

Title (en)

CONTROL SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AN ELECTROMECHANICAL CONTACTOR OF A POWER CIRCUIT

Title (de)

STEUERSYSTEM UND VERFAHREN FÜR EINEN ELEKTROMECHANISCHEN SCHÜTZ EINER LEISTUNGSSCHALTUNG

Title (fr)

SYSTÈME ET PROCÉDÉ DE COMMANDE D'UN CONTACTEUR ÉLECTROMÉCANIQUE D'UN CIRCUIT ÉLECTRIQUE

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Abstract (en)

Control system and method for an electromechanical contactor of a power circuit, the electromechanical contactor comprising:

- a contact (1), movable between two positions: an open position and a closed position in which the contact (1) produces the connection,
- a coil (2), in mechanical connection with the contact (1) and configured to drive the contact (1) between the open and the closed positions.

The control system comprising a regulated power supply (3) connectable to the coil (2) and a controller (4) for varying the relationship k between the output voltage V_{OUT} and the feedback voltage V_{FBK} from at least a first relationship k_{1} to a second relationship k_{2} , being $k_{2} < k_{1}$, such that, the regulated power supply (3) varies the provided output voltage V_{OUT} from a first output voltage V_{OUT1} to a second lower output voltage V_{OUT2} for reducing power consumption of the coil (2).

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