

Title (en)

Method and device for transporting objects arriving in overlapping formation

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Transportieren von in einer Schuppenformation anfallenden Gegenständen

Title (fr)

Procédé et dispositif de transport d'objets arrivant en formation imbriquée

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Abstract (en)

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