

Title (en)  
DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CATCHING AND STRETCHING WEFT THREADS

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VORRICHTUNG UND VERFAHREN ZUR ERFASSUNG UND DEHNUNG VON SCHUSSFÄDEN

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DISPOSITIF ET PROCÉDÉ DE SAISIE ET D'ÉTIRAGE DE FILS DE TRAME

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO2018041485A1] Device for catching and stretching a weft thread (3) inserted into a shed of a weaving machine, comprising a weft thread stretching device (28), a guiding device (25), and a weft thread holding device (27) comprising a first suction nozzle (11) that is arranged stationary on the weaving machine in an extension of an insertion path, which first suction nozzle (11) has an opening (23) directed towards a fabric edge (14) of the fabric (2) and is adapted to generate a suction stream in parallel to the beat-up line (10), so that after the weft thread (3) has been beaten-up a free end of said weft thread (3) held in the first suction nozzle (11) extends at least essentially in parallel to the beat-up line (10). A weaving machine with such a device (1), and a method for catching and stretching weft threads (3).

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