Abstract

A coffee machine (100) according to the invention has a low overall height and allows an attractive aesthetic design to be achieved in its execution.

A brewing block (32) comprising brewing chambers (25, 26) is guided over a circular path (R), the said chambers adopting three different operating positions and the brewing plungers (29,30) and also the straining/expelling plungers being moved axially in the brewing chambers (25,26). The drive and control of the brewing assembly (1) is effected by way of spur gears and cam discs which are housed in two cam disc housings (59) located opposite one another. In accordance with a method according to the invention, the rotation to the three positions takes place in steps of 30^0, with resetting taking place through 60^0.

(Fig. 1)