

Title (en)

Electric socket with controlled insertion and extraction forces

Title (de)

Steckdose mit kontrollierter Steck- und Ausziehkraft

Title (fr)

Prise de courant électrique à forces d'insertion et d'extraction contrôlées

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Application

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Abstract (en)

The socket has female contacts (3) with a retaining unit placed in an active or inactive configuration and formed of a retractable hook and a corresponding stop. The hook retains the stop, in the active configuration, and maintains a slider, with respect to a base, in an armed position in which the contacts are placed in a spaced configuration, by retractors (61). A bistable slider (6) is returned elastically, in the inactive configuration, by springs (R) to a rest position in which the retractors are disengaged from the contacts and permit the contacts to adopt a locked configuration.

Abstract (fr)

L'invention concerne une prise de courant électrique comprenant au moins deux contacts femelles (3) formant chacun une pince élastique. La prise de l'invention comprend en outre un coulisseau (6) déterminant, en fonction de sa position, la configuration ouverte ou fermée des contacts femelles (3), un palpeur (70) sensible à l'introduction d'une fiche et déterminant la position du coulisseau, et un doigt d'actionnement (5) permettant de replacer le coulisseau dans sa position initiale.

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