# **PC-Series** Ground Fault Circuit Protection







The PC-Series, AC Residual Current Circuit Breaker with Overcurrent Protection (RCBO), combines the ground fault protection of a GFCI with the familiar overcurrent tripping characteristics of a normal circuit breaker.

The PC-series utilizes the hydraulic magnetic principle which provides precise operation and performance even when exposed to extremely hot and/or cold application environments.

#### Agency Certifications UL Listed

UL Standard 489	Circuit Breakers, Molded Case, (Guide DIVQ, File E129899)
UL Standard 1077	Supplementary Protectors
UL Standard 943	Class A Ground Fault Circuit Interruptors
UL Standard 1053	Ground Fault Sensing and Relaying Equipment
UL Standard 1500 (pending)	Ignition Protection

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# Overload, short circuit, & ground fault protection in a user friendly package!

### The PC-Series is suitable for:

- AC branch ground fault protection a single circuit solution
- AC main ground fault protection for a boat's entire AC electrical system
- Portable generator ground fault protection

# Key Benefits of the PC-Series:

- · Increases safety around boats and marinas
- Protects against electrical shock hazards in areas near water
- Protects against defects in the wires & conductors
- Reduces fire and shock hazards from defects in permanently installed appliances such as water heaters, battery chargers, lighting fixtures, etc.
- Detects low level ground faults, which do not trip ordinary circuit breakers, that can lead to fires and shock hazards for boating occupants

## **Innovative Features:**

These precision mechanisms are temperature stable and are not adversely affected by temperature changes in their operating environment. As such, derating considerations due to temperature variations are not normally required, and heat-induced nuisance tripping is avoided.

- Overload, short circuit and ground fault protection in a single package
- Handle style actuators and rocker style "acuguard"
- Wiping Contacts Mechanical linkage with two-step actuation – cleans contacts, provides high, positive contact pressure & longer contact life
- A trip-free mechanism, a safety feature, makes it impossible to manually hold the contacts closed during overload or fault conditions.
- A common trip linkage between all poles, another safety feature, ensures that an overload in one pole will trip all adjacent poles.
- Front panel mounting
- Integral push-to-test button
- Two integrated LED indicators distinguish if a breaker is closed with Line Voltage present, or has opened due to leakage current, or has opened due to over current, or is closed with no Line Voltage present.
- Optional Hot/Neutral reversal detection and protection

# **PC-Series General Specifications**

Electrical		Physical			
Current Rating	1 - 50 Amps maximum	Number of Poles	1-pole (1 Circuit Breaker + 1		
Voltage Rating	120VAC, 120/240VAC	(Breakers only)	GFCISensor Module), 120V 2-pole (2 Circuit Breakers + 1 GFCI Sensor Module), 120/240V or 120V		
Leakage Current Trip Level	30mA & 6mA		with Neutral Break. 3-pole 120/240V with Neutral Break		
Leakage Current Trip Time	For 30mA leakage trip: ≤ 22.2mA, shall not trip 20mA shall trip within 10 seconds		(Sensor module has 2 pole width)		
	The above complies with UL-1053 & ABYC E11. For 6mA leakage trip: ≤25ms The above complies with UL-943.	Termination	Circuit Breaker Line Side: #10-32, threaded stud. GFCI Sensor Module Load Side: #10-32 threaded stud. Neutral pigtail.		
Operating Frequency	50/60 Hz for 30mA leakage trip 60 Hz for 6mA leakage trip	Mounting	Front Panel, #6-32 and M3 threaded inserts.		
Interrupt Capacity	5,000 Amps	Actuator	Handle, Flat Rocker, Curved Rocker (with or without rocker guard),		
Impedence		Environmental Designed and tested in ad specification MIL-PRF- 55	Push-to-Reset Rocker. ccordance with requirements of 5629 and MIL-STD-202G as follows:		
(AMPS)         (%)           0.10 - 5.0         15%           5.1 - 20.0         25%           20.1 - 50.0         35%		Shock	Withstands 100 G, 6ms, sawtooth at rated current per Method 213, Test Condition "I".		
Innovative Features Indicator	Two integrated LEDs, Red & Green •Green LED On, Red LED Off Line Voltage is present, the	Vibration	Withstands 0.06" excursion from 10- 55 Hz, and 10 G 55-500 Hz, at rated current per Method 204C, Test Condition A. Instantaneous and ultrashort curves tested at 90% of rated current.		
	ip Time For 30mA leakage trip: s 22.2mA, shall not trip 30mA, shall trip within .10 seconds The above complies with UL-1053 & ABYC E11. For 6mA leakage trip: s25ms The above complies with UL-943. 2y 50/60 Hz for 30mA leakage trip 60 Hz for 6mA leakage trip 5,000 Amps	93% RH at 30°C for 168 Hours.			
	<ul> <li>Green LED Off, Red LED On The device has detected leakage current and has opened the cicuit breaker.</li> <li>Green LED Flashing, Red LED Off The circuit breaker has opened due to over current or has been turned off manually</li> </ul>	Corrosion	UL-943-6.21, 3 weeks Humidity: 30±2°C, 70±2% relative humidity Mixed Flowing Gases: 100 ppb H2S 20 ppb Cl2 200±50 ppb NO2		
	•Green LED Off, Red LED Off Line Voltage is not present	Operating Temperature	-35°C to +66°C		
	•Green LED Flashing, Red LED Off, Amber LED ON	Mechanical			
	Indicates Hot & Neutral are reversed and the circuit breaker is open	Endurance	10,000 ON-OFF operations @ 6 per minute; with rated Current and Voltage.		
Grounded Neutral Protection	When neutral is grounded on load side of circuit	Trip Free	Trips on short circuit, overload or leakage to ground, even when actuator is forcibly held in the "On"		
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Located on Ground Fault Module

Test Button

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# INDICATE OFF / SINGLE COLOR HANE ROCKER ACTUATOR ROC

#### HANDLE / INDICATE ON ROCKER ACTUATOR

TERMINAL LOCATIONS



PCA 120 VAC

VERSION

PCB

120/240 VAC

VERSION











PCC 120/240 VAC VERSION W/ NEUTRAL BREAK









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NOTE: For additional circuit breaker dimensions, reference the C-Series Breakers in the Carling Circuit Protection catalog

# **Time Delay Curves**

### Instantaneous



# **Ultra Short**



Long

**Medium** 

TRIP TIME IN SECONDS



PERCENT OF RATED CURRENT

50/60 Hz MEDIUM DELAY CURVE NO. 24

# Short



PERCENT OF RATED CURRENT									
DELAY	100%	125%	150%	200%	400%	600%	800%	1000%	1200%
20	No Trip	May Trip	.040 MAX	.035 MAX	.030 MAX	.025 MAX	.020 MAX	.017 MAX	.015 MAX
21	No Trip	.014150	.011095	.008055	.006035	.005027	.005021	.004018	.004017
22	No Trip	.700 - 12.0	.350 - 4.00	.130 - 1.30	.027220	.008130	.004090	.004045	.004040
24	No Trip	10.0 - 160	6.00 - 60.0	2.20 - 20.0	.300 - 3.00	.050 - 1.30	.007500	.005060	.005040
26	No Trip	50.0 - 700	32.0 - 350	10.0 - 90.0	1.50 - 15.0	.500 - 7.00	.020 - 3.00	.006 - 2.00	.005 - 1.00

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NOTES: Other time delay values available, consult factory. Delay Curves 21,22,24,26: Breakers to hold 100% and must trip at 125% of rated current and greater within the time limit shown in this curve. Delay Curve 20: Breakers to hold 100% and must trip at 150% of rated current and greater within the time limit shown in this curve. All Curves: Curve data shown represents breaker response at ambient temperature of 77°F (25°C) with per preloading. Breakers are mounted in chanderly wall mount position

 $(25^{\circ}C)$  with no preloading. Breakers are mounted in standard wall-mount position. The minimum inrush pulse tolerance handling capability is 12 times the rated current. These values are based on a 60 Hz 1/2 cycle, 8.33 ms pulse.