

Title (en)

Autoexpansion electric circuit breaker with insulating gas.

Title (de)

Elektrischer Autoexpansionsschalter mit Isoliergas.

Title (fr)

Disjoncteur électrique à auto-expansion et à gaz isolant.

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Abstract (en)

The inside of the tubular contacts (20,24) of an autoexpansion, SF6 gas circuit-breaker comprises guide ribs (56,58) arranged so as to oppose any vortex-effect swirling gas flow between the first disconnection chamber (26) and the second expansion chamber. The presence of these ribs improves the dielectric strength of the circuit-breaker and prevents any refiring of the arc inside the contacts. <IMAGE>

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