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## Monoruptr® Vacuum Interrupters



Catalog SM06912-3

#### **Standard Equipment**

SEECO SM multi bottle interrupters utilize a column of vacuum bottles in series with voltage grading provided by paired sets of capacitors and resistors. The column is housed in a single fiberglass tube and surrounded with a silicon oil, which serves as a dielectric medium. The fiberglass tube includes externally accessible 'studs', which provide a convenient means for hi-pot or continuity testing of the individual vacuum bottles.

Interrupter units are supplied complete with mounting brackets, hardware and blade mounted pick-up rods.

#### **Operation Sequence**

The interrupters are only in the circuit for a few seconds during the opening operation of the air switch. The movement of the air switch blade "trips" the interrupter unit through a series of mechanical linkages and a high speed toggle mechanism which opens all vacuum bottle contacts simulantenously. The speed of contact opening is independent of the air switch blade speed. After contact opening, the trip arm of the interrupter disengages from the blade mounted pick-up rod and automatically returns to it's original position, closing the vacuum bottle contacts. In switch closing, the interrupter is out of the circuit.

Type: SM

Number of Vacuum Bottles: 2-4

#### Description

A multi bottle vacuum interruption device for use with SEECO one-way, phase-over-phase switches. Cantilever mounting of the interrupter column permits more compact phase spacing.

#### **Applications**

Common applications for multi bottle interrupters include:

- Load dropping
- Line dropping
- Loop splitting (parallel break)

Monoruptr® vacuum interrupters are not designed or rated for fault duty. Please contact the factory for confirmation of the appropriate interrupter configuration for your specific application.

#### Features & Benefits

- Provides arc-less switching
- Full load interrupters provide convenience, flexibilty and clarity in switching; reduces confusion about switching "rules" under various operating conditions
- Interrupter units are out of the main current path when not in operation and are not subject to fault currents
- Proven vacuum bottle technology with an established history of successful field service
- Safety no SF6 that can produce chlorine gas under high currents
- Quick, simple field installation

#### Installation

The interrupter units are shipped fully assembled and pre-adjusted for proper activation or "trip"; no field adjustment of the interrupter unit is required, nor should be attempted. Field adjustment is limited to the blade mounted pick-up rods and can be easily accomplished in less than an hour.

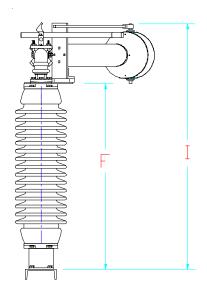
A complete set of installation instructions are available from our website at www.seecoswitch.com or you can contact us at the number below for assistance.

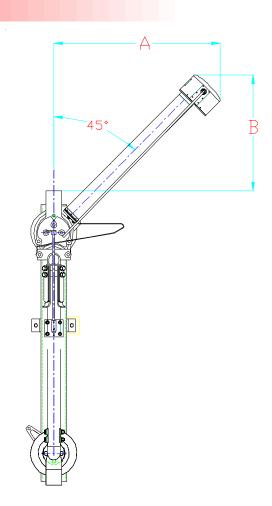
### To Be Specified on Order

To obtain pricing information or to place an order, the following minimum information must be specified:

- Monoruptr® catalog number
- Voltage and current rating of the switch
- Direction of blade opening as viewed from the hinge end of the switch: CW, CCW

# **Catalog Numbers and Ratings - Type SM**





Switch	Switch Current	Vacuum Bottles Per Unit	Type SM			
Voltage			Catalog	Weight, Lbs		
Rating	Rating		Catalog	Install	Ship	
46	600	2	SM04606-2	165	180	
	1200		SM04612-2	165	180	
	2000		SM04620-2	165	180	
	3000		SM04630-2	165	180	
69	600	3	SM06906-3	240	255	
	1200		SM06912-3	240	255	
	2000		SM06920-3	240	255	
	3000		SM06930-3	240	255	
115	600	4	SM11506-4	315	330	
	1200		SM11512-4	315	330	
	2000		SM11520-4	315	330	
	3000		SM11530-4	315	330	

Dimensions in inches unless otherwise specified. Note: 'G' represents minimum phase spacing for typical applications.

Height	Length	Α	В	I	F	G
12-1/4	33-3/4	30	18-1/2	38-1/4	26	7'-0"
12-1/4	45-3/8	39	27	46-1/4	34	9'-0"
12-1/4	57	46-1/2	35	54	51-3/4	15'-0"

Note: Installed weight is the weight of a three phase set. For the weight of a single interrupter unit and associated mounting hardware, divide by three.