

Title (en)

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR IDENTIFYING THE ENDS OF MOVING OBJECTS

Title (de)

VERFAHREN UND EINRICHTUNG ZUM IDENTIFIZIEREN DER ENDEN BEWEGLICHER OBJEKTE

Title (fr)

PROCÉDÉ ET DISPOSITIF POUR IDENTIFIER LES EXTRÉMITÉS D'OBJETS MOBILES

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2008010249A1] A device for identifying the ends of moving objects comprises a first feed surface (2) for transporting objects (100) positioned one after another with their ends in contact with one another, and a second feed surface (3), for transporting objects (100) positioned one after another arriving from the first feed surface (2), adjacent to the first feed surface (2), there being a difference in height (4) between these surfaces. A sensor (6) is operatively associated with the difference in height (4) to detect an end of at least one object (100). A method for identifying the ends of moving objects comprises the steps of: feeding a plurality of objects (100) positioned with their ends in contact with one another along a path; creating a misalignment between two objects (100) fed along the path so as to at least partly expose the ends of the misaligned objects (100); and detecting the end of at least one of the objects (100) positioned at the misalignment zone.

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