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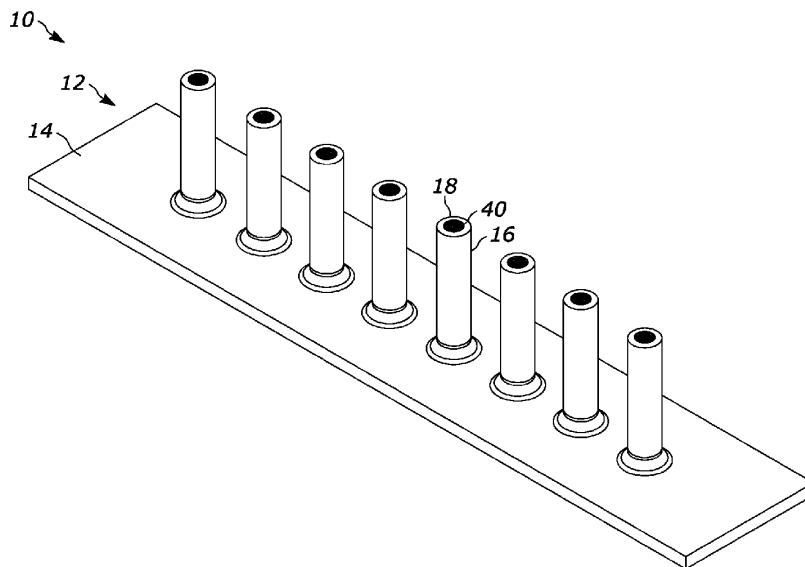


FIG. 1

(57) Abstract: Apparatus and methods for transferring and delivering dried reagents are disclosed. In accordance with an implementation, an apparatus includes a carrier comprising a carrier body and a plurality of pins extending from the carrier body. The pins are aligned and oriented to correspond to a plurality of wells in a well plate. Each of the plurality of pins has an end surface, opposite the carrier body and a dried reagent is retained on the end surface of at least a portion of the plurality of pins.

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