

Title (en)  
Condensation clothes dryer with a heat pump and auxiliary resistance heater

Title (de)  
Kondensationwäschetrockner mit Wärmepumpe und zusätzlicher Widerstandheizung

Title (fr)  
Sèche-linge à condensation avec pompe à chaleur et chauffage auxiliaire par résistance

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Abstract (en)  
The invention concerns a condensation clothes dryer with a heat pump and a closed process air circuit that proceeds from a dryer drum and returns to it via an evaporator, blower and a condenser as well as an auxiliary resistance heater. The heat pump circuit for the cold-start, heating and operating phase is automatically adapted without program-controlled changes in the heat output and without overload protection as follows: The auxiliary resistance heater consists of one or more semiconductor resistors that heat the coolant for the condenser of the heat pump circuit.

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