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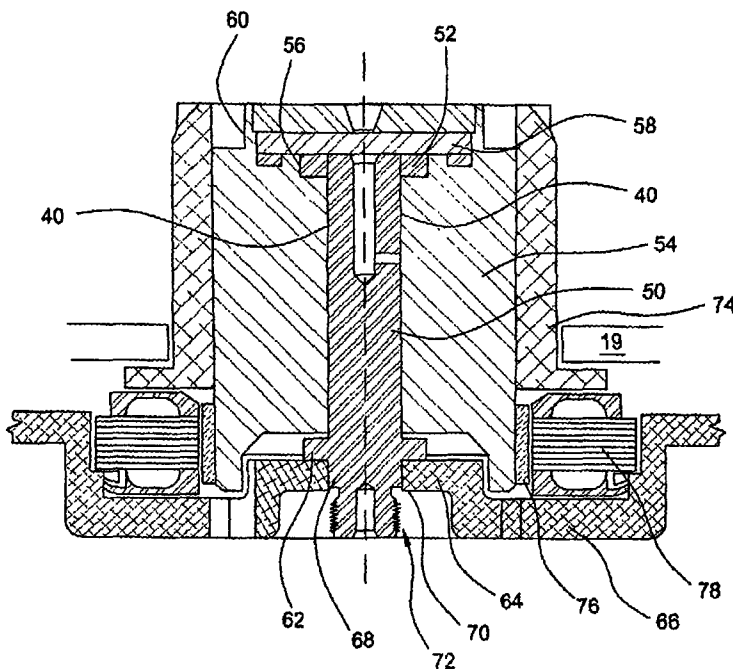
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(57) Abstract: The present invention provides a fluid dynamic bearing on a thrust plate of a hub/shaft/thrust plate assembly suitable for use in ultra small form factors having limited axial space.

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