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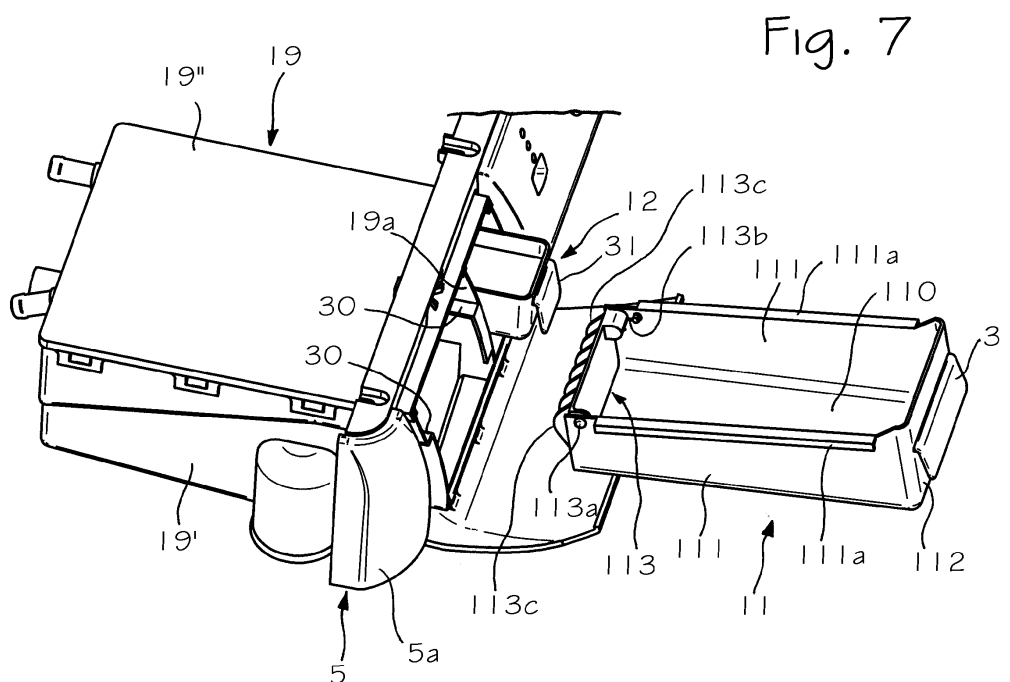
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(54) **Laundry washing machine with a device for dosing and/or distributing detergent and the like**

(57) A laundry washing machine comprises a device for dispensing washing agents that has at least one first compartment (11) and one second compartment (12), which are able to contain respective doses of washing agent, and a housing structure (19), in fluid communication with a washtub and designed to receive the aforesaid compartments (11, 12). The first and second compartment are defined by respective separate receptacles (11,

12), which can be removed from the machine independently of one another. In an area corresponding to an access opening of the housing structure (19) a wall portion (7) is provided, mounted movable between an open position, in which removal of the receptacles (11, 12) from the machine is enabled, and a closed position, in which the receptacles are inaccessible and kept by the hatch itself in a respective working position.





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