

Title (en)  
Laundry dryer or washing/drying machine

Title (de)  
Wäschetrockner oder Wasch-/Trocknermaschine

Title (fr)  
Machine à laver/sécher le linge

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Abstract (en)  
The present invention relates to a method for drying laundry (3) in a ventilation laundry dryer or washing/drying machine (1,10), wherein the laundry is dried in a drum (2) where it is subjected to the action of an air flow that causes the water contained therein to evaporate, wherein a drying cycle comprises at least one closed circuit step, during which an air flow consisting of a single air mass (1,10) makes several passages through the drum (3), and at least one open circuit step, during which the air flow comprises an air mass taken in from the outer environment and then exhausted into the outer environment after having flowed through the drum (2) once, and wherein the air is heated during the closed circuit step.

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