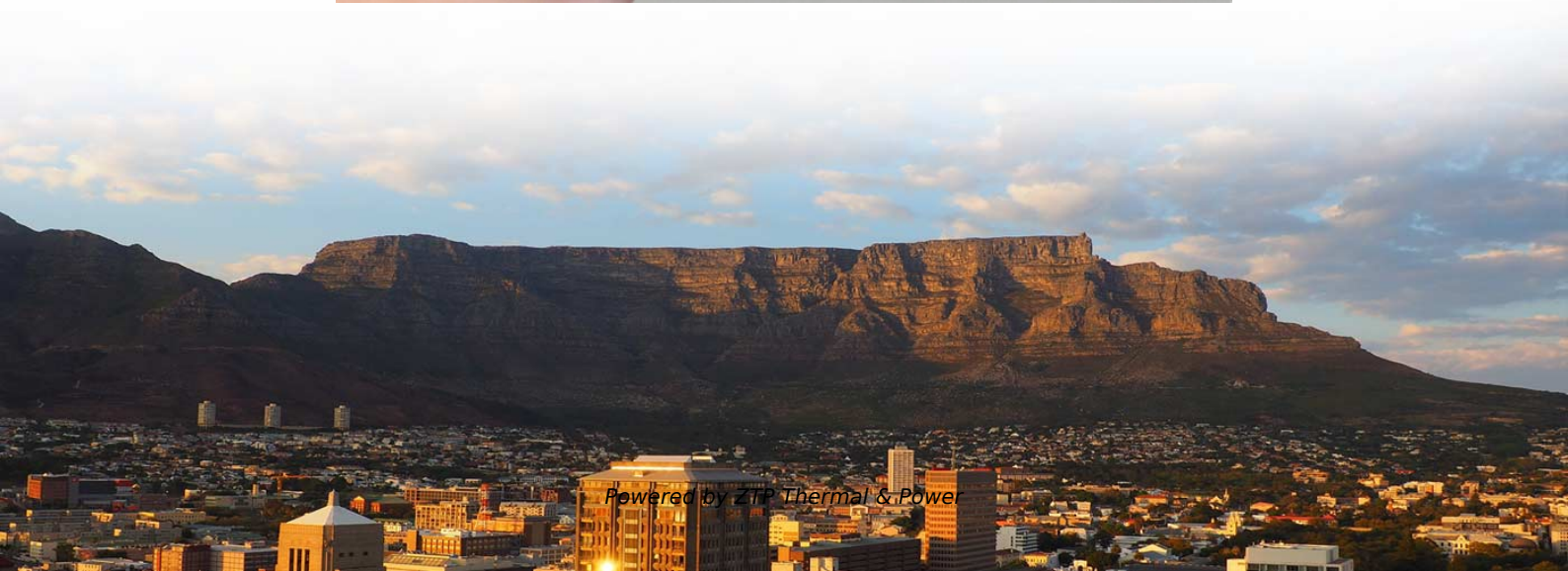


# What amperage rating should the relay protection have

7.5mm Radius





## Overview

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For example, if your system has a steady current of 5A and an inrush current of 10A, choose a relay rated for at least 12-15A. What this relay thing all about then?

A RELAY is an electro-mechanical device that operates as a switch. When Pickering designs a switching module, we use the voltage rating of the relays on the board to determine the minimum acceptable spacing between circuit board traces.



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Environmental Protection: Use sealed relays in dusty, wet, or harsh environments. If the relay is in a controlled environment, it may only to be sealed against mild dust intrusion. But if it is in

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### Basic protection relay knowledge

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An easy way to determine the limit of a relay is to multiply the rated Volts times the rated Amps. This will give you the total watts a relay can switch. Every relay will have two ratings: AC and DC. You should

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For example, a relay with a 60W power rating, may have a maximum switching voltage of 250V and a maximum switch current of 2A. A 250V, 2A signal has a

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When switching inductive loads, always select a relay whose contact rating safely exceeds the expected startup (inrush) current. In this example, a 20-30 Amp

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A relay will have a much lower current rating for motors, when compared to resistive loads, typically around 1/6 to 1/5 that of the resistive rating.

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Circuit protection includes protection from equipment overload conditions, undervoltage



and overvoltage conditions, ground faults, and short circuits. Although mandated by code for any electrical

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Needless to say, you have to stay within the tightest set of restrictions for the relay for it



to give you a long a trouble-free life. What is "Min. low energy permissible

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