

Title (en)

Device for controlling the hardness of water supplied to a washing machine, in particular a dish-washing machine

Title (de)

Vorrichtung zur Kontrolle der Wasserhärte bei einer Waschmaschine oder einer Geschirrspülmaschine

Title (fr)

Dispositif pour contrôler la dureté de l'eau dans une machine à laver ou une lave-vaisselle

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Abstract (en)

The device comprises a solenoid valve of the proportional type (5), connected to the decalcifying device (3) and able to control the flow of water supplied to the washing chamber or tank (WT), and a control unit (CU, 7) able to drive said proportional solenoid valve (5) in a predetermined manner in such a way as to cause variations in the flowrate of the water supplied to the washing chamber or tank (WT), causing corresponding variations in the hardness of the water flow supplied to said chamber or tank (WT).

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