

Title (en)

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CLEANING A VEHICLE

Title (de)

VERFAHREN UND VORRICHTUNG ZUR REINIGUNG EINES FAHRZEUGES

Title (fr)

PROCEDE ET DISPOSITIF DE LAVAGE D'UN VEHICULE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: US6905554B2] The invention relates to a method for cleaning a vehicle with a vehicle washing facility which comprises at least one first cleaning tool which is vertically aligned and can be moved past the vehicle in a longitudinal and in a transverse direction thereof and at least one second cleaning tool which is horizontally aligned, can be moved in a longitudinal direction of the vehicle and can be adjusted in a vertical direction in accordance with the contour of the vehicle. In order to develop the method further in such a manner that extra long vehicles can also be cleaned, it is suggested in accordance with the invention that a checking device checks whether the length of the vehicle exceeds a predetermined maximum value and that the rear of the vehicle and/or the front of the vehicle be cleaned only with the first or only with the second cleaning tool when the length of the vehicle exceeds the maximum value.

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