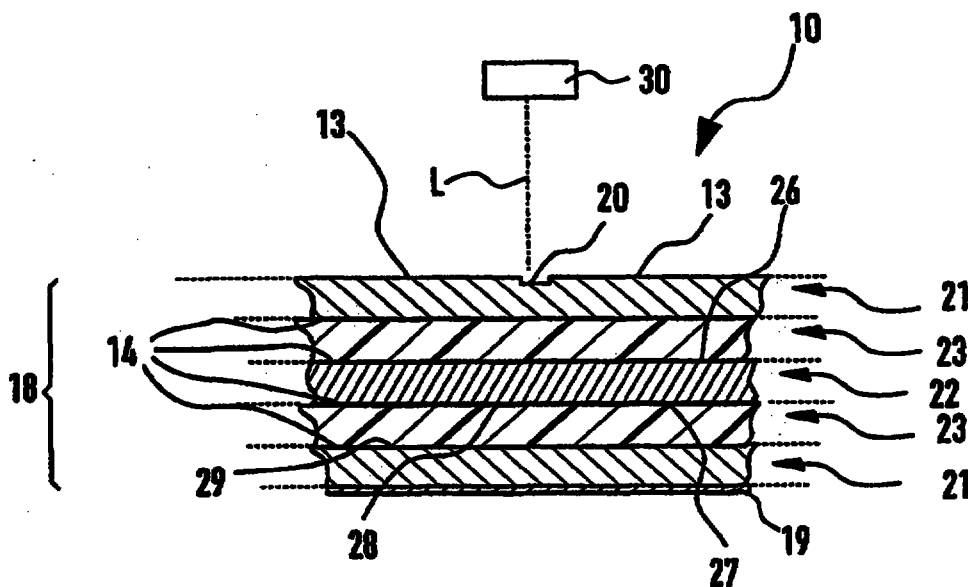




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(57) Abstract

Inorganic sheets (10) of at least two superposed layers are provided with one or more symbols (20) which have a size of between 1 and 10 μm . The inorganic sheet is made up into pigment flakes (15). The symbols on the pigment flakes (15) allow a tracing of compositions such as printing inks or paintings and of substrates carrying such compositions.