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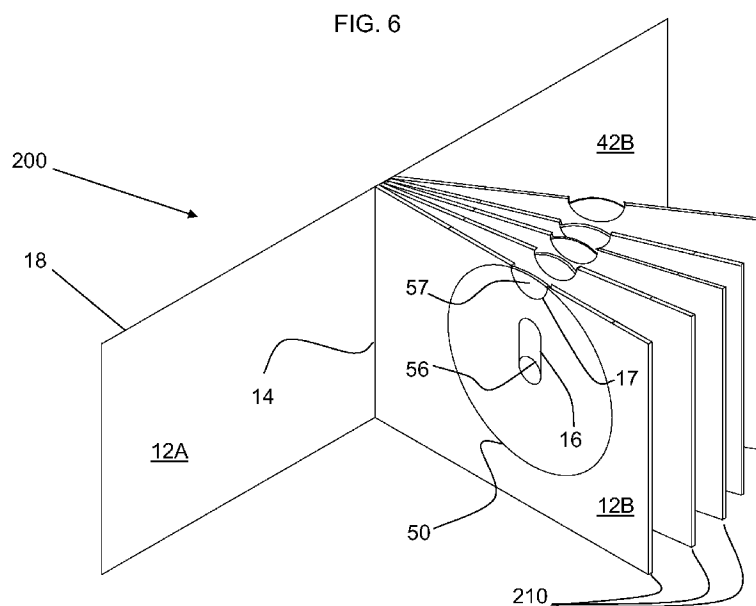
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(57) Abstract: A package for housing one or more items such as optical media discs is constructed from alternating layers of material such as paper and paperboard. The various layers are adhered together to form the package. The package has a book like form. The layers of paperboard have internal spaces for holding discs. The layers of paper are folded and the folds make up at least part of a binding.



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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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