

Title (en)
Method and equipment for controlling a multipoint fluid distribution system

Title (de)
Verfahren und Vorrichtung zur Steuerung eines Mehrpunktsystems zur Verteilung von Flüssigkeit

Title (fr)
Procédé et équipement pour commander une système multipoint de distribution de fluide

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Abstract (en)
It comprises taking pressure measurements in a point previous to the consumption points by means of a piece of control equipment and performing the following steps in sequence: a) acquiring a successive series of supply pressure values (P_i) measured in said previous point; b) varying the pump rotating speed in response to a pressure variation detected in said previous point; c) detecting that at least two of said pressure values (P_{i1}), (P_{i2}) measured in said previous point change (increase or decrease) and obtaining a curve of demand (10) by calculating the coefficients of a known mathematical function descriptive of said curve of demand, making said coefficient calculations from said measured pressure values (P_{i1}), (P_{i2}) and of corresponding calculated flow rate values; d) determining a consumption point (12) by intersecting the curve of demand with the y-axis and e) adopting a pump rotating speed providing a pump setpoint pressure, depending on said consumption point (12) determined in step d), restarting steps b) to e) in the event of another pressure variation in the demand.

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