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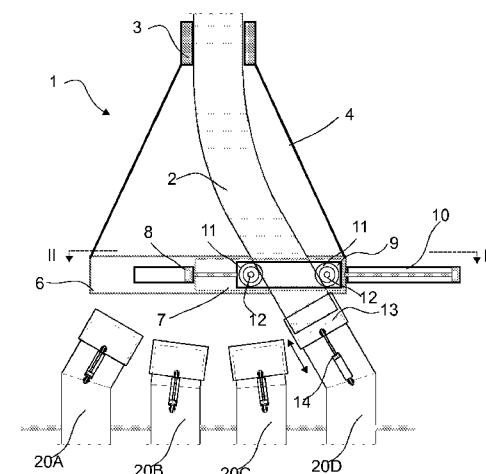


FIG. 1

(57) Abstract: Device for changing a flowpath, to which device are connected one first pipeline (2), at least two other pipelines (20A, 20B, 20C, 20D), such as a second pipeline (20A) and a third pipeline (20B), and also means for changing the pathway of the medium between the one first pipeline (2) and any of at least two other pipelines (20A, 20B, 20C, 20D). The first pipeline (2) is arranged to be bendable at least at the point of its free end formed to be moveable, or in the proximity of said point, that the means for changing the pathway of the medium comprise means (6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11) for moving the free end of the first pipeline (2), and coupling means (13, 14) for coupling and uncoupling the free end of the first pipeline (2) with at least one other pipeline (20A, 20B, 20C, 20D). The invention also relates to a system.

