Title (en)

Explosion-proof switch.

Title (de)

Explosionsgeschüzter elektrischer Schalter.

Title (fr)

Commutateur anti-déflagrant.

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP0508320A2] An explosion-proof electrical switch has at least one contact point (21, 22) which is accommodated in a switching apparatus (14) having a switching apparatus housing which encloses a space (19, 20) which is encapsulated in a pressure-proof manner. The contact point (21, 22) is operated by means of a spark-proof operating plunger (27) which is inserted into the switching apparatus housing, and the switching apparatus housing is inserted into a surrounding housing (10) of enhanced safety. The surrounding housing (10), which is composed of a housing lower part (11) and a housing upper part (12), carries the switching apparatus housing on the inner surface of the base wall of the housing lower part (11). At least one operating rocker (36), which projects with a projection (38, 39) through the housing upper part (12) into the interior of the surrounding housing (10), is supported on the outside of the housing upper part (12) such that it can rotate. An intermediate element (40) is located on the free end of the projection (38, 39), located in the surrounding housing (10), in order to operate the contact point (19, 20) or an operating plunger (27) for the contact point, which intermediate element (40) has at least one cam (58, 59), said cam (58, 59) displacing the operating plunger (27), in order to carry out a switching operation, when the operating rocker (36) is pivoted. <

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