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Process for printing on surfaces of appliances

Title (de)

Verfahren zum Drucken auf Oberflächen von Anwendungen

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Procédé d'impression sur les surfaces d'appareils

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Abstract (en)

The present invention relates to a Process for printing symbols, characters, words or decorations on surfaces of appliances comprising the following steps in order: - a laser-pre-printing step in which a surface of an appliance is treated by a laser to ablate it only in a selected area in order to reproduce a desired printing; - a coloring step in which a coloring substance is laid on said ablated selected area to obtain a desired colored printing. In particular, the invention refers to a process for printing onto the surface of plastic, metallic, glass or ceramic components of for instance laundry washing and or drying machines, dishwashers, dryers, refrigerators, cleaners of domestic as well as industrial appliances.

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