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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO2012146517A1] In order to design a switching device (1), in particular load-break switches, for medium-voltage switchgear, comprising a quench contact system for quenching an arc during a shut-down process of the switching device (1) and a primary contact system connected in series to the quench contact system for forming a dielectric isolating distance with an open state of the primary contact system and quenched arc, which switching device has a compact design, according to the invention the primary contact system comprises a first fixed contact (2) and a second fixed contact (3), which are diametrically opposed to one another, and a movable contact (4), which can be rotated by means of a rotary post insulator (5) arranged centrally between the first fixed contact (2) and the second fixed contact (3) and which has a quench contact system integrated therein.

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