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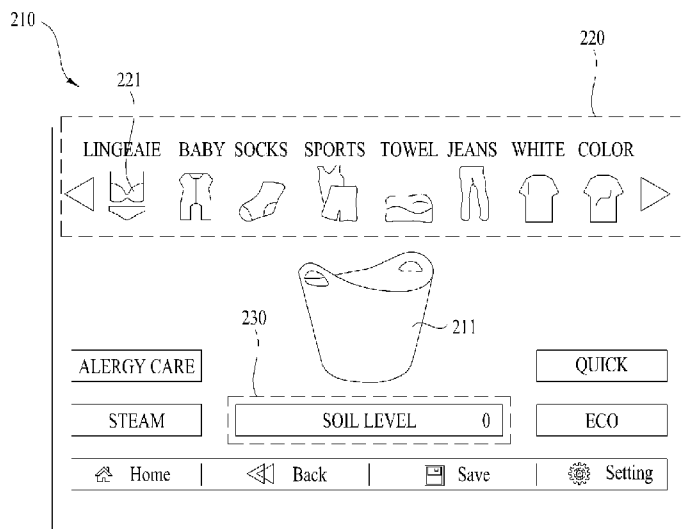
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(54) **Title:** CONTROL PANEL AND LAUNDRY MACHINE HAVING THE SAME, FURTHER METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE SAME

[Fig. 2]



(57) **Abstract:** There are disclosed a control panel (200) and a laundry machine (100) having the same, the control panel (200) including a screen (210) to display information on laundry and at least one piece of washing information, an information input unit to input a plurality of laundry types, and a control unit to determine the at least one piece of washing information based on information inputted from the information input unit. A method for controlling a laundry machine (100) includes the steps of enabling a user to input a plurality of laundry types, and a step of determining at least one piece of washing information based on the plurality of the inputted laundry types.

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