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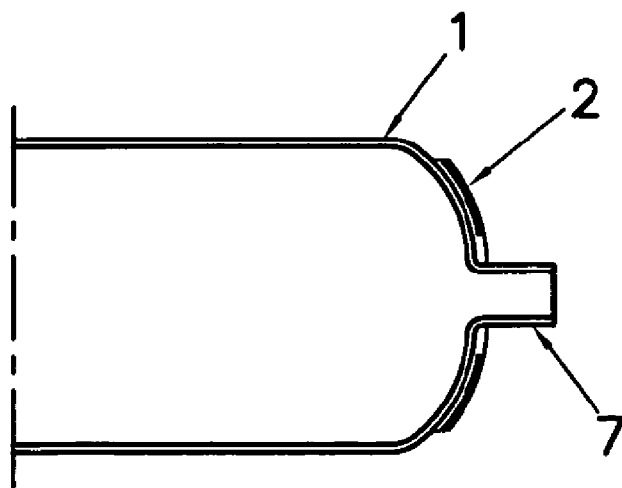


Fig. 7

(57) Abstract: Method for manufacturing a storage tank comprising an inner liner (1), an outer filament winding and a connecting part. The method comprises the steps of: blow molding the liner by extruding a parison, pinching the liner at least at one extremity (2) and then blowing it; providing the connecting part (7) with a slot of appropriate shape and size to receive a part of the pinch (2); inserting said part of the pinch in said slot so as to secure the liner and the connecting part; and applying the outer filament winding around the liner and the connecting part.

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