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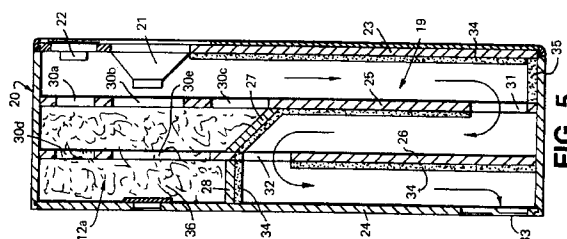
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### (54) Loudspeakers.

(57) A transmission line loudspeaker (20) comprises at least one driver (21), an acoustic filter in the form of a cavity (12a), and a transmission line (19). The driver (21) is positioned adjacent to the entry to the transmission line (19) so that the driver effects a parallel driving of both the filter (12a) and the transmission line (19) simultaneously. The driver can alternatively be positioned within the transmission line, again provided that it is close to the entry. The low frequency response of the loudspeaker is thereby improved.





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