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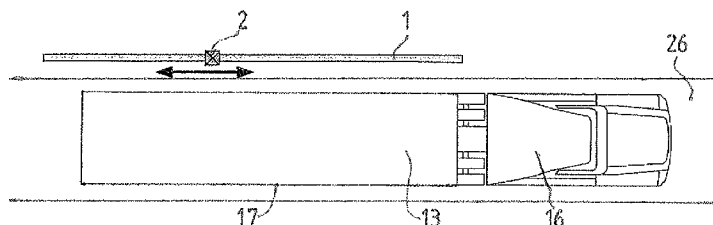


FIG. 4

(57) Abstract: The invention relates to a system for determining the position of a container in a vehicle and/or trailer loaded with containers in the container loading area, such as the container terminal, the container or containers (13) being loaded on the vehicle (16) and/or trailer (17) and correspondingly unloaded therefrom by a crane handling the containers and moving over a lane or lanes (26) in the loading area. The crane is provided with a spreader grabbing the containers (13) from the top and with a positioning system for the crane and the spreader. The system according to the invention for determining the position of a container is provided with a container position determining apparatus arranged in connection with the lane (26) and comprising a fixed structure (1) which is mounted alongside the lane (26) and the location of which relative to ground is known, and an indicator (2) that is movable on the fixed structure (1) and can be manually moved to indicate either end of the desired position of a container on a vehicle (16) parked on the lane (26) or on a trailer (17) connected thereto. Information about the position of the indicator (2) on the fixed structure (1) is determined and transmitted to the crane.



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