

Title (en)

Laundry care device with a horizontally pivoting grip element

Title (de)

Wäschepflegegerät mit einem horizontal schwenkbaren Griffelement

Title (fr)

Appareil d'entretien du linge doté d'un élément de préhension pivotant verticalement

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Abstract (en)

[origin: DE102008044336B3] The appliance e.g. washing machine (1), has a cabinet shaped housing (2) including a door (10) with an opening unit (12) at a front side (3), where the door is pivotably arranged over a vertical axis (14). The opening unit has a gripping element (20) and a locking unit, which is provided for locking the door and corresponds with a locking opening in the housing. The gripping element is pivotably arranged over a horizontal axis (22), where the door is opened by pivoting the gripping element. The horizontal axis is arranged below the locking unit.

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