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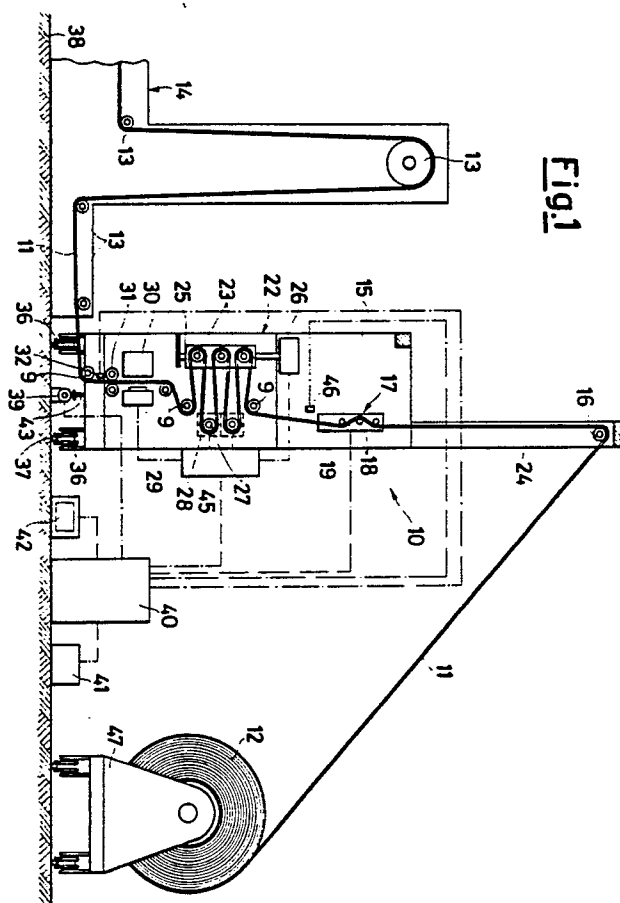
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Automatic, self-centering straightening machine for a continuous fabric, in particular suitable for being coupled in line with textile finishing machines, or with a printing machine.

An automatic, self-centering straightening machine for a continuous fabric, suitable for being coupled in line with a textile finishing machine or with a printing machine, wherein the centering and the alignment of the fabric of any width, relatively to the finishing machine, or to the printing machine, is continuously carried out in combination with the corrections of the diagonal, curved or combined deformations of the running fabric, by means of a centralized computer.





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