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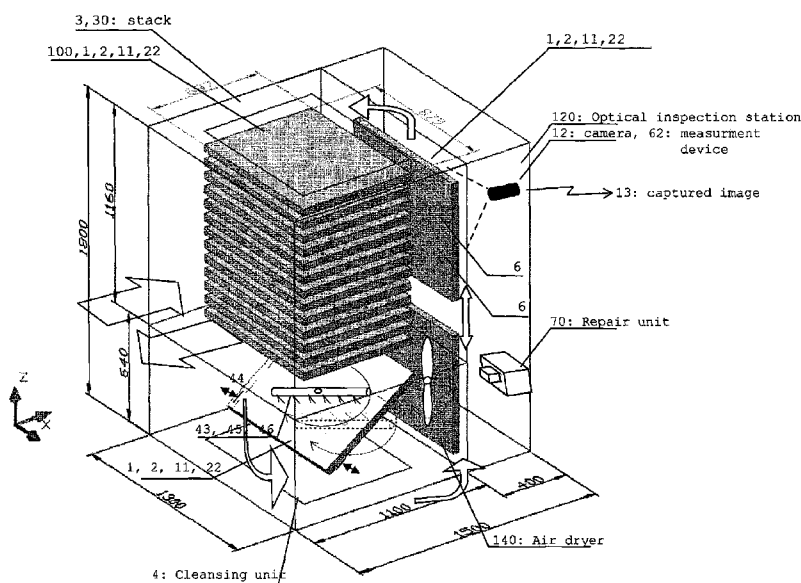


Fig. 5

(57) Abstract: The invention is an apparatus for cleansing and monitoring wear of screen cloths (1) comprising: a) a feeding device (100) for used or contaminated screen cloths (1) to b) a cleansing unit (4) arranged for receiving and cleansing said screen cloth (1), c) a preparation unit (140) arranged for preparing said screen cloth (1) for optical inspection in d) an optical inspection station (120) arranged to identify one or more damaged portions (6) of said screen cloth (1) and with a registering device for registering positions (7) for said damaged portions (6), e) a measuring device (62) for measuring and registering an extent of said one or more damaged portions (6) extent and degree of damage, f) a repair unit (70) arranged for mending one or more of said damaged portions (6), g) a feeding out unit (200) for feeding out said repaired screen cloth (1).