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## CONTACT ELEMENT FOR ELECTRICAL SWITCH CONTACTS

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[origin: EP0227972A1] 1. Contact element for electrical switch contacts, in particular a contact plate for electromagnetic relays, in which a three-layer contact coating whose outermost layer is composed of rhodium and whose centre layer is composed of silver or gold is electrodeposited on a basemetal carrier, characterized in that the lowermost layer of the contact coating is composed of a palladium/nickel alloy containing a proportion of nickel of between 10 % and 40 % and has a thickness between 2 mu m and 10 mu m, in that the centre layer, which is composed of gold or silver, has a thickness of less than 1 mu m and in that the outer rhodium layer has a thickness of between 0.4 mu m and 1 mu m.

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