

Title (en)  
Refrigeration and/or freezer device

Title (de)  
Kühl- und/oder Gefriergerät

Title (fr)  
Appareil de réfrigération et/ou de congélation

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP2645018A2] The device has a refrigerant circuit including compressor (1), a condenser (2) for refrigeration of a refrigerated compartment, and capillaries (5a, 5b) arranged upstream of the condenser in a flow direction of a refrigerant. A multi-way valve (4) i.e. magnet valve, is arranged upstream of the capillaries. The valve is connected with the capillaries such that the refrigerant flows through the capillaries according to a valve position. A controlling or regulating unit is connected with the valve, and adjusts the valve position based on a cooling demand prevailing in the compartment. The capillaries are throttle elements. An independent claim is also included for a method for operating a refrigeration and/or freezer device.

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