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(54) **Method for demoulding ceramic products and apparatus for implementing the method.**

(57) A demoulding method for extracting a ceramic product (1) from a half-part (2) of a mould comprises at least the following steps: positioning an extractor element (3), which has a contact surface (3s), at a visible surface (1a) of the product (1) partially housed in the mould half-part (2); extracting the product (1) and placing it in abutment against the contact surface (3s); dividing the contact surface (3s) into two separate, matching portions

(3a, 3b) by moving a first portion of it (3a), which supports the product (1), away from its other portion (3b); releasing the product (1) onto a work and/or supporting element or table (4) matchingly shaped to be coupled to the first portion (3a) of the extractor element (3); moving the first portion (3a) and the supporting element or work table (4) away from each other. The invention also relates to an apparatus that implements this method.

FIG.3

