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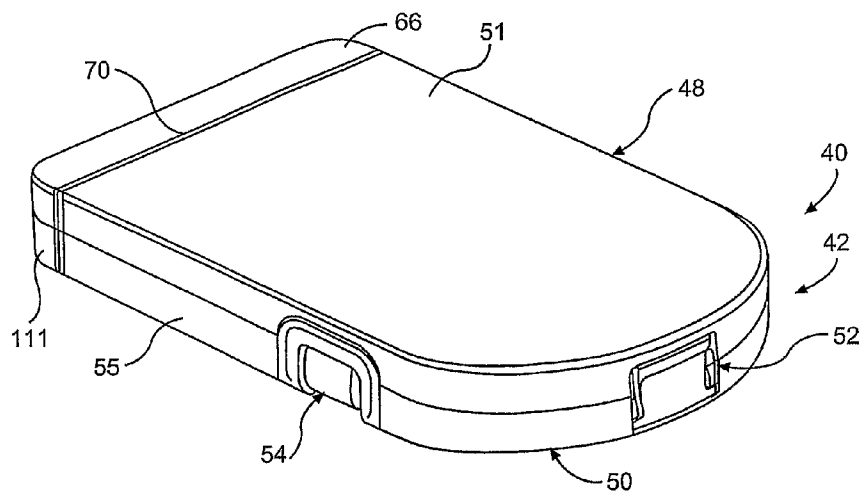
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(57) Abstract: A child-resistant compact for dispensing product on blister cards includes a first portion (48 or 152) having a first panel (51 or 153) hinged to a first clamp (66) for capturing an end of a first blister card (44), and a second portion (50 or 154) having a second panel (55 or 155) hinged to a second clamp (111) for capturing an end of a second blister card (46). The first and second clamps are connected to each other such that the first and second panels form a chamber for enclosing the blister cards. At least one child-resistant latch is on the periphery of the panels for opening one or both panels with respect to the clamps for access to the blister cards. The first and second portions of the compact preferably are of integrally molded plastic construction, either separate from or integrally with each other. The at least one child-resistant latch preferably includes a first latch (52 or 156) at an end of the compact opposite from the clamps and second latches (54, 56 or 196, 198) on opposite sides of the compact, preferably requiring simultaneous activation to open the compact. The panels preferably include a guide (132, 134 and 136, 138) adjacent to the first latch for aligning the panels as the compact is closed to facilitate interengagement of the latch elements on the panels.



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