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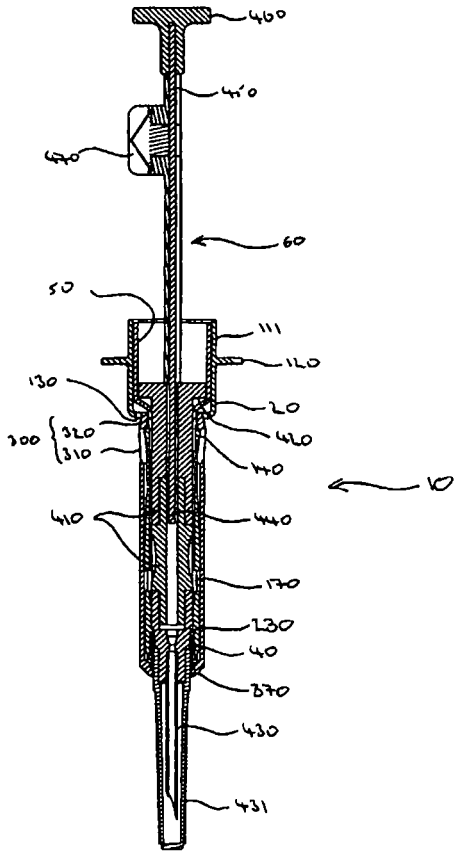
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(54) Title: AUTOMATICALLY OPERABLE SAFETY SHIELD SYSTEM FOR SYRINGES



(57) Abstract: An automatically operable safety shield system (10) for use with a syringe (60) comprises: an inner holder (20) into which said syringe (60) may be inserted; an outer shield (30) mounted outwards from said inner holder (20) axially movable between retracted and extended positions; a spring positioned between said inner holder (20) and said outer shield (30), urging said outer shield (30) to its extended position; said inner holder (20) having at least one first opening (130), distally thereto, at least one first indentation (170), and said outer shield (30) having at least one first stop member (300) engageable with said opening (130) when said outer shield (30) is in said retracted position engageable with said first indentation (170) when said outer shield (30) is in said extended position; the outer shield may be released from its retracted position by action of a trigger positioned within said inner holder or by a protrusion on the syringe plunger.

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