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(54) Wheel for in-line skates

(57) There is disclosed an improved skate wheel for an in-line skate comprising a hub (15) for rotation about an axis and a plurality of layers of material disposed concentrically about the hub, each of the layers consisting

of a material having a predetermined durometric hardness, the outermost of the layers including an outer surface (11) adapted for a rolling motion of the wheel over a surface.

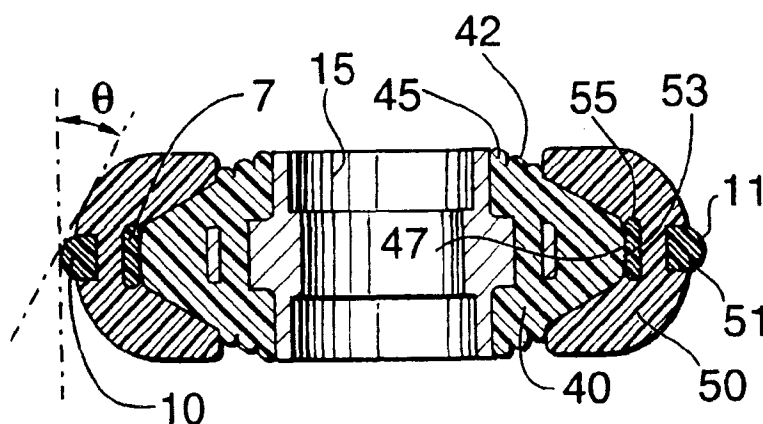


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