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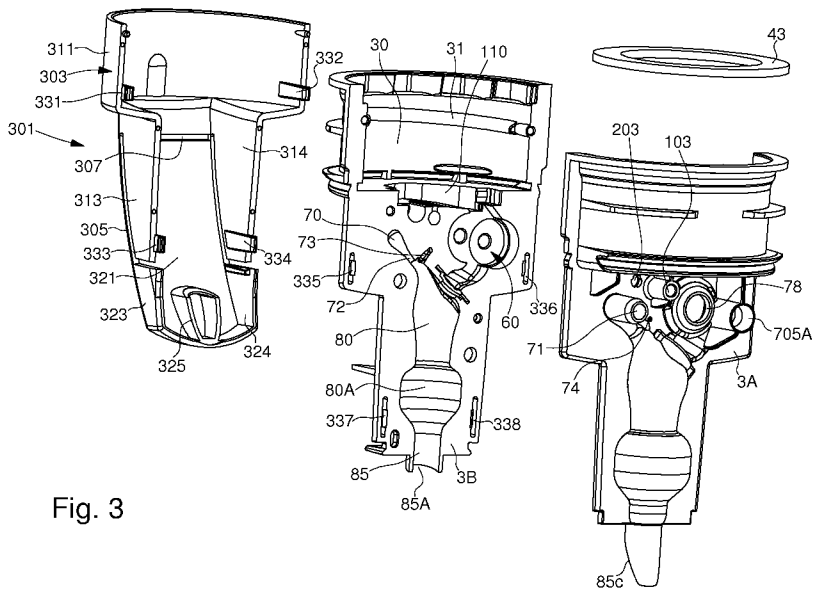


Fig. 3

(57) Abstract: The invention concerns Device (3) for dispensing a liquid, the device being connectable to a container (4) containing the liquid and detachably connectable to a base station (5) having drive means, the device (3) comprising a liquid duct (69) leading from the container (4) to an outlet (85, 85A) and means (6) for effecting passage of liquid through the duct (69), characterized in that the device comprises an outer cover (301) closing the outlet (85, 85A), the cover (301) being openable so that the outlet (85, 85A) is opened when the device (3) is connected to base station (5), and reclosable.

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