

Title (en)

AEROSOL GENERATOR POWER-SUPPLY UNIT

Title (de)

STROMVERSORGUNGSEINHEIT FÜR AEROSOLGENERATOR

Title (fr)

UNITÉ D'ALIMENTATION ÉLECTRIQUE DE GÉNÉRATEUR D'AÉROSOL

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Abstract (en)

An MCU (63) of an aerosol aspirator (1) is capable of determining whether menthol is contained in an aerosol source (71) and a flavor source (52) and controls, in a menthol mode, electric discharges with respect to a first load (45) for heating the aerosol source (71) and a second load (34) for heating the flavor source (52) when it is determined that menthol is contained in the aerosol source (71). In contrast, when it is determined that menthol is not contained in the aerosol source (71) and the flavor source (52), the electric discharges with respect to the first load (45) and the second load (34) are controlled in a regular mode. The form of the electric discharges with respect to the first load (45) and the second load (34) in the menthol mode differs from the form of the electric discharges with respect to the first load (45) and the second load (34) in the regular mode.

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