

Title (en)  
Electric circuit breaker with self generating pressure and arc rotation.

Title (de)  
Elektrischer Schalter mit Druckselbsterzeugung und Lichtbogenrotation.

Title (fr)  
Disjoncteur électrique à autoexpansion et à rotation de l'arc.

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: CA2043558A1] A three-phase circuit breaker with self-extinguishing expansion and rotating arc comprises an arc extinguishing chamber per pole housing a pair of stationary and movable contacts, a coil to rotate -the arc, and an exhaust channel in at least one contact to provide on opening a communication and gas outflow between the extinguishing chamber and the expansion volume of an enclosure filled with SF6. The extinguishing chamber has a square or rectangular cross-section to resorb the gas plug after braking of the gas rotation movement, and improve stirring of the gas in the extinguishing chamber.

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