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PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURING CERAMIC PRODUCTS

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0464414A2] The process and apparatus relates to manufacturing ceramic products, and particularly crockery. The process comprises various steps including forming (1) and first drying (2) of a mix for obtaining semi-finished crockery items which are subjected to a first dynamic storage (5), and then conveyed (6) according to a standardized and preset flow. The baking (7) of the semiworked items then occurs in order to obtain semi-finished products which are subjected to a second automatic conveyance (8), to an integrity check and to a verification (9) of their arrangement according to a required sequence. A third automatic conveyance (14) then occurs in order to achieve the enamelling and/or glazing (15) of the semi-finished crockery items, so as to obtain finished products which are finally unloaded and subjected to a quality control. <IMAGE>

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