Title (en)

INDUCTION HEATING UNIT, INDUCTION COOKING DEVICE, AND METHOD FOR OPERATING AN INDUCTION HEATING UNIT

Title (de)

INDUKTIONSHEIZEINHEIT, INDUKTIONSKOCHVORRICHTUNG UND VERFAHREN ZUM BETRIEB EINER INDUKTIONSHEIZEINHEIT

Title (fr)

ÚNITÉ DE CHAUFFAGE PAR INDUCTION, DISPOSITIF DE CUISSON PAR INDUCTION ET PROCÉDÉ DE FONCTIONNEMENT D'UNE UNITÉ DE CHAUFFAGE PAR INDUCTION

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The invention relates to an induction heating unit (1), comprising at least one resonant tank (30) with at least one induction heating element (32, 33), a power requesting unit (60) for requesting a power (PR) of the at least one induction heating element (32), a driving unit (52) for driving the resonant tank (30), in particular by oscillating the resonant tank (30) by means of a switching element (35), by a driving signal comprising a series of subsequences for generating a heating power (PH), each sequence comprising a first subsequence (S1) with a first alternating signal and with a first subsequence duration (D1), causing an activation of the resonant tank (30) with a predetermined power (PM), a subsequent second subsequence (S2) with an at least essentially non-alternating signal and with a second subsequence duration (D2), causing a deactivation of the resonant tank (30) and a subsequent third subsequence (S3) with a second alternating signal and a with a third subsequence duration (D3), causing an activation of the resonant tank (30) and a corresponding method.

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