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(54) FLOW REGULATOR

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(57)**CLAIM**

The design for a flow regulator, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top, front, right perspective view of a first embodiment of a flow regulator in accordance with my design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a bottom, front perspective view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof; and

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a top, front, right perspective view of a second embodiment of a flow regulator in accordance with my design;

FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 8 is a bottom, front perspective view thereof;

FIG. 9 is a bottom view thereof; and

FIG. 10 is an elevational view thereof;

FIG. 11 is a top, front, right perspective view of a third embodiment of a flow regulator in accordance with my

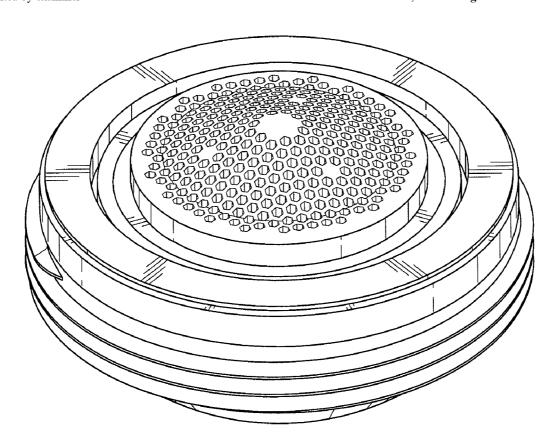
FIG. 12 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 13 is a bottom, front perspective view thereof;

FIG. 14 is a bottom view thereof; and,

FIG. 15 is an elevational view thereof.

1 Claim, 15 Drawing Sheets



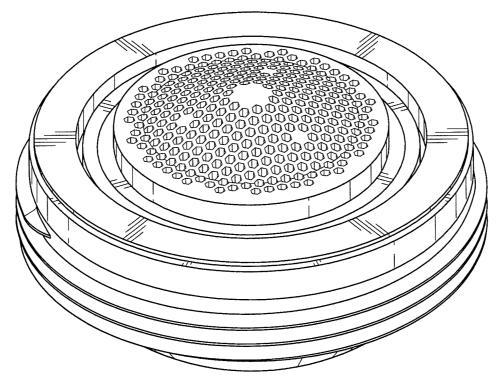
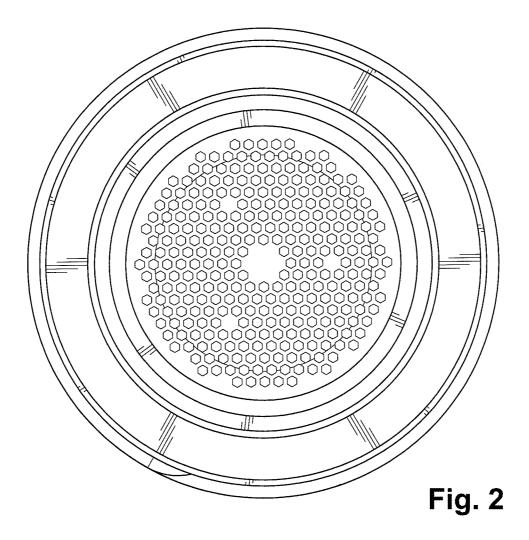
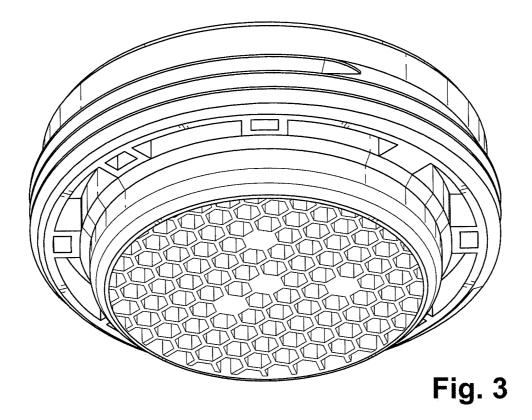
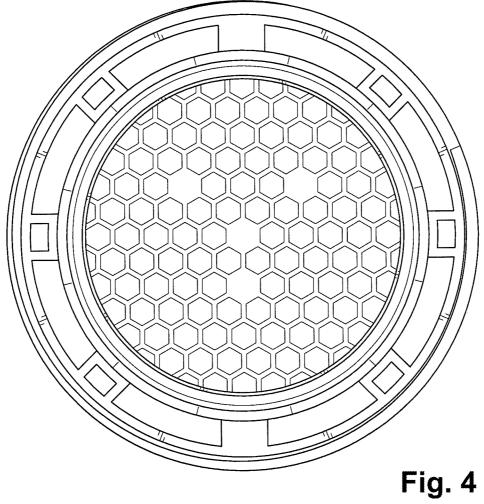


Fig. 1







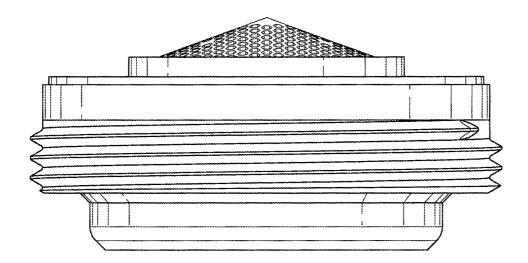
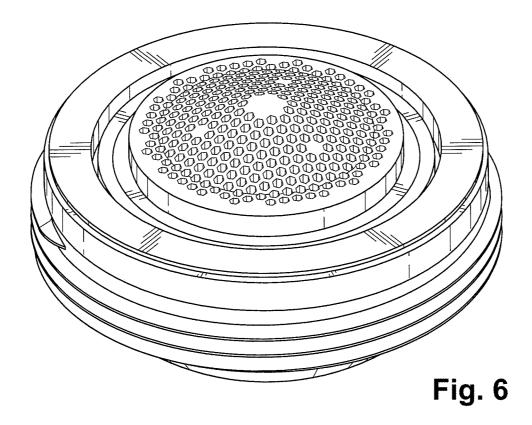
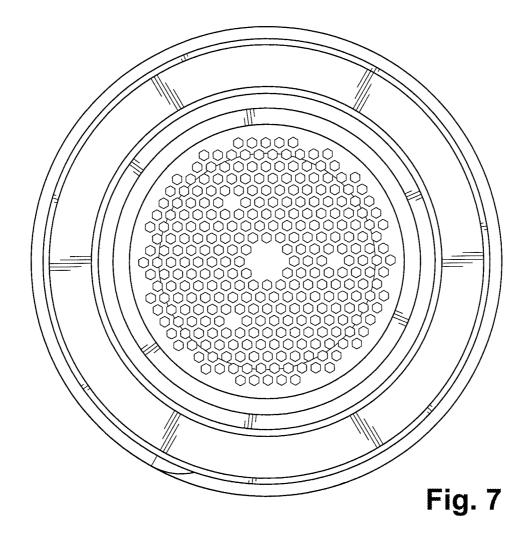


Fig. 5





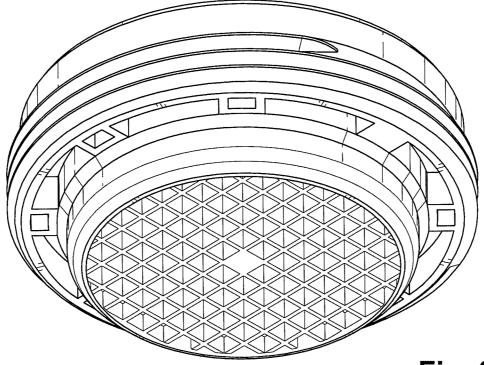


Fig. 8

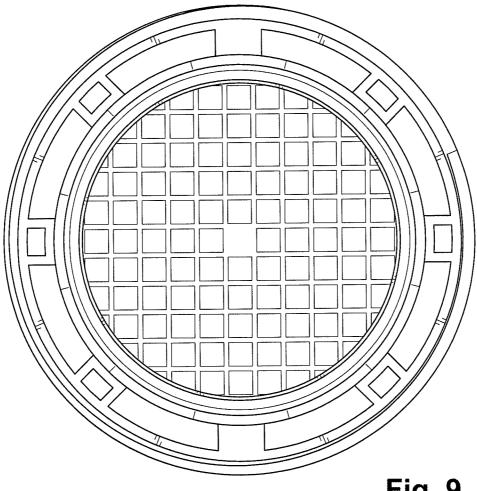


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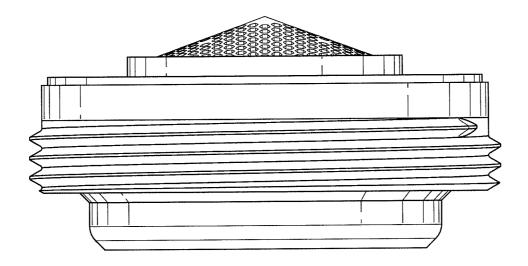


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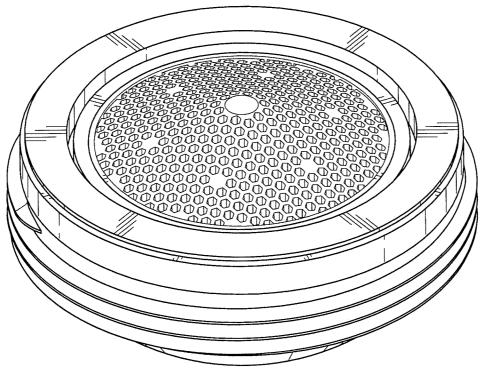
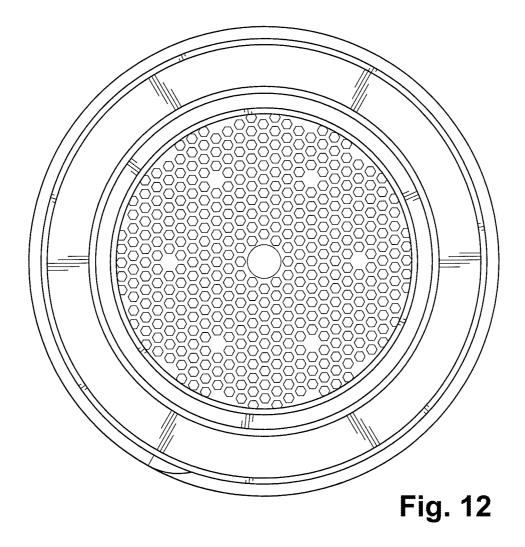


Fig. 11



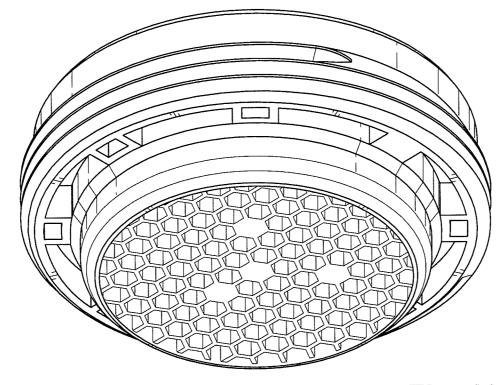


Fig. 13

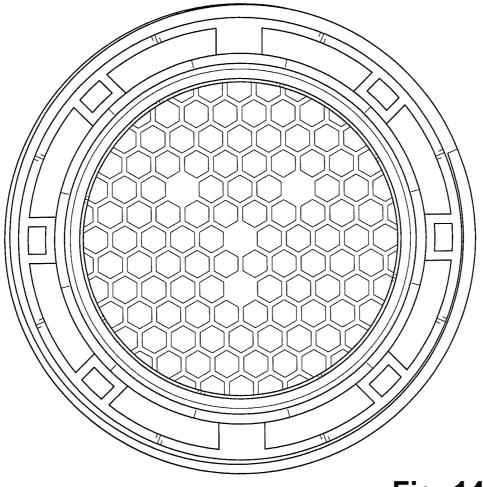


Fig. 14

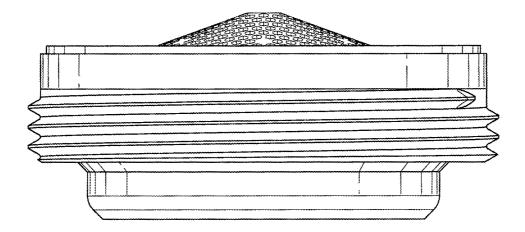


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