# **1P Configured Arktite® Heavy Duty Power Connectors**

Rainproof 30/60 A 600 VAC/250 VDC 60-400 hertz

# 30 Amp Plugs, Receptacles, Connectors, Motor Plugs

Heavy-Duty Voltage Polarized Circuit Breaking NEMA 3R Rainproof UL/CSA









Amps	Poles	Volt Rating	Color	Plug Cat. No.	Receptacle w/Spring Door* Cat. No.	Connector w/Spring Door* Cat. No.	Motor Plug** Cat. No.
30	3	120 VAC 1Ø	Yellow	APJC33B	ARC33B	APRC33B	APQC33B
30	3	240 VAC 1Ø	Blue	APJC33E	ARC33E	APRC33E	APQC33E
30	3	250 VDC	Brown	APJC33F	ARC33F	APRC33F	APQC33F
30	3	277 VAC 1Ø	Gray	APJC33H	ARC33H	APRC33H	APQC33H
30	3	347 VAC 1Ø	Pink	APJC33L	ARC33L	APRC33L	APQC33L
30	3	480 VAC 1Ø	Red	APJC33P	ARC33P	APRC33P	APQC33P
30	4	120/240 VAC 1Ø	Orange	APJC34D	ARC34D	APRC34D	APQC34D
30	4	208 VAC 3Ø	Dark Blue	APJC34K	ARC34K	APRC34K	APQC34K
30	4	240 VAC 3Ø	Blue	APJC34E	ARC34E	APRC34E	APQC34E
30	4	480 VAC 3Ø	Red	APJC34P	ARC34P	APRC34P	APQC34P
30	4	600 VAC 3Ø	Black	APJC34W	ARC34W	APRC34W	APQC34W
30	5	208Y/120 VAC	Blue	APJC35C	ARC35C	APRC35C	APQC35C
30	5	480Y/277 VAC	Red	APJC35N	ARC35N	APRC35N	APQC35N
30	5	600Y/347 VAC	Black	APJC35U	ARC35U	APRC35U	APQC35U

\* To order with threaded capp add suffix -S1

\*\* Protective cap included with APQC Motor Plug

Back Box Ordering Information – See pages 957 and 958.

# 60 Amp Plugs, Receptacles, Connectors, Motor Plugs

Heavy-Duty Voltage Polarized Circuit Breaking NEMA 3R Rainproof UL/CSA



Amps	Poles	Volt Rating	Color	Plug Cat. No.	Receptacle w/Spring Door* Cat. No.	Connector w/Spring Door* Cat. No.	Motor Plug** Cat. No.
60	3	120 VAC 1Ø	Yellow	APJC63B	ARC63B	APRC63B	APQC63B
60	3	240 VAC 1Ø	Blue	APJC63E	ARC63E	APRC63E	APQC63E
60	3	250 VDC	Brown	APJC63F	ARC63F	APRC63F	APQC63F
60	3	277 VAC 1Ø	Gray	APJC63H	ARC63H	APRC63H	APQC63H
60	3	347 VAC 1Ø	Pink	APJC63L	ARC63L	APRC63L	APQC63L
60	3	480 VAC 1Ø	Red	APJC63P	ARC63P	APRC63P	APQC63P
60	4	120/240 VAC 1Ø	Orange	APJC64D	ARC64D	APRC64D	APQC64D
60	4	208 VAC 3Ø	Dark Blue	APJC64K	ARC64K	APRC64K	APQC64K
60	4	240 VAC 3Ø	Blue	APJC64E	ARC64E	APRC64E	APQC64E
60	4	480 VAC 3Ø	Red	APJC64P	ARC64P	APRC64P	APQC64P
60	4	600 VAC 3Ø	Black	APJC64W	ARC64W	APRC64W	APQC64W
60	5	208Y/120 VAC	Blue	APJC65C	ARC65C	APRC65C	APQC65C
60	5	480Y/277 VAC	Red	APJC65N	ARC65N	APRC65N	APQC65N
60	5	600Y/347 VAC	Black	APJC65U	ARC65U	APRC65U	APQC65U
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\* To order with threaded cap add suffix –S1

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# **Plugs and Receptacles**

Industrial Heavy Duty Application and Selection

# Application:

Distribution of secondary electrical power
Provide quick disconnect from power source

# **Considerations for**

Selection: Electrical System: • Amperage and voltage required for application Wiring system and number of conductors required. See page 938 for contact sizes. Compatibility with System: • Need for interchangeability with plugs in existing system and within parts of new system. Grounding styles. Two styles utilized. See page 937 for complete description to determine which is suitable for needs. Mounting Arrangement: • Three types of mounting available surface, flush and panel Application: • Fixed receptacle for power outlet; cable connectors for portable cable extensions Other Considerations: • Wire sizes and recess dimensions available. See page 938 for complete details. National Electrical Code, UL, NEMA, Canadian Electrical Code, CSA compliances • Environment - need for operation in harsh, dirty or corrosive conditions.

#### **Options:**

 Special polarity arrangements available as well as special back boxes and hub arrangements. See listing pages for details.

# **Quick Selector Chart**

	Electrical Characteristics						
Receptacle Series	Receptacle Type	Amperage (Range)	Volts (Max.)	No. of Poles (Range)	Grounding Style†	Mounting	Mating Plug
APR	Portable cable	20, 30, 60, 100, 200, 400	600VAC 250VDC	2-5	1-2		APJ, NPJ, APQ, AP
APRC	Portable cable	30, 60, 100	600VAC 250VDC	3-5	2		APJC, APQC
AR	Fixed	20, 30, 60, 100, 200, 400	600VAC 250VDC	2-5	1-2	Back box (surface)	APJ, NPJ, AP
ARC	Fixed	30, 60, 100	600VAC 250VDC	3-5	2	Back box (surface)	APJC
AR	Fixed	30, 60, 100, 200	600VAC 250VDC	2-4	1-2	Panel mtg. (semi-flush)	APJ, NPJ, AP
NPR	Portable cable	30, 60, 100	600VAC 250VDC	3-4	2		NPQ, APJ, NPJ (fixed)
NR	Fixed	30, 60, 100	600VAC 250VDC	3-4	2	Back box (surface)	APJ, NPJ

† See page 937 for detailed explanation.



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## **Application:**

Arktite circuit breaking plugs and receptacles are used:

• to supply power to portable electrically operated devices such as motor-generator sets, compressors, heating and cooling units, welders, conveyors, lighting systems and similar equipment

• where temporary power is needed, such as at trailers, building units, heavy machinery and similar equipment

• wherever electrical loads must be quickly disconnected from power source

• in a typical installation, where a large machine utilizes a number of electrical motor drives and for ease of adjustment, removal, maintenance and replacement, each motor is connected by portable cord and *Arktite* receptacles rather than permanently wired

 in areas where dust, dirt, moisture and corrosion are a problem

• indoors and outdoors in non-hazardous areas of chemical plants, process industry facilities, meat packing plants, manufacturing plants and similar industrial locations

#### Features:

• Circuit breaking: Plugs through 200 ampere rating may be disconnected under load; 400 ampere units are for service disconnect use only.

• Receptacles accept only plugs of the same amperage rating, style and number of poles, making it impossible to mismate, and provides for positive polarization.

• Extra wide electrical spacing allows for maximum safety.

• Insulator materials are the result of intensive testing. Selection has been made based on highest dielectric strength, maximum mechanical and impact resistance, lowest moisture absorption and highest arc tracking resistance.

A variety of installations is possible due to the availability of several types of back boxes.
Designed to withstand rough usage and the

effects of adverse environments. • Reversible interiors, 30, 60 and 100 ampere (except 30 and 60 ampere, 5-pole) *Arktite* 

plug and receptacle interiors are interchangeable using a screwdriver. This makes it possible to feed a normally deenergized receptacle from an energized plug with usual *Arktite* safety; no energized contacts are exposed.

 Additional features are indicated in the view at right:

Grounding contact in Style 2 is bonded to the receptacle housing.

Easily wired interior assemblies in receptacles and plugs. See table on page 938 for type of contacts in units.

3 *Arktite* Style 2, illustrated here, has an extra grounding contact which forms a parallel circuit with the circuit formed by the plug sleeve and receptacle detent spring, and assures continuity of the grounding

safety circuit under severe service. Grounding contact is no longer than the others, so grounding circuit is made first and broken last.

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The arc formed by pulling the plug is instantly snuffed in the deep, confined insulated arcing chamber while the plug contact is still a considerable distance inside. The arc cannot travel over to the other side of the circuit or to the housing.

• Detent spring forms a grounding path from plug sleeve to receptacle housing. *Arktite* plugs and receptacles are made in two styles. With either style, the portable appliance is grounded before it is energized and remains grounded until after it is deenergized. (*Arktite* Style 1, not illustrated here, is for conditions where it is desired to use the contact of the plug sleeve with the detent spring to complete the grounding safety circuit. The extra grounding conductor in the portable cable is connected to the plug sleeve by a pressure connector.)

Each plug contact fits closely the opening of its individual arcing chamber.
Grounding contact is bonded to the plug sleeve. Grounding contact is keyed to its proper location to prevent mispolarization.

 Ø Arktite connectors' gasketing system provides unsurpassed watertight integrity.
 Ø All-aluminum UNI-SHELL™ threaded construction provides added strength to withstand extreme physical abuse.

> NEW! NEMA 4 Rating

> > Arktite Style 2 60 ampere

NEW! Smaller Cable Range

● Arktite's TRI-LOCK<sup>™</sup> cable grip has three clamps that tighten around the cable to securely lock it in place, even when subjected to extreme flexing and jerking.

 The unique SURE-SEAL<sup>™</sup> cable gland provides a complete environmental seal by distributing pressure equally around the circumference of the cable.
 Wrenching surfaces make *Arktite* connector quick and easy to assemble.



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# **Arktite® Heavy Duty Circuit Breaking Plugs and Receptacles**

**Industrial Heavy Duty** Non-Hazardous Areas

## Grounding:

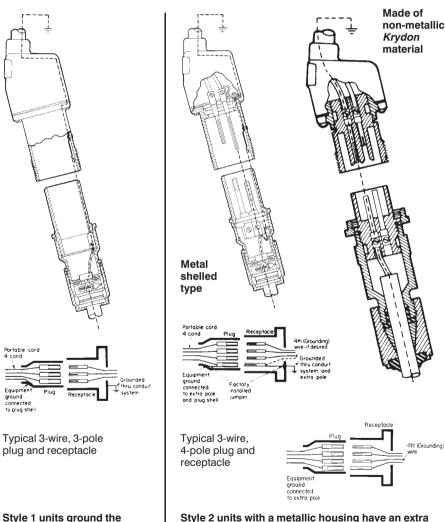
Crouse-Hinds utilizes two methods for completing the grounding circuit in plugs and receptacles (See diagrams below). Refer to National Electrical Code Article 250.

# Style 1:

A Style 1 plug is one in which the grounding conductor in the flexible cable is bonded to the plug sleeve by a pressure connector. A Style 1 receptacle is one which is grounded by virtue of the fact that it is an integral part of a grounded conduit system. On insertion, the plug sleeve makes contact with detent springs of the grounded receptacle housing

before line and load poles engage, and on withdrawal, remains in contact until after line and load poles disengage. Therefore, exposed metal parts of the portable equipment or plug are suitably grounded. Style 2:

A Style 2 metallic housing plug is one in which the arounding conductor in the flexible cable is bonded to the extra (grounding) pole and metal plug sleeve by a pressure connector. A Style 2 metallic housing receptacle is one in which the extra (grounding) pole is electrically connected to the equipment grounding conductor and the metal receptacle housing which itself is



Style 2 units with a metallic housing have an extra (grounding) contact which forms a parallel circuit with the circuit formed by the plug sleeve and receptacle detent spring. Style 2 units with nonmetallic housings utilize the extra contact only for connecting the grounding circuit.

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grounded by virtue of the fact that it is an integral part of a grounded conduit system. In Style 2, non-metallic housing plugs and receptacles, the extra pole is used for grounding since the housings are nonconductive. In a Style 2 receptacle, the arounding connection is made before line and load poles engage, and is broken after the line load poles disengage. Furthermore, upon insertion, the plug sleeve of metal shelled units, makes contact with detent springs of the grounded receptacle housing before line and load poles engage, and on withdrawal, remains in contact until after line and load poles disengage. Therefore, exposed metal parts of the portable equipment or plug are suitably grounded.

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#### **Corrosive Locations:**

Section 300-6 of the National Electrical Code/Canadian Electrical Code requires that, under conditions favorable to corrosion, all equipment, including enclosures and conduit, be protected against corrosion since they form an essential grounding path. In alternating current systems, running a separate conductor, usually of copper, back to the common grounding electrode may be advisable. This may be run through the conduit containing the circuit conductors. At the receptacle, this grounding conductor should be connected to the extra (grounding) pole by the pressure connector provided for that purpose. Where such an extra grounding conductor is used, Style 2 receptacles should be used.

#### Standard Materials:

• Metallic receptacle housings, plug and cord connector bodies - high impact strength copper-free aluminum

• Nonmetallic receptacles, plugs and cord connectors - Krydon® fiberglass-reinforced polyester material

• Back boxes: 20, 30, 60, 100 and 200 ampere - cast aluminum; 400 ampere -Feraloy® iron alloy

• Insulation (metallic products): (2-, 3-, and 4-pole) 30, 60, 100, 200, 400 ampere fiberglass-reinforced polyester; 20, 30 ampere (5-pole) - melamine

 Contacts: pressure, solder, binding screw – brass; crimp/solder - leaded red brass; 20, 30, 60, 100 ampere - telurium copper; 200, 400 ampere

# Standard Finishes:

• Feraloy—electrogalvanized and aluminum acrylic paint

• Aluminum – natural

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- Krydon fiberglass-reinforced polyester material - grev
- Fiberglass-reinforced polyester insulation (red)
- Melamine natural (brown)
- Brass natural
- Leaded red brass electro-tin-plate

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Rainproof 30 to 100 A 600 VAC/250 VDC 60-400 hertz

# Voltage/Color Configurations

A 16 position 'face' is used to illustrate the grounding contact location for receptacles. To identify the system voltage, identify the housing color and position of the receptacle grounding contact or marking on the polarizer.

# Standard Materials:

• Metallic receptacle housings, plug, and connector bodies - high impact strength copper-free aluminum

- Back boxes cast aluminum
- Insulators:
- 3, 4, and 5 pole fiberglass-reinforced polvester Contacts:
- Pressure screw type brass Polarizers – PBT polyester

#### Standard Finishes:

• Aluminum – natural

• Fiberglass-reinforced polyester insulator gray • Brass – natural

#### **Certifications and Compliances:**

• UL Standards: 1682 and 1686 • CSA Standard: C22.2 No. 182.1

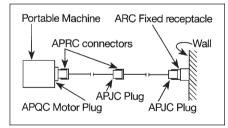
# **Electrical Rating Ranges:**

 Voltage – 600 VAC; 60 to 400 hertz; 250 VDC

• Amperes - 30, 60, and 100

• Horsepower Rating - same as standard product. See page 938.

# Typical Installation:



# Catalog Numbering System:

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Grounding contact is bonded to the receptacle housing.

Each plug contact closely fits the opening of its individual arcing chamber.

Large ground contact is keyed by location to prevent mispolarization.

Simple and easy color, part number, and voltage identification

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P = 480 VAC 10 or 30 (Red)U = 600Y/347 VAC (Black)  $W = 600 VAC 3\emptyset$  (Black)

The unique SURE-SEAL™ cable gland provides a complete environmental seal by distributing pressure equally around the circumference of the cable. One size accommodates the complete range of cable diameters.

