



- ▲ 8 XHHW requires 3/4 in. conduit for 3W.
- ■200 V motors are commonly used on 208 V services.
- ♦ Ordinary service for normal starting duty only, acceleration time
- starting duty only, acceleration time of 10 sec. or less.

 *Heavy service is jogging or plugging duty or cycling load with over 25 starts per hour or over 5 starts per minute. Energy efficient motors are polyphase motors defined in NEMA Standard MG1 and exhibit high starting current.
- starting current.

 *NEC 430.22 for Single Motor,

 *Smaller conductors may be
 permitted for light duty-cycle service
 per 430.22 (B) Exception No. 1. DC

 motors operating from rectified 10
 power supply will require larger

 conductors per 430.22 (A) Exception

 No. 1. For motor-generator arc

 welders, see 630.11.

 *Motor full load currents thru 200 bp.
- welders, see 630.11.

 ΔMotor full load currents thru 200 hp are taken from NEC Tables 430.147, 148 and 150. Above 200 hp from UL 98. Select wire size, circuit breakers, or fuses on basis of hp rather than nameplate full load current per NEC 430.6. Do not use these values to select overload relay thermal units. See Digest pages 16-129—16-152 for selection of thermal units when actual full load current is not known. Voltages listed are rated motor voltages. Corresponding nominal system voltages are 110—120 V, 200–208 V, 220–240 V, 440–480 V and 550–600 V.

 Switch size only is shown in table.
- 120 V, 200–208 V, 220–240 V, 440–480 V and 550–600 V.

 □Switch size only is shown in table. Selected fuses should not exceed maximum percent of full-load current as given in NEC Table 430.52. Above 50 hp dc switches are not hp rated by UL as Motor Circuit Switches, but as General Use Switches only and are not necessarily capable of interrupting the max. operating overload current of a motor. See NEC 100 for definition of General Use Switch. When protecting a 30, Design E energy efficient motor, the switch is required by NEC 430.109 to have a hp rating of not less than 1.4 times that of a motor rated 3–100 hp, or not less than 1.3 times that of a motor rated over 100 hp, Switches shown in this table do not necessarily comply with that requirement. ◆ Thermal-magnetic circuit breaker ammere rations recommended are
- ♦ Thermal-magnetic circuit breaker ampere ratings recommended are approximate for average conditions, based on trip characteristics of Square D circuit breakers and NEC Table 430.52. Under some Table 430.52. Under some conditions, the next size larger switch or circuit breaker rating may be necessary to accommodate the motor starting current and is permitted by NEC 430.52(C)(1) Exception 2. High starting currents are anticipated with Design E and other energy efficient motors. For explanation of Code letter markings, see NEC 430.7(B). For Busway Plugin units, see page 9-7.

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- ratings recommended are ratings recommended are approximate for average conditions and based on trip characteristics of Square D circuit breakers and NEC Tables 430.7(B) and 430.52.

 ▼Type LC, LI, LX, LXI, and LE circuit breakers are NOT recommended for use on single motor branch circuits
- circuits.

Contact your local Field Office for circuit breaker selection on constant horsepower multi-speed

Selection Tables for Conductors, Safety Switches and Thermal-Magnetic Circuit Breakers
Based on 2005 NEC® Tables 430.147, 430.148 & 430.150

Horsepower Ratings Squirrel-Cage and Wound-								Amperage of Thermal- Magnetic ◊ ▽ Inverse Time Circuit			QMB and	Minimum Size metallic Conduit 75° C, C Wire Field-				
Rotor Motors with Norm. Torque Characteritics				1Ø Averago Current 10 Hz ac Opera				Full Load Amperage∆	Breaker For Motor Code		For	Heavy Duty Switch with Time	Installed Sized for 125% FLA▼ Conduit 3 W			
Operating at usual Speeds 3Ø 60 Hz		TO HZ ac			Operating at Base Speed		Letter B to E Ordinary Heavy Service		Motor Code	AWG kcmil	THHN					
200 Vac■	230 Vac	460 Vac	575 Vac	115 Vac	200 Vac∎	230 Vac	120 Vdc	240 Vdc		Service •	and Energy Efficient★	Letter F to V☆	Delay Fuses □		THWN XHHW	THW
				1/3		3/4			6.9 A 7.2 A		15 A					
2		5					3.4		7.6 A 7.8 A			20 A				
					3/4	1			7.9 A 8.0 A	15 A						
			7-1/2					2	8.5 A 9.0 A	15 A	20 A					
					1		1		9.2 A 9.5 A			25 A				
	3			1/2					9.6 A 9.8 A			237		14	1/2 in.	N/A
3		7-1/2	10			1-1/2			10.0 A 11.0 A	20 A			30 A			
					1-1/2	2			11.5 A 12.0 A		25 A	30 A				
				2/4			1-1/2	3	12.2 A 13.2 A	25 A		35 A				
2	5	10		3/4	2				13.8 A 14.0 A 15.2 A							
] 3		15	1		3	2		16.0 A 17.0 A	30 A	35 A	40 A	į (. ,		
5			10		3		-		17.5 A 19.6 A	35 A		45 A		12	1/2 in.	N/A
		15		1-1/2				5	20.0 A 21.0 A	40 A	40 A	50 A		_		
	7-1/2	10		2					22.0 A 24.0 A	45 A	45 A	60 A				
7-1/2							3		25.0 A 25.3 A		50 A	70.4		10	1/2 in.	N/A
	10	20	25		5				27.0 A 28.0 A	50 A	60 A	70 A				
			30					7-1/2	29.0 A 32.0 A	60 A		80 A				
10		25		3					32.2 A 34.0 A	00 A	70 A	90 A	60 A	8	1/2 in.▲	N/A
						7-1/2	5	10	38.0 A 40.0 A	80 A	80 A	100 A				
-	15				7 4/0				41.0 A 42.0 A		90 A	110 A				
15					71/2	10			46.0 A 48.3 A			125 A		6	3/4 in.	1 in.
	20	40	50			10			50.0 A 52.0 A 54.0 A	90 A	110 A					ļ
	20			5				15	55.0 A 56.0 A	30 A		150 A				
					10		7-1/2		57.5 A 58.0 A		125 A			4	1 in.	1 in.
20			60						62.0 A 62.1 A	400.4		175 A	100 A	ľ		
	25	50							65.0 A 68.0 A	100 A	150 A	1/5 A				
							10	20	72.0 A 76.0 A	110 A 125 A		E				
25		60	75						77.0 A 78.2 A	110 A	175 A	200 A		3	1 in.	1-1/4 in.
20	30			7-1/2				25	80.0 A 89.0 A	10F A		225 A		2	1 in.	1-1/4 in.
30		75	100						92.0 A 96.0 A 99.0 A	125 A	200 A	250 A				
	40		100	10					100.0 A 104.0 A	150 A				1	1-1/4 in.	1-1/2 in.
40	"							30	106.0 A 120.0 A	175 A	225 A	300 A		1/0	1-1/4 in.	1-1/2 in.
.0		100	125						124.0 A 125.0 A		250 A 250 A	050.4	200 A	0/0	4.40:	1.10:
	50							40	130.0 A 140.0 A	200 A		350 A		2/0	1-1/2 in.	1-1/2 in.
50			150						144.0 A 150.0 A		300 A			3/0	1-1/2 in.	2 in.
	60	125							154.0 A 156.0 A	225 A	350 A	400 A		3/0	1-1/2 111.	Z III.
60								50	173.0 A 177.0 A	250 A				4/0	2 in.	2 in.
75	75	150	200						180.0 A 192.0 A		400 A	500 A		250 300	2 in. 2 in.	2 in.
		200	250						221.0 A 240.0 A 242.0 A	300 A 350 A	450 A 500 A	600 A	400 A	350	2-1/2 in.	2-1/2 in. 2-1/2 in.
100	100		230						248.0 A 285.0 A	330 A		700 A	400 A	330	2-1/2 1.	2-1/2 111.
100		250	300						289.0 A 302.0 A	400 A	600 A	800 A		500	3 in.	3 in.
	125		350						312.0 A 336.0 A	450 A 500 A	700 A	000.4		(2) 3/0	(2) 2-1/2 in.	(2) 2 in.
125	150								359.0 A 360.0 A		800 A	900 A		(2) 4/0	(2) 2 in.	(2) 2 in.
1		300	400						361.0 A 382.0 A	600 A		1000 A	600 A	(2)300	(2) 2 in.	(2) 2-1/2 in.
150		350		500					414.0 A 472.0 A		900 A	1200 A	550 A			-
000		200	400						477.0 A 480.0 A	800 A	1000 A	00 A		(2) 350	(2) 2-1/2 in.	(2) 2-1/2 in.
200	250	500							552.0 A 590.0 A	900 A	1200 A	1600 A	_	(3) 300	(3) 2 in.	(3) 2-1/2 in.
_	250		-						602.0 A							