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AUTOMATICALLY CONTROLLED WASHING MACHINE

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Abstract (en)
[origin: WO2008155264A1] The invention relates to a washing machine, having a detergent dispensing unit (3) disposed in the upper machine space, comprising a drawer (5) accessible from the front having at least one chamber (8 to 10) for a hand-metered addition of a detergent or liquid detergent portion. A storage unit (18) for liquid or gel-like washing aids, and a unit (21, 22) each for the automatic metering of each of the stored washing aids is disposed in the upper machine space. In order to provide a customer with the choice for manual metering or automatic metering with such a washing machine, but to also provide ways for an automatically metered washing aid that are as short as possible, and low maintenance for the storage unit while avoiding further disadvantages, the storage unit (18) according to the invention is configured of a receptacle unit (27) for transportable storage containers (28), which can have a fluid connection to the unit (21) for the automatic metering of the washing aid located in the storage container (28), the outlet opening (31) of the unit ending in a stationary chamber (13) of the detergent dispensing unit (3).

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