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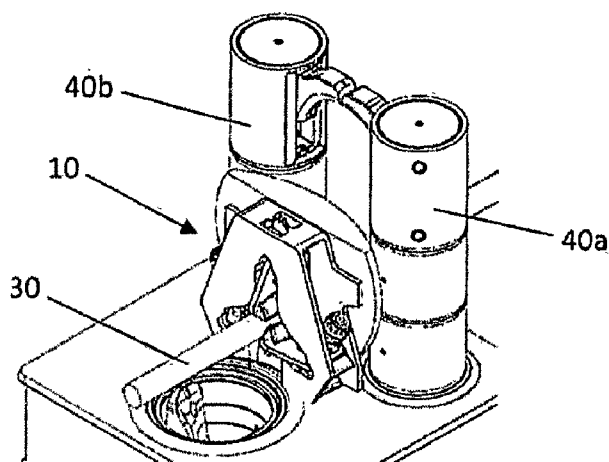


Fig. 4

(57) Abstract: A rope stopper system for a fibre rope (30) is described, where a rope stopper (10) is placed on a deck of an anchor handling vessel (50) or the like, and is arranged to grip and secure the fibre rope (30), that runs through the rope stopper (10). The rope stopper (10) comprises a frame (12) equipped with at several rotary stopper elements (14), where the stopper elements (14) are arranged in an opening (16) in the frame (12), said opening (16) being a through-running opening to receive the fibre rope (30), and where the stopper elements (14) are placed radially in the opening and about the through-running fibre rope (30), arranged to lock the fibre rope (30), and the rope stopper (10) is equipped with a back support (22), in where the back support (22) is designed with an arched back side.