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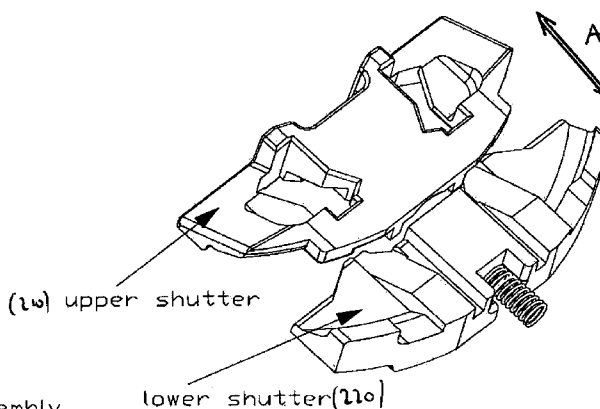
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(57) Abstract: An electrical socket for alternately receiving round-pin and rectangular-pin arrangement mains power electrical plugs, the socket comprising: a housing having a first socket region for receiving a pair of rectangular pins of at least a first type of rectangular-pin arrangement electrical plug and including a pair of first contact receptacles for providing electrical contact with said pair of rectangular pins; a second socket region for receiving a pair of round pins of at least a first type round-pin arrangement electrical plug and including a pair of second receptacle for providing electrical contact with said round pins; and an earth region for receiving an earth pin from rectangular-pin arrangement electrical plugs and round-pin arrangement electrical plugs and including a third contact receptacle for providing electrical contact with said earth pins; wherein the first socket region is adapted to prevent the reception of the pins of round-pin arrangement electrical plugs and the second socket region is adapted to prevent the reception of the pins of rectangular-pin arrangement electrical plugs.