

Connecting element for two items of installation
equipment lined up beside each other with their broad
sides against each other, and method of connecting the
items of installation equipment

Abstract

The invention relates to a connection for two items of installation equipment lined up beside each other with their broad sides against each other, in particular line-protection circuit breakers, residual current circuit breakers and the like, whose housings are each formed from two shell-like housing parts. The connecting element has an approximately cylindrical base body (34) with a first outer diameter onto which, on both sides, two radially springy spreading arms (37 to 40) projecting axially in opposite directions are integrally moulded, their outside diameter being smaller than the outside diameter of the base body (34) and their free ends having, on opposite envelope lines, radially protruding lugs (41, 42, 43, 44) which, when assembled, latch in behind rebates (58, 57) on the housings of the items of installation equipment (10, 11) located beside each other and to be connected by the connecting element.

Relevant figure: Figure 1

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