V-Series CONTURA SWITCHES

The V-Series Contura II & III snap-in rocker switches offer countless unique options including choices for ratings, circuits, colors, illuminations and symbols. These single or double pole switches feature removable actuators in a choice of actuator styles and colors, and can be illuminated with either square or bar shaped lenses. Actuators may be purchased and stocked separately. An optional plug-in terminal connector enables pre-wiring of wire harnesses.

The Contura switches with sealed option, are certified to IP66/68, signifying complete protection against dust and prolonged spray and submersion under pressure, and are recognized to UL1500 - Ignition Protection for Marine Products. These switches are vibration, shock, thermoshock, moisture and salt spray resistant. Temperature ratings range from -40°C to +85°C.





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Resources:

Product Highlights:

- Countless options for ratings, circuits, colors, illuminations and legends
- Sealed to IP66/68 for Above-Panel Components
- Vibration, shock, thermoshock, moisture and salt spray resistant
- Temperature range from -40°C to +85°C.

Typical Applications:

- On/Off Highway Equipment
- Marine
- Military Armored Vehicles
- Mining Machinery and Equipment
- Any application requiring environmental protection



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V-Series Switch DESIGN FEATURES

INTERCHANGEABLE ACTUATORS

Panel redesign is a snap with our wide range of rocker styles. Achieve maximum design variety with minimum inventory. Simply swap rockers to create an entirely new look for your panel.

DUAL SEAL PROTECTION

Seals out water, dust, debris, and sealed to IP66/68 for above-panel components

CLEAN CONNECTIONS

Options for both eight and ten terminal base styles with AMP & Packard compatible connectors affords myriad circuit options while providing ease of assembly.

OPTIONAL PANEL SEAL Helps prevent water/dust ingress behind panel.

MULTIPLE LIGHTING OPTIONS

In addition to Incandescent lamps, our LED illumination is offered in a wide array of light intensities, colors, as well as dual level, tri-color, and flashing options.

BRASS ROLLER PIN

Robust mechanism eliminates the need for lubricants. Enables switch to withstand -40°C to +85°C temperatures.

SILVER PLATED BUTT CONTACT MECHANISM

Providing 50k to 100k electrical cycles, circuit and load dependent

*Manufacturer reserves the right to change product specification without prior notice



Contura II & III

The Contura II & III actuators are constructed of thermoplastic polycarbonate and are offered with a hard nylon overlay or a "soft-touch" elastomer overlay. These models incorporate aesthetic designs on the top and bottom of the rocker featuring two rows of raised "bumps" on the Contura II and three "indented" lines on the Contura III.



Contura X

The raised bracket/bezel on the Contura X helps prevent inadvertent actuation of the rocker, as well as preventing debris from being trapped under the actuator. This curved rocker style is available with a variety of lenses and legends.



Contura IV

The Contura IV's "Shape to create a Shape" actuator works with the curves, contours & advanced styling of the latest panel designs, flowing with these advanced curves & radii. This actuator style fits on the Contura flush bracket/bezel.



Contura XI

The raised bracket/bezel on the Contura XI helps prevent inadvertent actuation of the rocker, as well as preventing debris from being trapped under the actuator. This convex style rocker is available with a wide variety of lenses and legends.



Contura V

The symmetrically curved Contura V actuator provides the perfect complement to the Contura IV's "Shape to create a Shape" design concept. With its flush style mounting bracket, Contura V can be mounted in between two Contura IV's, by itself, or in groups.



Contura XII

The Contura XII version features a paddle style actuator with the raised bracket/bezel of Contura X and XI. The contoured handle design provides intuitive recognition and ease of operation and is available with all Contura X and XI lens and legend offerings.



Contura VI (WAVE)

The Contura VI WAVE sealed rocker switches, when used in a row, create an uniquely appealing "wave" design on your panel. A variety of colors and finishes are available for both rocker and wave insert. Contura VI features bar and oval lenses.



The Contura XIV represents a sleek new

crossover rocker design which should appeal to Trucks, Buses and Heavy Vehicles as well as the Marine Industry. Intuitive feel is provided by recessed ridges along with a Center Groove which effectively defines the boundary between top and bottom switch functions.



Contura VII

Contura VII featuring gently curved corners and edges assuring compatibility with most any panel design. Intuitive feel is maximized by the use of 2 embossed circular pads located at opposite ends of the rocker. Any combination of Bar or Oval style lenses can be located in the pads providing a truly unique look, exclusive to Contura VII.



Illuminated Indicators & Accessories

Alert operator of systems functions or malfunctions, are offered with removable/replaceable lamps in Contura II, II, V or X styles. Accessories include connectors, mounting panels, hole plugs, panel seals, and actuator removal tools. Refer to accessories page for full details

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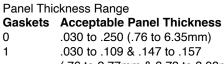
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Contact Rating	.4VA @ 24VDC (MAX) resistive 15 amps, 125VAC 10 amps, 250VAC 1/2 HP 125-250VAC	AI ° (B	
	20 amps, 4-14VDC	Environmental	
	15 amps, 15-28VDC		
	10A, 14VT	Sealing	IP66/68, for above-panel components
	6A, 125VAC L	Corrosion	of actual switch only. Mixed Flowing Gas (MFG) Class III
Dielectric Strength	1500 Volts RMS	Corrosion	3 year accelerated exposure per
Insulation Resistance	50 Megohms		ASTM B-827, B-845 Silver and gold
	e 10 milliohms max. @ 4VDC		contacts
Life	Up to 100,000 cycles, circuit	Operating Temp.	-40°C to +85°C
	and load dependent	Vibration 1	Per Mil-Std 202F, Method 204D
Contacts	Silver alloy, silver tin-oxide, fine		Test Condition A 0.06 DA or 10G's
	silver		10-500 Hz. Tested with VCH connector.
Terminals	Brass or copper/silver plate 1/4"		Test criteria - No loss of circuit during
	(6.3mm) Quick Connect		test, pre and post test contact resistance.
	terminations standard. Solder lug, Wire Lead	Vibration 2	Resonance search
	Wire Leau	VIBIATION 2	24-50 Hz 0.40 DA
			50-2000 Hz ±10 G's peak
Physical			Horizontal Axis 3-5 G's max.
Lighted	Incandescent - rated 10,000		Random
	hours Neon - rated 25,000 hours		24 Hz 0.06 PSD-Gsq/Hz
	LED - rated 100,000 hours 1/2 life		60 Hz 0.50
	(LED is internally ballasted for		100 Hz 0.50 200 Hz 0.025
	voltages to 24VDC)		2000 Hz 0.025
Seals	Internal		No loss of circuit during test; <10µ
Data	Optional external gasket panel seal		seconds chatter.
Base	Polyester blend rated to 125°C with	Shock	Per Mil-Std 202F, Method 213B, Test
	a UL flammability rating of 94V0.		Condition K @ 30G's. Tested with
Contura II,III,IV,V, VI, VII Actuator	Hard Surface: Basic actuator		VCH connector. Test criteria - No loss
VI, VII ACIUAIOI	structure molded of thermoplastic polycarbonate with a hard Nylon 66		of circuit during test, pre and post
	thermoplastic surface overlay.	Salt Spray	test contact resistance. Per Mil-Std 202F, Method 101D, Test
	Soft Surface: Basic actuator structure	Salt Opray	Condition A, 96 Hrs. Sealed version only.
	molded of thermoplastic polycarbonate	Dust	Mil STD 810, Method 510.2 Air Velocity
	with an elastomer overlay.		300 Ft/Min Duration 16Hr
Contura X XI XII Actuator VI	P Nylon 66 Reinforced rated to 105°C	Thermal Shock	Per Mil-Std 202F, Method 107F, Test
Lens	Polycarbonate rated at 100°C		Cond. A, -55°C to +85°C. Test criteria -
Contura XIV	Polycarbonate lens/sub-rocker with		pre and post test contact resistance
	ABS shell	Moisture Resistance	Per Mil-Std 202F, Method 106F, Test
			Criteria - pre and post test contact resistance
Actuator Travel ((naular Displacement)	Ignition Protection	All Contura switches with sealed
Actuator fravel (A	Angular Displacement)	ignition i rotoction	

Actuator Travel (Angular Displacement)

2 position 3 positions

18° 9° from center

Mounting Specifications



(.76 to 2.77mm & 3.73 to 3.98mm) Recommended: No gasket with panel

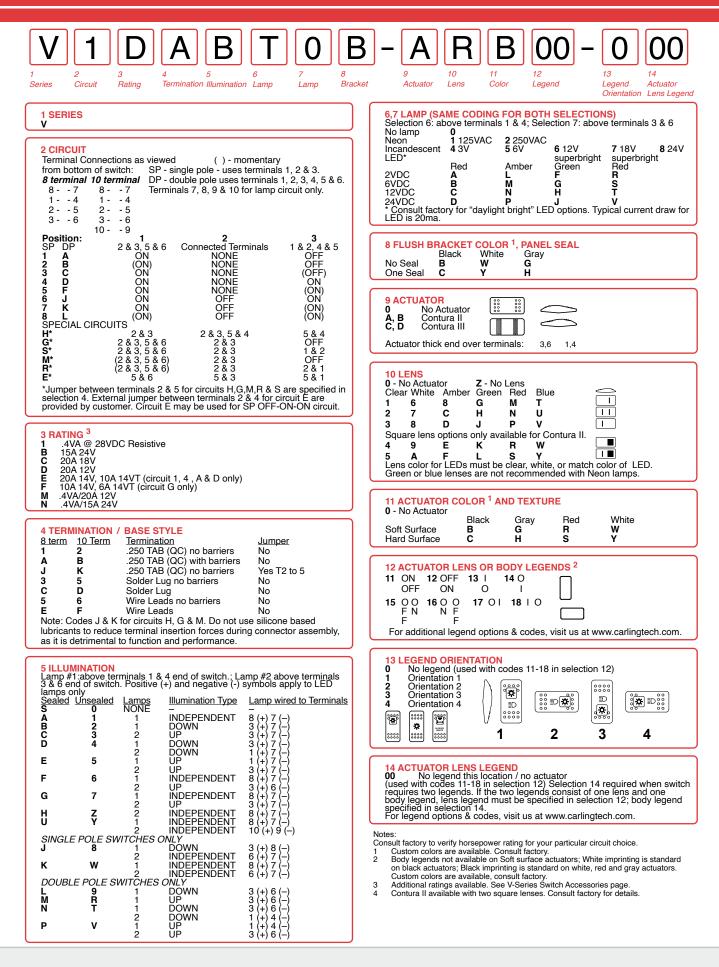
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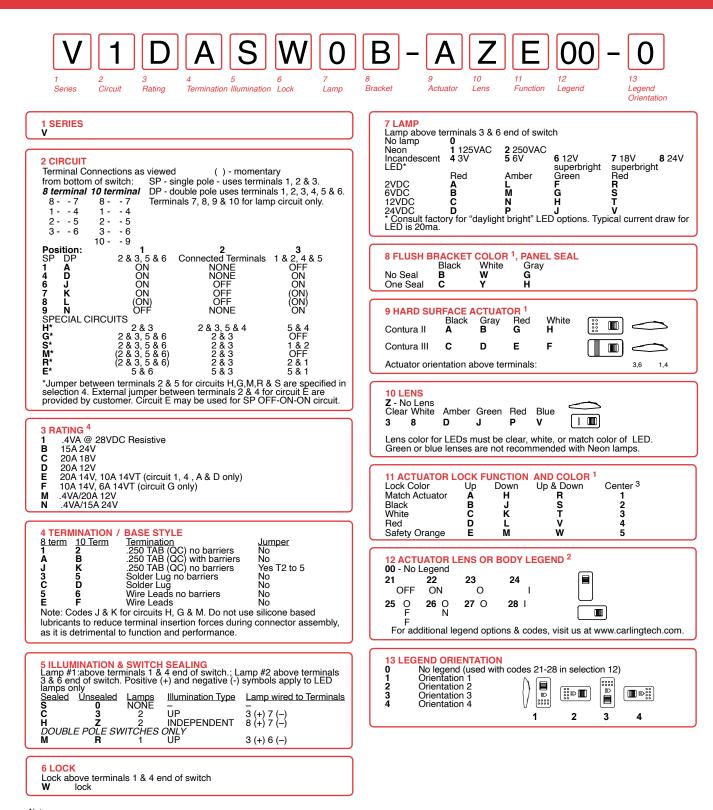
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Agency Certifications

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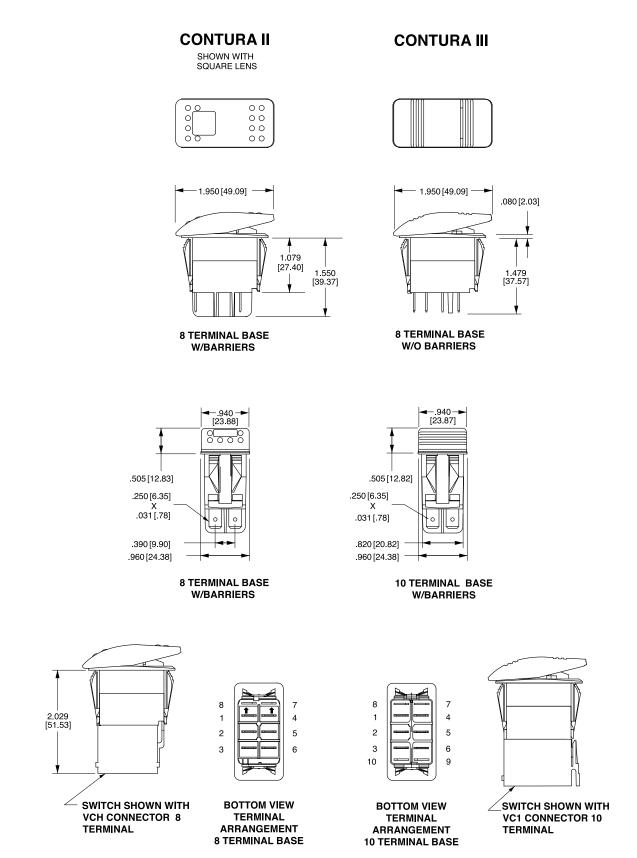


Notes

Consult factory to verify horsepower rating for your particular circuit choice. 1 Custom colors are available. Consult factory.

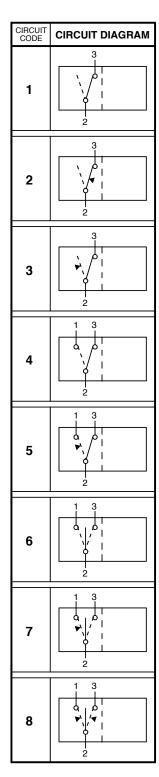
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- White imprinting is standard on black actuators; Black imprinting is standard on white, red and gray actuators. Custom colors are available, consult factory. Only available with 3 position circuits. Center OFF and special circuits only available
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- with center position lock function. Additional ratings available. See V-Series Switch Accessories page.

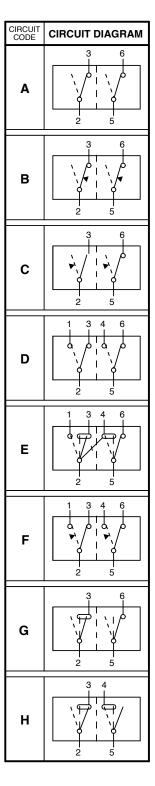
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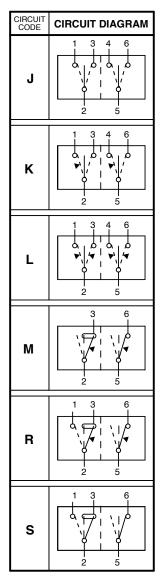


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Circuit Diagrams:



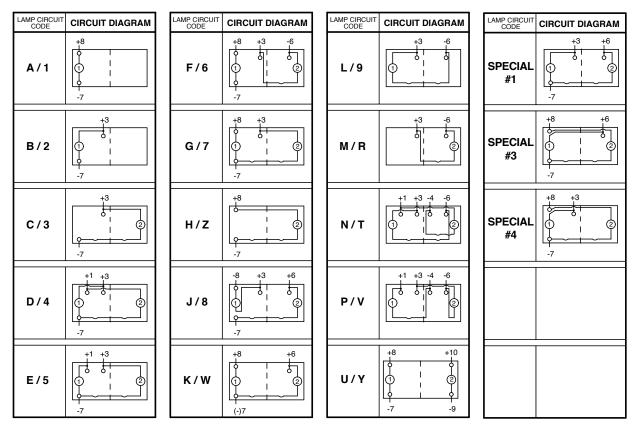




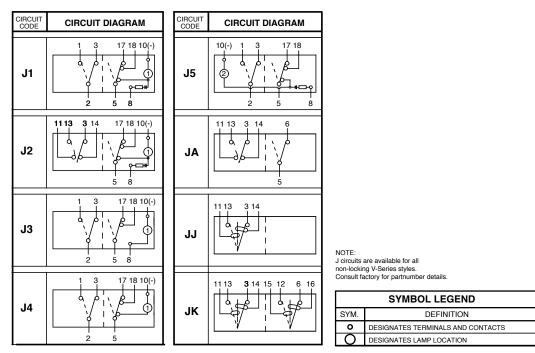
SYMBOL LEGEND				
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° — 0	DESIGNATES MAINTAINED CIRCUITS			
	DESIGNATES OTHER POSITION			
₀0	DESIGNATES MOMENTARY CIRCUITS			
0	DESIGNATES TWO POSITION CONNECTION			
	DESIGNATES EXTERNAL JUMPER PROVIDED BY CUSTOMER			

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Lamp Circuit Diagrams:



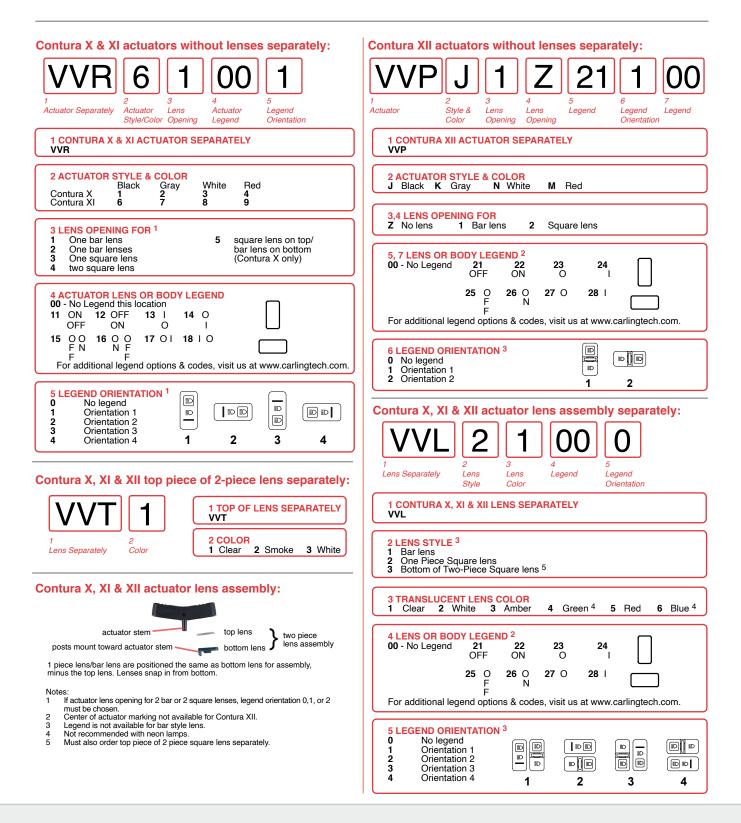
J-Series Hazard Warning Circuit Diagrams:



Reduce inventory levels and cost by stocking actuators and base switches separately.

Contura II, III, IV, V, VI, VI, X, XI, XII, XIV Base switches separately: specify V with code selections 2-8 in the ordering schemes. Contura II, III, IV, V Actuator only: VV with code A or C for selection 9, & with selections 10-14 in the ordering schemes. Contura VI Actuator with lenses and inserts only: VV with code selections 9-16

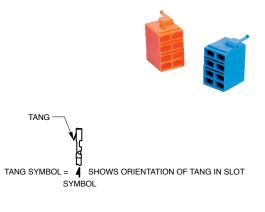
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Easily integrate Contura products into your system, with Contura Accessories

Contura Connectors

Q.C. SELECTION GUIDE							
	PART NO		WIRE RANGE				
COMPANY SERIES	PLAIN BRASS	TIN PLATED BRASS	AWG	MM ² (REF)	ORIEN- TATION		
	02965580		12	3.0			
	02965471	12010601	(2)16-14	(2)1.0-2.0			
PACKARD 58 SERIES	02965470		16-14	1.0-2.0	В		
00 OEI IIEO	02965469	06288318	20-18	.58			
		12084590	10	5.0			
		12052224	12	3.0			
PACKABD		12015870	16-14	1.0-2.0			
METRI-PACK 630 SERIES		12020035	(2)22-18	(2).58	A		
	12015832	12015869	20-18	.58			
		12052222	20-22	.355			
	60253-1	60253-1 60253-2	16-12	1.3-3			
AMP 250 SERIES	00200-1		(2) 16	(2) 1.3			
FASTIN-FASTON	42100-1	42100-2	18-14	.8-2	В		
	60295-1	60295-2	22-18	.39			



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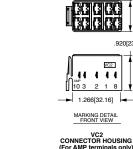
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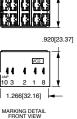




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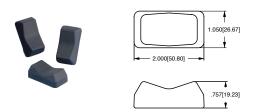




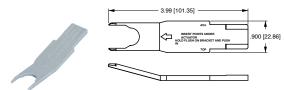


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Contura X Boot (P/N VB1-01)



Contura II, III, IV, V, VI & VII Actuator Removal Tool (P/N VRT)



Additional V-Series Ratings

- .4VA @ 28VDC Resistive
- 10A 250VAC 1/2 HP, 15A 125 VAC 1/2 HP, No Agency Listings 4
- 5 ¹ 10A 250VAC 1/2 HP, 15A 125 VAC 1/2 HP, UL Recognized, CSA Certified 15A 24V
 - 20A 18V

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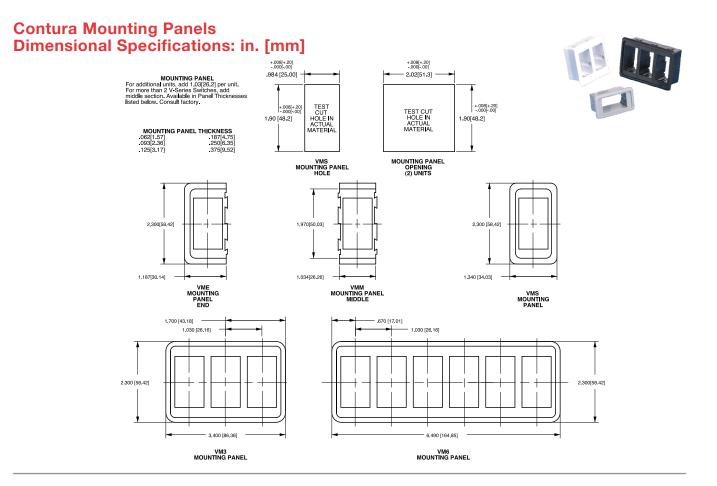
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- 20A 12V 20A 14V, 10A 14VT (circuits 1, 4, A, & D only)
- 10A 14V, 6A, 14VT (circuit G only)
- 20A 6V
- G H 20A 3V
- L² 15A 125 VAC, 10A 250VAC, 1/2 HP 125-250 VAC; 6A 125 VAC L М
 - .4VA/20A 12V (combi-contact) (combination gold/silver contacts for borderline dry circuit applications) .4VA/15A 24V (combi-contact)
 - (combination gold/silver contacts for borderline dry circuit applications)

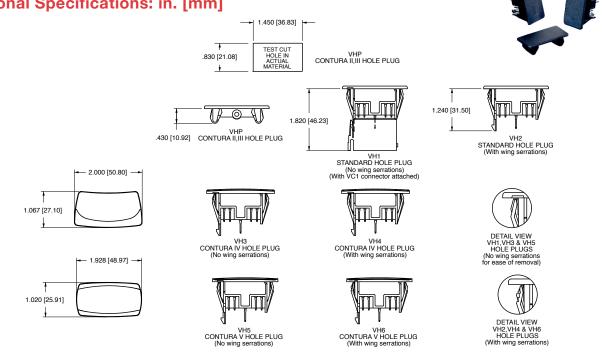
NOTES

Consult factory to determine availability for individual circuits and their HP rating.

- Not available with Contura 7 or 14 rocker styles. 1. Rating L available with circuits 1, 4, A & D only. 2.



Contura Hole Plug Dimensional Specifications: in. [mm]



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