

Title (en)

A mailbox provided with means for processing correspondence

Title (de)

Briefkasten mit Mitteln zur Verarbeitung von Korrespondenz

Title (fr)

Une boîte aux lettres avec des moyens pour le traitement de correspondance

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Abstract (en)

Weighing means (L1) for a letter posted in a slot (2) and a display (6) in the mailbox (1) make a user to read the amount of due postage calculated by a microprocessor (B1); key boards (3, 4) enable the user to compose the pertinent zip code and the type of letter he desires to send so that said details are printed on the letter; adapted means (7, 8, 9) enable the user to pay the amount by a magnetic card or bank notes or coins; a printing device (10) delivers to the user a receipt for the amount paid. <IMAGE>

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