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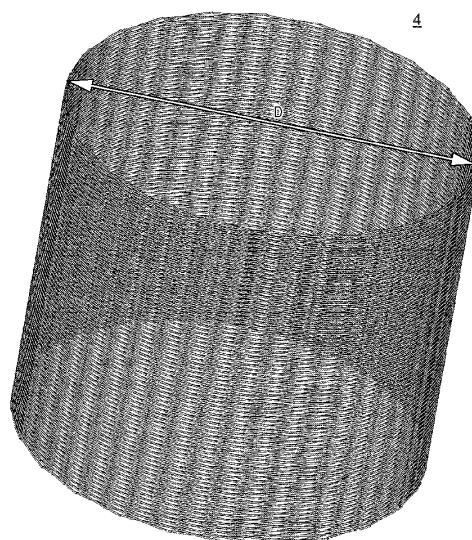


FIG. 5

(57) Abstract: The present invention provides a foraminous burner liner for a gas abatement system. The burner liner comprises a hollow body defined by a wall, the wall comprising a plurality of interconnected substantially concentric layers. Each layer of the wall comprises a substantially regular openwork mesh; wherein the substantially regular openwork mesh of each layer is configured such that it is out of phase with one or more adjacent layers, and wherein the wall comprises sufficient layers arranged such that the wall is optically opaque when viewed externally in any radially inward direction normal to the wall.

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