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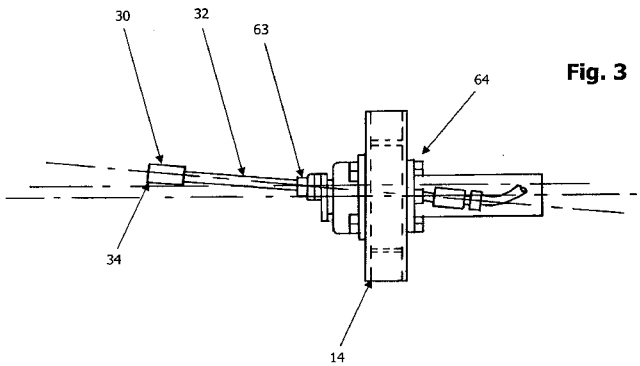


Fig. 3

(57) Abstract: The present invention provides a fluid blasting apparatus (10) comprising a frame (12), a head assembly (14), a rotatable nozzle (30) comprising a stem (32) in fluid communication with a high pressure fluid source. The stem (32) is mounted by a rear stem bearing (66) and a front stem bearing (63), which is supported eccentrically on a nozzle drive shaft (60), such that the longitudinal axis of the stem (32) is oblique to the rotation axis of the nozzle drive shaft (60).