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CONTROL METHOD, AIR CONDITIONER, AND PROGRAM

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP4071419A1] A control method performed by a computer for controlling an air conditioner provided in a room includes: obtaining position information of a user in the room and a sleep depth that is sleep information of the user; controlling an airflow direction of the air conditioner in a first stage of the sleep depth based on the position information, such that the air discharged by the air conditioner avoids the user (S146); and controlling the airflow direction in a second stage of the sleep depth based on the position information, such that the air discharged by the air conditioner hits the user (S145).

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