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(57)**ABSTRACT**

An electrostatic chuck heater includes a resistance heating element. A region of the resistance heating element from one end to another end of the resistance heating element is divided into a plurality of sections. Recessed grooves are provided in the respective sections along a longitudinal direction of the resistance heating element in a surface. In a connection portion between the recessed grooves that are provided in the adjacent sections, a projection portion that extends along the connection portion is provided.

