

PSE – The efficient range

Description



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- Wide rated operational voltage 208 – 600 V AC
- Wide rated control supply voltage 100 – 250 V, 50/60 Hz
- Rated operational current 18 to 370 A
- Wide ambient temperature range, -25 to +60 °C (-13 to 140 °F)
- Coated circuit boards for reliable operation in harsh environment
- Built-in by-pass on all sizes, saving energy and reducing installation time
- User friendly HMI with illuminated language neutral display and four button keypad
- Optional external keypad, IP66
- Torque control for excellent control of pumps
- Current limit, adjustable between 1.5 – 7 × I_e
- Motor overload protection with classes 10A, 10, 20 and 30
- Motor underload protection to detect pumps running dry
- Locked rotor protection, detecting jammed pumps
- Kick start to start jammed pumps or conveyor belts
- Analog output showing operational current, 4 – 20 mA
- Optional fieldbus communication using Profibus, Modbus, Devicenet or CANopen
- Sophisticated algorithm eliminating the DC-component and thereby providing excellent starting performance.

The PSE softstarter range is the world's first compact softstarters with Torque Control. This makes the PSE range an excellent choice for pumping application where water hammering normally is a big problem. With its compact design and advanced functionality, the PSE is also a very efficient solution for other common applications such as compressors and fans.

Torque control



The most important function when stopping pumps is torque control. Since the PSE softstarter is optimized for controlling pumps, this feature is a must.

Built-in by-pass for energy saving

Using the built-in by-pass after reaching full voltage will greatly reduce the power loss and thereby save energy. In the PSE softstarter range, the by-pass is built-in on all sizes, which will give the most compact starting solution and reduce the need for wiring during installation.

Coated circuit boards

All circuit boards in the new PSE softstarter have a protective coating to ensure a reliable operation even in tough environments like wastewater plants, where corrosive gases and acids may exist.

Motor protection

The PSE softstarter is equipped with built-in electronic overload protection, protecting the motor from overheating. Since no additional overload device is needed, our efficient design saves both space, installation time, and ultimately money.

Analog output

The analog output terminals can be connected to an analog current meter to show the current during operation and thereby eliminating the need for an additional current transformer. The analog output signal can also be used as an analog input to a PLC.

Display and keypad

The set-up of the PSE softstarter is done by using the four button keypad and the illuminated display, providing a quick and easy set-up. While operating, the display will also provide important status information such as current and voltage.

External keypad

As an option the PSE softstarter can be equipped with an external keypad for easy set-up and monitoring of the unit without opening the enclosure door. The keypad can also be used to copy parameters between different softstarters.

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The PSE Softstarter can be selected according to the rated motor power in normal duty applications like pumps, compressors, elevators, escalators, short conveyor belts and bow thrusters. See page 18.

For heavy duty applications like centrifugal fans, crushers, mixers, mills, stirrers and long conveyor belts, select a softstarter from page 19. The softstarter selection tool ProSoft can also be used for a more optimized selection.



Settings

- Green ready LED
Flashing - Supply available
Steady - Main available
 - Green run LED
Flashing - Ramping up/down
Steady - TOR
 - Yellow protection LED
 - Red fault LED
 - Back-lit display
 - User friendly keypad
Similar as for PST(B)
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- Four digits showing values and messages
- Icon's for showing functions. Language neutral

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Overview



PSE18 ... PSE105

Softstarter										
Normal start In-line connected	PSE18	PSE25	PSE30	PSE37	PSE45	PSE60	PSE72	PSE85	PSE105	
(480 V) hp	10	15	20	25	30	40	50	60	75	
(600 V) hp	15	20	25	30	40	50	60	75	100	
UL/CSA, Max FLA	18	25	28	34	42	60	68	80	104	
Using MCCB only, type 1 coordination will be achieved	MCCB (10 kA, 600 V, 40 °C)					MCCB (25 kA, 600 V, 40 °C)				
	T3S070TW	T3S100TW		T3S125TW	T3S150TW	T3S225TW	T4S250TW	T5S300TW		
Using J fuses, type 1 coordination will be achieved	J type fuse protection (85 kA)									
175 % rating	30 A	40 A	45 A	50 A	70 A	100 A	110 A	125 A	175 A	
Max rating	40 A	50 A	60 A	80 A	100 A	125 A	150 A	175 A	225 A	
Minimum enclosure size ¹⁾	600 x 500 x 300 mm / 24 x 20 x 12 in									
Fusible disconnect switch for the above J fuses	Fusible disconnect switch									
	OS30	OS60		OS100		OS200				
The line contactor is not required for the softstarter itself but often used to open if OL trips	Line contactor									
	AF26		AF30	AF50		AF63	AF75	AF95	AF110	
Overload protection is used to protect the motor from over heating	Electronic overload relay									
	Built-in									
The by-pass will reduce the power loss of the softstarter	By-pass									
	Built-in									

¹⁾ Enclosure that has two latching points minimum. For use in pollution degree 2 environment.

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PSE142 ... PSE170

PSE210 ... PSE370

Softstarter							
Normal start In-line connected	PSE142	PSE170	PSE210	PSE250	PSE300		
(480 V) hp	100	125	150	200	250		
(600 V) hp	125	150	200	250	300		
UL/CSA, Max FLA	130	169	192	248	302		
Using MCCB only, type 1 coordination will be achieved	MCCB (25 kA), 600 V, 40 °C						
	T5S400BW	T6S600BW		T6S800BW			
Using J fuses, type 1 coordination will be achieved	J type fuse protection (85 kA)						
175 % rating	225 A	250 A	300 A	400 A	500 A		
Max rating	300 A	350 A	450 A	500 A	600 A		
Minimum enclosure size ¹⁾	900 x 760 x 300 mm / 36 x 30 x 12 in			1200 x 900 x 300 mm / 48 x 36 x 12 in			
Fusible disconnect switch for the above J fuses	Fusible disconnect switch						
	OS400		OS600				
The line contactor is not required for the softstarter itself but often used to open if OL trips	Line contactor						
	AF145	AF185	AF210	AF260	AF300		
	AF400						
Overload protection is used to protect the motor from over heating	Electronic overload relay						
	Built-in						
The by-pass will reduce the power loss of the softstarter	By-pass						
	Built-in						

¹⁾ Enclosure that has two latching points minimum. For use in pollution degree 2 environment.

How to select correct size

By using the guide here, you can quickly select a suitable softstarter for the most common applications. If a more precise selection is required, you can use Prosoft, a selection software available at www.abb.com/lowvoltage

Quick guide for selection	
Normal start Class 10	Heavy duty start class 30
Ordering - see page 18	Ordering - see page 19
Typical applications	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bow thruster • Centrifugal pump • Compressor • Conveyor belt (short) • Elevator • Escalator 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centrifugal fan • Crusher • Mixer • Conveyor belt (long) • Mill • Stirrer 	
<p>If more than 10 starts/h Select one size larger than the standard selection</p>	

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Normal starts, class 10, In-Line, ordering details



PSE18 ... PSE105



PSE142 ... PSE170



PSE210 ... PSE370

PSE18 ... PSE370

Rated operational voltage, U_e , 208 - 600 V AC

Rated control supply voltage, U_s , 100 - 250 V AC, 50/60 Hz

	230 V kW	400 V kW	500 V kW	208 V hp	230 V hp	480 V hp	600 V hp	UL/CSA Max rated operational current I_e A	Part number	Weight kg (lb)
4	7.5	11	5	5	10	15	18	PSE18-600-70	2.4 (5.29)	
5.5	11	15	7.5	7.5	15	20	25	PSE25-600-70	2.4 (5.29)	
7.5	15	18.5	7.5	10	20	25	28	PSE30-600-70	2.4 (5.29)	
9	18.5	22	10	10	25	30	34	PSE37-600-70	2.4 (5.29)	
11	22	30	10	15	30	40	42	PSE45-600-70	2.4 (5.29)	
15	30	37	20	20	40	50	60	PSE60-600-70	2.4 (5.29)	
18.5	37	45	20	25	50	60	68	PSE72-600-70	2.5 (5.51)	
22	45	55	25	30	60	75	80	PSE85-600-70	2.5 (5.51)	
30	55	75	30	40	75	100	104	PSE105-600-70	2.5 (5.51)	
40	75	90	40	50	100	125	130	PSE142-600-70	4.2 (9.26)	
45	90	110	60	60	125	150	169	PSE170-600-70	4.2 (9.26)	
59	110	132	60	75	150	200	192	PSE210-600-70	12.4 (27.34)	
75	132	160	75	100	200	250	248	PSE250-600-70	13.9 (30.64)	
90	160	200	100	100	250	300	302	PSE300-600-70	13.9 (30.64)	
110	200	250	125	150	300	350	361	PSE370-600-70	13.9 (30.64)	

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Heavy duty starts, class 30, In-Line, ordering details



PSE18 ... PSE105



PSE142 ... PSE170



PSE210 ... PSE370

PSE18 ... PSE370

Rated operational voltage, U_e , 208 - 600 V AC

Rated control supply voltage, U_s , 100 - 250 V AC, 50/60 Hz

230 V kW	400 V kW	500 V kW	208 V hp	230 V hp	480 V hp	600 V hp	UL/CSA Max rated operational current I_e A	Part number	Weight kg (lb)
3	5.5	7.5	3	3	7.5	10	11	PSE18-600-70	2.4 (5.29)
4	7.5	11	5	5	10	15	18	PSE25-600-70	2.4 (5.29)
5.5	11	15	7.5	7.5	15	20	25	PSE30-600-70	2.4 (5.29)
7.5	15	18.5	7.5	7.5	20	25	28	PSE37-600-70	2.4 (5.29)
9	18.5	22	10	10	25	30	34	PSE45-600-70	2.4 (5.29)
11	22	30	15	15	30	40	42	PSE60-600-70	2.4 (5.29)
15	30	37	20	20	40	50	60	PSE72-600-70	2.5 (5.51)
18.5	37	45	25	25	50	60	68	PSE85-600-70	2.5 (5.51)
22	45	55	30	30	60	75	80	PSE105-600-70	2.5 (5.51)
30	55	75	40	40	75	100	104	PSE142-600-70	4.2 (9.26)
40	75	90	50	50	100	125	130	PSE170-600-70	4.2 (9.26)
45	90	110	60	60	125	150	169	PSE210-600-70	12.4 (27.34)
59	110	132	75	75	150	200	192	PSE250-600-70	13.9 (30.64)
75	132	160	75	75	200	250	248	PSE300-600-70	13.9 (30.64)
90	160	200	125	125	250	300	302	PSE370-600-70	13.9 (30.64)

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Accessories



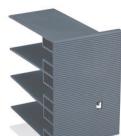
ATK...



LW...



LE185



LT ... -AL



PSEEK



PS-FBPA

Cable connectors for Al and Cu cables

For softstarter type	Wire range mm ² (AWG)	Tightening torque max. Nm (lb-in)	Part number	Pack ^{ing} piece	Weight kg (lb) 1 piece
PSE142 ... 170	25-150 (4 AWG - 300 MCM)	13.5 (275 lb-in)	ATK185	3	0.100 (0.220)
PSE210 ... 370	25-185 (4 AWG - 400 MCM)	43 (375 lb-in)	ATK300	3	0.168 (0.370)
PSE210 ... 370	2 x 25-240 (2 x 4 AWG - 500 MCM)	43 (375 lb-in)	ATK300/2	3	0.434 (0.957)

Terminal enlargements

For softstarter type	Dimensions hole ø mm (in)	bar mm (in)	Part number	Pack ^{ing} piece	Weight kg (lb) 1 piece
PSE142...170	10.5 (0.413)	20 x 5 (0.787 x 0.197)	LW185	1	0.450 (0.992)
PSE210...370	13 (0.512)	40 x 6 (1.575 x 0.236)	LW300	1	1.230 (2.712)

Terminal nut washer kits ¹⁾

For softstarter type	Req. qty	Part number	Pack ^{ing} piece	Weight kg (lb) 1 piece
PSE142...170	2	LE185	2	0.200 (0.441)
PSE210...370	2	LE300	2	0.300 (0.661)

Terminal shrouds

For softstarter type	Suitable for	Req. qty	Part number	Pack ^{ing} piece	Weight kg (lb) 1 piece
PSE142...170	Compression lugs	2	LT185-AL	2	0.220 (0.485)
PSE210...370	Compression lugs	2	LT300-AL ²⁾	2	0.280 (0.617)

External keypad including a 3m cable

For softstarter type	Part number	Pack ^{ing} piece	Weight kg (lb) 1 piece
PSE18...370	PSEEK	1	-

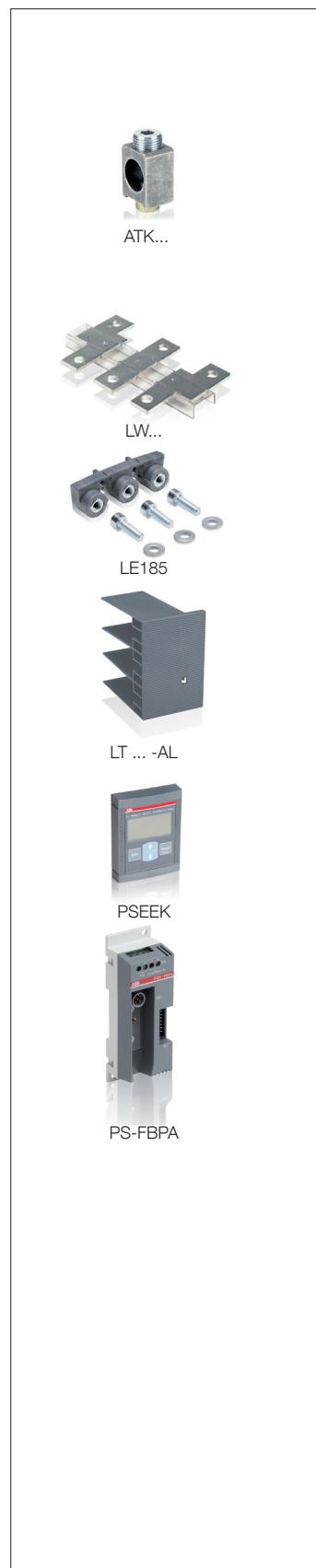
Fieldbus plug connection accessory

For softstarter type	Part number	Pack ^{ing} piece	Weight kg (lb) 1 piece
The same accessory for all sizes	PS-FBPA	1	0.060 (0.132)

ABB Field Bus Plug suitable for all sizes. See page 38-41

¹⁾ The terminal nut washer kits come standard with the PSE unit.

²⁾ The LT300-AL is not compatible with ATK300/2 cable connector.



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Rated insulation voltage U_i	600 V	Analog output	4 ... 20 mA
Rated operational voltage U_e	208 ... 600 V +10 %/-15 %	Output signal reference	
Rated control supply voltage U_s	100 ... 250 V +10 %/-15 %, 50/60 Hz ±5 %	Type of output signal	1 Amp
Rated control circuit voltage U_c	Internal 24 V DC	Scaling	Fixed at $1.2 \times I_e$
Starting capacity	$4 \times I_e$ for 10 sec.	Control circuit	
Number of starts per hour	10^1	Number of inputs	3 (start, stop, reset of faults)
Overload capability, Overload Class	10	Signal indication LED's	
Ambient temperature		On / Ready	Green flashing / steady
During operation	-25 ... +60 °C (-13 to 140 °F) ²⁾	Run / TOR	Green flashing / steady
During storage	-40 ... +70 °C (-40 to 158 °F)	Protection	Yellow
Maximum Altitude	4000 m (13123 ft) ³⁾	Fault	Red
Degree of protection		Protections	
Main circuit	IP00	Electronic overload	Yes (Class 10A, 10, 20, 30)
Supply and Control circuit	IP20	Locked rotor protection	Yes
Main circuit		Underload protection	Yes
Built-in By-pass	Yes	Field bus connection	
Cooling system - Fan cooled (thermostat controlled)	Yes	Connection for	
HMI for settings		ABB FieldBusPlug	Yes (option)
Display	4 7-segments and icons. Illuminated	External keypad	
Keypad	2 selection keys and 2 navigation keys	Display LCD type	
Main settings		Ambient temperature	
Setting current	Size dependent	during operation	-25 ... +60 °C (-13 to 140 °F)
Ramp time during start	1-30 sec	during storage	-40 ... +70 °C (-40 to 158 °F)
Ramp time during stop	0-30 sec	Degree of protection	IP66
Initial / end voltage	30-70%		
Current limit	$1.5-7 \times I_e$		
Torque control for start	Yes / No		
Torque control for stop	Yes / No		
Kick start	Off, 30-100%		
Signal relays			
Number of signal relays	3		
K2	Run signal		
K3	TOR (By-pass) signal		
K1	Event signal		
Rated operational voltage U_e	250 V AC / 24 V DC ⁴⁾		
Rated thermal current I_{th}	3 A		
Rated operational current I_e at AC-15 ($U_e = 250$ V)	1.5 A		

¹⁾ Valid for 50 % on time and 50 % off time, with $3.5 \times I_e$ for 7 seconds. If other data is required, please contact your sales office

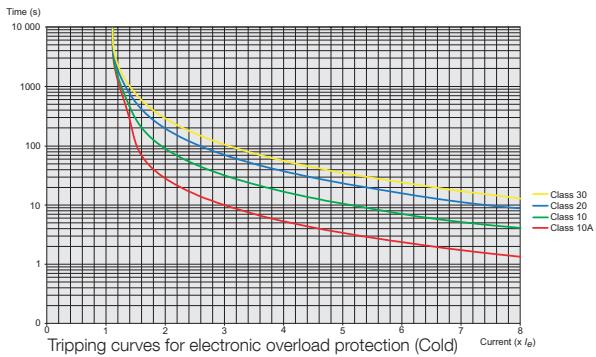
²⁾ Above 40 °C (104 °F) up to max. 60 °C (140 °F) reduce the rated current with 0.6 % per °C (0.33 % per °F).

³⁾ When used at high altitudes above 1000 meters (3281 ft) up to 4000 meters (13123 ft) you need to derate the rated current using the following formula.

$$[\% \text{ of } I_e = 100 - \frac{x - 1000}{150}] \quad x = \text{actual altitude for the softstarter in meter}$$

$$[\% \text{ of } I_e = 100 - \frac{x - 3280}{497}] \quad x = \text{actual altitude for the softstarter in feet}$$

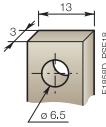
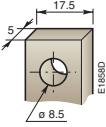
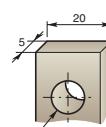
⁴⁾ A common voltage needs to be used for all 3 signal relays.



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Cross section of connection cables

Softstarter PSE18 ... PSE105		PSE142 ... PSE170	PSE210 ... PSE370	
Main circuit Connection clamp				
Solid/stranded	1 x mm ² (AWG)	2.5 – 70 (14-1/0)	See accessories	
Solid/stranded	2 x mm ² (AWG)	2.5 – 70 (14-1/0)	See accessories	
Tightening torque (recommended)	Nm (lb-in)	9 (79.66)	See accessories	
Connection bar		 13 3 ø 6.5 E1889D_PSE18	 17.5 5 ø 8.5 E1659D	 20 5 ø 10.2 E1889D
Width and thickness	mm (in)	13 (0.512) x 3 (0.118)	17.5 (0.689) x 5 (0.197)	20 (0.787) x 5 (0.197)
Hole diameter	mm (in)	6.5 (0.256)	8.5 (0.335)	10.2 (0.402)
Tightening torque (recommended)	Nm (lb-in)	9 (79.66)	18 (159.31)	28 (247.82)
Supply and control circuit Connection clamp				
Solid/stranded	1 x mm ² (AWG)	2.5 (14)	2.5 (14)	
Solid/stranded	2 x mm ² (AWG)	1.5 (16)	1.5 (16)	
Tightening torque (recommended)	Nm (lb-in)	0.5 (4.43)	0.5 (4.43)	

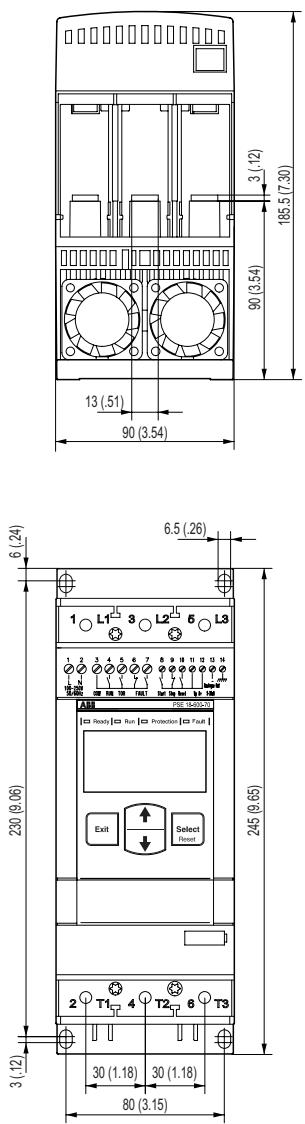
Semi-conductor fuse ratings and power losses

Overload protection		Current range	Max power loss at rated I _e (Internal by-pass)	Max semi-conductor fuse rating - main circuit Coordination type 2 (85 kA)			Supply circuit power requirements ¹⁾
For Softstarter				A	Type	Size	
PSE							
PSE18	Integrated	5.4-18	0.2	40	170M1563	000	16
PSE25	Integrated	7.5-25	0.4	50	170M1564	000	16
PSE30	Integrated	9-30	0.5	80	170M1566	000	16
PSE37	Integrated	11.1-37	0.8	100	170M1567	000	16
PSE45	Integrated	13.5-45	1.2	125	170M1568	000	16
PSE60	Integrated	18-60	2.2	160	170M1569	000	16
PSE72	Integrated	21.6-72	3.1	250	170M1571	000	16
PSE85	Integrated	25.5-85	4.3	315	170M1572	000	16
PSE105	Integrated	31.8-106	6.6	400	170M3819	1	16
PSE142	Integrated	42.9-143	12.1	450	170M5809	2	16
PSE170	Integrated	51.3-171	17.6	500	170M5810	2	16
PSE210	Integrated	63-210	8.8	630	170M5812	2	23/350
PSE250	Integrated	75-250	12.5	700	170M5813	2	23/350
PSE300	Integrated	90.6-302	18	800	170M6812	3	23/350
PSE370	Integrated	111-370	27.4	900	170M6813	3	23/350

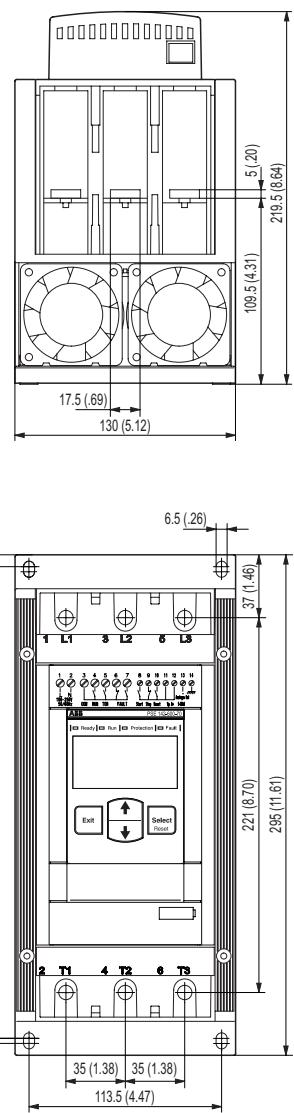
¹⁾ For the supply circuit use a maximum 6 A time-delay fuse or an MCB with type C characteristics.

Dimensions PSE softstarters

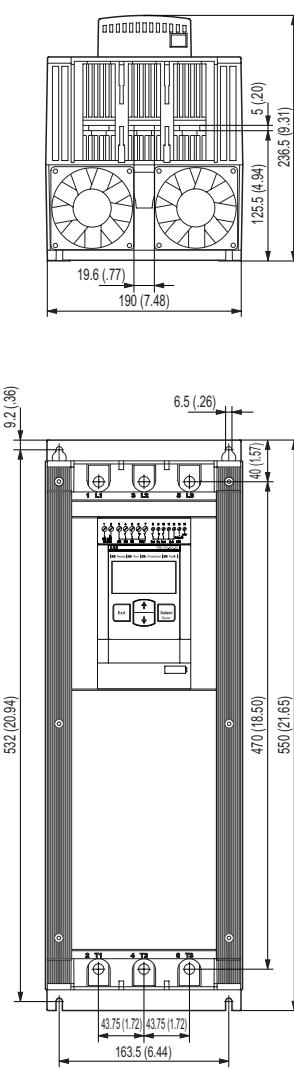
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Dimensions in mm (and inches)