

Title (en)  
Flat bed knitting machine

Title (de)  
Flachstrickmaschine

Title (fr)  
Métier à tricoter rectiligne

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Application  
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Abstract (en)  
The flatbed knitter, with at least one needle bed and a moving slide with at least one lock (100), has a looper (160,170) at each knock-over cam (130,140) to give looping surfaces of a different size and/or shape according to the setting of the knock-over ca (130,140). The looping surfaces are narrow or wide, according to the setting of the knock-over cams (130,140) and/or loopers (160,170) The knock-over cams (130,130) and/or loopers (160,170) have positive guide surfaces. A guide surface for the needle butt is at the looper which, after looping a stitch, gives the needle an advance movement into a defined gap from the looping surface. A guide surface for the needle butt, at the looper, can be set to give a drawing-in depth of certain needles against the drawing-in dept exerted by the knock-over cam/looping surfaces, to give a stepless needle drawing-in depth adjustment. The loopers (160,170) hav swing movement on the knock-over cams (130,140), and can be adjusted during knitting. At least one lock (100) works as a pressur lock.

Abstract (de)  
Eine Flachstrickmaschine mit mindestens einem Nadelbett und einem entlang der Nadelbetten gleitenden Schlitten, der mindestens ein Schloss (100) mit Nadelauswahlvorrichtungen und Nadelsenkern (130, 140) aufweist, wobei mit den Nadelsenkern (130, 140) jeweils ein beweglich am Nadelsenker angeordnetes Kulierelement (160, 170) zusammenwirkt, das unabhängig vom Nadelsenker (130, 140) ansteuerbar ist und das gemeinsam mit dem Nadelsenker (130, 140) je nach seiner Stellung Kulierflächen unterschiedlicher Größe und/oder Form bildet. <IMAGE>

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