

Title (en)

Method and apparatus for casting a hollow component of a turbomachine

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Gießen von Hohlkomponenten einer Turbomaschine

Title (fr)

Procédé et appareil de moulage d'un composant creux d'une turbomachine

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Abstract (en)

An apparatus (1) for casting a hollow component of a turbomachine from a melted material is provided. The apparatus includes a core (2), a shell (3) surrounding the core (2) forming a cavity (6) therebetween for receiving the melted material, wherein a boundary (7) of the cavity (6) is defined by the core (2) and the shell (3), a plurality of separator elements (4, 10, 15, 18) for separating the core (2) and the shell (3) having a spherical portion (12, 16, 17, 19), wherein the boundary (7) includes indentations (5) to receive the spherical portion (12, 16, 17, 19) of the separator elements(4, 10, 15, 18).

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