

Title (en)
Apparatus for feeding moulding material

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Vorrichtung zum Zuführen von Formmasse

Title (fr)
Dispositif pour l'alimentation de matière à mouler

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Abstract (en)
An apparatus (10) for feeding moulding material towards a moulding station, the feeding apparatus (10) comprising a receptacle (11) for the moulding material at a first location, conveyor means (12) for conveying moulding material from the receptacle (11) towards a second location (13), reservoir means (14) at the second location (13), the second location (13) being at or adjacent the moulding station, heating means (30) for heating the moulding material as it is conveyed by the conveyor means (12) characterised in that the heating means (30) comprises a plurality of heating units (30) spaced along the conveyor means (12), and a control means (20) individually to control the heat output of the plurality of heating units (30) thereby to provide zonal heating control along the conveyor means (12). <IMAGE>

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