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Cooling cycle

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Kühlkreislauf

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Cycle de refroidissement

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Abstract (en)
Theme : To provide a cooling cycle having a structure such that rises in the coolant discharge temperature of a compressor are prevented, increases in pressure losses in the internal heat exchanger are avoided, and reductions in size, weight and cost of the necessary components are enabled.
<??>Means of Resolution : A Cooling cycle 1, comprising compressor 2 which increases the pressure of the coolant, radiator 3 which cools the coolant compressed by the compressor, expansion device 4 which reduces the pressure of the coolant cooled by radiator 3, evaporator 5 which evaporates the coolant whose pressure is reduced in expansion device 4, accumulator 6 which in addition to separating out the gas and liquid in the coolant passing through evaporator 5 separates out the oil mixed in with the coolant, and internal heat exchanger 7 which exchanges heat between the low-pressure coolant conducted from accumulator 6 to compressor 2 and the high-pressure coolant conducted from radiator 3 to expansion device 4, is provided with recovery path 10 which bypasses internal heat exchanger 7 enabling recovery of the liquid coolant or oil in accumulator 6 between said internal heat exchanger 7 and compressor 2, and regulator valve 11 which regulates the quantity recovered via this recovery path 10.
<IMAGE>

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