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Contact piece for vacuum chambre and manufacturing process

Title (de)
Kontaktstück für eine Vakuumkammer und Verfahren zur Herstellung des Kontaktstückes

Title (fr)
Pièce de contact pour chambre à vide et son procédé de fabrication

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[origin: EP0940830A2] The contact piece has a base section which has several concentric grooves in the region of the surface of the contact piece, which are axially open to the contact piece surface or a counter contact. The base section is made of a good electrical conductor such as copper, while the surface of the contact piece is made of a less good conductor such as chrome and a chrome copper alloy. The less good conductor is situated in the grooves so that rings of good and less good conductors are arranged on the surface. A method of manufacturing a contact piece is also claimed.

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