

Title (en)

Weft feeder for textile machines with a weft-braking device

Title (de)

Schussfadenliefervorrichtung für Textilmaschinen mit einer Fadenbremsvorrichtung

Title (fr)

Fournisseur de trame pour machine textile avec dispositif de freinage de trame

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP2014809A1] The yarn (F) is unwound from a yarn-storing drum (12) and is fed to a textile machine. A weft-braking device (18) is integral with a slide (22) movable along a direction parallel to the axis of the drum (12), and is provided with a hollow braking member (32) having a circular profile, which is coaxially biased, with its inner surface, against the delivery edge of the drum (12) by actuator means (20, 21) to brake the unwinding yarn. A yarn tension sensor (38) generates a measured tension signal (Tm) indicative of the tension of the yarn delivered from the drum. A control unit (CU) is programmed to compare the measured tension signal (Tm) with a reference tension signal (Tr) and to drive the actuator means (20, 21) in such a way as to minimize the difference between the measured tension and the reference tension. The control unit (CU) is programmed to generate a poor braking signal (Sib, Sib') when the reference tension (Tr) is higher than the maximum tension available with said actuator means at a stroke-end position, and an excessive braking signal (Seb, Seb') when the reference tension (Tr) is lower than the minimum tension available with said actuator means at a stroke-end position. Means for correcting the position (VD, M) of said slide (22, 23) are enabled by the poor braking signal (Sib, Sib') and the excessive braking signal (Seb, Seb').

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