

**AIRFOIL MASK, AIRFOIL AND MASK SYSTEM,
AND MASKING METHOD FOR EDGE PROFILE FINISHING**

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A mask for performing high speed media finishing on airfoils includes a
thicker portion and a thinner portion. The thicker portion is spaced further from an
edge that will become a leading edge in the final airfoil than the thinner portion.
The media is redirected by the thicker portion toward the edge where the finishing is
to occur.

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Figure 2