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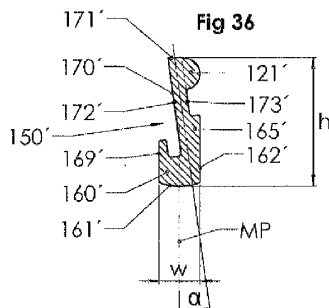
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(57) Abstract: A substantially flat key blade extends from a grip portion and has a connecting portion, a major longitudinal biting portion and a free tip portion. The substantially flat key blade has a cross-sectional profile which, in the major longitudinal biting portion, is confined within a rectangle having a height, measured in a vertical direction, being at least 2.5 times larger than a width thereof, and extends upwards in the vertical direction from a lower edge surface to an upper edge surface along a vertical mid-plane through the rectangle. A single upper part of the key blade has a relatively small lateral width being no more than 33% of the lower relatively wide part of the key blade and extends obliquely upwards at a relatively small inclinational angle in the interval 3° to 12° relative to a vertical plane.

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