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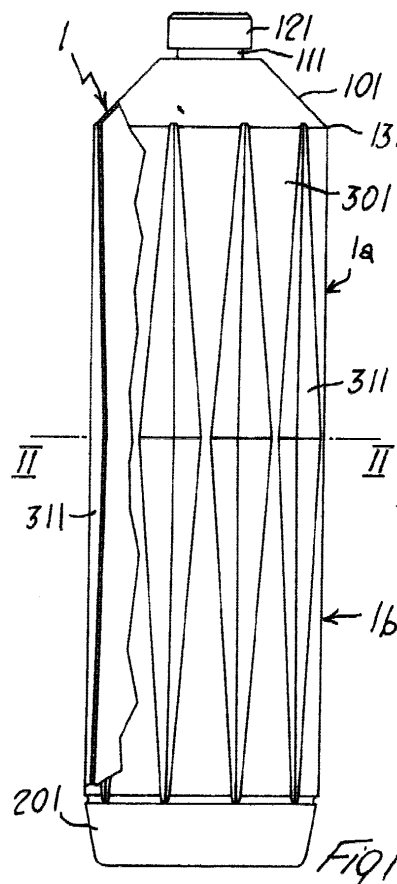
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(54) **Plastic bottle, suitable for stacking after consumption of its content**

(57) Plastic container, preferably a bottle, particularly suitable for the stacking after the consumption of its content, comprising a mouth end (101; 102; 103; 104), a bottom end (201; 202; 203; 204) and a continuous side wall (301; 302; 402; 303; 403; 304; 404; 504); once determined a cross separating plane of the said container dividing the said container in two substantial portions (1a, 1b; 2a, 2b; 3a, 3b; 4a, 4b), the separation being complete or incomplete, at least one of the said portions comprises dilating means (311; 412; 413; 514) of its cross section, means for guiding (311; 412; 413; 313; 514) the insertion in the said portion of a corresponding second portion, and means of mutual restraint (311; 412; 502; 512; 602; 612; 413; 703; 713; 514; 604; 614) of the said portions of container.



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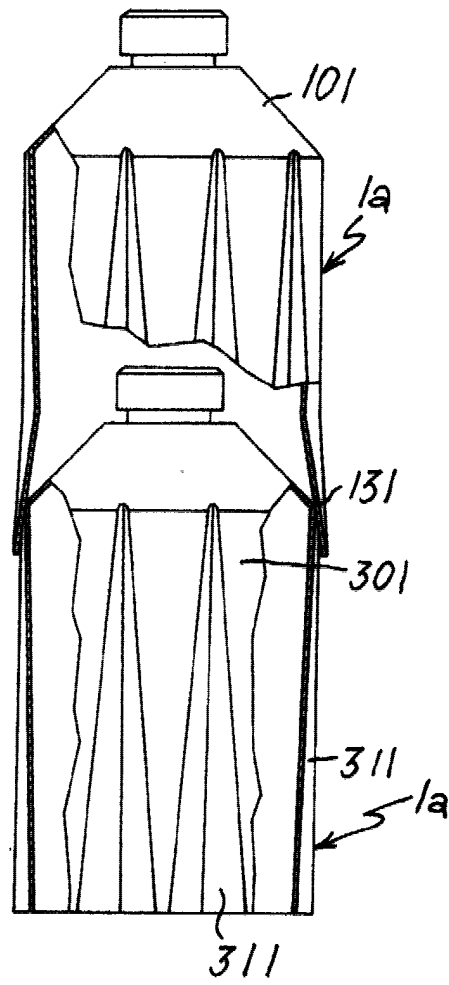


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