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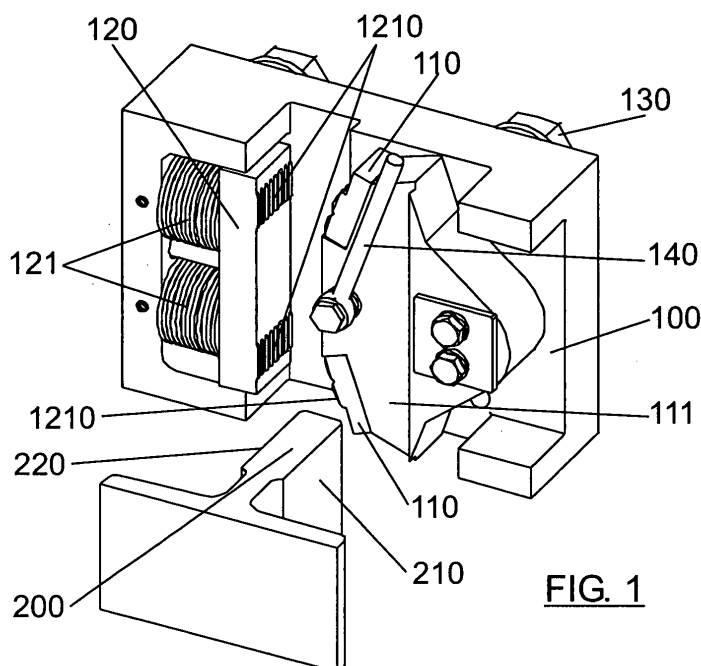
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(54) **Double-effect emergency braking apparatus for elevator cars**

(57) The invention relates to a double-effect emergency braking apparatus for elevator cars having friction wedges (110) and friction shoes (120) configured to be applied on first and second surfaces (210, 220) of a rail (200) of the elevator. The friction wedges (110) are lo-

cated in a prismatic cam (111) which is actuated so that the rail (200) is gripped by the friction wedges (110) and the friction shoes (120) so as to reach a friction between the friction wedge (110) and the friction shoes (120) with the rail (200) and thus brake the elevator when the actuation device (140) is activated.



**FIG. 1**



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