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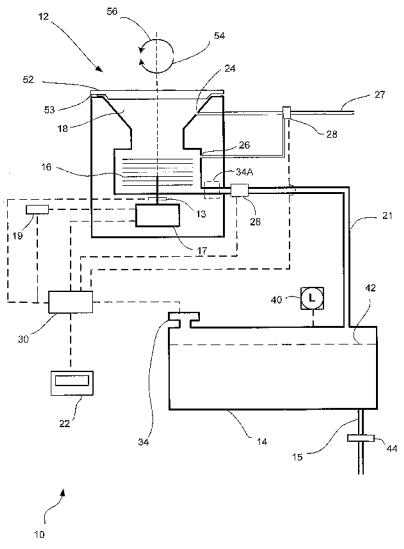
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Figure 1



(57) **Abstract:** A putrescible organic waste treatment system comprising a comminution unit including comminution means adapted to substantially comminute putrescible organic waste into a pulp slurry, the comminution unit being adapted to be connected to a supply of water and a control means adapted to control the flow rate and/or volume of water supplied to the comminution unit and to control the comminution means. The control means is responsive to one or more operating parameters of the comminution means in order to control the quantity of water suppled to the comminution unit to produce a waste pulp having a predetermined physical characteristic.

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