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[origin: EP1243424A2] Franking machine has a print head (2) that moves along a longitudinal direction. In a first longitudinal position is a station (3) for cleaning, storing and maintenance of the print head. The print head acts in combination with the station by movement in a direction (12) that is perpendicular to the longitudinal movement direction.

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