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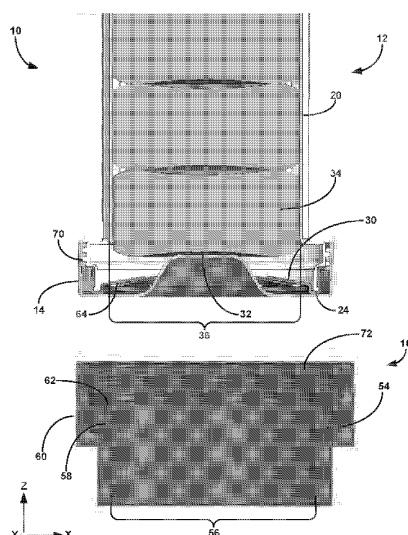


FIG. 2

- (57) Abstract:** A chemical dispensing system (10) with docking station (16) that receives a reservoir (12) containing a chemical. The reservoir (12) has one or more retention tabs (30) which are movable from a first position in which each tab extends radially across at least a portion of a bore to a second position in which each tab (30) is offset relative to the bore. A user can engage the reservoir (12) with the docking station (16), causing the one or more retention tabs (30) on the reservoir to engage with one or more corresponding retention tab receiving regions (54). This can cause each retention tab (30) to move from the first position to the second position, thereby dispensing chemical from the bore through a discharge aperture of the docking station. In this way, the contents of the reservoir may be dispensed without the user coming into physical contact with the chemical in the reservoir.