

ABSTRACT

A shielding member (1) includes a shielding plate (2) for
5 covering a part of a heat exchanger (10), heat transfer
tube engagement sections (3) for engaging with heat
transfer tubes (23) of the heat exchanger, fin engagement
portions (4) for engaging with fins (25) of the heat
exchanger, a bypass preventing rib (5) for preventing air
10 from being directed to the part of the heat exchanger, and
a mismounting preventing portion (6) for preventing the
shielding member (1) from being mounted on a heat exchanger
that does not require blocking of air flow. The heat
exchanger (10) in which the part covered with the shielding
15 member (1) has no heat exchanging function can be
manufactured with the same components as those of a heat
exchanger on which the shielding member (1) is not mounted
and the whole of which has a heat exchanging function.
Thus, heat exchangers having different heat exchanging
20 capacities can be manufactured with a totally reduced
number of components and therefore manufacturing cost can
be reduced.