

Direct-connected capacitor fuse



General

The use of Eaton's Cooper Power™ series X-Limiter™ fuse (Catalog Section 240-56) as a direct-connected capacitor fuse (particularly for indoor and/or enclosed banks), provides a full-range current-limiting fuse requiring a minimum of mounting space for a smaller low cost package. These units are bus-mounted or mounted directly on the capacitor bushing to minimize space requirements and mounting cost. The fuse incorporates a high view operation indicator to quickly locate failed capacitor units.

Applications

The direct-connected capacitor fuse is ideally suited for:

- High available fault current areas (high interrupting capacity)
- Large capacitor banks (up to 200 A available)
- Areas requiring low noise or non-expulsion reaction (noiseless operation)
- High ambient (no thermal derating required)
- Systems with sensitive protection schemes requiring minimum system disturbance
- Banks having limited electrical spacing (no flying pigtails)
- Indoor or outdoor applications

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Current rating selection

Individual fuse recommendations are listed in Table 2. Fusing tables are based on the following formulas:

$$\text{Amperes} = \text{kVAR (unit)}/\text{kV (unit)}$$

$$\text{Fuse Amperes} = \text{Ampere} \times 1.5 \text{ (protective margin)}$$

Select the next higher standard fuse rating.

The protective margin (1.5) accounts for normal overvoltage, harmonics, and capacitor tolerances as related to fuse melt I^2t . No derating is required for environmental temperatures below 100 °C.

Production tests

Tests are conducted in accordance with Eaton requirements.

- 100% Physical Inspection
- 100% I^2t Testing
- 100% Resistance Testing

Table 1. Electrical Characteristics

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Fuse Type | Full-range |
| Maximum Interrupting Current | 50,000 A rms symmetrical |

Features and detailed description

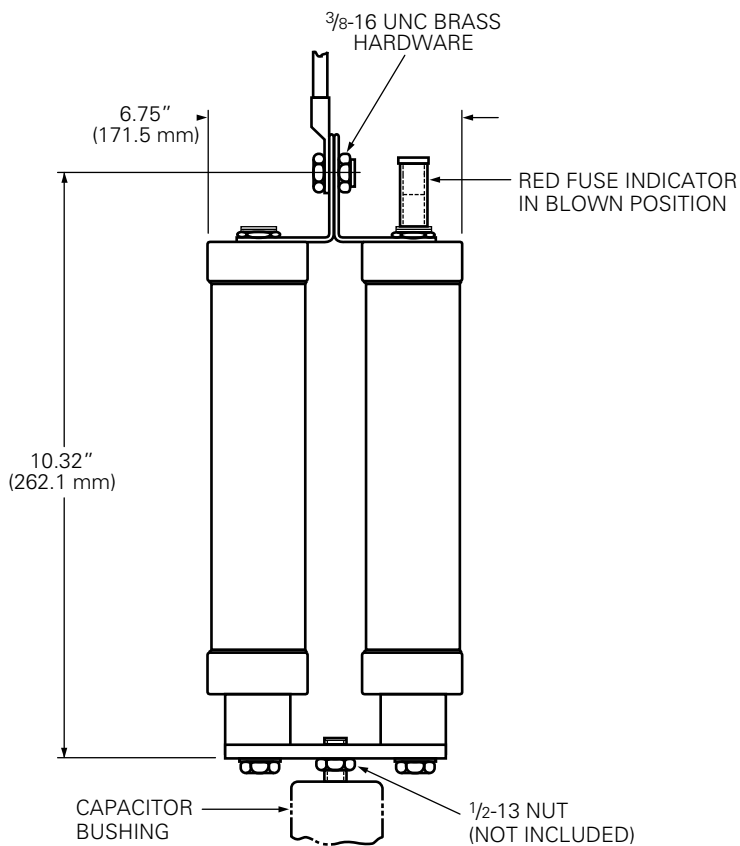
Table 2. Recommended Capacitor Fuse Current Ratings (Amperes)

1Ø Capacitor Application Recommendation

| Capacitor Voltage Rating | Fuse Voltage Rating (kV) | Fuse Rating (A) | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | | 50 kVAR | 100 kVAR | 150 kVAR | 200 kVAR | 300 kVAR | 400 kVAR | 500 kVAR |
| 2400 | 4.3 | 35 | 65 | 100 | 130* | 200* | – | – |
| 2770 | | 35 | 65 | 100 | 130* | 200* | – | – |
| 4160 | | 18 | 65 | 65 | 75 | 130* | 150* | 200* |
| 4800 | 5.5 | | | | | 125 (4) | 125 (4) | 160 (4)* |
| 4800 | | 18 | 40 | 50 | 65 | 130* | 130* | – |
| 6640 | | 12 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 80 | 100 | 125 |
| 7200 | 8.3 | 12 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 65 | 100 | 125 |
| 7620 | | 12 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 65 | 80 | 100 |
| 7960 | | 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 65 | 80 | 100 |
| 8320 | | 10 | 18 | 30 | 40 | 65 | 80 | 100 |
| 9960 | | 10 | 18 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 65 | 80 |
| 12470 | 15.5 | – | 12 | 18 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 65 |
| 13280 | | – | 12 | 18 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 65 |
| 13800 | | – | 12 | 18 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 65 |
| 14400 | | – | 12 | 18 | 25 | 40 | 50 | 65 |
| 19920 | | 23.0 | – | – | 12 | 18 | 25 | 40 |
| 21600 | – | | – | 12 | 18 | 25 | 30 | 40 |

Notes:

1. All fuses meet “safe zone” tank rupture curves for medium voltage, Standard-Duty, Heavy-Duty, and Extreme-Duty capacitors or equal.
2. Fuse application based on 150% of capacitor current.
3. Fuses do not require derating for environment below 100°C.
4. Use 8.3 kV fuse.
5. Asterisk (*) denotes parallel fuse assembly.



Note: Dimensions given are for reference only. Do not use for construction. Contact your Eaton representative for detailed drawings.

Figure 1. BTU design capacitor fuse.

Table 3. Direct-Connected Capacitor Fuse–BTU Design

| Voltage Rating (kV) | Current Rating (A) | Catalog Number BTU Design | Weight lb/(kg) |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| 4.3 | 130 | 43F130-IVBTU | 4.5 (2.0) |
| | 150 | 43F150-IVBTU | |
| | 200 | 43F200-IVBTU | |
| 5.5 | 100 | 55F100-IVBTU | |
| | 130 | 55F130-IVBTU | |
| | 150 | 55F150-IVBTU | |

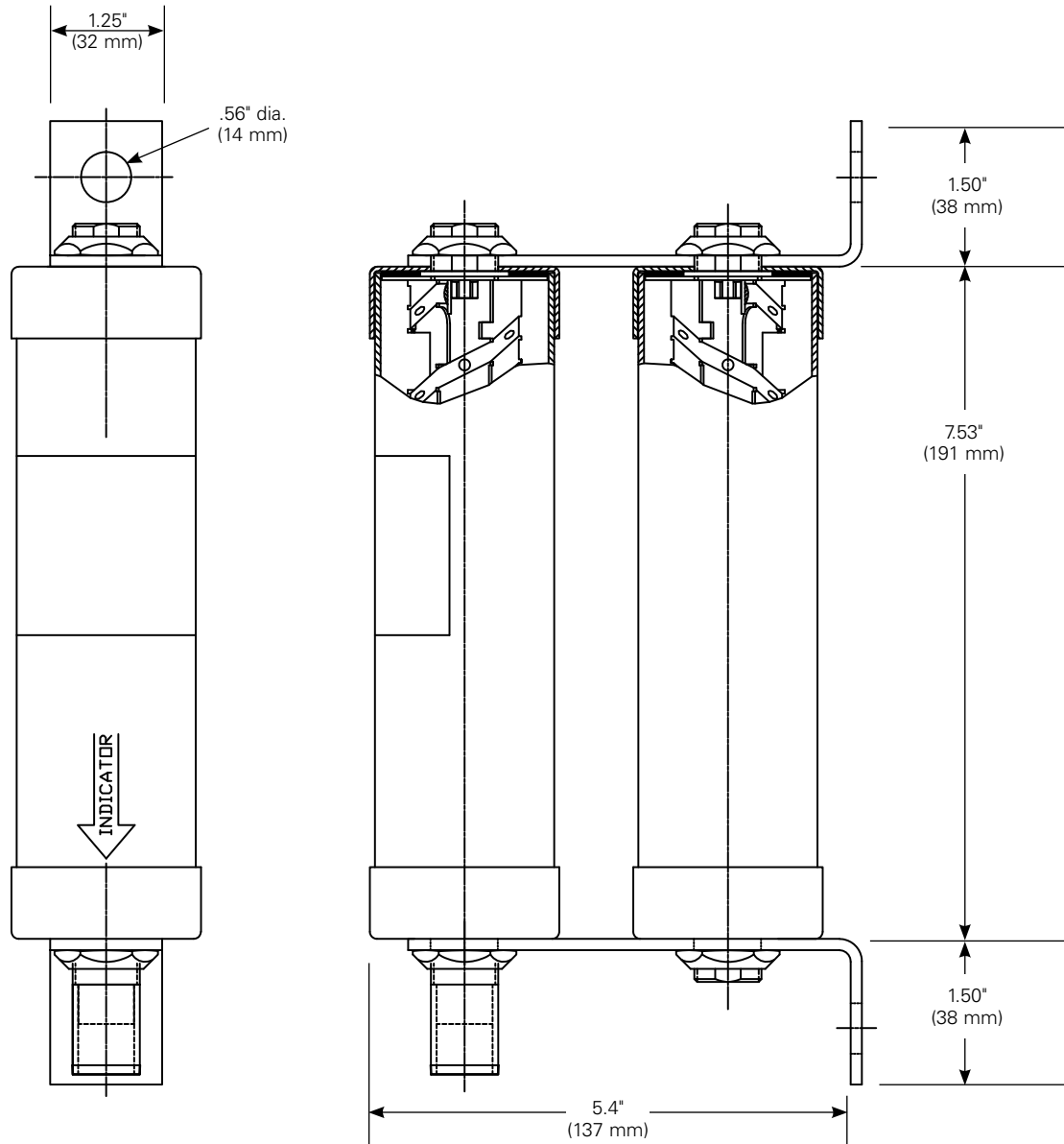


Figure 2. BUS design capacitor fuse.

Table 4. Bussmount Capacitor Fuse–BUS Design

| Voltage Rating (kV) | Current Rating (A) | Catalog Number BTU Design | Weight lb/(kg) |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| 4.3 | 130 | 43F130-IVBUS | 4.5 (2.0) |
| | 200 | 43F200-IVBUS | |

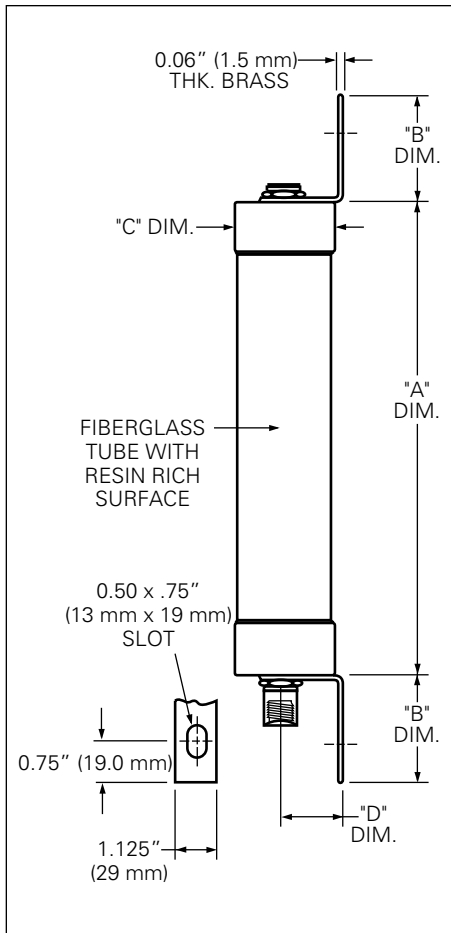


Figure 3. BT design capacitor fuse.

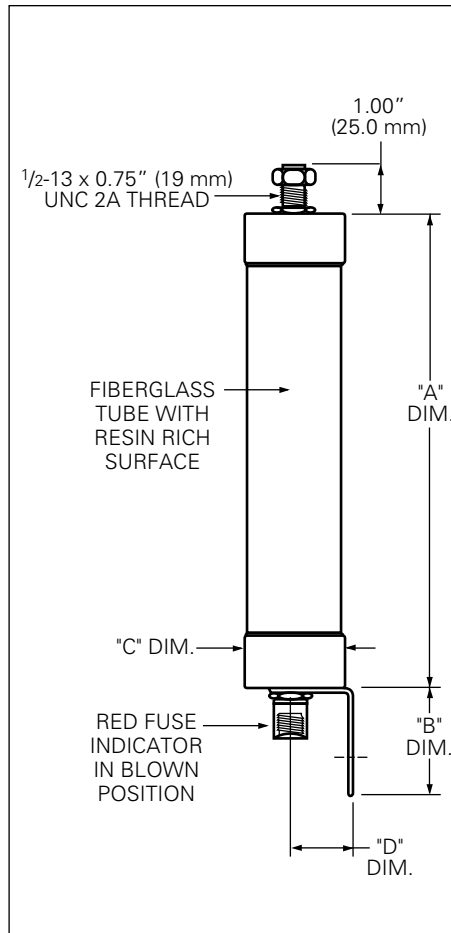


Figure 4. BTS design capacitor fuse.

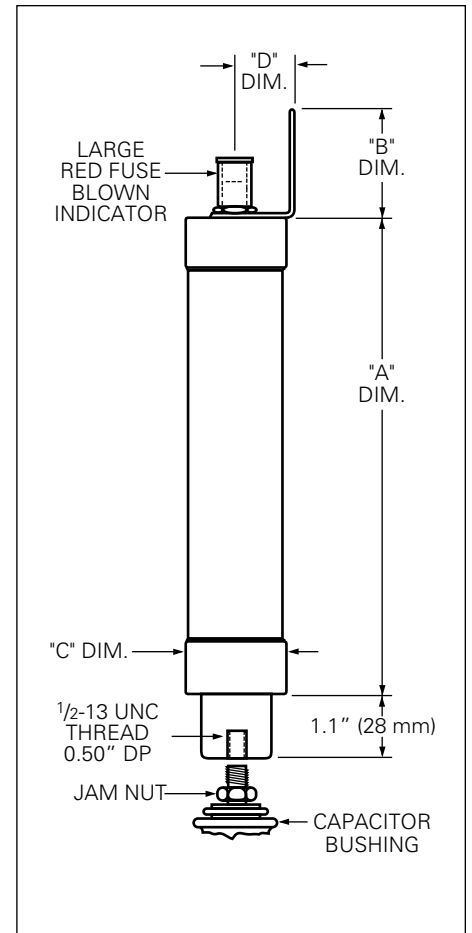


Figure 5. BTB design capacitor fuse.

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Table 5. Direct-Connected Capacitor Fuses—BT, BTS, and BTB Designs

| Voltage Rating (kV) | Current Rating (A) | Catalog Number BT Design* | Catalog Number BTS Design* | Catalog Number BTB Design* | A in (mm) | B in (mm) | C in (mm) | D in (mm) | Weight lb (kg) | | | | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| 4.3** | 18 | 43F018-IVBT | 43F018-IVBTS | 43F018-IVBTB | 7.5 (191) | 2.75 (70) | 2.13 (54) | 1.125 (29) | 2.0 (.9) | | | | | |
| | 25 | 43F025-IVBT | 43F025-IVBTS | 43F025-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 35 | 43F035-IVBT | 43F035-IVBTS | 43F035-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 45 | 43F045-IVBT | 43F045-IVBTS | 43F045-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 50 | 43F050-IVBT | 43F050-IVBTS | 43F050-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 65 | 43F065-IVBT | 43F065-IVBTS | 43F065-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 75 | 43F075-IVBT | 43F075-IVBTS | 43F075-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5.5** | 100 | 43F100-IVBT | 43F100-IVBTS | 43F100-IVBTB | 7.5 (191) | 2.75 (70) | 2.13 (54) | 1.125 (29) | 2.0 (.9) | | | | | |
| | 18 | 55F018-IVBT | 55F018-IVBTS | 55F018-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 20 | 55F020-IVBT | 55F020-IVBTS | 55F020-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 25 | 55F025-IVBT | 55F025-IVBTS | 55F025-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 30 | 55F030-IVBT | 55F030-IVBTS | 55F030-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 40 | 55F040-IVBT | 55F040-IVBTS | 55F040-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 50 | 55F050-IVBT | 55F050-IVBTS | 55F050-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8.3 | 65 | 55F065-IVBT | 55F065-IVBTS | 55F065-IVBTB | 7.5 (191) | 2.75 (70) | 2.13 (54) | 1.125 (29) | 2.0 (.9) | | | | | |
| | 75 | 55F075-IVBT | 55F075-IVBTS | 55F075-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 10 | 83F010-IVBT | 83F010-IVBTS | 83F010-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 12 | 83F012-IVBT | 83F012-IVBTS | 83F012-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 18 | 83F018-IVBT | 83F018-IVBTS | 83F018-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 20 | 83F020-IVBT | 83F020-IVBTS | 83F020-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 25 | 83F025-IVBT | 83F025-IVBTS | 83F025-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 30 | 83F030-IVBT | 83F030-IVBTS | 83F030-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 40 | 83F040-IVBT | 83F040-IVBTS | 83F040-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 50 | 83F050-IVBT | 83F050-IVBTS | 83F050-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15.5 | 65 | 83F065-IVBT | 83F065-IVBTS | 83F065-IVBTB | 11.80 (300) | 1.83 (47) | 3.16 (80) | 1.75 (45) | 5.5 (2.5) | | | | | |
| | 80 | 83F080-IVBT | 83F080-IVBTS | 83F080-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 100 | 83F100-IVBT | 83F100-IVBTS | 83F100-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 125 | 83F125-IVBT | 83F125-IVBTS | 83F125-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 140 | 83F140-IVBT | 83F140-IVBTS | 83F140-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 10 | 155F010-IVBT | 155F010-IVBTS | 155F010-IVBTB | | | | | | 11.80 (300) | 2.75 (70) | 2.13 (54) | 1.125 (29) | 2.0 (.9) |
| | 12 | 155F012-IVBT | 155F012-IVBTS | 155F012-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 18 | 155F018-IVBT | 155F018-IVBTS | 155F018-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 20 | 155F020-IVBT | 155F020-IVBTS | 155F020-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 25 | 155F025-IVBT | 155F025-IVBTS | 155F025-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30 | 155F030-IVBT | 155F030-IVBTS | 155F030-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 40 | 155F040-IVBT | 155F040-IVBTS | 155F040-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 23 | 50 | 155F050-IVBT | 155F050-IVBTS | 155F050-IVBTB | 14.60 (371) | 1.83 (47) | 3.16 (80) | 1.75 (45) | 8.0 (3.6) | | | | | |
| | 65 | 155F065-IVBT | 155F065-IVBTS | 155F065-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 80 | 155F080-IVBT | 155F080-IVBTS | 155F080-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 100 | 155F100-IVBT | 155F100-IVBTS | 155F100-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 125 | 155F125-IVBT | 155F125-IVBTS | 155F125-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| 23 | 10 | 23F010-IVBT | 23F010-IVBTS | 23F010-IVBTB | 14.64 (372) | 2.75 (70) | 2.13 (54) | 1.125 (29) | 4.0 (1.8) | | | | | |
| | 12 | 23F012-IVBT | 23F012-IVBTS | 23F012-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 18 | 23F018-IVBT | 23F018-IVBTS | 23F018-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 20 | 23F020-IVBT | 23F020-IVBTS | 23F020-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 25 | 23F025-IVBT | 23F025-IVBTS | 23F025-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 30 | 23F030-IVBT | 23F030-IVBTS | 23F030-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 40 | 23F040-IVBT | 23F040-IVBTS | 23F040-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | |
| 50 | 23F050-IVBT | 23F050-IVBTS | 23F050-IVBTB | | | | | | | | | | | |

* To specify a fuse for outdoor use, change the "I" to an "O". Example: 155F050-OVBT. (Only valid for 8.3 kV, 15.5 kV, and 23 kV rated fuses.)

** For higher ratings (parallel fuses) see Tables 3 and 4.

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