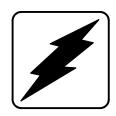
Operation and Installation

Nonautomatic Transfer Switches



Models: 340

KN-Series

Logic: Relay

Contactor:

30-4000 Amperes



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Safety Precautions

Safety Precautions & Instructions

Transfer Switch, like any electro-mechanical device can pose potential dangers to life and limb if improperly maintained or imprudently operated. The best safeguards against accident are to be ever mindful of the potential dangers and to always use good common sense. In the interest of safety, some general precautions relating to operation of a transfer switch follow. Keep these in mind. This manual contains several types of safety precautions which are explained below. Examples of various precautionary statements used in this manual are also shown.

A DANGER

Danger is used to indicate the presence of a hazard which will cause severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage if the warning is ignored.

▲ WARNING

Warning is used to indicate the presence of a hazard which can cause severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage if the warning is ignored.

A CAUTION

Caution is used to indicate the presence of a hazard which <u>will</u> or <u>can</u> cause <u>minor</u> personal injury or property damage if the warning is ignored.

NOTE

Note is used to notify people of installation, operation, or maintenance information which is important but not hazard-related.

HAZARDOUS VOLTAGE/ **ELECTRICAL SHOCK**



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(under 600 Volt)



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Hazardous voltage can cause severe injury or death. Disconnect set from load by opening line circuit breaker or by disconnecting generator output leads from transfer switch and heavily taping ends of leads. If high voltage is transferred to load during test, personal injury and equipment damage may result. The GENERATOR SAFEGUARD BREAKER MUST NOT BE USED IN PLACE OF LINE CIRCUIT BREAKER!

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Hazardous voltage can cause severe injury or death. To prevent the possibility of electrical shock, de-energize the normal power source to be connected to the Transfer Switch before making any line or auxiliary connections.

Hazardous voltage can cause severe injury or death. De-energize both normal and emergency power sources before proceeding. Move Generator Master Switch on controller to OFF position and disconnect battery negative (–) before working on transfer switch! Turn the transfer switch selector switch to the OFF position.

Safety Precautions

Hazardous voltage can cause severe injury or death. Disconnect inner panel harness at in-line connector. This will de-energize circuit board and logic circuitry, but allow transfer switch to continue to supply utility power to necessary lighting and equipment. Hazardous voltage will exist if any accessories mounted to inner panel are NOT wired through and de-energized by harness separation. Such accessories may be at line voltage.

Hazardous voltage can cause severe injury or death. Keep everyone away from the set and take precautions to prevent unqualified personnel from tampering. Have the set and electrical circuits serviced only by qualified technicians. Wiring should be inspected at the recommended interval shown in the service schedule – replace leads that are frayed or in poor condition. Do not operate electrical equipment when standing in water, on wet ground, or when your hands are wet.

Hazardous voltage can cause severe injury or death. Disconnect harness plug before installing any accessories involving connection to transformer assembly primary terminals. Terminals are at line voltage!

NOTE

HARDWARE DAMAGE! Transfer switch may make use of both American standard and metric hardware. Be sure to use the correct size tools to prevent rounding of bolt heads and nuts.

NOTE

A manual operator handle is provided on the Transfer Switch for maintenance purposes only. Return the Transfer Switch to the Normal position. Remove manual operator handle (if used) and store it on the Transfer Switch in the place provided when service is completed.

Ratings

The rating label is attached to the transfer switch. Data relating to each specific switch is included on the nameplate. Unit installation must not exceed the rated capacity of the switch as shown on the nameplate.

For location of the transfer switch in the system see Figure 1. The switch should be as close as possible to the critical electrical loads connected to it.

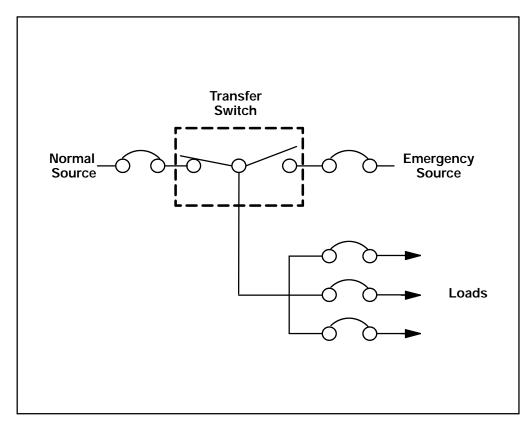


Figure 1. Transfer Switch Location

Installation

Kohler transfer switches are factory wired and tested. Installation requires mounting, connection of utility, load, emergency cables and any auxiliary contact/control circuits. Do not remove protective packing until ready for complete installation. Protect switch at all times from excessive moisture, construction grit, and metal chips.

Unpacking

Carefully unpack or uncrate switch and check for damage. Report any damage immediately to the Kohler Distributor.

Lifting

Any lifting devices must be attached to the switch's mounting holes or lifting eyes only. Do

not lift the switch at any other points. Protect arc barriers from impact at all times.

Mounting

All enclosed switches have the control panel mounted on the cabinet door. For open-type switches, mount the control panel to the right of the transfer switch.



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Line Connections

Wiring Diagrams are furnished at the back of this manual. Interconnection diagrams (3-pole and 2-pole) are furnished to show actual lead wiring.

All conductors should enter enclosure adjacent to the transfer switch terminals. Protect the transfer switch from metal chips and construction grit at all times. Standard terminal lugs are solderless screw type and will accept the conductor sizes listed on installation drawings.

Do not run cables behind the transfer switch. Cables can be bundled to the side of the switch. Maintain proper electrical clearance between the live metal parts and grounded metal. Use cable spacers provided on 70, 104 and 150-Amp, 600-Volt class switches. Spacers are not required on 240-Volt class switches.

On 225–400-Amp switches, remove the cover shields from the switch to connect power cables to the Emergency lugs and switched neutral lugs (Accessory 36).

Connect source and load conductors to clearly marked contactor terminal lugs. Remove surface oxides from conductors by cleaning with a wire brush. When aluminum conductors are used, apply oxidation inhibitor to conductors. Tighten lugs and carefully wipe

away excess oxidation inhibitor. Tighten cable lugs to the torque specified in the following table.

Note

Application of oxidation inhibitor is required for all aluminum terminations.

Contactor Rated Amps	Tightening Torque inch pounds (Nm)
30 – 104	50 (5.6)
150	200 (22.6)
225 – 400	600 (67.8)
600 – 1200	500 (56.5)
1600 – 4000	Suitable for Bus Bar Lugs

Table: Tightening Torque Values for Lug Connectors



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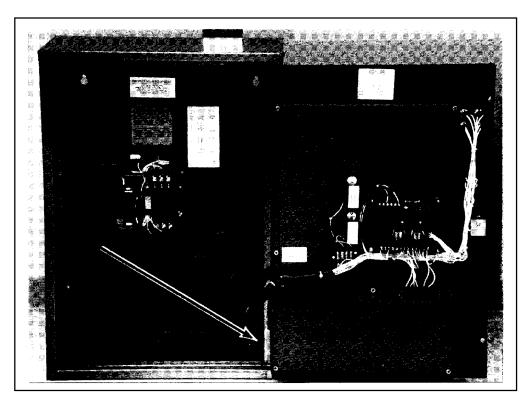


Figure 2. In-Line Disconnect Plug

All internal connections are made at the factory. The transfer switch and the control panel each have their own wire harness. The two harnesses are to be joined together by the in-line disconnect plug. Plug halves are separated for shipment. The plug must be engaged after installation is completed. See Figure 2.

Auxiliary Connections

Connect auxiliary circuit wires to appropriate control panel terminals as shown on the

appropriate diagram (see contactor wiring diagrams in the "Wiring Diagrams" section). Any auxiliary contact connections are customer specified and should be shown on the installation's plans. Standard auxiliary contacts include one set closed in the normal position and one set closed in the emergency position. Additional contacts of both types are optional.

Note any optional accessories that may have been furnished on this switch, and make auxiliary connections if necessary.

Engine-Starting Connections

The engine-starting connections are located on the transfer switch contactor. A red decal near the contactor points to engine-start terminals. Engine-start terminal locations are also described on interconnection diagrams in this book. Connect engine-start signal wires to terminals 3 and 4 on the contactor. See Figure 3

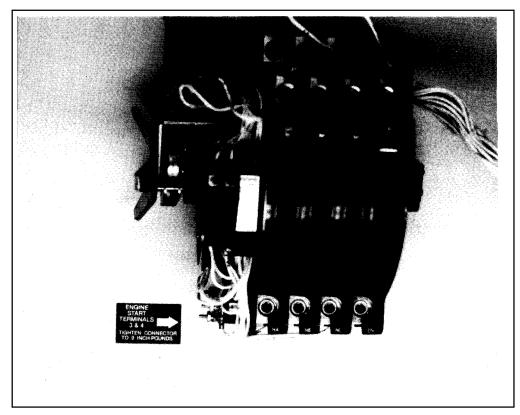


Figure 3. Typical Engine Starting Connections 30–150-Amp Contactor Shown

Functional Tests

Functional Testing consists of three parts: manual operation, voltage checks and electrical operation.

Caution

Perform these checks in the order given, in order to avoid damaging the switch.

Read and understand all instructions on installation drawings and labels affixed to the switch. Note any optional accessories that have been furnished with the switch and review their operation.

First, check the transfer switch nameplate for rated voltage. It should be the same as normal line voltage and emergency line voltage as indicated on the generator set nameplate.

Manual Operation Check

- Perform the manual operation test **before** attempting to electrically test the automatic transfer switch. The intent is to verify that the contactor and all auxiliary switches operate smoothly and that there is no damage from shipping or installation.
- 2. Open *both* the normal and emergency source circuit breakers.

- 3. Separate the contactor control in-line disconnect plugs if you have not already done so. See Figure 2.
- 4. A permanently-mounted handle is provided on 30–150-Amp switches. A detachable manual operator handle is provided on 225–4000-Amp switches. Manual operator handles are to be used for maintenance and inspection purposes only. Select the appropriate switch amperage size below and follow directions for installing the handle. See Figures 4. through 7.

NOTE

A manual operator handle is provided on the transfer switch for maintenance purposes only. Return the transfer switch to the normal position. Remove manual operator handle (if used) and store it on the transfer switch in the place provided when service is completed.

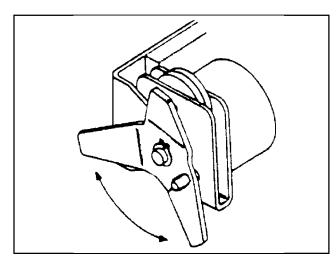


Figure 4. Operating Handle, 30–150-Amp.

For 30–150-Amp Switches: Operate 3-point handle as shown in Figure 4.

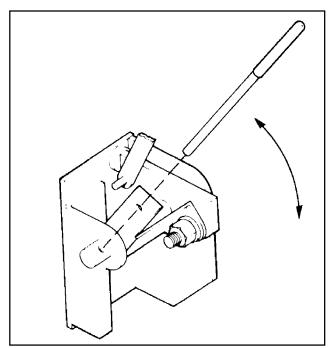


Figure 5. Operating Handle, 225–400-Amp.

For 225–400-Amp Switches: Insert manual handle as shown in Figure 5.

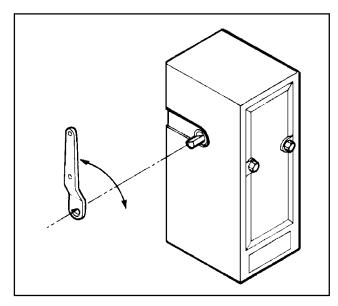


Figure 6. Operating Lever, 600–800-Amp.

For 600–800-Amp Switches: Place the operating handle onto the pivot shaft extension as shown in Figure 6.

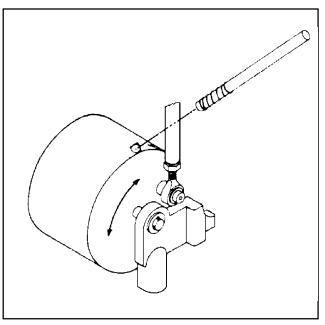


Figure 7. Operating Lever, 1000–4000-Amp.

For 1000–4000-Amp Switches: Insert manual handle into hole provided in rotating weight. See Figure 7.

5. Move the installed handle in the direction shown to manually operate the transfer switch. The switch should operate smoothly and without binding. Return the transfer switch to the normal position. Remove manual operator handle and store it on the transfer switch in the place provided.

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Voltage Checks

- 6. Close the normal source circuit breaker.
- Use an accurate voltmeter to check for proper voltage and phase rotation (phase-to-phase and phase-to-neutral voltages) at the contactor's normal-source terminals.
- 8. Close the emergency-source circuit breaker.
- 9. Manually start the generator set using the engine control switch on the generator set controller.
- 10. Use an accurate voltmeter to check for proper voltage and phase rotation (phase-to-phase and phase-to-neutral voltages) at the contactor's emergency-source terminals.
- 11. If necessary, adjust the generator voltage regulator following the generator set manufacturer's instructions. Check phase rotation; it should be the same as that of the normal source.
- 12. Shut down the generator set using the engine control switch on the generator set controller.

Electrical Operation Test

- 13. Reconnect the contactor control in-line disconnect plugs. See Figure 8.
 - The transfer switch should be in the normal position. The following procedure will check the electrical operation of the transfer switch.
- 14. Open the normal source circuit breaker to start the generator set, or start the
- generator set at the generator set controller. See Figure 9. The generator set should start after any engine-start time delay set in the transfer switch and/or generator set controller has completed timing.
- 15. Allow the generator set to stabilize at its rated voltage.

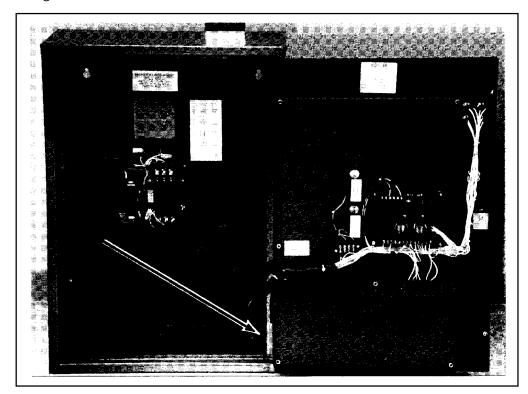


Figure 8. In-Line Disconnect Plug

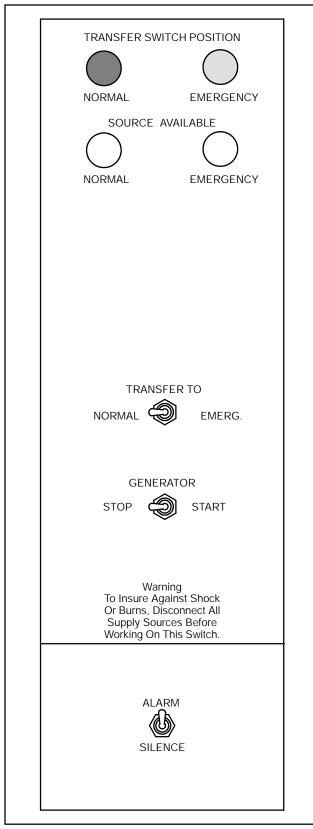


Figure 9. Transfer Switch Control Switches

- 16. Move the TRANSFER-TO switch to the EMERG. position. The transfer switch should operate to the emergency position with the generator set producing at least 90% of its rated voltage.
- 17. Reclose the normal-source circuit breaker.
- 18. Move the TRANSFER-TO switch to the NORMAL position. The transfer switch should operate back to the normal position.
- 19. Shut down the generator set using the engine control switch on the generator set controller. The generator set will continue to run until any optional cool-down period set in the generator set controller completes timing.

This completes functional tests of the transfer switch.

Operation

Switch Position & Source Indicators

External control switches and indicators are shown in Figure 10.

Transfer Switch Position Lamps

Normal Lamp (green): Lights to show that the Transfer switch is in the normal position with the normal source available.

Emergency Lamp (red): Lights to show that the transfer switch is in the emergency position with the emergency source available.

Source Available Lamps

Normal Lamp (white): Lights to show that normal source voltage is present, but not necessarily at proper voltage and frequency. Emergency Lamp (white): Lights to show that emergency source voltage is present, but not necessarily at proper voltage and frequency.

Control Switches

"Transfer To" Normal-Emergency

Normal Position: signals control to cause transfer to normal source. A voltage detector circuit will allow transfer only if voltage is at least 90% of nominal.

Emergency Position: signals control to cause transfer to emergency source. A voltage detector circuit will allow transfer only if voltage is 90% of nominal.

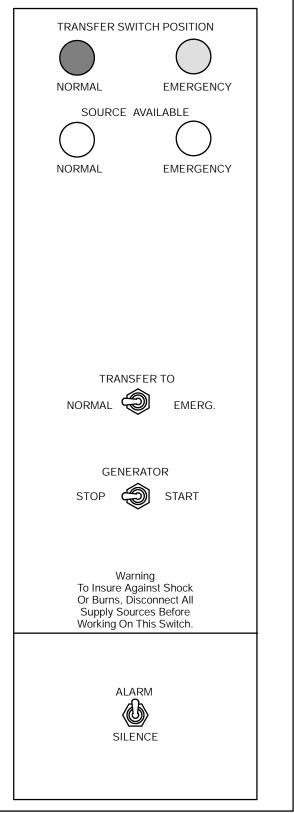


Figure 10. Transfer Switch Control Switches

Generator Stop-Start (if equipped)

Stop Position: Opens the generator set remote-start circuit, signaling the generator set to shut down, provided that the normal source is available with at least 90% of rated voltage. The generator set will continue to run until any cool-down period set in the generator set controller has completed timing.

Start Position: Closes the generator set remote start circuit, signaling the generator set to start.

Alarm Silence Switch (if equipped)

The transfer switch may be equipped with an optional audible alarm that sounds when the transfer switch is in the emergency position. Moving the alarm silence switch to the silence position will shut off the alarm.





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Transfer Switch Operation

Normal Power Loss

1. Upon loss of normal power, the white normal-source-available lamp will go out. If the transfer switch is not equipped with an engine-start time delay (TDES accessory KA-02), the generator set must be started manually. If necessary, start the generator set at the generator set controller or a remote engine control switch.

If the transfer switch is equipped with an engine-start time delay, the generator set will be signaled to start.

Note that any engine-start time delay set in the generator set's controller must complete

Operation

timing before the generator set will crank and start.

Engine-start time delays available in the transfer switch have possible settings shown in the following table.

Accessory	Setting
Number	Range
KA-02-A	3-20 Seconds
KA-02-E	3 Seconds, fixed
KA-02-F	20-240 Seconds
KA-02-G	0.5-6 Seconds
KA-02-H	3-30 Minutes

Table: Engine-Start Time delay Setting Ranges

- 2. The white emergency-source-available lamp will light when emergency source voltage is available. Allow the generator set to reach at least 90% of its rated voltage.
- 3. Move the transfer-to switch to the EMERG. position. A voltage-detector circuit will allow transfer to emergency only if generator voltage is at least 90% of nominal. When the transfer switch operates to the emergency position, the red transfer switch position lamp will light

and load will be connected to the generator.

Normal Power Return

- 1. The white normal-source-available lamp will light when normal power returns. Check normal-source meters (if equipped) to see that normal-source voltage and frequency are at least 90% of nominal.
- 2. When the normal source voltage has stabilized at a minimum of 90% of nominal, move the transfer-to switch to the NORMAL position.
- A voltage-detector circuit will allow transfer to normal only if normal source voltage is at least 90% of nominal. When the transfer switch operates to the normal position, the green transfer switch position lamp will light and load will be connected to the normal source.
- 4. If the transfer switch is equipped with an engine-start time delay, the generator set will be signaled to stop. If not, stop the generator set using the switch at the generator set controller or a remote engine control switch.

Note that any optional engine-cooldown time delay set in the generator set's controller must complete timing before the generator set will stop.

Notes

Wiring Diagrams & Drawings

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Interconnection Diagrams

30-800-Amp,1-phase, 2-wire	ADV-5454
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Interconnection Diagram

30–800-Amp,1-phase, 3-wire ADV-5455

Interconnection Diagram

30-800-Amp, 3-phase 3 & 4-wire ADV-5456

Interconnection Diagram

1000-4000-Amp, 3-phase, 4-wire ADV-5268

Interconnection Diagram

Enclosure Dimensions

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Enclosure Dimensions	600-800-Amp	ADV-5238	sheet 3
Enclosure Dimensions	1000-1200-Amp	ADV-5448	sheet 1
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Contactor Wiring

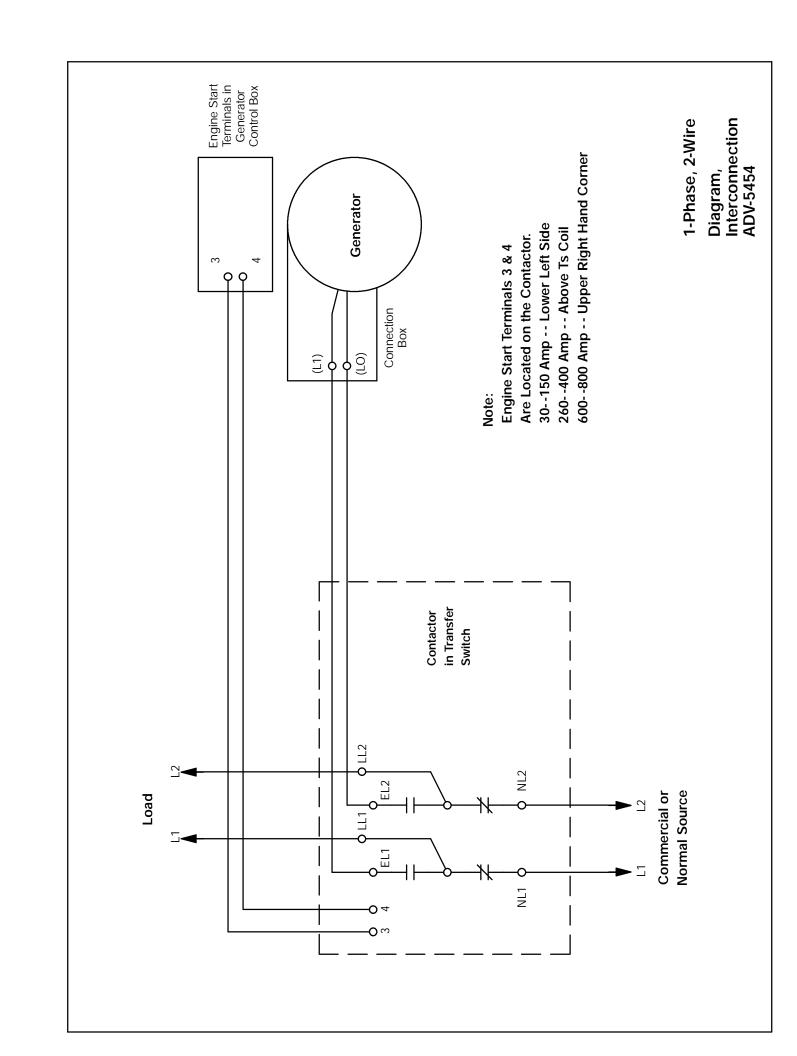
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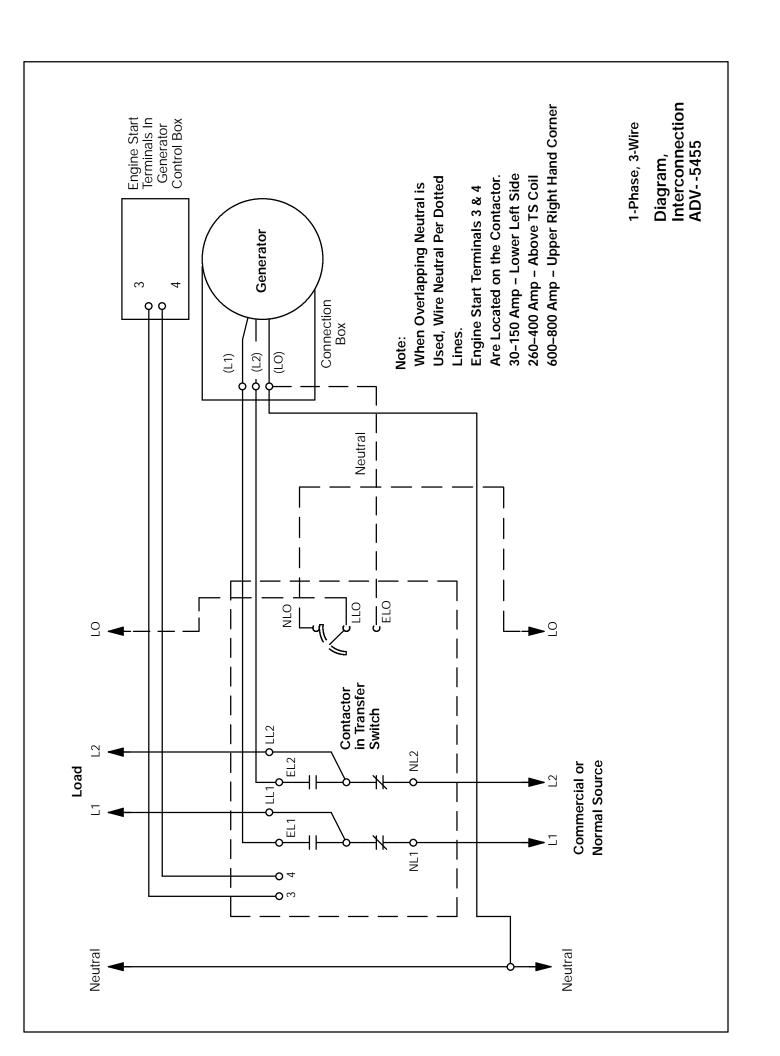
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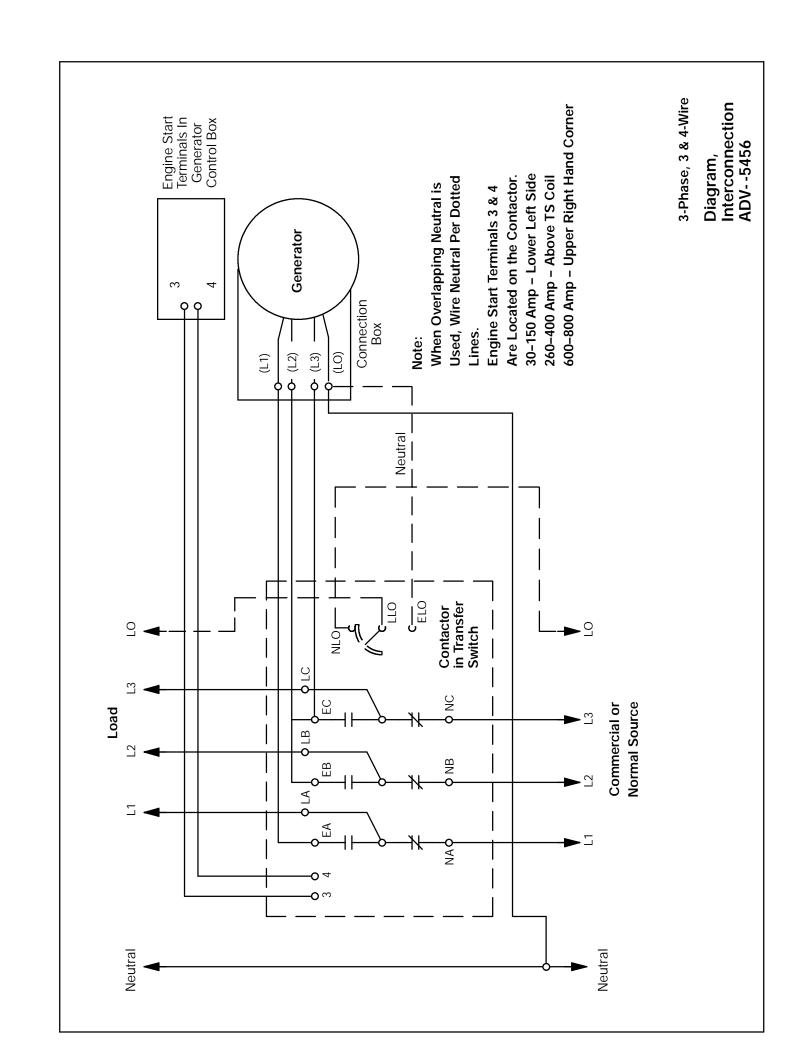
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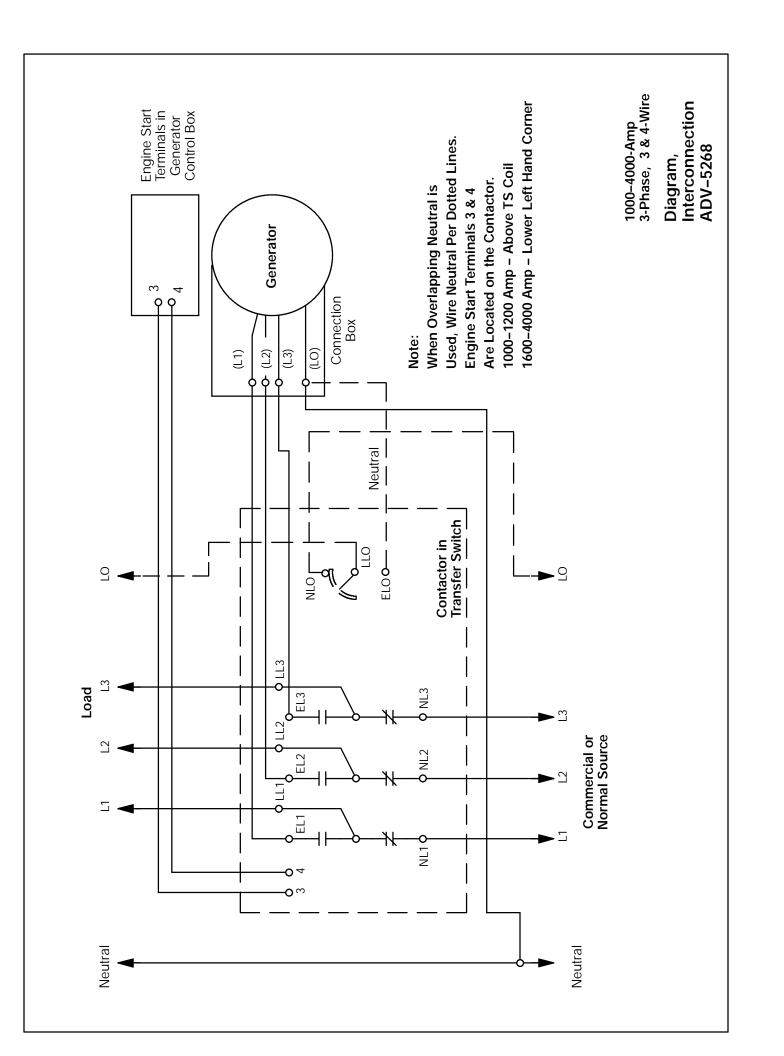
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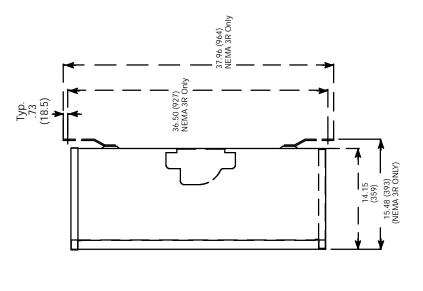








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Sizes Of Screw Type Terminals For External Power Connections

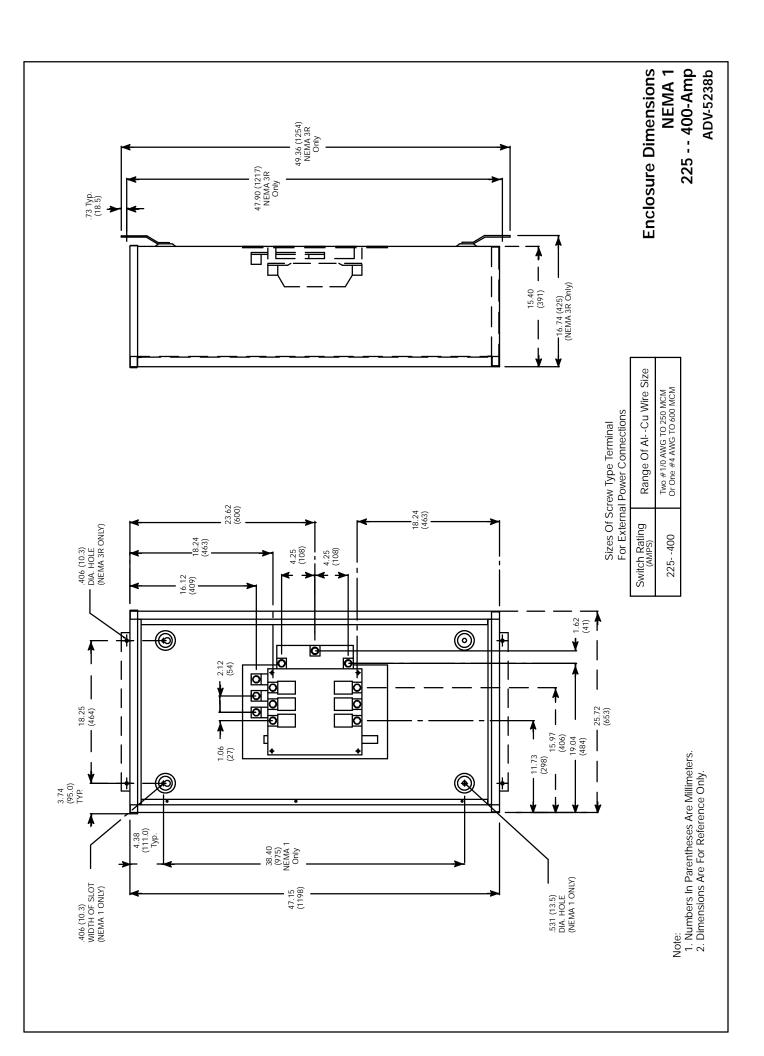
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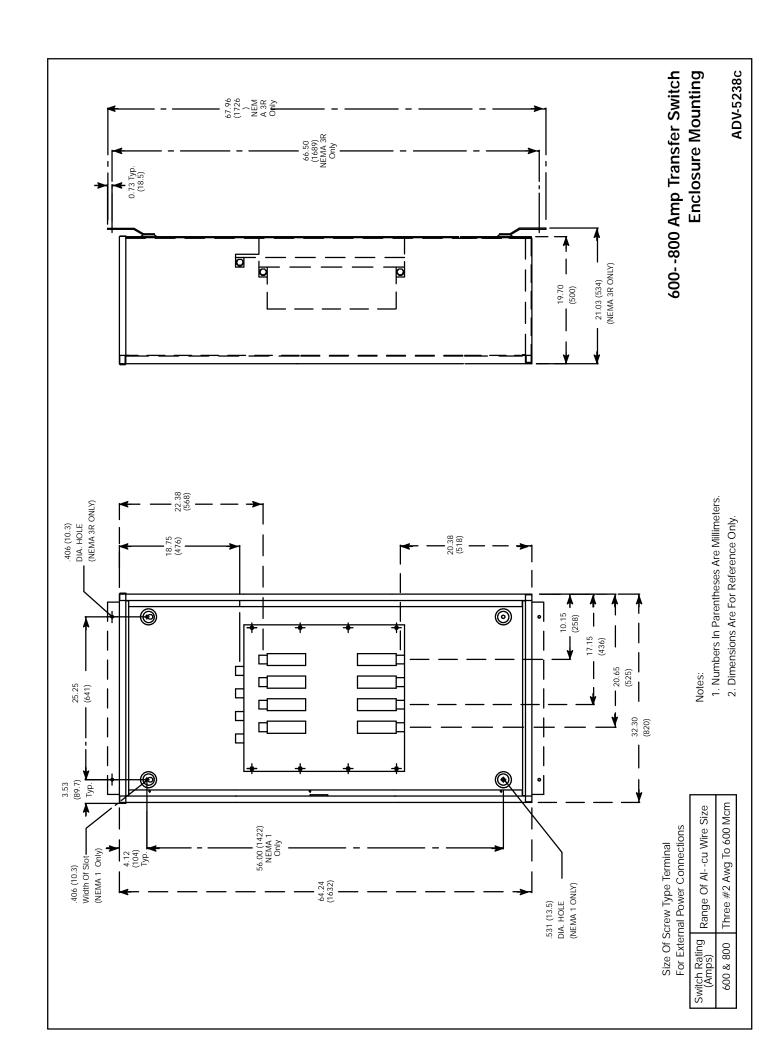
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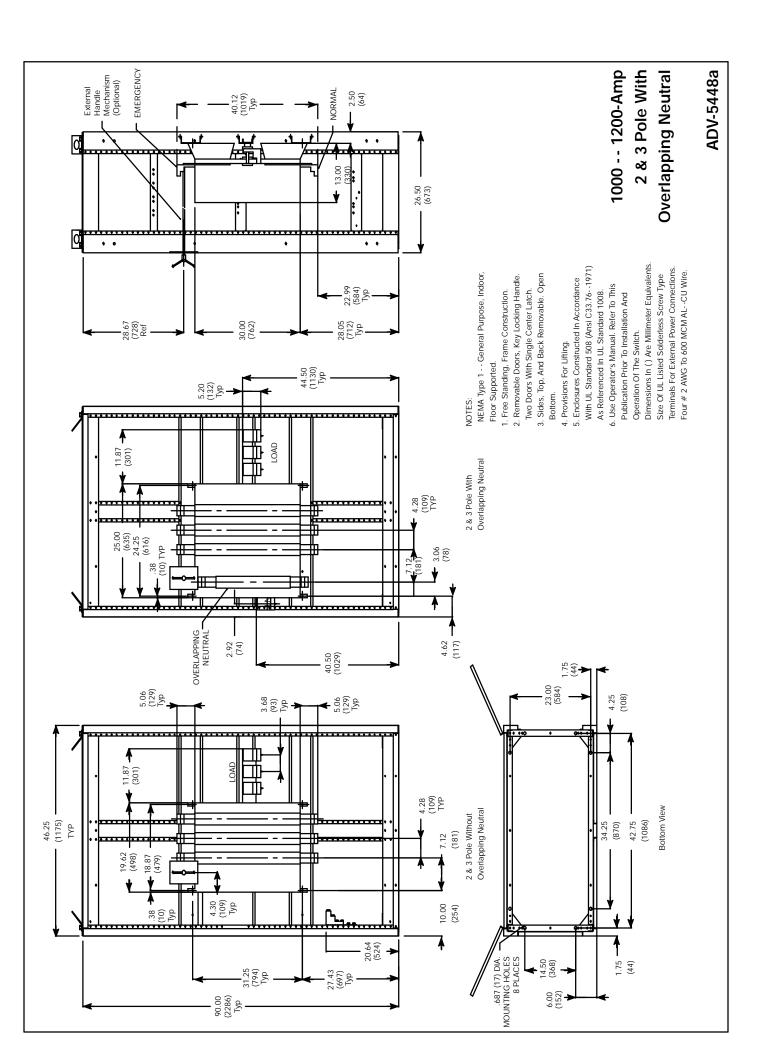
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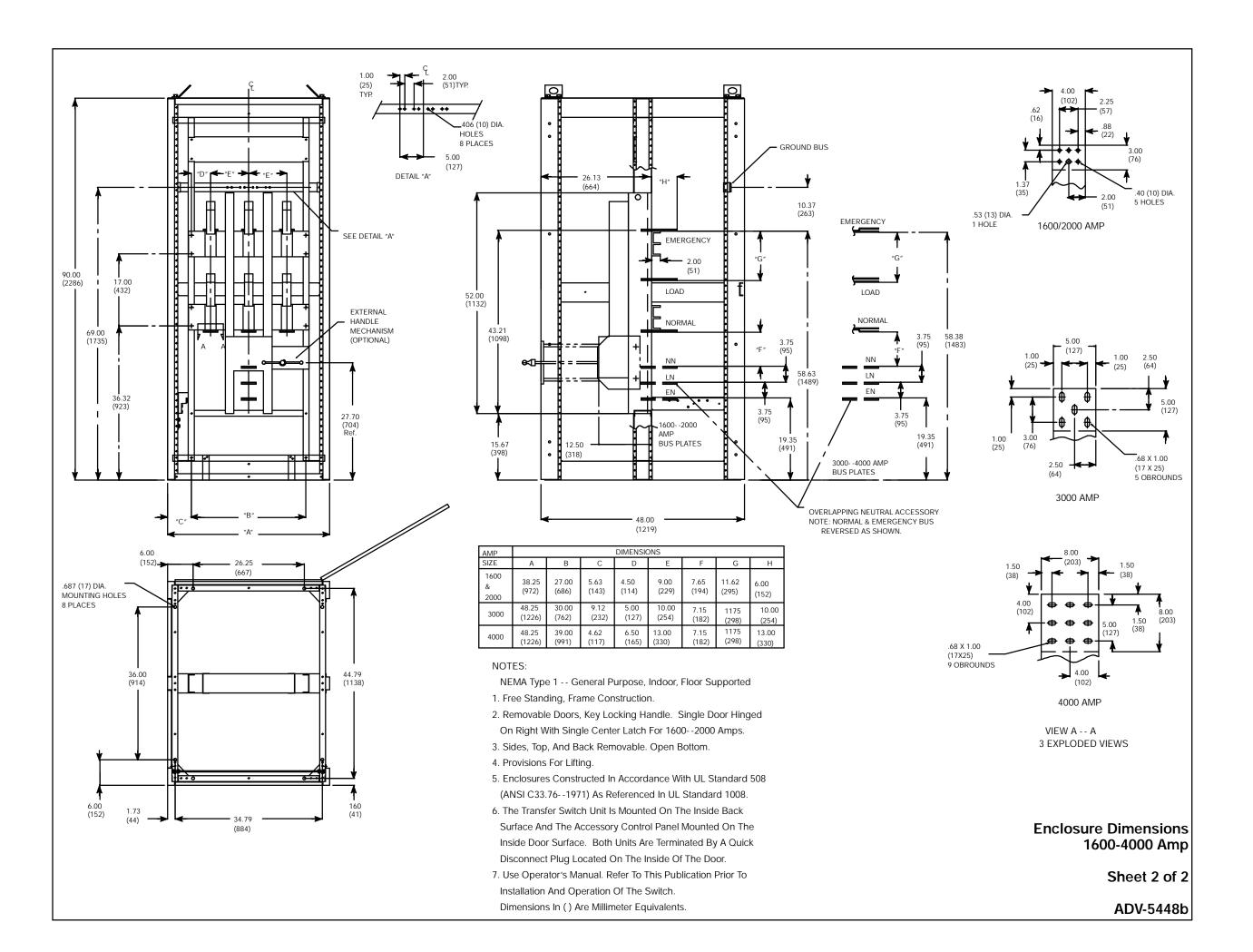
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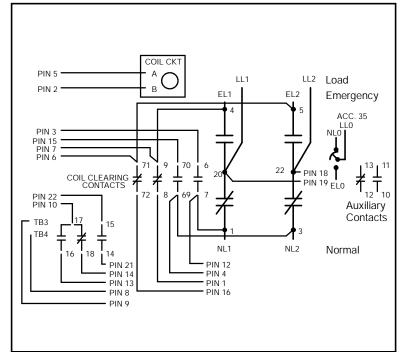
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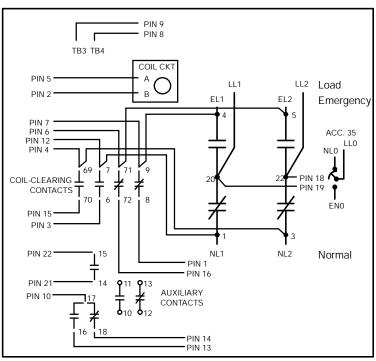


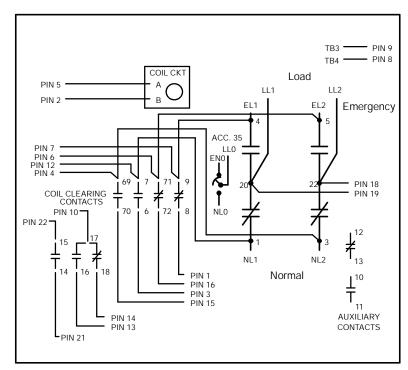








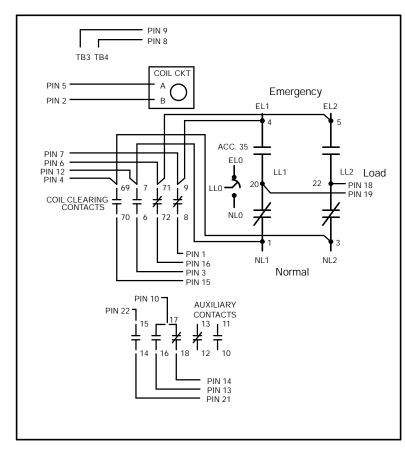


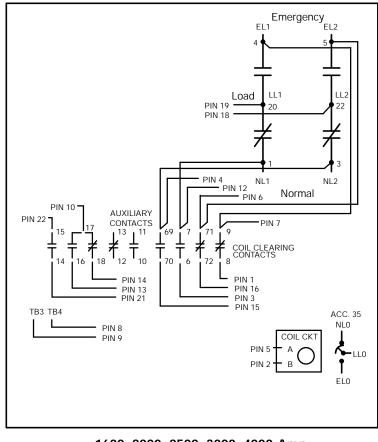


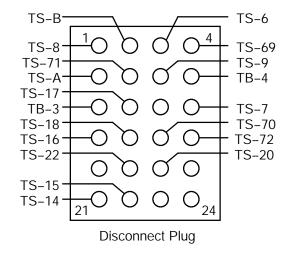
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225, 260 & 400-Amp

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Notes:

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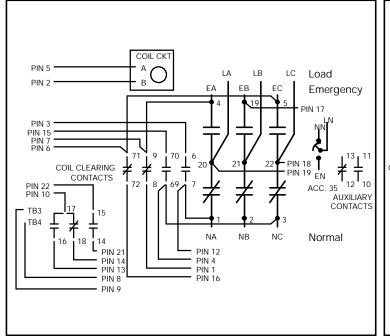
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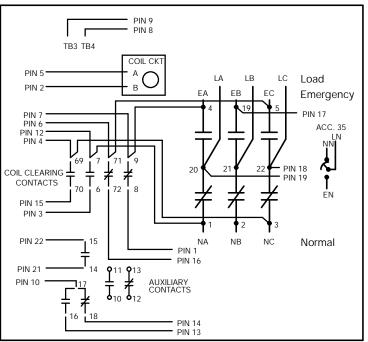
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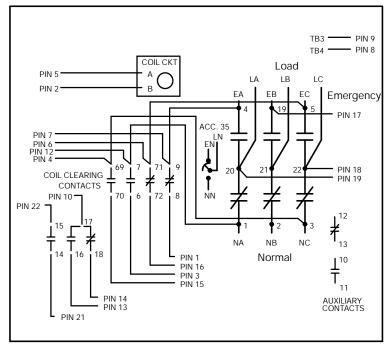
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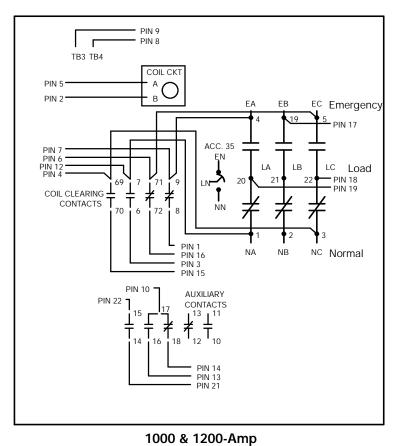


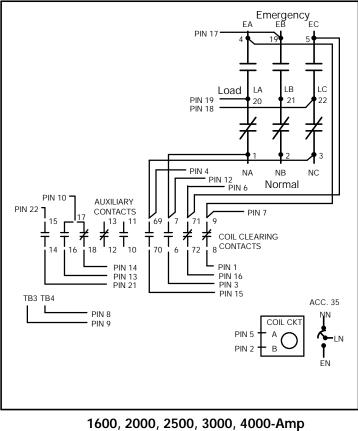


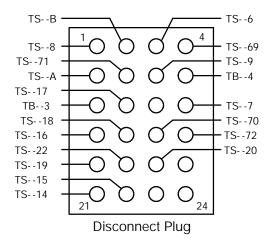
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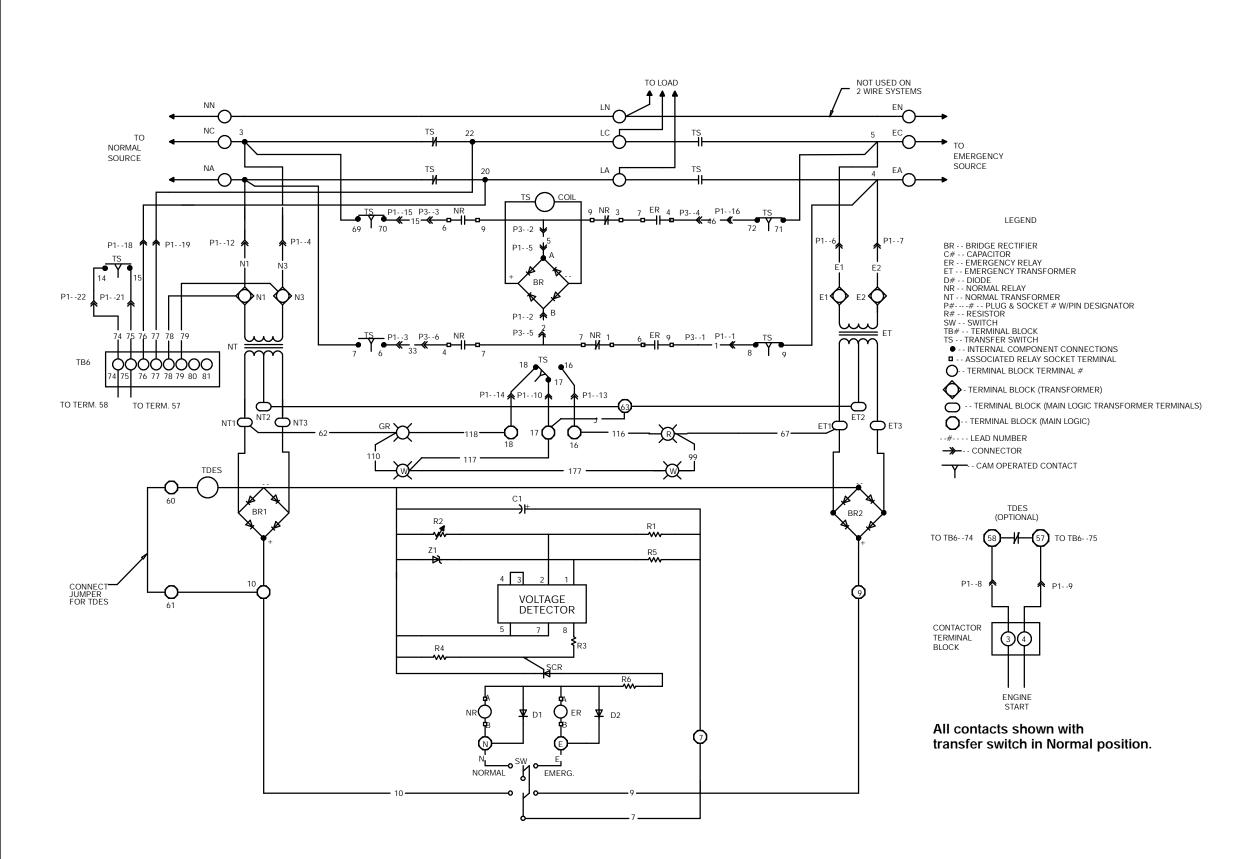
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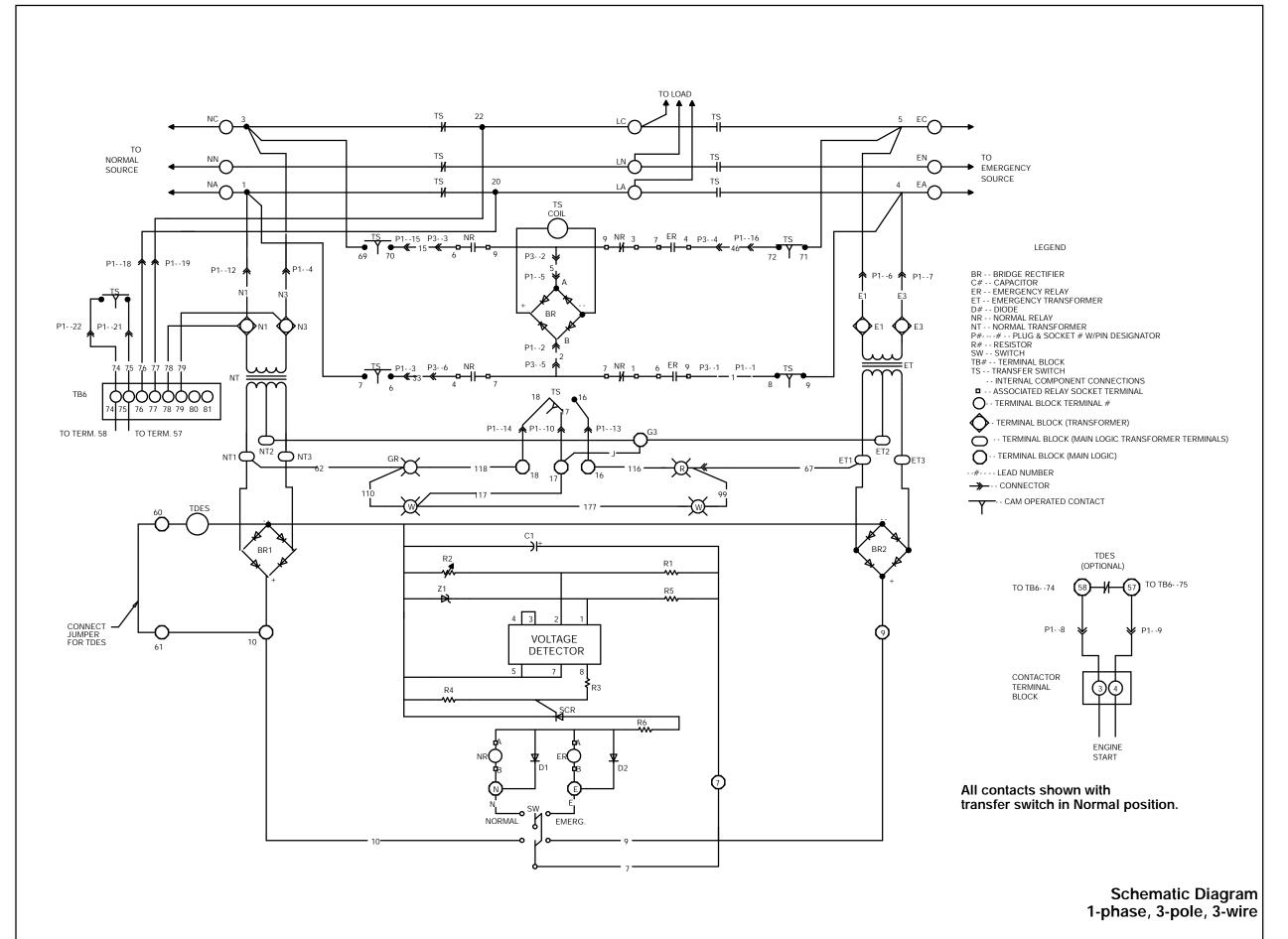
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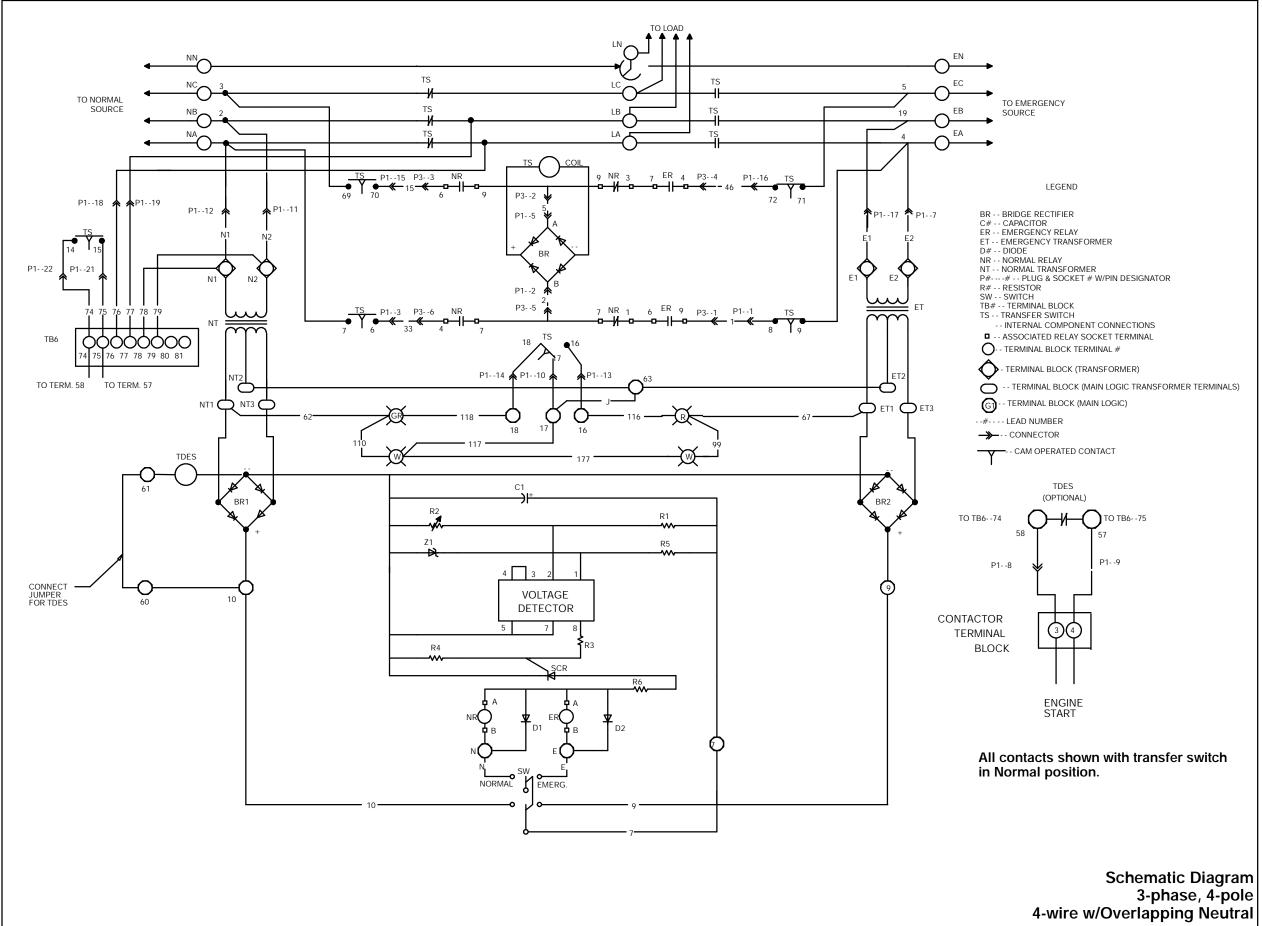
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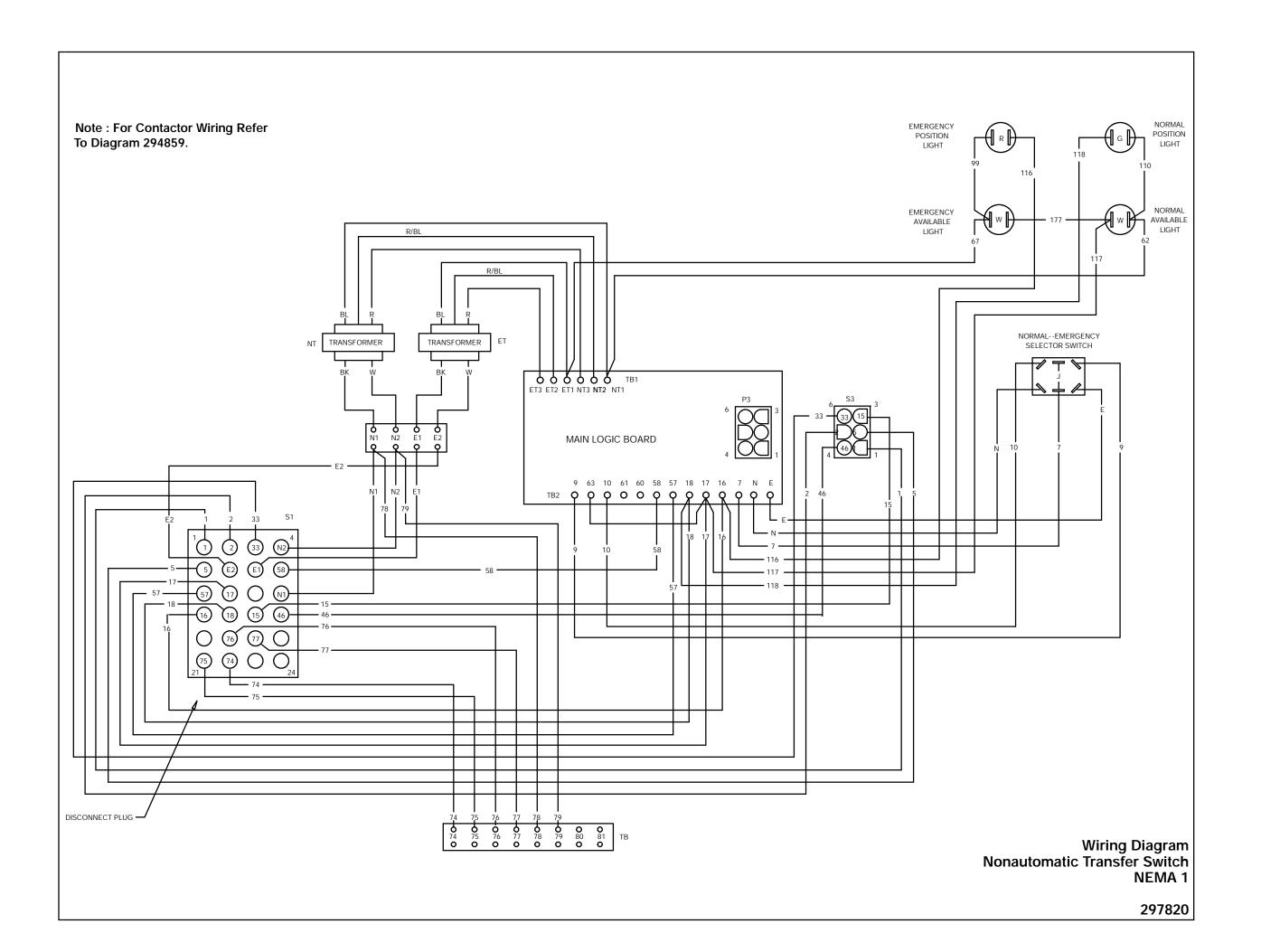
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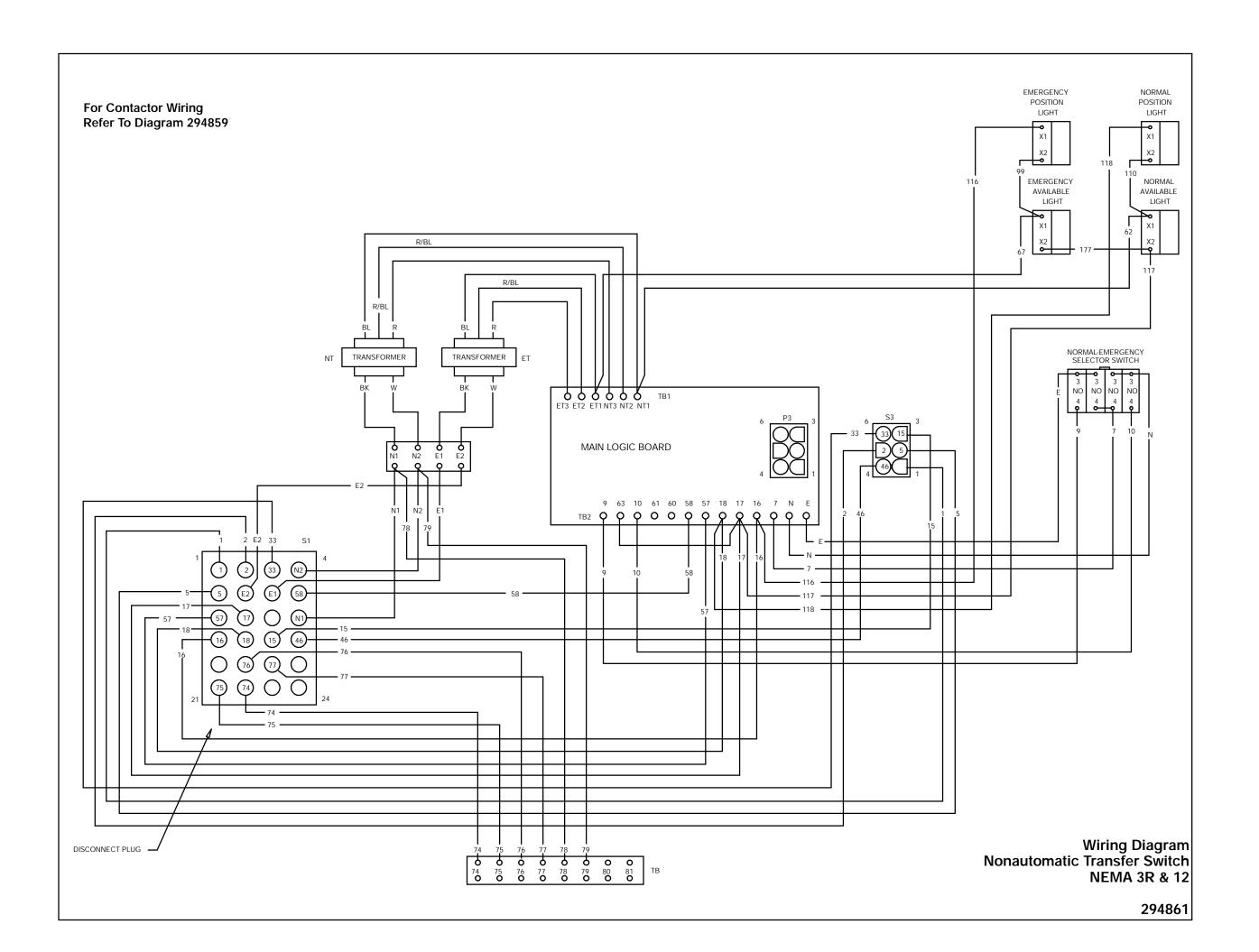


Schematic Diagram 1-phase, 2-pole, 2- or 3-wire









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