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“Lift Multi-Group Control System”

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If the person skilled in the art is aware of the possibility of overlaying the control of a number of technical devices (here two or more groups of lifts) with an overall control system, there is as a rule an occasion for making use of the obvious possibilities that this creates to optimise the controls, including to the extent that such is not described in the state of the art.

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