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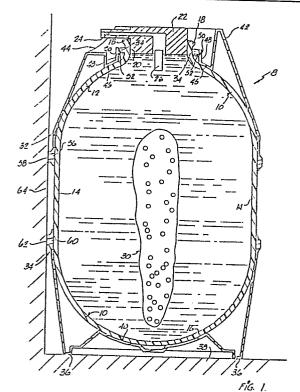
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Disposable package for use in marketing fluids.

(57) A disposable package (8) comprising a plastic container (10) secured to plastic protective and support members (32,34) so that the container (10) may be supported in a vertical position during shipment and commercial storage and in a horizontal position, such as refrigerator shelf, for consumer use. In the preferred embodiment, the container (10) contains a desired quantity of beer. The container (10) is provided with dispensing means (22) having means (26) movable between at least two positions so that in the first position there is no passageway between the fluid inside the container (10) and the outside of the container and in a second position wherein the beer in the container may be readily dispensed in separate portions over a period of time without degradation of the quality of the remaining portions of beer in the container (10). Means (30) are also provided to control the rate at which beer is dispensed from the container.





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