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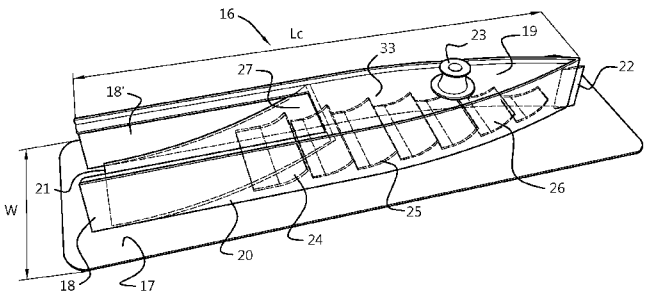
Fig. 2



(57) Abstract: The invention relates to a method for reducing marine growth on a vessel, comprising providing an air lubrication system and covering at least a part of the hull with air bubbles. The invention also relates to a vessel having an air lubricating system with releasable connection of the deflectors across the cavity, a closeable outlet valve in the air outlet duct, connection of a compressor to each cavity or pair of cavities and an air inlet opening in the top of the cavity.