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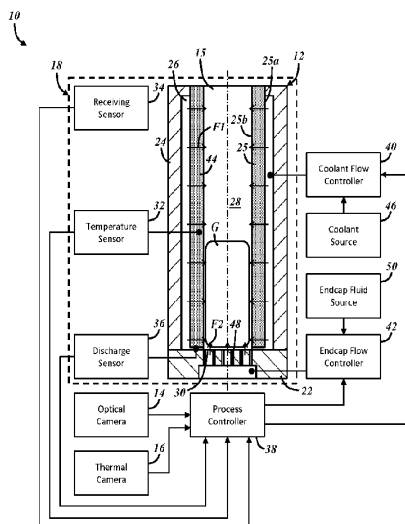


FIG. 2

(57) **Abstract:** A method includes observing a molten glass gob (G) discharged from a transport cup (12) and adjusting a parameter of a fluid flow (F1, F2) into a passage (28) of the transport cup based on at least one observed characteristic of the discharged glass gob. Observed characteristics can include a shape, diameter (D), temperature, or timing of discharge of the molten glass gob. And, in one implementation, the adjustable parameters of the fluid flow(s) include initial and secondary flowrates (F1i, F1s) of a first fluid flow (F1) into the passage, initial and secondary flowrates (F2i, F2s) of a second fluid flow (F2) into the passage, and the timing of transitions between the initial and secondary flowrates of each fluid flow. A molten glass gob delivery system (10) includes the transport cup, one or more image sensors (14, 16), a temperature sensor (32), and a process controller (38).

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