

Title (en)  
DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRINTING LABELS BY MEANS OF THERMAL PRINTING

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VORRICHTUNG UND VERFAHREN ZUM BEDRUCKEN VON ETIKETTEN MITTELS THERMODRUCK

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DISPOSITIF ET PROCÉDÉ D'IMPRESSION D'ÉTIQUETTES PAR IMPRESSION THERMIQUE

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: CA3000287A1] The present invention relates to a device (1) for printing labels (2) by means of thermal printing having a thermal head (3) which has a thermal strip (4), having a back-pressure element carrier (5) which has a back-pressure element (6), wherein an introduction gap (7) is configured between the thermal strip (4) and the back-pressure element (6), through which introduction gap (7) the label (2) which is to be printed in each case can be guided, wherein the thermal head (3) is fastened movably to a thermal head carrier (8), and wherein the thermal strip (4) is pressed against the back-pressure element (6) with a predefined pressing force. In order to reduce the operating costs, the invention proposes that the back-pressure element (6) can be moved relative to the introduction gap (7). Furthermore, the invention relates to a method for printing labels (2) using a device (1) as defined above.

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