

Title (en)

Domestic appliance with decorative panel and optical display integrated therein

Title (de)

Haushaltgerät mit Dekorplatte und darin integrierter optischer Anzeige

Title (fr)

Appareil ménager avec panneau décoratif et indicateur optique intégré dans ce panneau

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Abstract (en)

The combination has a decorative plate (6) that is arranged before a front door (3) of a household appliance and an optical display that is arranged in the appliance. A light conductor (11) extends through an opening of the decorative plate and absorbs light from the display in such a manner that a signal produced by the display is visible for a user from outside, where the conductor is provided with a flexible section. Independent claims are also included for the following: (1) a method for integrating a household appliance behind a decorative plate (2) a unit for manufacturing a combination of a household appliance and a decorative plate.

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