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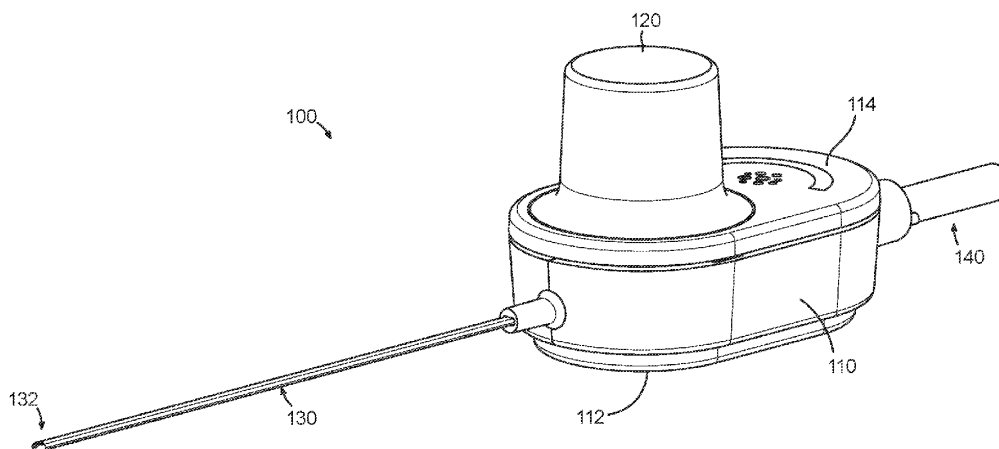


FIG. 1

(57) **Abstract:** An apparatus includes a body, a flexible cannula, and a needle. The needle is resiliently biased to extend along at least one proximal curve through least one proximal curved needle portion. The needle is resiliently biased to extend along at least one distal curve through at least one distal curved needle portion. In another embodiment, an apparatus includes a main body portion including a proximal channel configured to receive a plunger of a syringe, and a stop surface configured to selectively engage the plunger of the syringe to arrest distal advancement of the plunger. The apparatus also includes first and second deflectable beams configured to cooperate with each other to securely grip the barrel of the syringe, and first and second deflectable flanges configured to cooperate with each other to grip the barrel of the syringe.

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