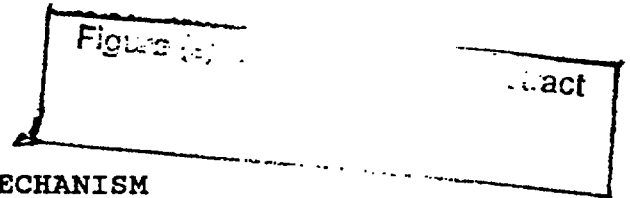


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DISC LOADING MECHANISM

ABSTRACT

5 A disk loading mechanism includes disk cartridge
positioning pins integrally formed in the base of a chassis
portion thereof. In addition, at one side of the base of
the chassis, a hooked portion is provided for securing a
printed circuit board to a lower side of the chassis. In
10 addition, the base plate of the chassis mounts a damper for
smoothly controlling slider movement in a recess such that
an overall height of the unit is reduced. According to such
construction, reliable operation is assured with a reduced
number of parts, such that manufacturing complexity and
costs can be significantly reduced.

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