

Title (en)
REFRIGERATION CYCLE DEVICE

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KÄLTEKREISLAUFVORRICHTUNG

Title (fr)
DISPOSITIF À CYCLE DE RÉFRIGÉRATION

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Abstract (en)
[origin: EP4163574A1] A refrigeration cycle apparatus (1) comprises a refrigerant circuit (100), a water circuit (200), and a control device (300). The refrigerant circuit (100) includes a compressor (101), a four-way valve (104), a heat exchanger (105), a fan (106), a diaphragm mechanism (108), a water heat exchanger (109), and an accumulator (110). Based on a value of a low-pressure sensor (111) or a high-pressure sensor (103) and a water temperature on an outlet side of the water heat exchanger (109), the refrigeration cycle apparatus (1) determines whether or not there is an abnormality due to dirtiness adhered to a plate inside the water heat exchanger (109).

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