

Title (en)

Method of manufacturing foundry ceramic cores for turbomachine vanes

Title (de)

Verfahren zur Herstellung von keramischen Kernen zum Gießen von Laufradschaufeln für Turbomaschinen

Title (fr)

Procédé de fabrication de noyaux céramiques de fonderie pour aubes de turbomachine

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Abstract (en)

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Abstract (fr)

L'invention porte sur un procédé de fabrication d'un noyau céramique de fonderie, comportant au moins une zone fine d'épaisseur « e », en particulier dans un bord de fuite d'aube de turbomachine notamment, comprenant la mise en forme dans un moule d'un mélange comprenant une charge de particules céramiques et un liant organique, l'extraction du noyau du moule, le déliantage et un traitement thermique de consolidation du noyau. Le procédé est caractérisé par le fait que l'on forme dans ledit moule un noyau dont ladite zone est épaissie par rapport à l'épaisseur « e » d'une surépaisseur E et que l'on usine ladite surépaisseur après avoir extrait le noyau du moule, et ce avant ou après l'opération de traitement thermique. En particulier l'usinage est effectué mécaniquement par fraisage avec soit avec enlèvement de copeaux sur les noyaux avant cuisson, soit par abrasion sur les noyaux cuits.

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