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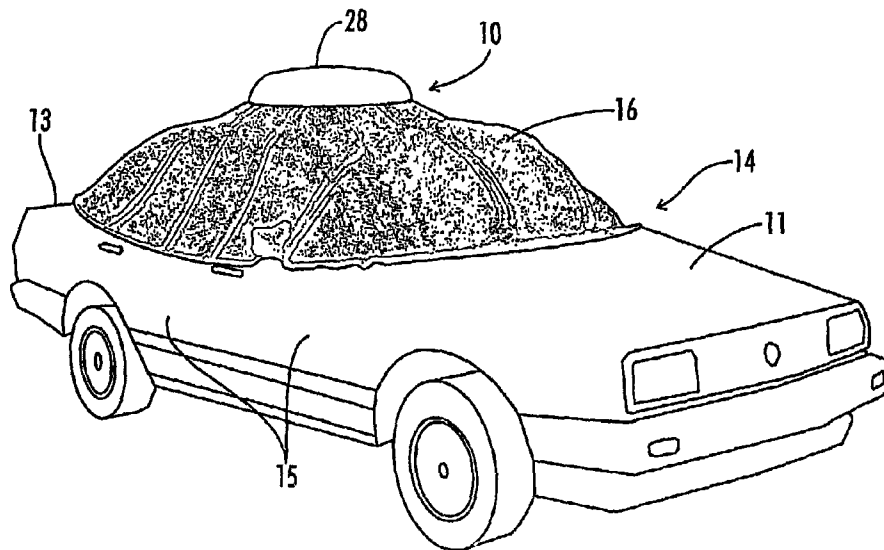
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(57) Abstract: A vehicle (14) is equipped with an automated device (10) for covering the windows (12) of the vehicle. The device (10) comprises a collection container (18), a plurality of the extensions (20) attached to the collection container, a motor (22) attached to the collection container to rotate the collection container, and a covering (16) attached to the plurality of extensions and sized to cover the windows (12) of the vehicle (14). The rotation of the collection container (18) extends and retracts the plurality of extensions (20) which results in the deployment of the covering (16) over the windows (12) of the vehicle (14) and the collection of the covering from the windows of the vehicle. The covering (16) includes a reflective fabric that is substantially opaque to sunlight.

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