

Title (en)

Method and apparatus for feeding articles.

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Zuführen von Gegenständen.

Title (fr)

Méthode et appareil d'alimentation d'articles.

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Abstract (en)

A method of feeding articles such as banknotes (11) into outwardly opening compartments (5) of a movable stacking device (1). The method comprises a) sensing (18) the passage of articles as they are fed to the stacking device (1); b) monitoring the movement of the device; c) determining whether the position of the article (11) which is sensed and the movement of the device (1) satisfy a predetermined condition in which the article will be successfully received in a compartment (5); and, d) if the condition is not satisfied, causing the device (1) to move at a different velocity for a fixed time ( DELTA t) which is the same for each article so that the article is successfully received in a compartment (5). d

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