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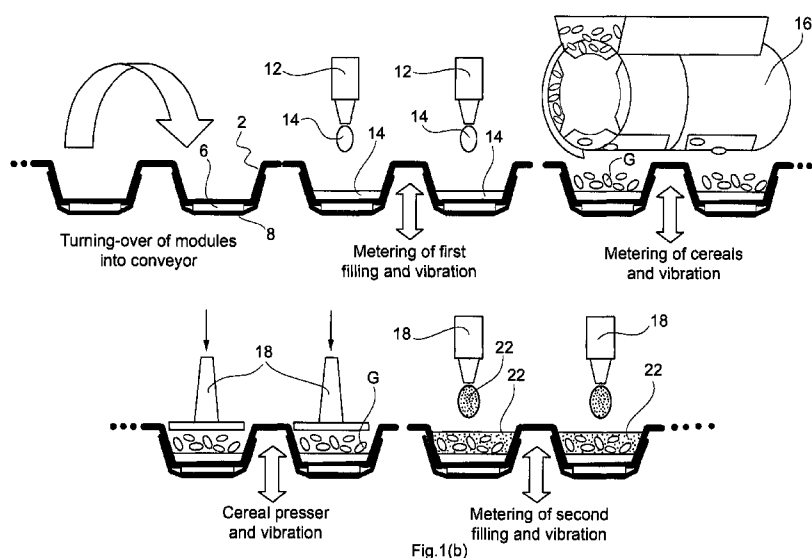


Fig.1(b)

(57) Abstract: A packaged food product comprising a tray (2) containing an edible composition having a layered structure, comprising: -at least one composite layer (24) comprising puffed cereal grains (G) embedded in a matrix of edible material (22); and -at least one edible coating layer (26) deposited on said composite layer (24) and preferably including chocolate. The matrix of edible material (22) has, in a temperature range of between 20°C and 40°C, and preferably also in the range of from 0°C to 40°C, a pasty consistency such as to maintain its own shape in unconfined conditions.



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