



BoltShield™ Surge Protective Devices

QSPD series for loadcenters
Base model ideal for large projects

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Surge Protective Devices (SPDs) provide the best protection from both externally and internally generated surges when located as close to the building distribution system as possible. For cost and space reasons many buildings only include one SPD located at the main incoming loadcenter and do not cascade SPDs throughout the building as recommended by IEEE. The new Siemens QSPD series of SPDs are economical and easy to install in most panels throughout a building so that whole facility protection can be obtained. The QSPD Base model is an additional option for applications that require minimal features, while offering quality surge protection. See the Siemens Boltshield web page and brochures for more information.

Product specifications

General specifications

Maximum surge current rating range	35kA per phase
UL Type designation	SPD Type 1*
UL 1449 I-nominal rating	20kA
UL 1449 short circuit current rating	22kA
Repetitive impulse	5,000 hits
Response time	<1 ns

Physical specifications

Humidity range	0-95% non-condensing
Operating frequency	0-415Hz
Operating temperature	-25°C to +60°C
Dimensions in inches (mm)	2 pole 3 (77.9) × 2 (50.4) × 2.6 (65.3)
Weight	2 pole 0.36 lbs (165 g)
Neutral/ground connection	#14 AWG (pre-wired)

Features

- UL 1449 SPD Type 1*
- Monolithic distribution grade MOV
- Thermally protected MOV
- 35kA surge current protection per phase
- 20kA I-nominal ratings
- 22kA SCCR
- 3-year/\$10,000 standard warranty

Diagnostic monitoring specifications

Green/red visual mechanical flag failure indicators

Design specifications

Monolithic distribution grade MOV
Integrated optimized thermal protection
Fits in footprint of Siemens QP breaker
Modes of protection (L-N or L-G, L-L)

*Type 1 SPDs suitable for use in Type 2 applications

UL 1449 performance data and ordering information

System voltage	L-N (L-G)	L-L	I _n	SCCR	MCOV	Catalog number	Siemens breaker form factor
120/240V, 1Ø, 3W*	700V	1200	20kA	22kA	150V	QSPD2A035B	2-P, QP

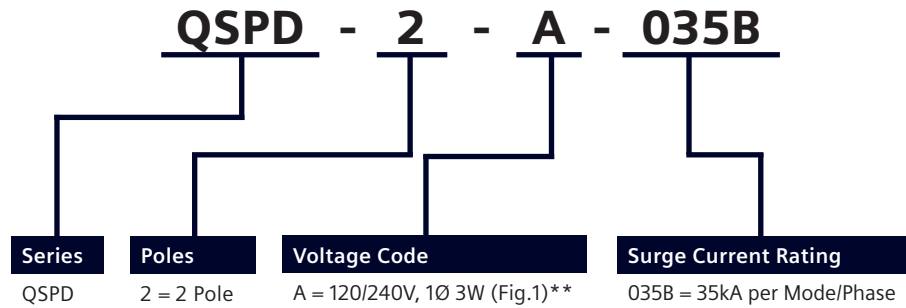
*Can also be used on 208Y/120V, 1Ø, 3W System.

Standards compliance and certifications

UL 1449 4th Edition, cUL, UL 96A compliant, ANSI/IEEE C62.41.1-2002, C62.41.2-2002, C62.45-2002, NEC Article 285

ISO 9001:2014 quality management system, ISO 17025:2007 laboratory certification (UL DAP Program), 100% quality tested prior to shipping

QSPD-Base catalog number logic



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Benefits of installing multiple QSPDs

Adding multiple QSPDs in a single load center can increase the modes of protection and the surge capacity. See the Boltshield brochure for more details and review the example chart below:

Number of QSPDBs	Connection	Modes of protection	Surge current capacity per mode	Surge current capacity per phase
1	Neutral	3	35 kA	35 kA
2	Neutral + Ground	6	35 kA	70 kA
2	Neutral	3	70 kA	70 kA
3	Neutral(2) + Ground(1)	6	70 kA (L-N) + 35 kA (L-G)	105 kA
3	Ground	3	105 kA	105 kA
4	Neutral(2) + Ground(2)	6	70 kA	140 kA

Wiring configurations

Split

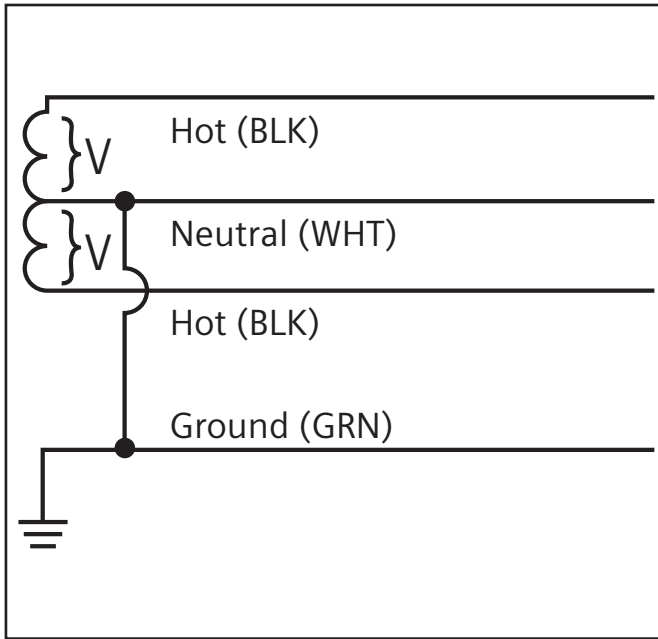
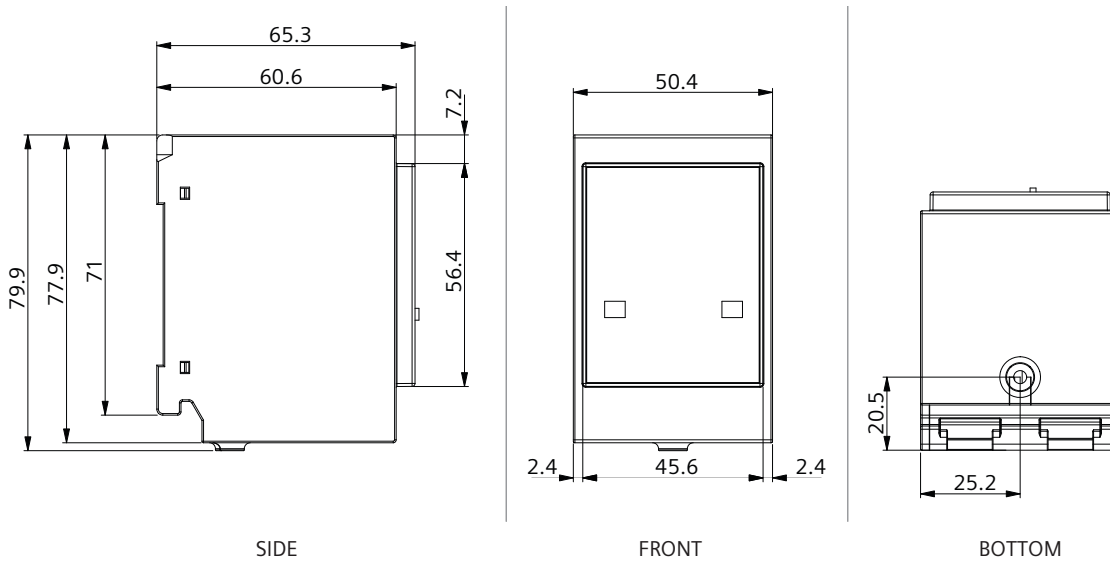


Figure 1
2 Hots, 1 Neu, 1 Grnd

Product diagram (in millimeters)

2-pole: QSPD2A035B



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