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(54) **Vented helmet with insert**

(57) A helmet (10) is provided, having a vent assembly (16) allowing fluid communication between an exterior of the helmet and an interior of the helmet. The vent as-

sembly (16) includes an open-ended elongated sleeve (18) disposed on a frontal portion of the helmet (10), with the sleeve (18) being in fluid communication with at least one aperture (26) passing through to the helmet interior.

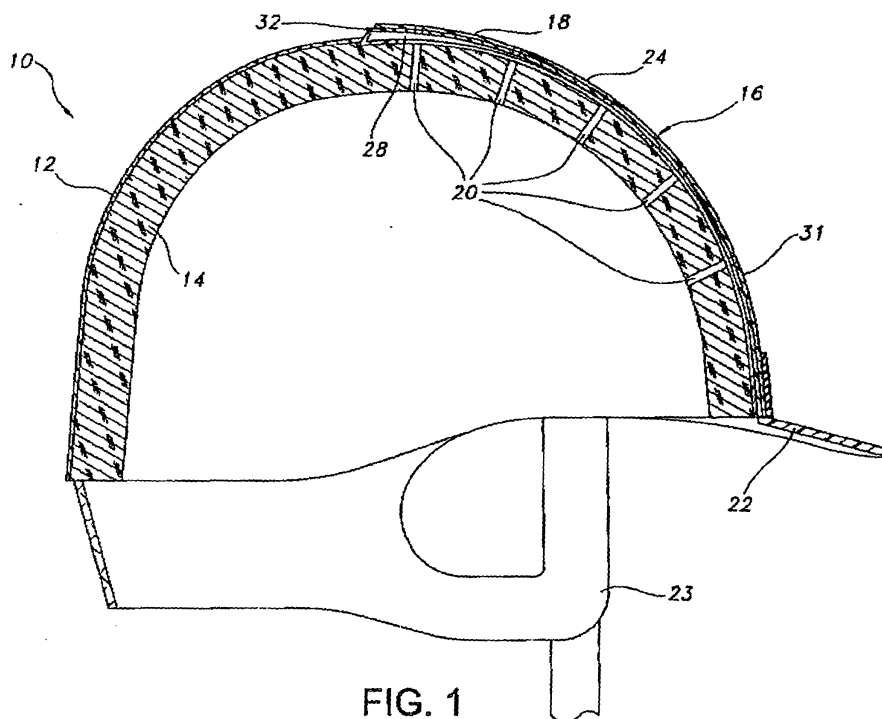


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