

Title (en)  
A front plate for a socket

Title (de)  
Frontplatte für eine Steckdose

Title (fr)  
Plaque avant de prise

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Abstract (en)  
The front plate for a socket comprises a front surface having at least one first plane surface part and at least one aperture through which a plug may be inserted into the socket. A lid is adapted to close said aperture when no plug is inserted in the socket. The lid is adapted to perform a sliding motion between a first position where said aperture is closed and a second position where said aperture is open so as to allow insertion of the plug. The sliding motion is a non-linear sliding motion between said first position and said second position, the lid being, in the second position, located in front of and overlapping said front surface.

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