CONTAINER HANDLING APPARATUS AND METHOD

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A container handling apparatus adapted to engage with and lift a container, said container including a lip, comprising: a main arm configured to be actuated up and down a first axis; a locking arm connected to said main arm via a pivot point, and adapted to rotate around a rotational axis about said pivot point, to and from a first extended position away from the main arm; biasing means arranged to urge the locking arm around the rotational axis to said first extended position.

(Figure 2c)