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(54) **Self-cleaning method for an oven**

(57) Self-cleaning method for an oven, comprising an initial phase (Es) in which the temperature in a cavity of the oven is increased to approximately a first preset temperature (T1) at the most, and an adjustment phase (Ea), subsequent to the initial phase (Es), in which the temperature of the cavity is increased to approximately

a second preset temperature (T2) at the most, said second temperature (T2) being higher than the first temperature (T1). The second temperature (T2) is a temperature that is sufficiently high for pyrolysis to occur, the method also comprising a maintenance phase (Em), subsequent to the adjustment phase (Ea), in which the second temperature (T2) in the cavity is kept substantially constant.

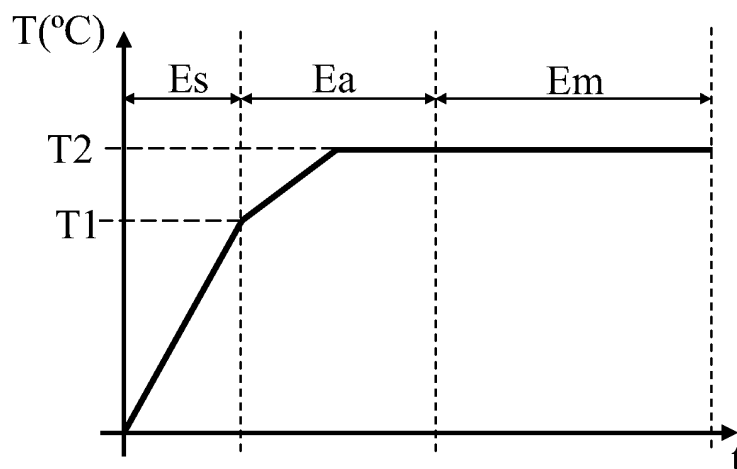


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