

Title (en)  
BEARING ASSEMBLY FOR A SOLAR COLLECTOR SYSTEM

Title (de)  
LAGERANORDNUNG FÜR EIN SONNENKOLLEKTOR-SYSTEM

Title (fr)  
ENSEMBLE PALIER POUR UN SYSTÈME COLLECTEUR D'ÉNERGIE SOLAIRE

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[origin: WO2012003235A1] A solar collector system is provided including a bearing assembly comprising a plurality of wheels or rollers for rollingly engaging a large-diameter support element. Rotation of the large-diameter support element supports tracking of the position of the sun relative to the solar collector system. The bearing assembly may be pre-assembled to the large-diameter support element before the solar collector system leaves the factory, thereby facilitating assembly of the solar collector system in the field, even under adverse conditions.

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