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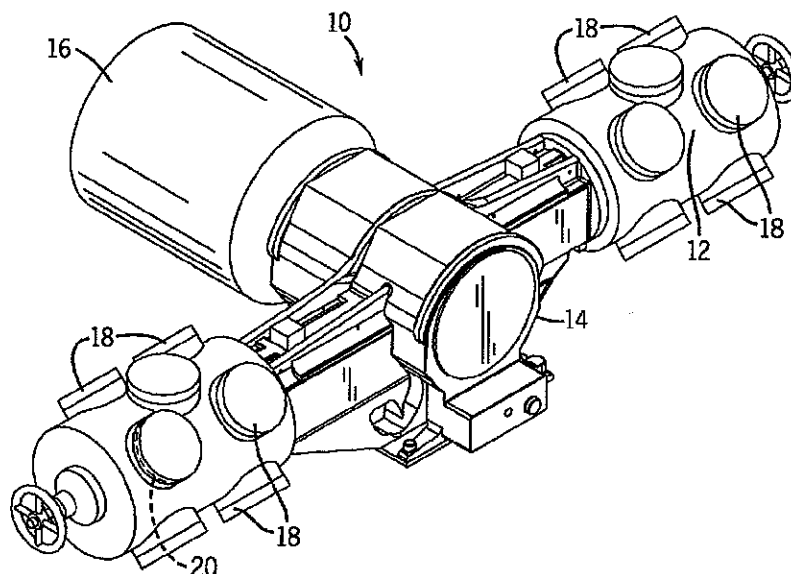


FIG. 1

(57) Abstract: A valve assembly (20) includes a seat plate (42) having a plurality of fluid conduits. The valve assembly may also include a plurality of poppet cages (48). In some embodiments, a poppet cage of such a plurality includes a mounting portion (50) for coupling the poppet cage to the seat plate, and a receiving portion (52) for receiving a poppet (58) therein.