

Title (en)

Method for controlling the operation of a set of induction units of an induction cooktop and associated induction cooktop

Title (de)

Steuerverfahren bei Betrieb einer Reihe von Induktoren eines Induktionskochfeldes, und zugehöriges Induktionskochfeld

Title (fr)

Procédé de commande en fonctionnement d'un ensemble d'inducteurs d'une table de cuisson à induction et table de cuisson à induction associée

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP2440007A2] The method involves displaying a hob hot indicator on a display unit (6) e.g. LCD, where position of the indicator on the display unit is provided depending on a position of detected heating area (Z1) in a cooking surface (3). The indicator is extinguished followed by a representation of new heating area (Z2) on the display unit when the new heating area formed of subset of inductors (2) partially covered by a container is detected if the representation of the new heat zone on the display unit partially intersects a display of the indicator on the display unit. An independent claim is also included for an induction cook top, comprising a set of inductors.

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