avoid running dry with underload protection

Damages due to pumps running dry can be avoided with the softstarter feature dry pump protection, called underload protection. It stops the motor which saves the pump from additional wear and contributes to prolonging its lifetime.

### Blowers

#### Soft starting adjusted to application

Blowers normally have a high moment of inertia, which makes starting tough and current high. Using an ABB softstarter, the voltage is increased gradually during startup, which reduces the current and removes the inrush peak. It is possible to adjust the settings to fit almost any starting condition, from unloaded to fully loaded.

#### Fast stops with motor braking

It can also take a long time to stop a blower. With the dynamic brake feature, also called flux braking, the stopping time can be reduced. This improves process safety when the load has a high moment of inertia and makes operation easier for the operator.

#### Avoid unwanted movements with stand still brake

An idle blower that is rotating backwards, due to wind or airflow from another blower, can be kept still using the stand still brake. It prevents unwanted airflow and improves the control of the system without the need for an external mechanical brake.

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# Motor starting

## Why motor starting and stopping matters

There are some common issues associated with starting and stopping electrical motors. Depending on requirement, different starting and stopping methods can be used.



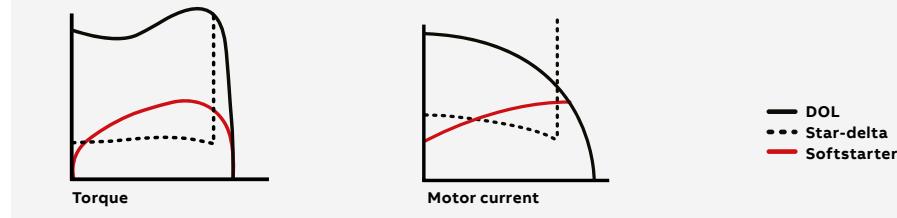
### Softstarter

Like direct-on-line and star delta starters, softstarters are used to start and stop motors in full-speed applications. It eliminates common problems associated with motor starting and stopping, including electrical surges, spikes and high inrush currents. Because it offers soft starting and stopping, a softstarter is the optimal compromise between a direct-on-line or star-delta starter and a variable speed drive in many full-speed motor applications.

### Variable speed drive

Like a softstarter, a variable speed drive (VSD) can perform soft motor starting and stopping. However, the VSD was designed primarily to control motor speed, resulting in energy efficient motor operation in variable speed applications. Using a VSD with the sole purpose of ensuring soft starting and stopping of full-speed motors can therefore be considered an unnecessarily advanced solution.

Typical torque and current curves from starting a motor using DOL, star-delta and softstarter.



### Comparison between different starting methods

The table below describes which problems are prevented, using the most common starting methods.

Comparison	Starting method type			
	Direct on line DOL	Star-delta start Y/D	Softstarter	Drive
Reduce high inrush current	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Reduce heavy wear on bearings, shafts, gear boxes, etc	No	Reduced	Yes	Yes
Prevent slipping belts	No	Reduced	Yes	Yes
Remove torque/current peaks	No	No	Yes	Yes
Prevent water hammer in piping system	No	No	Yes	Yes
Need of variable speed control	No	No	No	Yes

# PSTX

## Standard Features



SECURE  
MOTOR  
**Reliability**

### Secure Motor Reliability

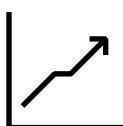
- Current limit
- Current limit ramp and dual current limit
- Electronic motor overload protection
- Dual overload protection
- Underload protection
- Power factor underload protection
- Locked rotor protection
- Current/Voltage imbalance protection
- Phase reversal protection
- Customer defined protection
- Motor heating
- PTC/PT100 input for motor protection
- Overvoltage/undervoltage protection
- Earth-fault protection



IMPROVE  
INSTALLATION  
**Efficiency**

### Improve Installation Efficiency

- Built-in bypass
- Inside-delta connection possible
- Graphical display and keypad
- Detachable keypad
- Motor runtime and start count
- Programmable warning functions
- Diagnostics
- Overload time-to-trip
- Overload time-to-cool
- Analog output
- Fieldbus communication
- Event log
- 17 Multiple languages
- Electricity metering



INCREASE  
APPLICATION  
**Productivity**

### Increase Application Productivity

- Torque control
- Torque limit
- Coated PCBA
- Limp mode
- Jog with slow speed forward/ reverse
- Dynamic brake
- Stand still brake
- Sequence start
- Full voltage start
- Kick start
- Automatic pump cleaning

# Introduction

## for PSTX - the advanced range



- Rated operational current: 30 to 1250 A
- Three-phase controlled
- Operational voltage: 208 – 690 VAC
- Wide rated control supply voltage: 100 – 250 V, 50/60 Hz
- Coated circuit boards protecting from dust, moist and corrosive atmosphere
- Detachable keypad rated IP66 (4X outdoor)
- Graphical display with 17 languages for easy setup and operation
- Built-in bypass for energy saving and easy installation
- Built-in Modbus RTU for monitoring and control
- Support for all major communication protocols
- Analog output for measurement of current, voltage, power factor etc.



### Complete motor protection

The PSTX offers complete motor protection in only one unit and is able to handle both load and network irregularities. PT-100, earth fault protection and over/under voltage protection along with many other functions keep your motor safer than ever. PSTX also offers three types of current limit: standard, dual and ramp. This gives you full control of your motor during start. It also allows you to use your motor in weaker networks.



### Built-in bypass saves time and energy

When reaching full speed, the PSTX will activate its bypass. This saves energy while reducing the softstarters heat generation. On the PSTX, the bypass is built in and verified by ABB, saving you time during installation and space in your panel.



### Complete control of pumps

Time to use your processes to their full potential. The PSTX features many application enhancing features, including torque control: the most efficient way to start and stop pumps. The pump cleaning feature can reverse pump flow and clean out pipes, securing uptime of your pump system.

**IP66****Control Panel**

A user-friendly and clear display saves you time and resources during both setup and operation. The detachable keypad is standard on all PSTX softstarters with IP66 and 4x outdoor for tough environments.

**Jog with slow speed forward & reverse**

The slow speed forward and backward jog feature will help verify proper pump operation and shaft direction..

**Coated PCB**

Coated circuit boards protecting from dust, moist and corrosive atmosphere

**Heavy duty**

Designed to handle heavy applications such as high solids pumps, sludge pumps, and belt presses.

**Torque control**

The torque control function the absolutely best possible stop of pumps without water hammer and pressure surges.

**Customizable**

The PSTX has 17 pre-installed languages along with options to customize your own specific home screens (up to seven different). You can use your customized home screens to show status information important to your process and hide information that is not.

**Easy to learn**

A large graphical display along with built-in assistants make learning how to handle the PSTX fun and simple. The interface resembles other interfaces from ABB which will streamline and help with training of field personnel.

**Detachable**

The PSTX comes with a detachable keypad as standard. It can be placed on your panel door, meaning you do not have to interrupt your process in order to read status information or to change settings.

# PSTX

## Overview



PSTX30... PSTX105    PSTX142... PSTX170    PSTX210... PSTX370    PSTX470... PSTX570    PSTX720... PSTX840    PSTX1050... PSTX1250

Normal start In-Line connected (480 V) hp UL, max. FLA	PSTX30	PSTX37	PSTX45	PSTX60	PSTX72	PSTX85	PSTX105	PSTX142	PSTX170
15	18.5	22	30	37	45	55	75	90	
28	34	42	60	68	80	104	130	169	
400 V, 40 °C									
Using manual motor starter or MCCB, type 1 coordination will be achieved. <sup>1)</sup>	<b>MCCB (50 kA)</b>								
	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT2S160	XT4S250
Using gG fuses, type 1 coordination will be achieved. To achieve type 2 coordination, semiconductor fuses must be used. <sup>1)</sup>	170M1567	170M1568	170M1569	170M1569	170M1571	170M1572	170M3819	170M5810	170M5812
Suitable switch fuse for the recommended semiconductor fuses. <sup>1)</sup>	Switch fuse	OS32G	OS63G	OS63G	OS63G	OS125G	OS125G	OS250	OS400
The line contactor is not required for the softstarter itself but often used to open if OL trips <sup>1)</sup>	Line contactor	AF30	AF38	AF52	AF65	AF80	AF96	AF116	AF146
									AF190

<sup>1)</sup> These is an example of coordination. For more examples see: [applications.it.abb.com/SOC](http://applications.it.abb.com/SOC)



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Normal start In-Line connected	PSTX210	PSTX250	PSTX300	PSTX370	PSTX470	PSTX570	PSTX720	PSTX840	PSTX1050	PSTX1250
(480 V) hp	110	132	160	200	250	315	400	450	560	710
UL, max. FLA	192	248	302	361	480	590	720	840	1062	1250
<b>400 V, 40 °C</b>										
Using manual motor starter or MCCB, type 1 coordination will be achieved. <sup>1)</sup>	<b>MCCB (50 kA)</b>									
T4S320	T5S400	T5S400	T5S630	T7S800	T7S800	T7S1250	T7S1250	E2.2N 2000	E2.2N 2000	
Using gG fuses, type 1 coordination will be achieved. To achieve type 2 coordination, semiconductor fuses must be used. <sup>1)</sup>	170M5812	170M5813	170M6812	170M6813	170M6813	170M6814	170M8554	170M6018	170M6020	170M6021
Suitable switch fuse for the recommended semiconductor fuses. <sup>1)</sup>	OS400	OS400	OS630	OS630	OS630	OS630	OS800	-	-	-
The line contactor is not Line contactor required for the softstarter itself but often used to open if OL trips. <sup>1)</sup>	AF265	AF265	AF305	AF370	AF580	AF580	AF750	AF1350	AF1650	-

<sup>1)</sup> These are examples of coordination. For more examples see: [applications.it.abb.com/SOC](http://applications.it.abb.com/SOC)

# Technical data

Technical data		PSTX30 ... PSTX1250
Rated insulation voltage $U_i$		690V
Rated operational voltage $U_e$		208...600 V, 208...690V +10% / -15%, 50/60Hz ±10%
Rated control supply voltage $U_s$		100...250 V +10% / -15%, 50/60Hz ±10%
Rated control circuit voltage $U_c$		Internal or external 24 V DC
Starting capacity at $I_e$		4 x $I_e$ for 10 sec.
Number of starts per hour		10 for PSTX30 ... PSTX370 <sup>1)</sup> 6 for PSTX470 ... PSTX1250 <sup>1)</sup>
Overload capability	Overload class	10
Ambient temperature	During operation	-25...+60 °C, (-13...+140 F) <sup>2)</sup>
	During storage	-40...+70 °C, (-40...+158 F)
Maximum altitude		4000 m (13123 ft) <sup>3)</sup>
Degree of protection	Main circuit	-
	Supply and control circuit	IP20
Main circuit	Built-in bypass contactor	Yes
	Cooling system - Fan cooled	Yes (thermostat controlled)
HMI for settings (Human Machine Interface)	Display	LCD type, graphical
	Languages	English, Arabic, Chinese, Czech, Dutch, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Indonesian, Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Swedish and Turkish
	Keypad	2 selection keys, 4 navigation keys, start key, stop key, info key and remote/local key
Signal relays	Number of programmable signal relays	3 (each relay can be programmed to None, Run, Top of ramp, Event group 0-6, Sequence 1-3 Run, Sequence 1-3 Top of ramp or Run reverse)
	K4	Default as Run signal
	K5	Default as Top of Ramp (Bypass) signal
	K6	Default as Event group 0 (Faults)
	Rated operational voltage, $U_e$	250 V AC/24 V DC
	Rated thermal current $I_{th}$	5 A
	Rated operational current $I_e$ at AC-15 ( $U_e=250$ V)	1.5 A
Analog output	Output signal reference	0...10 V, 0...10 mA, 0...20 mA, 4...20 mA
	Type of output signal	Motor current (A), Main voltage (V), Active power (kW), Active power (HP), Reactive power (kVAr), Apparent power (kVArh), Active energy (kWh), Reactive energy (kVArh), cos phi, Motor temperature (%), Thyristor temperature (%), Motor voltage (%), Main frequency (Hz), PT100 temperature (centigrade), PTC resistance (Ohm)
Control circuit	Number of inputs	2 (start, stop)
	Number of additional programmable inputs	3 (each input can be programmed to: None, Reset, Enable, Slow speed forward (Jog), Slow speed reverse (Jog), Motor heating, Stand still brake, Start reverse, User defined protection, Emergency mode (active high), Emergency mode (active low), Fieldbus disable control, Start 1, Start 2, Start 3, Switch to remote control or Cancel brake)
Signalling indication LED	Ready	Green
	Run	Green
	Fault	Red
	Protection	Yellow
External keypad	Detachable keypad	Yes
	Display	LCD type, graphical
	Ambient temperature	-25...+60 °C, (-13...+140 F)
	During operation	-40...+70 °C, (-40...+158 F)
	Degree of protection	IP66 (Type 1, 4X, 12)
Start and stop functions	Soft start with voltage ramp	Linear voltage ramp, suitable for most applications
	Soft stop with voltage ramp	Used to prolong the stop sequence
	Soft start with torque control	Linear torque ramp, the best way to start pumps
	Soft stop with torque control	Commonly used to reduce water hammer in pumps
	Kick start	More power in the start for heavy duty applications.
	Full voltage start	0.5 second start ramp for applications with need of high starting torque
	Sequence start	Start multiple motors with one softstarter
	Current limit	Limits the current below a specified value
	Dual current limit	Consist of a low level, a high level and a time between them
	Current limit ramp	A linear increase of the current from the low to the high level
	Torque limit	Limit the torque to between 20-200%
	Pre-start function	Use Motor heating, Stand still brake or Jog automatically prior to start ramp
	Jog with slow speed, forward and reverse	Run the motor in three different speeds, both forward and reverse
	Start reverse (external contactors)	Internal logic that allows control of external contactors for reverse start
	Dynamic brake	Provides a braking force to decrease stop time
Fieldbus connection	Built-in Modbus RTU	Yes, with RS485 interface on terminals 23 and 24
	Connection for Anybus	Yes, including most common protocols, see catalog for details
	Connection for ABB Fieldbus plug	Yes, compatible with a special adapter, see catalog for details

<sup>1)</sup> Valid for normal start (class 10) for 50% on time and 50% off time. If other data is required, contact your local ABB office.

<sup>2)</sup> Above 40 °C (104 F) up to max. 60 °C (140 F) reduce the rated current with 0,8% per °C (0,44% per F).

<sup>3)</sup> When used at high altitudes, above 1000 meters (3281 ft) up to 4000 meters (13123 ft), de-rate the rated current using the following formula.  

$$[\% \text{ of } I_e = 100 - \frac{x}{1000}] \times \text{actual altitude of the softstarter in meter, } [\% \text{ of } I_e = 100 - \frac{x}{3280}] \times \text{actual altitude of the softstarter in feet.}$$
 For de-rating of voltage, contact your local ABB office. 150

<b>Technical data</b>		<b>PSTX30 ... PSTX1250</b>
<b>Protections</b>		
Electronic overload protection, EOL	User defined, class 10A, 10, 20, 30	
Dual overload (separate overload for start and run)	Possible to set separate overloads for start and full speed	
PTC connection	User defined temperature control with external PTC sensor	
PT-100 connection	User defined temperature control with external PT-100 sensor	
Locked rotor protection	Prevents start if motor is stuck, e.g. stuck pumps and conveyors	
Current underload protection	Stops the process if the load is too light, e.g. a pump running dry	
Current imbalance protection	User defined, checks current imbalance between the phases	
Power factor underload protection	User defined, trip if power factor is out of range	
Under voltage protection	User defined, prevents the motor from stalling in weak networks	
Over voltage protection	User defined, prevents the motor from damage at high voltage levels	
Voltage imbalance protection	User defined, checks voltage imbalance between the phases	
Earth fault protection / ground fault protection	User defined, 0.1-1.0 sec, stops the process if earth fault is detected	
Phase reversal protection	Prevents start if phases are connected in the wrong order	
Bypass open protection	Trips if the bypass is open when it should be closed	
User defined protection	Programmable input, can be used with external protection device	
Too long current limit protection	User defined, trips when the current has been at the current limit for too long time	
HMI failure protection	Indicates communication failure between softstarter and HMI	
Fieldbus failure protection	Indicates communication failure between softstarter and PLC	
Extension IO failure protection	Indicates communication failure between softstarter and IO module	
Max number of starts/hour	Prevents start if the thyristors gets too warm (thus used over specification)	
Too long start time protection	User defined, trips when the starting time exceeds a set value	
<b>Warnings</b>		
Current underload warning	User defined on/off	
Current imbalance warning	User defined on/off	
Voltage imbalance warning	User defined on/off	
Thyristor overload warning (SCR)	User defined on/off	
Electronic overload Time-to-trip	User defined on/off	
Short circuit warning (for Limp mode)	User defined on/off, for Limp mode	
Over voltage warning	User defined on/off	
Under voltage warning	User defined on/off	
Power factor underload warning	User defined on/off	
Locked rotor warning	User defined on/off	
Faulty fan warning	User defined on/off	
THD(U) - Total Harmonic Distortion warning	User defined on/off	
Motor runtime limit warning	User defined on/off	
Phase loss warning (for stand by)	User defined on/off, for stand by	
EOL warning	User defined on/off	
<b>External faults detection</b>		
Phase loss	Yes	
High current	Yes	
Low control supply voltage	Yes	
Faulty usage	Yes, e.g. using limp mode inside-delta	
Faulty connection	Yes	
Bad network quality	Yes	
<b>Internal faults detection</b>		
Thyristor overload	Yes	
Short circuit	Yes	
Open circuit thyristor or gate	Yes	
Heat sink over temperature	Yes	
Shunt fault	Yes	
<b>PTC input</b>		
Switch off resistance	2825 ohm ± 20%	
Switch on resistance	1200 ohm ± 20%	
<b>Other functions</b>		
Real time clock	Can maintain time when the softstarter isn't powered up, 48 h back-up	
Event log	Log of events such as trips, parameters changed and operation	
Emergency mode	To keep the softstarter running regardless of trip or failure. Activated via DI	
Automatic restart	In case of trip and stopped motor, the softstarter can restart itself	
Keypad password	Lock the keypad to inhibit unauthorized motor control	
Pump cleaning	Can reverse pump flow and clean out pipes	
Electronic overload Time-to-cool	Time until the motor is ready to be restarted after an EOL trip	
Thyristor runtime measurement	Measures most electrical variables, e.g. voltage, current and power	
Auto phase sequence detection	Detection of the phase sequence	
Electricity metering	Measures most electrical variables, e.g. voltage, current and power	
Motor heating	DC injection in all windings to heat up the motor. Useful in cold or humid environment	
Stand still brake	Prevents the motor from moving, useful to keep fans from reversing	
Voltage sags detection	User defined	
Limp mode with two-phase motor control if one set of thyristors is shorted	Can keep process running until planned maintenance	

For all functions and features see installation and commissioning manual, 1SFC132081M0201 available on [new.abb.com/low-voltage/products/Softstarters](http://new.abb.com/low-voltage/products/Softstarters).

# Technical data

## Fuse ratings and power losses

For softstarter	Current range	Max power loss at rated $I_e$	Max fuse rating - main circuit <sup>1)2)</sup> Bussmann fuses, DIN43 620 (Knife)			Power requirements supply circuit holding (VA) / Pull-in (VA)
Type	A	W	A	Type	Size	
PSTX30	9.0...30.0	0.8	100	170M1567	000	49/51
PSTX37	11.1...37.0	1.2	125	170M1568	000	49/51
PSTX45	13.5...45.0	1.8	160	170M1569	000	49/51
PSTX60	18.0...60.0	3.2	160	170M1569	000	49/51
PSTX72	21.6...72.0	4.7	250	170M1571	000	49/51
PSTX85	22.5...85.0	6.5	315	170M1572	000	49/51
PSTX105	31.8...106.0	10	400	170M3819	1*	49/51
PSTX142	42.9...143.0	18	500	170M5810	2	49/53
PSTX170	51.3...171.0	26	630	170M5812	2	49/53
PSTX210	63.0...210.0	48	630	170M5812	2	56/276
PSTX250	75.0...250.0	68	700	170M5813	2	56/276
PSTX300	90.0...300.0	97	800	170M6812	3	56/276
PSTX370	111.0...370.0	148	900	170M6813	3	56/276
PSTX470	141.0...470.0	99	900	170M6813	3	67/434
PSTX570	171.0...570.0	146	1000	170M6814	3	67/434
PSTX720	216.0...720.0	78	1250	170M8554	3	61/929
PSTX840	252.0...840.0	106	1500	170M6018	3	61/929
PSTX1050 <sup>3)</sup>	315.0...1050.0	165	1800	170M6020	3	68/929
PSTX1250 <sup>3)4)</sup>	375.0...1250.0	234	2000	170M6021	3	68/929

<sup>1)</sup> For the supply circuit 6 A delayed, for MCB use C characteristics.

<sup>2)</sup> For inside delta connection the fuses shall be placed inside the delta. Contact ABB for more information.

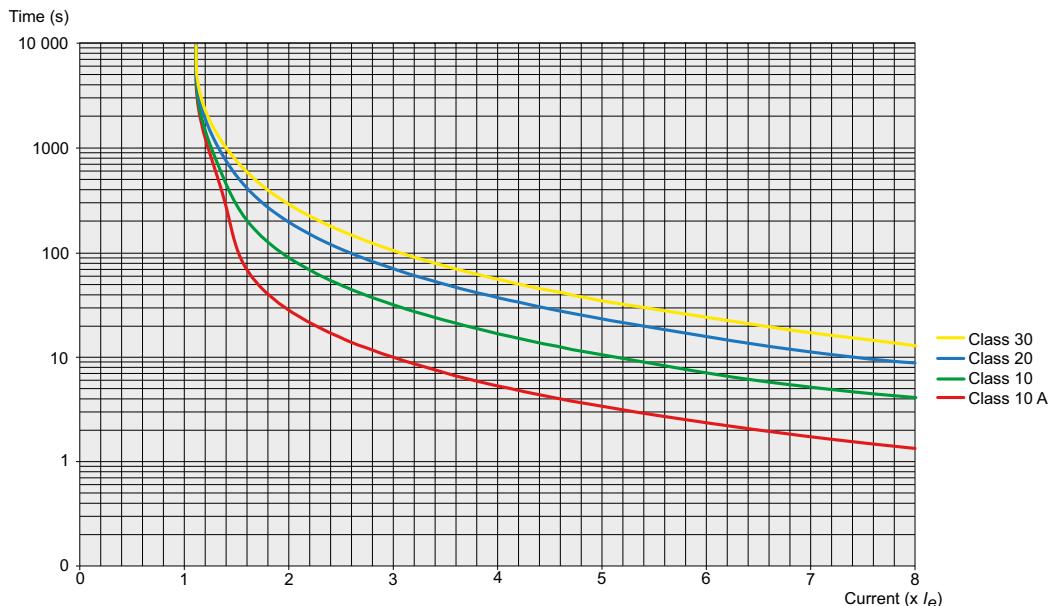
<sup>3)</sup> 170M6019 with fuse rating 1600 A should be used for 690 V version.

<sup>4)</sup> For 690 V version, Bussmann fuses are only available for motors with rated current up to 1150 A.

## PSTX Integrated bypass ratings

Softstarter	PSTX470	PSTX570	PSTX720	PSTX840	PSTX1050	PSTX1250
Integrated contactor	AF370		AF750			AF1250
AC-3 rating at 400 V (A)	370		750		-	
IEC AC-3 Rated operational power at 400 V (kW)	200		400		-	
UL/CSA 3-phase motor rating at 480 V (hp)	300		600		-	

Tripping curves for the integrated electronic overload protection. All units have an integrated electronic overload protection that can be set to four different tripping classes. Below you find a curve for each tripping class in cold state. These tripping curves are valid for PSTX.



Tripping curves for electronic overload protection (cold) for PSTX.

# Ordering details

## Normal duty starts, class 10

### Typical applications

- Centrifugal pump
- Conveyor belt (short)
- Centrifugal blower
- Belt press



For a more precise selection, use the online softstarter selection tool available by scanning the shown QR code or using the selection tool available on: [new.abb.com/low-voltage/products/Softstarters](http://new.abb.com/low-voltage/products/Softstarters)



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UL/CSA				Type	Weight	
Rated operational power					pkg/1pce	
200/208V	220/240V	440/480V	550/600V	Current	kg	(lb)
P <sub>e</sub> hp	P <sub>e</sub> hp	P <sub>e</sub> hp	P <sub>e</sub> hp	FLA A		
<b>Rated operational voltage U<sub>e</sub>, 208...600 V, rated control supply voltage U<sub>s</sub>, 100...250 V AC, 50/60 Hz</b>						
7.5	10	20	25	28	PSTX30-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
10	10	25	30	34	PSTX37-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
10	15	30	40	42	PSTX45-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
20	20	40	50	60	PSTX60-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
20	25	50	60	68	PSTX72-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
25	30	60	75	80	PSTX85-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
30	40	75	100	104	PSTX105-600-70	6.10 (13.45)
40	50	100	125	130	PSTX142-600-70	9.60 (21.16)
50	60	125	150	169	PSTX170-600-70	9.60 (21.16)
60	75	150	200	192	PSTX210-600-70	12.70 (27.99)
75	100	200	250	248	PSTX250-600-70	12.70 (27.99)
100	100	250	300	302	PSTX300-600-70	12.70 (27.99)
125	150	300	350	361	PSTX370-600-70	12.70 (27.99)
150	200	400	500	480	PSTX470-600-70	25.00 (55.12)
200	200	500	600	590	PSTX570-600-70	25.00 (55.12)
250	300	600	700	720	PSTX720-600-70	46.20 (101.85)
300	350	700	800	840	PSTX840-600-70	46.20 (101.85)
400	450	900	1000	1062	PSTX1050-600-70	64.20 (141.54)
400	500	1000	1200	1250	PSTX1250-600-70	64.70 (142.64)
<b>Rated operational voltage U<sub>e</sub>, 208...690 V, rated control supply voltage U<sub>s</sub>, 100...250 V AC, 50/60 Hz</b>						
7.5	10	20	25	28	PSTX30-690-70	6.10 (13.45)
10	10	25	30	34	PSTX37-690-70	6.10 (13.45)
10	15	30	40	42	PSTX45-690-70	6.10 (13.45)
20	20	40	50	60	PSTX60-690-70	6.10 (13.45)
20	25	50	60	68	PSTX72-690-70	6.10 (13.45)
25	30	60	75	80	PSTX85-690-70	6.10 (13.45)
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125	150	300	350	361	PSTX370-690-70	12.70 (27.99)
150	200	400	500	480	PSTX470-690-70	25.00 (55.12)
200	200	500	600	590	PSTX570-690-70	25.00 (55.12)
250	300	600	700	720	PSTX720-690-70	46.20 (101.85)
300	350	700	800	840	PSTX840-690-70	46.20 (101.85)
400	450	900	1000	1062	PSTX1050-690-70	64.20 (141.54)
400	500	1000	1200	1250	PSTX1250-690-70	64.70 (142.64)

# Ordering details

## Heavy-duty starts, class 30

### Typical applications

- Centrifugal pump (wastewater)
- Conveyor belt (long)
- Mixer
- Positive displacement pumps
- Positive displacement blower



For a more precise selection, use the online softstarter selection tool available by scanning the shown QR code or using the selection tool available on: [new.abb.com/low-voltage/products/Softstarters](http://new.abb.com/low-voltage/products/Softstarters)



PSTX30... PSTX105    PSTX142... PSTX170    PSTX210... PSTX370    PSTX470... PSTX570    PSTX720... PSTX840    PSTX1050... PSTX1250

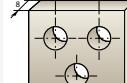
UL/CSA				Type	Weight		
Rated operational power				Current	pkg/1pce		
200/208V	220/240V	440/480V	550/600V		kg	(lb)	
P <sub>e</sub> hp	P <sub>e</sub> hp	P <sub>e</sub> hp	P <sub>e</sub> hp	FLA A			
<b>Rated operational voltage U<sub>e</sub>, 208...600 V, rated control supply voltage U<sub>s</sub>, 100...250 V AC, 50/60 Hz</b>							
5	7.5	15	20	25	PSTX30-600-70	6.10	(13.45)
7.5	10	20	25	28	PSTX37-600-70	6.10	(13.45)
10	10	25	30	34	PSTX45-600-70	6.10	(13.45)
10	15	30	40	42	PSTX60-600-70	6.10	(13.45)
20	20	40	50	60	PSTX72-600-70	6.10	(13.45)
20	25	50	60	68	PSTX85-600-70	6.10	(13.45)
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30	40	75	100	104	PSTX142-600-70	9.60	(21.16)
40	50	100	125	130	PSTX170-600-70	9.60	(21.16)
50	60	125	150	169	PSTX210-600-70	12.70	(27.99)
60	75	150	200	192	PSTX250-600-70	12.70	(27.99)
75	100	200	250	248	PSTX300-600-70	12.70	(27.99)
100	100	250	300	302	PSTX370-600-70	12.70	(27.99)
125	150	300	350	361	PSTX470-600-70	25.00	(55.12)
150	200	400	500	480	PSTX570-600-70	25.00	(55.12)
200	200	500	600	590	PSTX720-600-70	46.20	(101.85)
250	300	600	700	720	PSTX840-600-70	46.20	(101.85)
300	350	700	800	840	PSTX1050-600-70	64.20	(141.54)
400	450	900	1000	1062	PSTX1250-600-70	64.70	(142.64)

<b>Rated operational voltage U<sub>e</sub>, 208...690 V, rated control supply voltage U<sub>s</sub>, 100...250 V AC, 50/60 Hz</b>							
5	7.5	15	20	25	PSTX30-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
7.5	10	20	25	28	PSTX37-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
10	10	25	30	34	PSTX45-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
10	15	30	40	42	PSTX60-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
20	20	40	50	60	PSTX72-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
20	25	50	60	68	PSTX85-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
25	30	60	75	80	PSTX105-690-70	6.10	(13.45)
30	40	75	100	104	PSTX142-690-70	9.60	(21.16)
40	50	100	125	130	PSTX170-690-70	9.60	(21.16)
50	60	125	150	169	PSTX210-690-70	12.70	(27.99)
60	75	150	200	192	PSTX250-690-70	12.70	(27.99)
75	100	200	250	248	PSTX300-690-70	12.70	(27.99)
100	100	250	300	302	PSTX370-690-70	12.70	(27.99)
125	150	300	350	361	PSTX470-690-70	25.00	(55.12)
150	200	400	500	480	PSTX570-690-70	25.00	(55.12)
200	200	500	600	590	PSTX720-690-70	46.20	(101.85)
250	300	600	700	720	PSTX840-690-70	46.20	(101.85)
300	350	700	800	840	PSTX1050-690-70	64.20	(141.54)
400	450	900	1000	1062	PSTX1250-690-70	64.70	(142.64)

# Accessories

Terminal lug kits for Al and Cu cables	Wire range mm <sup>2</sup>	Tightening Nm torque max.	Catalog number	Pkg qty	Weight pkg / 1 pc	
	PSTX142 - PSTX170 PSTX210 - PSTX370 PSTX210 - PSTX370 PSTX470 - PSTX570 PSTX720 - PSTX840 PSTX1050 - PSTX1250	#6 - 300 MCM (1 per phase) #4 - 400 MCM (1 per phase) #4 - 500 MCM (2 per phase) 2/0 - 500 MCM (2 per phase) 2/0 - 500 MCM (3 per phase) 4/0 - 500 MCM (3 per phase)	13.5 (275 lb-in) 43 (375 lb-in) 43 (375 lb-in) 43 (375 lb-in) 43 (375 lb-in) 43 (375 lb-in)	ATK185 ATK300 ATK300/2 ATK580/2 ATK750/3 ATK1350/4 *	3 3 3 3 3 3	0.113 (0.249) 0.300 (0.661) 0.133 (0.293) 0.570 (1.257) 0.570 (1.257) 0.570 (1.257)
Terminal extensions	Dimensions hole ø mm <sup>2</sup>	bar mm	Catalog number	Pkg qty	Weight pkg / 1 pc	
	PSTX142...PSTX170 PSTX210...PSTX370 PSTX470...PSTX570 PSTX720...PSTX840	8.5 10.5 11 13	17.5 x 5 20 x 5 25 x 5 40 x 6	LX205 LX370 LX460 LX750	1 1 1 1	0.250 (5.551) 0.350 (0.772) 0.500 (1.102) 0.850 (1.874)
Terminal enlargements					kg (lb)	
	PSTX30...PSTX105 PSTX142...PSTX170 PSTX210...PSTX370 PSTX470...PSTX570 PSTX720...PSTX840	6.5 10.5 11 10.5 13	15 x 3 17.5 x 5 20 x 5 25 x 5 40 x 6	LW110 LW205 LW370 LW460 LW750	1 1 1 1 1	0.100 (0.220) 0.250 (5.551) 0.450 (0.992) 0.730 (1.609) 1.230 (2.712)
Terminal shrouds		Req. qty	Catalog number	Pkg qty	Weight pkg / 1 pc	
	PSTX142...PSTX170, short for use with cable clamps PSTX142...PSTX170, long for use with compression lugs PSTX210...PSTX370, short for use with cable clamps PSTX210...PSTX370, long for use with compression lugs PSTX210...PSTX370, long and deep for use with extending cable clamps, ATK300/2 and OZXB4 PSTX470...PSTX570, short for use with cable clamps PSTX470...PSTX570, long for use with compression lugs PSTX720...PSTX840, short for use with cable clamps PSTX720...PSTX840, long for use with compression lugs	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	LT205-30C LT205-30L LT370-30C LT370-30L LT370-30D LT460-AC LT460-AL LT750-AC LT750-AL	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	0.050 (0.110) 0.220 (0.485) 0.035 (0.077) 0.280 (0.617) 0.150 (0.331) 0.100 (0.220) 0.800 (1.764) 0.120 (0.265) 0.825 (1.819)	
PSTX USB Cable			Catalog number	Pkg qty	Weight pkg / 1 pc	
	PSTX USB Cable		PSCA-1	1	0.054 (0.119)	
I/O module, 24 V DC digital input						
	Extension module for I/O Extension module for I/O 24 VDC		DX111-FBP.0 DX122-FBP.0	1 1	0.220 (0.485) 0.220 (0.485)	

# Accessories

Main terminals	PSTX30 ... PSTX105	PSTX142 ... PSTX170	PSTX210 ... PSTX370	PSTX470 ... PSTX570	PSTX720 ... PSTX1050	PSTX1250
		 E16560 17.5 5 Ø 8.5	 E16560 20 5 Ø 10.2	 E16560 25 6 Ø 6.5 Ø 10.5	 E16560 40 6 Ø 6.5 Ø 12.5	 E16560 50 27 Ø 13
	<b>Cu cable - flexible</b> 1 x mm <sup>2</sup> 10...70 mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type Included	6...120 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA066917R1	16...240 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA055016R1	-	-	-
	Tightening torque 8 Nm	14 Nm	25 Nm	-	-	-
	<b>Cu cable - flexible</b> 2 x mm <sup>2</sup> 6...35 mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type Included	50...95 mm <sup>2</sup> LZ185-2C/120 1SFN074709R1000	70...185 mm <sup>2</sup> OZXB4 <sup>1)</sup> 1SCA022194R0890	-	-	-
	Tightening torque 8 Nm	16 Nm	22 Nm	-	-	-
	<b>Cu cable - Stranded</b> 1 x mm <sup>2</sup> 10...95 mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type Included	6...150 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA066917R1	16...300 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA055016R1	-	-	-
	Tightening torque 8 Nm	14 Nm	25 Nm	-	-	-
	<b>Cu cable - Stranded</b> 2 x mm <sup>2</sup> 6...35 mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type Included	50...120 mm <sup>2</sup> LZ185 - 2C/120 1SFN074709R1000	70...185 mm <sup>2</sup> OZXB4 <sup>1)</sup> 1SCA022194R0890	120...240 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA013922R1	-	-
	Tightening torque 8 Nm	16 Nm	22 Nm	35 Nm	-	-
	<b>Cu cable - Stranded</b> 3 x mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type	-	-	-	70...185 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA013956R1	-
	Tightening torque -	-	-	-	45 Nm	-
	<b>Al cable - Stranded</b> 1 x mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type	95...185 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA0549881R1	185...240 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA055020R1	-	-	-
	Tightening torque -	31 Nm	43 Nm	-	-	-
	<b>Al cable - Stranded</b> 2 x mm <sup>2</sup> Clamp type	-	-	120...240 mm <sup>2</sup> 1SDA023380R1	-	-
	Tightening torque -	-	-	31 Nm	-	-
	<b>Lugs</b> Width ≤ Diameter ≥ Tightening torque	24 mm (0.945 in) 8 mm (0.355 in) 18 Nm (160 in lb)	32 mm (1.260 in) 10.2 mm (0.402 in) 28 Nm (248 in lb)	47 mm (1.850 in) 10.5 mm (0.413 in) 35 Nm (310 in lb)	50 mm (1.969 in) 12.5 mm (0.492 in) 45 Nm (398 in lb)	50 mm (1.969 in) 13 mm (0.519 in) 45 Nm (398 in lb)
<b>Connection capacity acc to UL / CSA 1 x AWG / kcmil</b>	6...2/0 Clamp type Included	6...300 kcmil ATK185	4...400 kcmil ATK300	-	-	-
	Tightening torque 71 in lb	300 in lb	375 in lb	-	-	-
<b>Connection capacity acc to UL / CSA 2 x AWG / kcmil</b>	- Clamp type Included	- ATK300/2 <sup>2)</sup>	4...500 kcmil ATK300/2	2/0...500 kcmil ATK580/2	2/0...500 kcmil ATK580/2	-
	Tightening torque -	-	375 in lb	375 in lb	375 in lb	-
<b>Connection capacity acc to UL / CSA 3 x AWG / kcmil</b>	- Clamp type Included	- ATK750/3	- ATK750/3	2/0...500 kcmil ATK750/3	2/0...500 kcmil ATK750/3	-
<b>Supply and control circuit</b>	Cu cable - Stranded 1 x mm <sup>2</sup> Cu cable - Stranded 2 x mm <sup>2</sup> Tightening torque	0.75...2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (19...14 AWG) 0.75...1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (19...16 AWG) 0.5 Nm (4.4 in lb)	-	375 in lb	375 in lb	-

<sup>1)</sup> Terminal shrouds 1SFN125406R1000 must be used.

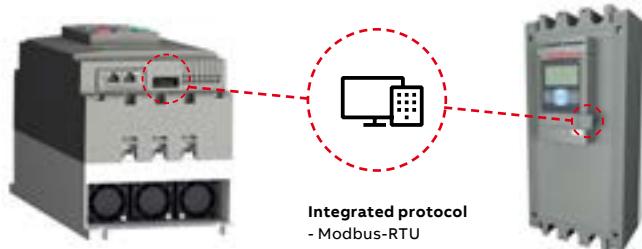
<sup>2)</sup> Terminal shrouds 1SFN125406R1000 can be used.

# Fieldbus communication

PSTX softstarters can be connected to a fieldbus network for monitoring and control. All major industrial fieldbus protocols are covered with different accessories making the installation very flexible.

## Built-in Modbus-RTU for PSTX

- Built-in Modbus RTU communication interface
- Easy to install using the Modbus RTU adaptor which is included with the Softstarter
- Through this communication interface it is possible to get full control and status information of the Softstarter as well as reading- and writing parameters



## Anybus connection for PSTX

- Anybus connection accessory for communication protocol suitable for PSTX30... PSTX1250

Available communication protocols for PSTX	
Communication	PSTX
Modbus RTU	●
Profibus DP	●
DeviceNet	●
Modbus TCP	●
Ethernet/IP	●



DeviceNet

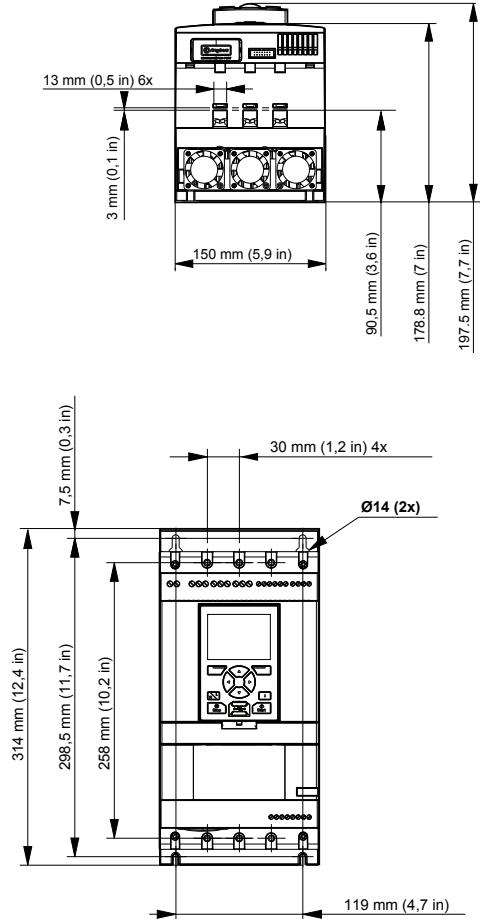
EtherNet/IP (1-port)  
Modbus/TCP (1-port)Profibus  
Modbus-RTUEtherNet/IP (2-port)  
Modbus/TCP (2-port)  
Profinet (2-port)

### Anybus connection accessory for communication protocol suitable for PSTX30 ...PSTX1250

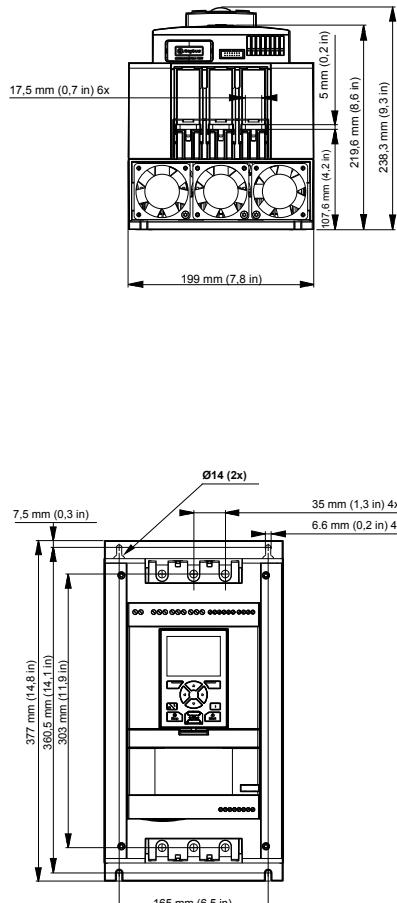
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Profibus	AB-PROFIBUS-1	1 0.042 (0.093)
DeviceNet	AB-DEVICENET-1	1 0.042 (0.093)
Modbus-RTU	AB-MODBUS-RTU-1	1 0.042 (0.093)
EtherNet/IP (1-port)	AB-ETHERNET-IP-1	1 0.042 (0.093)
EtherNet/IP (2-port)	AB-ETHERNET-IP-2	1 0.042 (0.093)
Modbus/TCP (1-port)	AB-MODBUS-TCP-1	1 0.042 (0.093)
Modbus/TCP (2-port)	AB-MODBUS-TCP-2	1 0.042 (0.093)
Profinet (2-port)	AB-PROFINET-2	1 0.042 (0.093)

# Dimensions

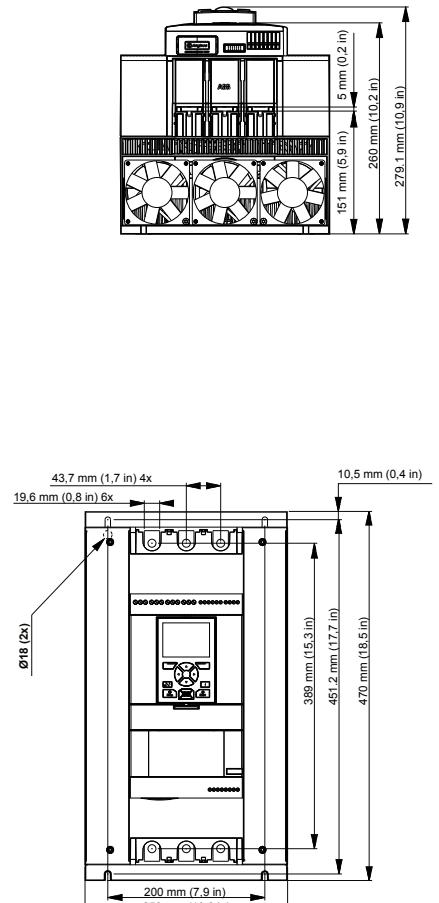
**Frame A**  
**PSTX30...PSTX105**



**Frame B**  
**PSTX142...PSTX170**



**Frame C**  
**PSTX210...PSTX370**

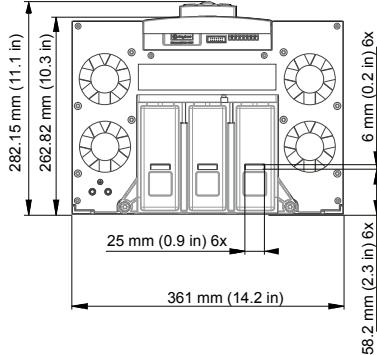


**Weight**  
6.1 lb (13.45 kg)

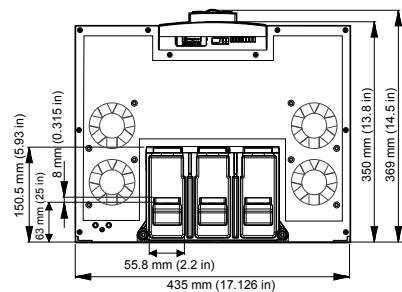
**Weight**  
9.6 lb (21.16kg)

**Weight**  
12.7 lb (27.99 kg)

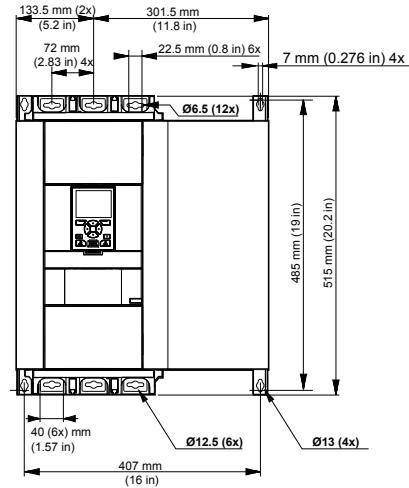
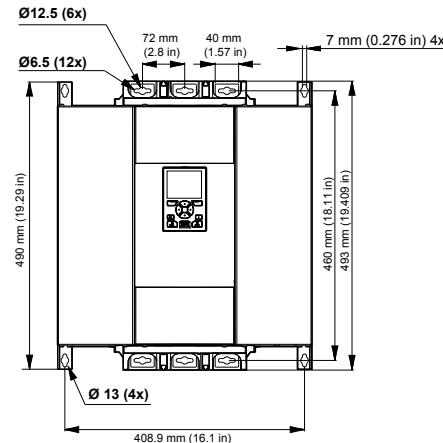
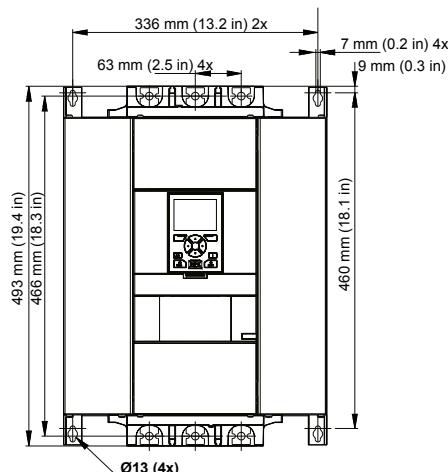
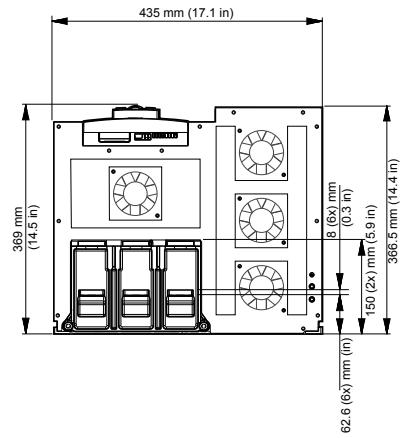
**Frame D**  
**PSTX470...PSTX570**



**Frame E**  
**PSTX720...PSTX840**



**Frame F**  
**PSTX1050**



**Weight**  
25 lb (55.12 kg)

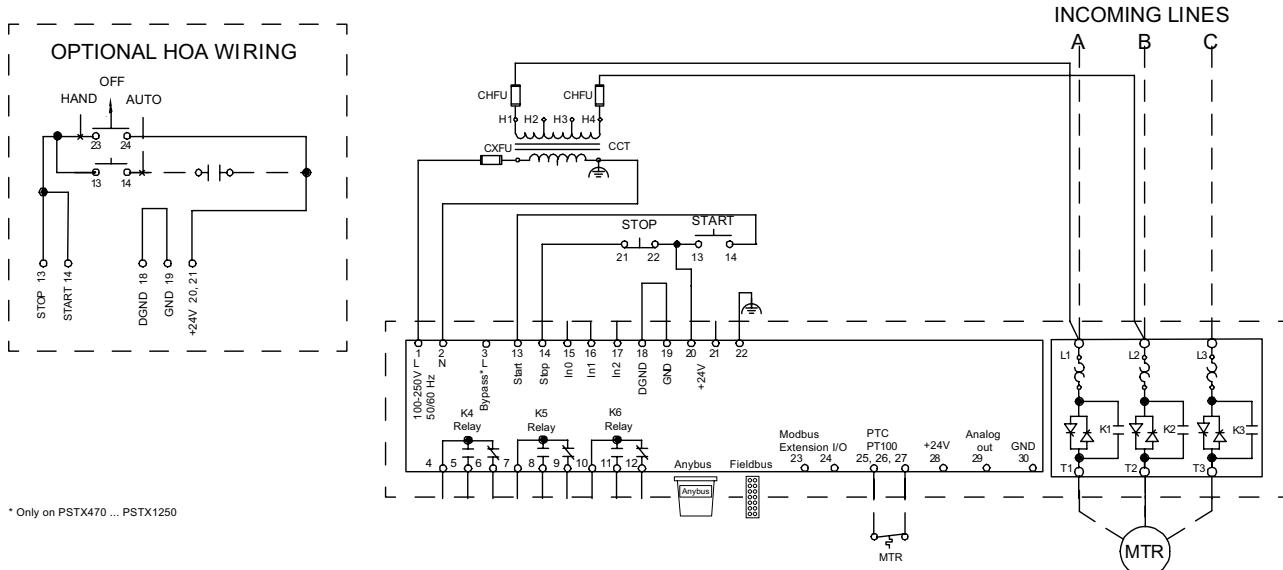
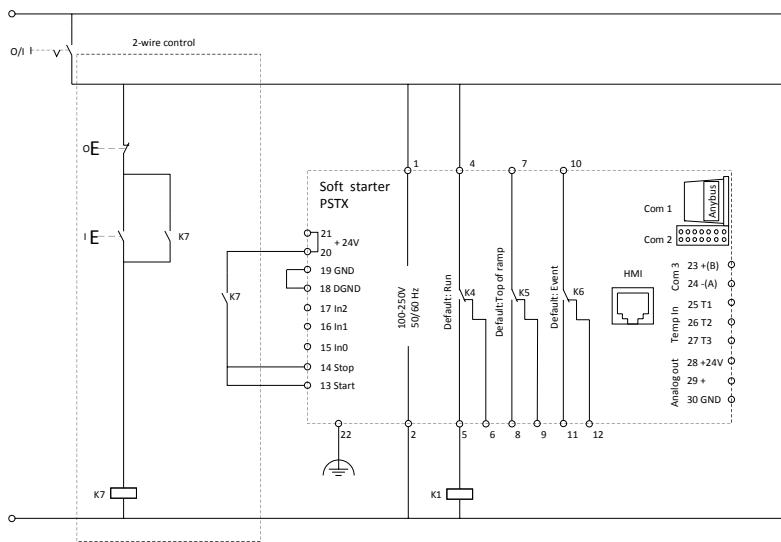
**Weight**  
46.2 lb (101.85 kg)

**Weight**  
64.2 lb (141.54 kg) PSTX1050  
64.7 lb (142.64 kg) PSTX1250

# Circuit diagrams

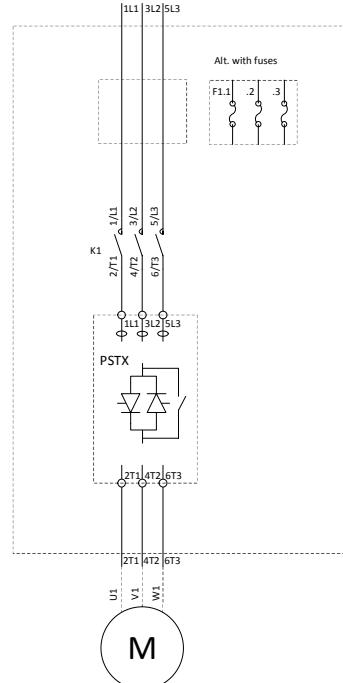
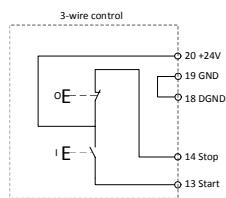

**CAUTION**

Terminal 22 is a function earth, it is not a protective earth. It shall be connected to the mounting plate.

**UL circuit diagram**

**PSTX30 ... PSTX1250**  
**In-line connected with line contactor and fuses**


Coil consumption for main contactors.  
 Pull-in max 15A  
 Holding max 1.5A

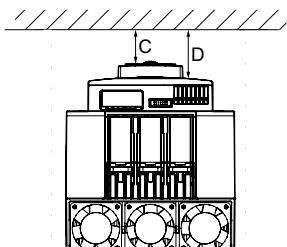
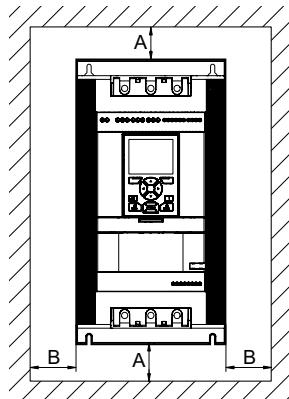
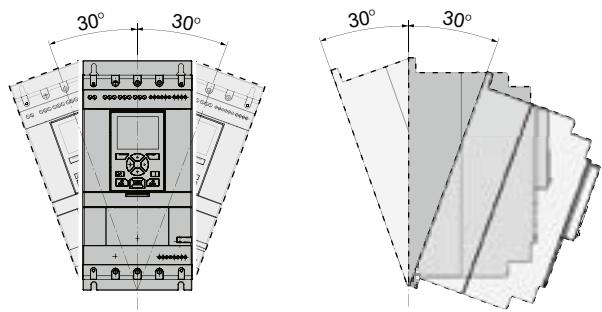
If the pull-in or holding values are higher, the main contactors must be controlled via an auxiliary contactor.



# Wall mounting

## Instructions

Product	Minimum distance to wall mm (in)			
PSTX	A	B	C	D
PSTX30 ... PSTX105	100 (3.94)	10 (0.39)	20 (0.79)	35 (1.38)
PSTX142 ... PSTX170	100 (3.94)	10 (0.39)	20 (0.79)	35 (1.38)
PSTX210 ... PSTX370	100 (3.94)	10 (0.39)	20 (0.79)	35 (1.38)
PSTX470 ... PSTX570	150 (5.91)	15 (0.59)	20 (0.79)	35 (1.38)
PSTX720 ... PSTX840	150 (5.91)	15 (0.59)	20 (0.79)	35 (1.38)
PSTX1050 ... PSTX1250	150 (5.91)	15 (0.59)	20 (0.79)	35 (1.38)

**Minimum distance to front****Minimum distance to wall****Maximum mounting angle****Items included in the box with the softstarter**

	Multi-language manual	Terminal kit	Cable and mounting kit for detachable keypad
PSTX30 ... PSTX1250	•	—	•

# Certifications and approvals

The table below shows the certifications and approvals for ABB softstarters. For other certifications and/or approvals, please contact ABB.

Certifications and approvals													
Abbreviation approved in	Certifications							Approvals: ship classification societies					
	CE EU	cULus Canada USA	CCC China	EAC Russia	ANCE Mexico	C-tick Australia	KC Korea	ABS	DNV GL	Lloyd's Register	CCS	PRS	Class NK
PSTX30 ... PSTX1250	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

- Standard design approved, the products wear the certification mark when it is required.

Directives and standards	
No. 2006/95/EC	Low voltage equipment
No. 2004/108/EC	Electromagnetic compatibility
EN 60947-1	Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 1: General rules
EN 60947-4-2	AC semiconductor motor controllers and starters
UL 508	Industrial Control Equipment
CSA C22.2 No 14	Industrial Control Equipment

# Marketing materials and tools

It is easy to access more information about ABB softstarters online. On our web page you will find tools for selection, coordination tables, CAD drawings and different types of documentation.



## Advanced selection tool: proSoft

Download here: [Link](#)

## Online softstarter selection tool

Fast and easy selection of softstarter on any device.



[www.abbcontrol.fr/Softstarter](http://www.abbcontrol.fr/Softstarter)

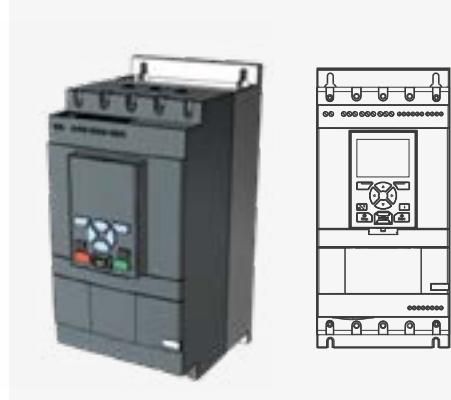


## Coordination tables

Online tool for coordination with short circuit protection, overload protection and line contactor.



[applications.it.abb.com/SOC](http://applications.it.abb.com/SOC)



## Download 2D and 3D drawings in any format

Use our Cadenas portal to download CAD drawings to all our Softstarters.



[Cadenas portal for  
CAD drawings](#)

# Marketing materials and tools



## More information online

- Marketing materials
- Certificates and approvals
- Product simulator
- Circuit diagrams and application diagrams
- EDS- and GSD-files for fieldbus connection
- Softstarter selection tool



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## SoftstarterCare™ – Service Engineer Tool

Software for easy set-up of PSTX, using a PC.



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