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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0560391A2] A centrifuge is proposed, having a changeable rotor (10) which is driven by an electric motor (11), code elements (14) which are arranged in an annular shape being arranged on the rotor (10) and being sensed by a sensor (15) which is fixed to the housing. A decoder device (17) serves to detect the respectively mounted rotor (10) as a function of the arrangement of the code elements (14). The number of code elements (14) is proportional to the maximum permissible speed of revolution of the respective motor (10). A safety device (18) which compares the frequency of the sensor signals (number of code elements 14 which pass per unit of time) with a predetermined fixed frequency value is additionally connected to the sensor (15), it being possible to trigger a deactivation of the electric motor (11) when the fixed frequency value is reached or exceeded. In this way, the same code elements and a single sensor (15) serve to detect the respective rotor and to perform emergency deactivation of the electric motor (11). <IMAGE>

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