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(54) **Deployable unit for a transport vehicle**

(57) This is a module which can be located on a vehicle in a fixed manner or which can be separated therefrom, and can also be unfolded and then folded back up again, the capacity thereof can be increased by two, three or more times the initial size and then can refold upon itself to remain in its original shape. It has an array formed

by bellowed articulated panels (8, 9) which articulate with respect to a silage side (3) and with respect to one of the sides of the front wall (4) and the rear wall (5), which in folded situation is on the sides of the module (10, 20, 30, 40) and in unfolded situation is constituted on prolongations of the front wall (4) and rear wall (5), respectively, considerably increasing the volume of the module.

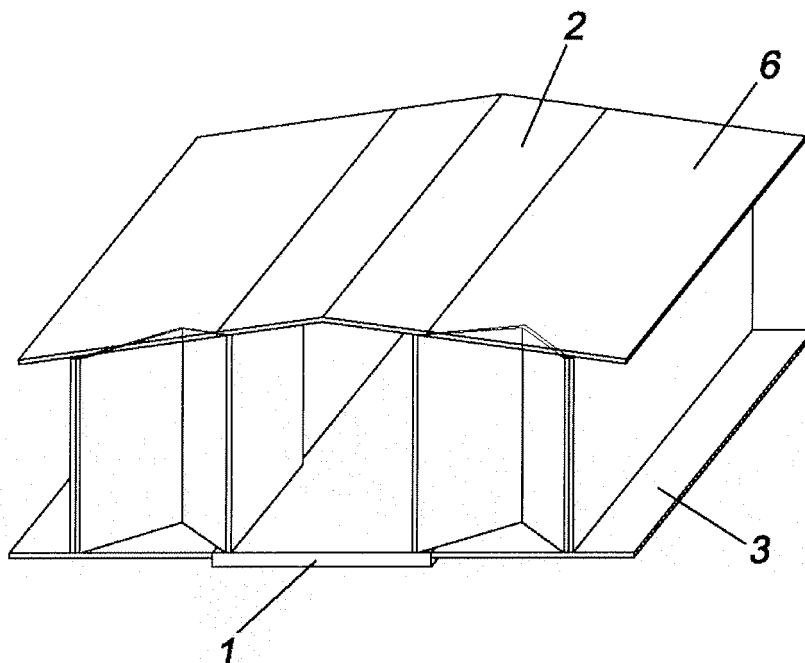


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