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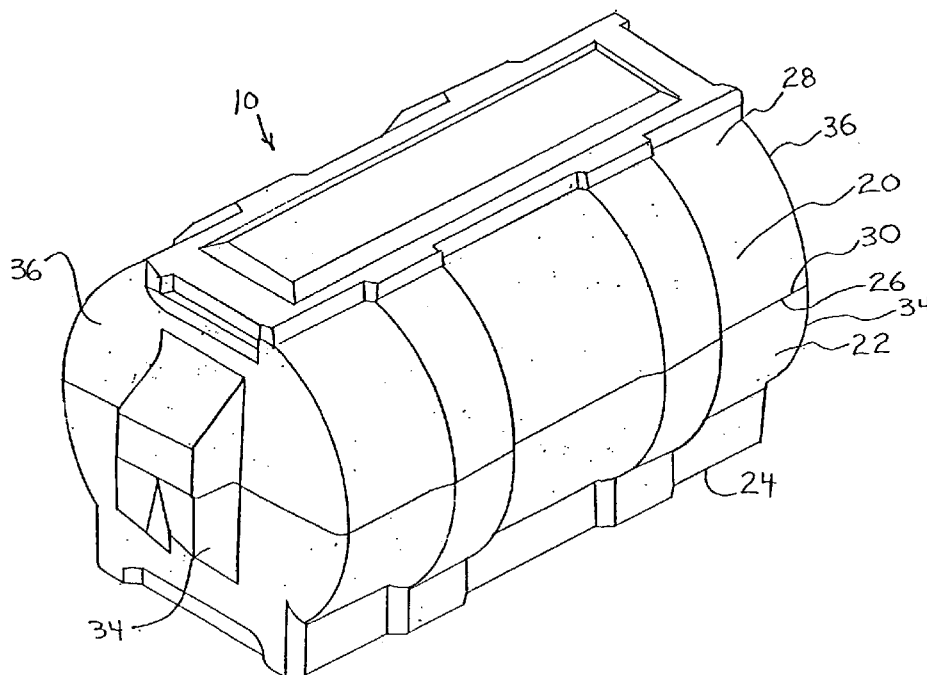
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(57) **Abstract:** The disk carrier with spindle (40) comprises an outer shell (20) including an upper portion (28) and a lower portion (22) that connect together to form a chamber to enclose disks and constrain a spindle (40) in place in the chamber. The spindle (40) further comprises elongated portions or partial cylinder sections joined by a hinge (58) so that the spindle (40) can be moved into a contracted position to freely pass through a central aperture of a disk or into an expanded position to contact the inner perimeter of the disk and secure the disk.



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