

Title (en)  
Device for drying print

Title (de)  
Vorrichtung zum Trocknen von Druckfarbe oder Tinte

Title (fr)  
Dispositif pour faire sècher de l'encre d'impression

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0978388A2] The printing paper (28) is fed across a printer head (36) and passes a sensor (38) that responds to the printed information. The sensor output is used by a controller (34) and this directs the action and movement of a heat source (40) to dry the damp printed information. The source is in the form of a laser.

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