

Plug-On Circuit Breakers



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Product Description

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Special Application Plug-On Circuit Breakers—Type CH 10 kAIC 120 Vac and 120/240 Vac

Branch Feeder Type Arc Fault Circuit Breakers

A branch feeder type arc fault circuit interrupter is a device intended to mitigate high current arcing faults in the complete circuit, including connected cords. High current arcing faults can occur from line to neutral or line to ground. These arcing faults are in parallel with the load and produce the most energy of all arcing faults.

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Ground Fault Circuit Breakers—Ground Fault Application Notes

Single-pole Type CHGFIs are designed for use in two-wire, 120 Vac circuits. The diagram on **Page V1-T1-39** shows a typical wiring configuration.

Two-pole Type CHGFIs are designed for use in three-wire, 120/240 Vac circuits, 120 Vac multiwire circuits employing common, neutral and two-wire, 240 Vac circuits obtained from a 120/240 Vac source.

Diagrams on **Page V1-T1-39** illustrate typical wiring configurations for 120/240 Vac multiwire circuits.

The diagram on **Page V1-T1-39** depicts a 240 Vac, two-wire circuit. Note the “panel neutral” conductor connects to the neutral bar, even though the neutral is not included in the load circuit. This connection is necessary to supply a 120 Vac power source to the ground fault sensing circuit.

The figures are shown with a 120/240 Vac, single-phase, three-wire power source, but are also applicable to a 120/208 Vac, three-phase, four-wire power supply. For all figures, the electrical operation of the Type CHGFI is not affected by the equipment ground.

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Type CH Loadcenters and Circuit Breakers

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Type CH Single-Pole

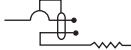



Type CH Ground Fault Circuit Breakers (5 Milliampere) 3/4-Inch (19.1 mm) per Pole 120 Vac or 120/240 Vac, 10 kAIC

Catalog Number—1 per Shelf Carton

Single-Pole 120 Vac Requires One 3/4-Inch (19.1 mm) Space

Two-Pole 120/240 Vac Common Trip Requires Two 3/4-Inch (19.1 mm) Spaces

Ampere Rating	Wire Size Range Cu/Al 60°C or 75°C		
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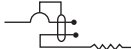



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Type CH Switching Neutral Breakers—10 kAIC, 120 Vac and 120/240 Vac

Used to open the neutral along power line(s) for applications of gas pumps.

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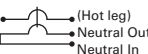
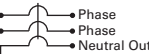


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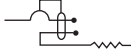



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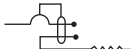



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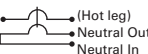
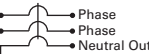


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