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(54) **STACKABLE SEGMENTED CANDLE SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A candle segment comprising a portion of a layered candle. Said candle segment comprises a candle wick, a top surface, a bottom surface, and a height. Said candle segment comprises a one or more protruding studs and a one or more stud cavities. Said one or more protruding studs and said one or more stud cavities are on opposite sides of said candle segment at said top surface and said bottom surface.

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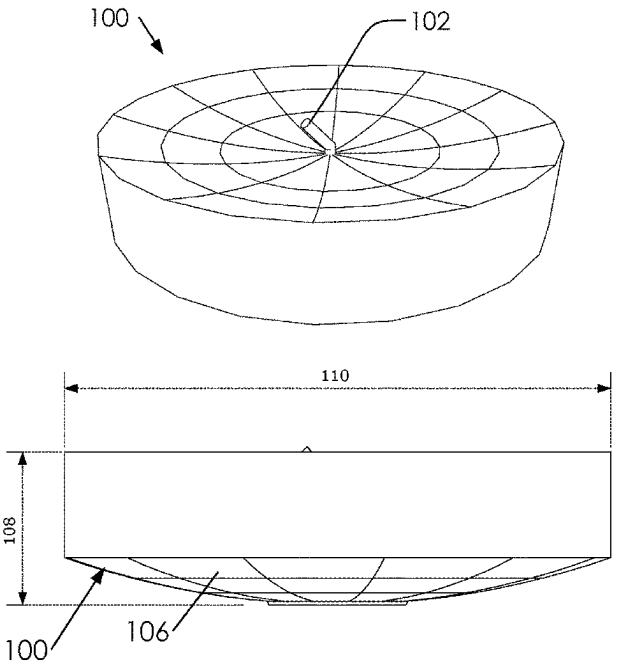

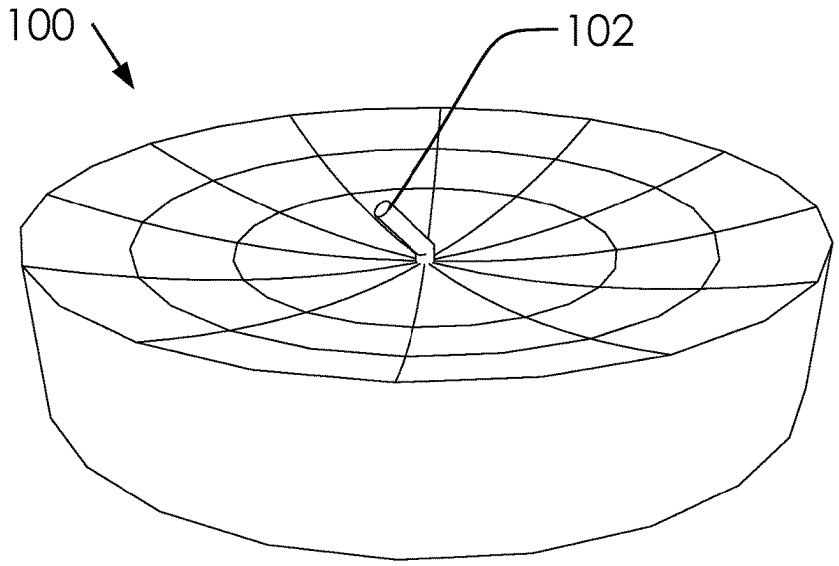

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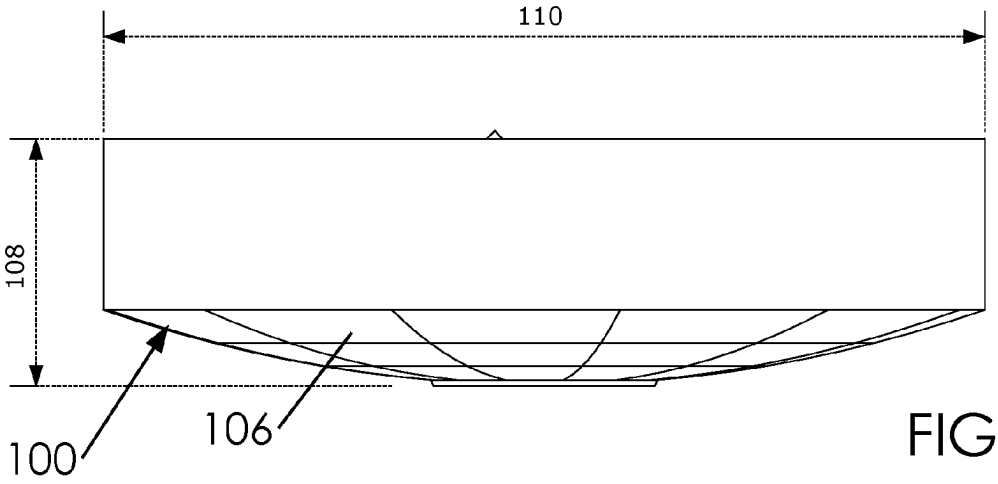

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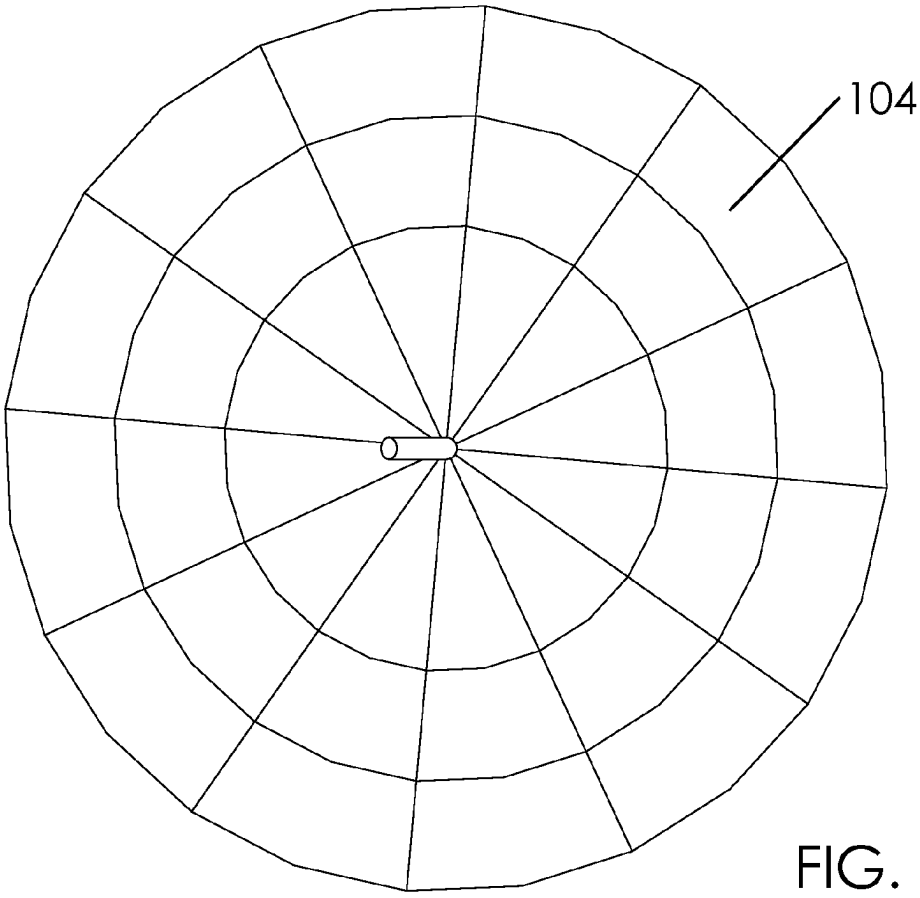

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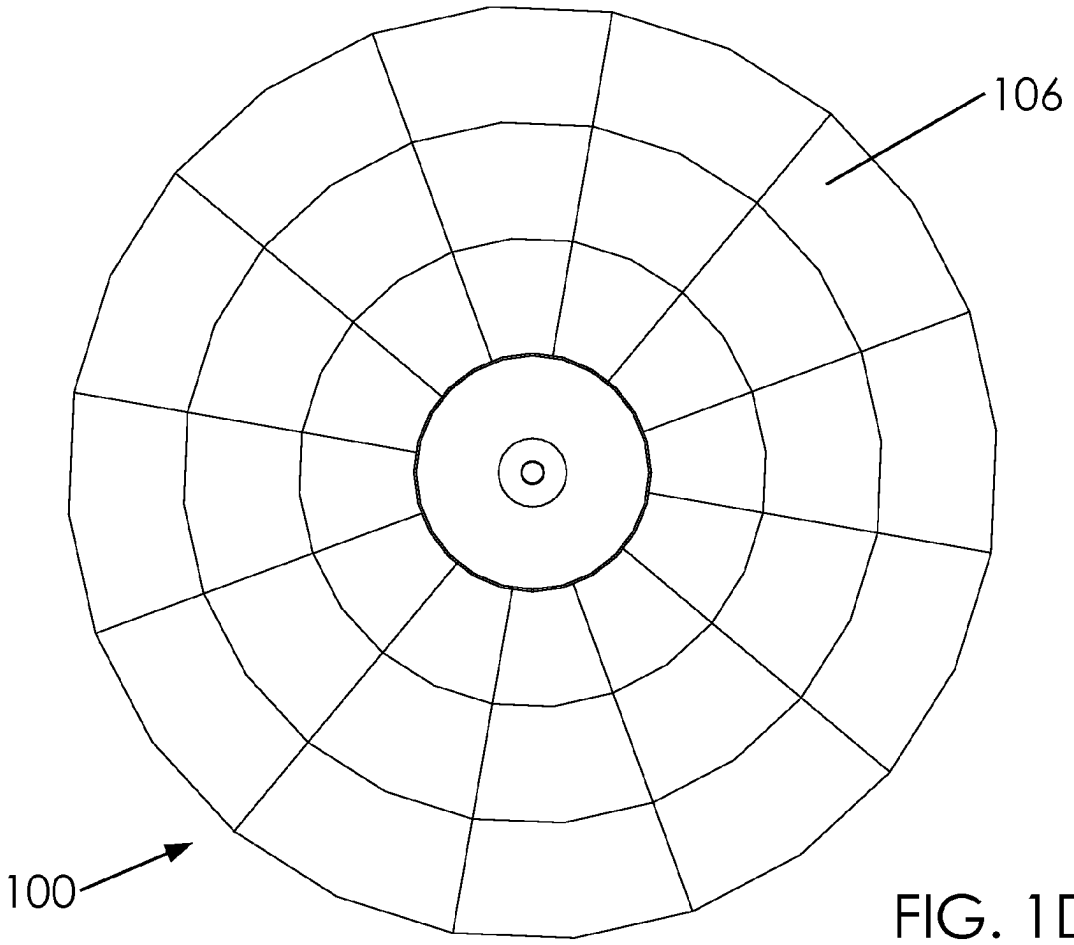

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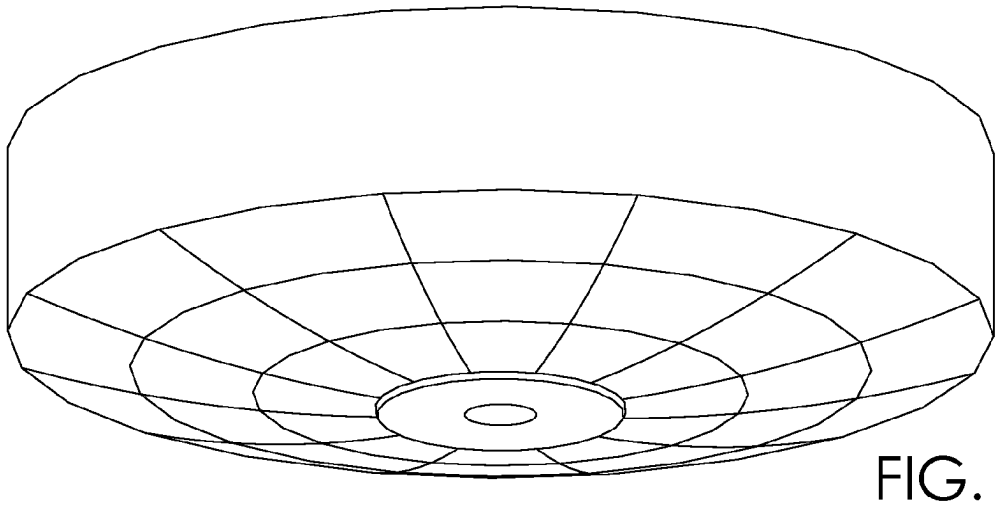

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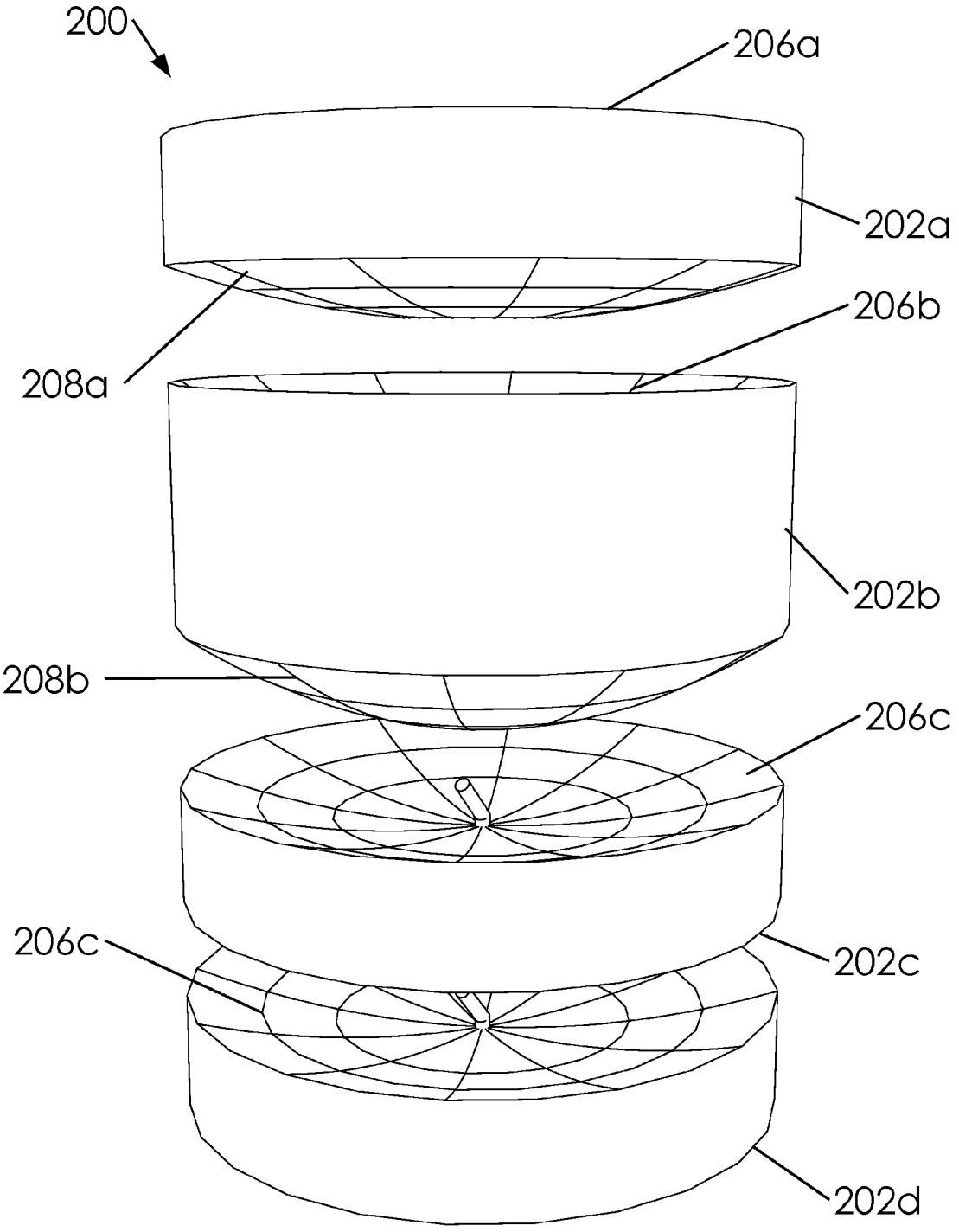

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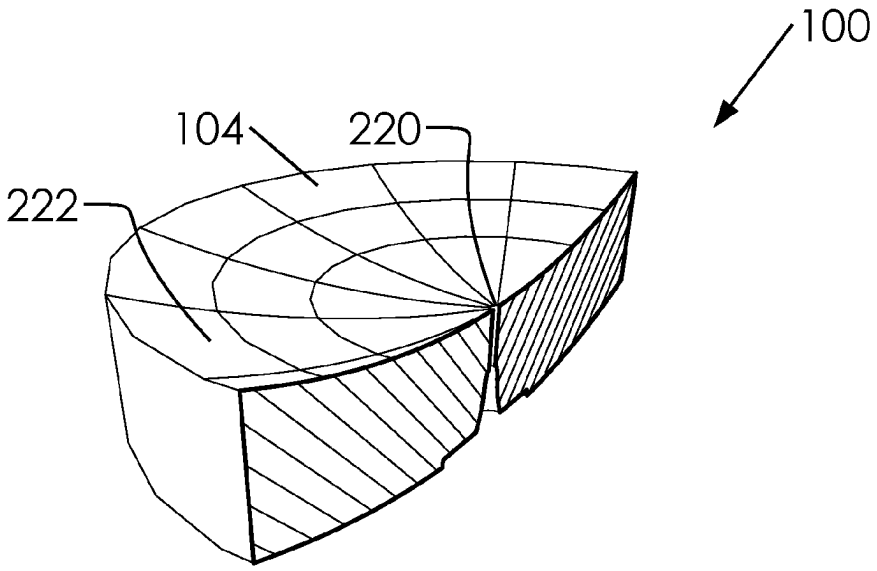

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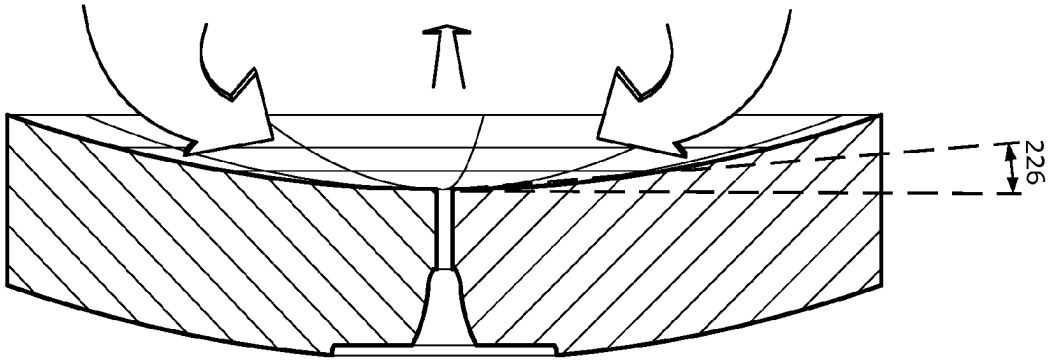

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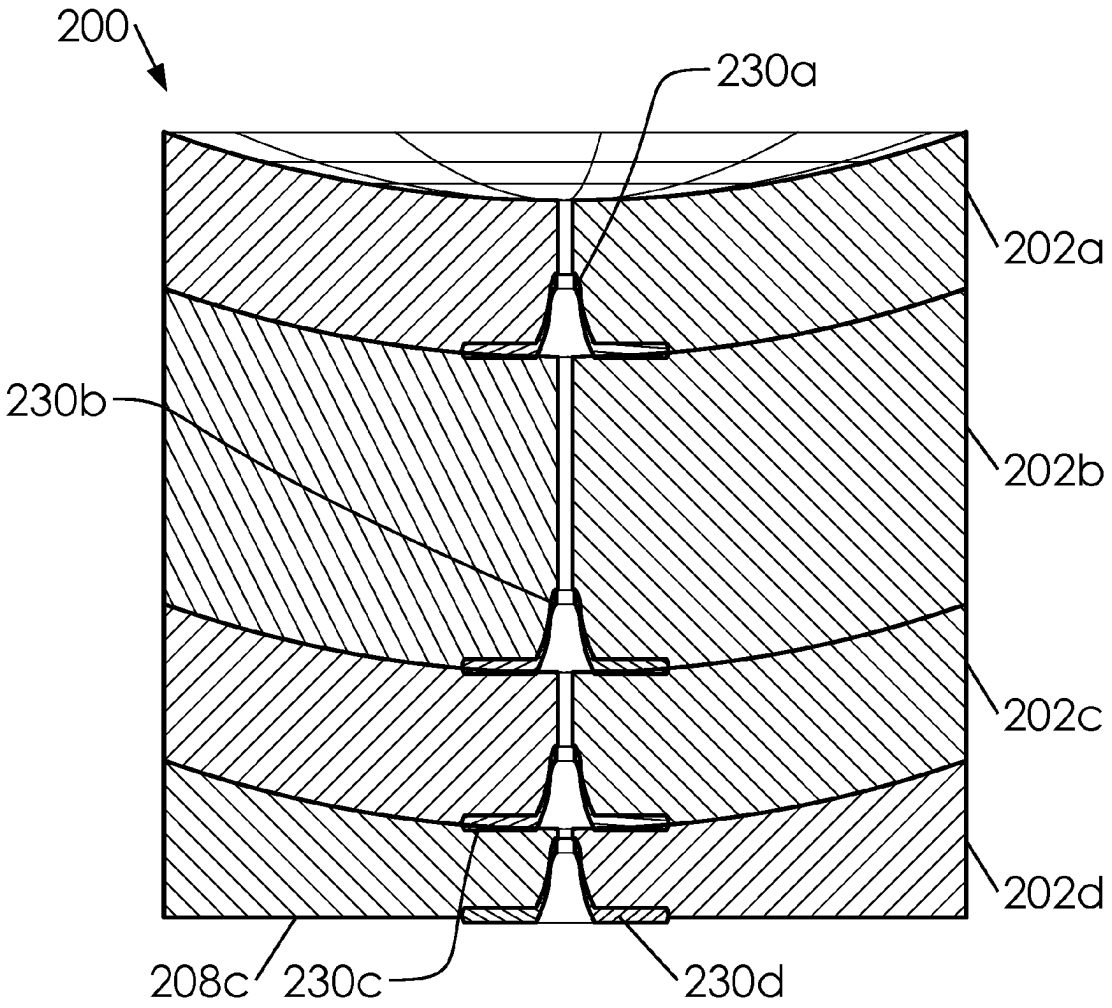

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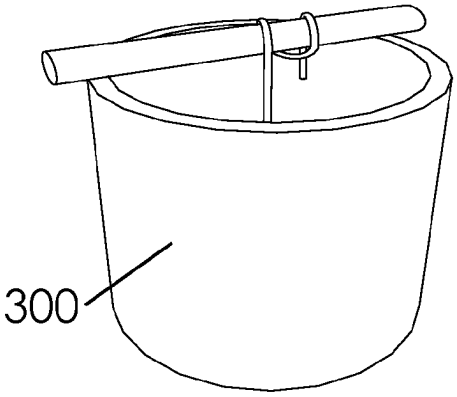

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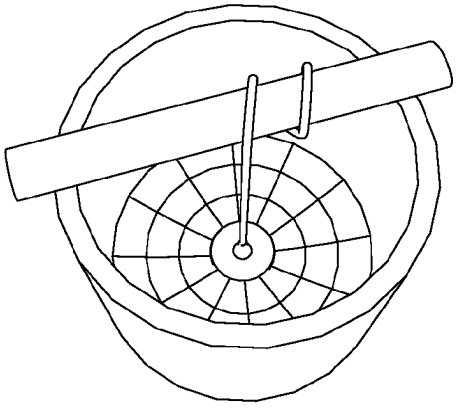

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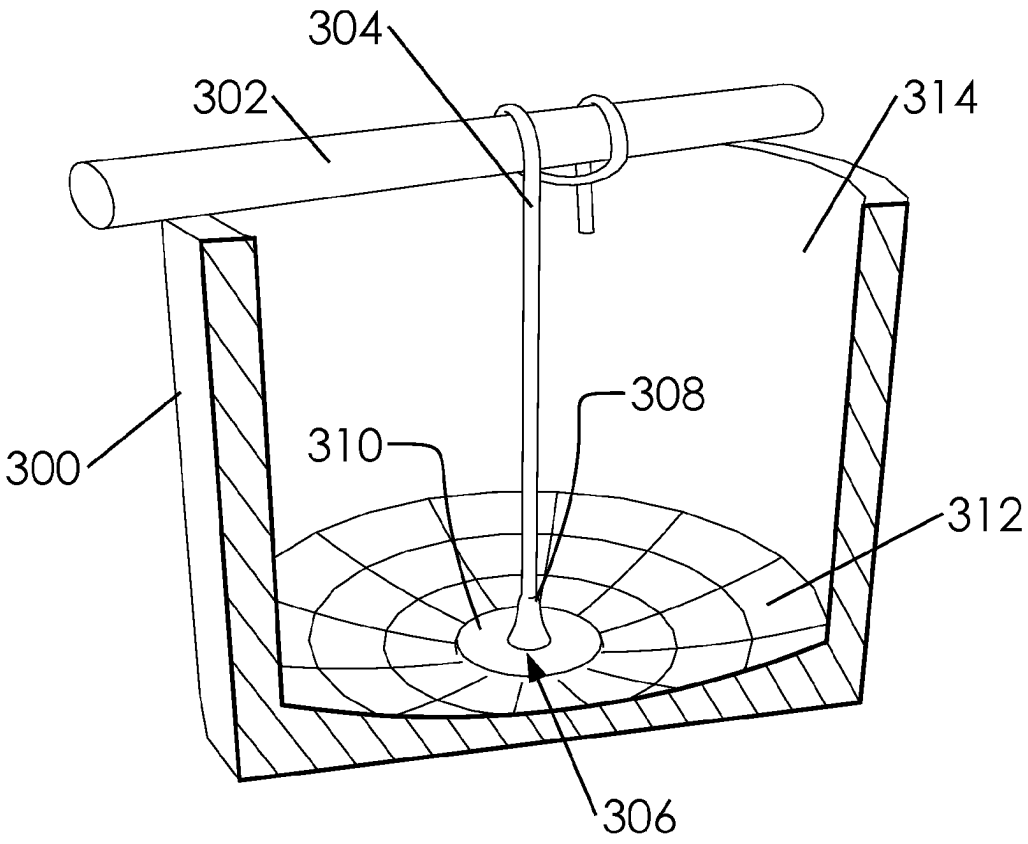

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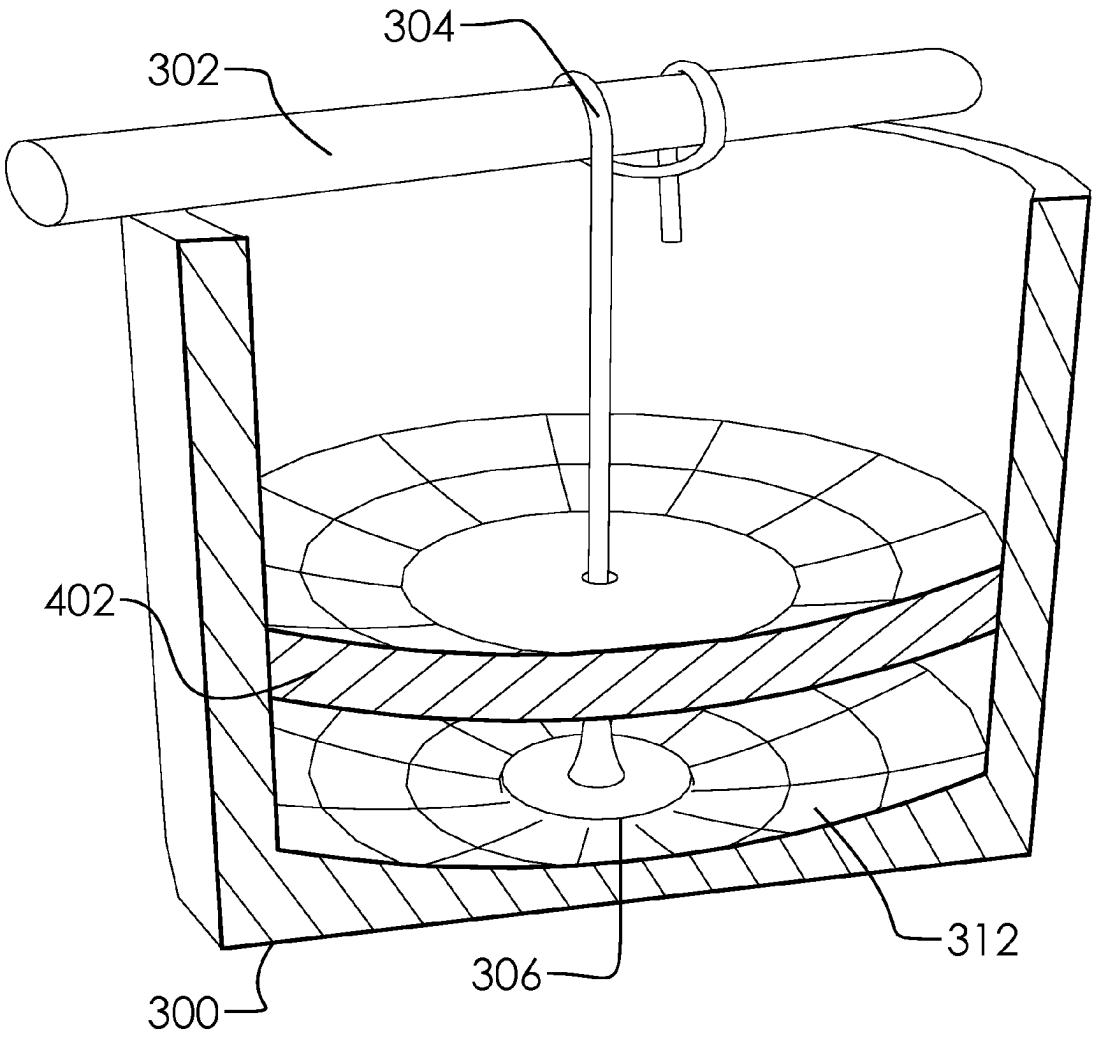

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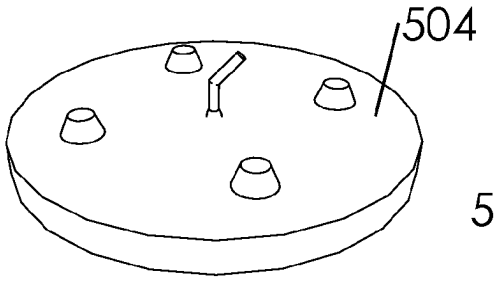

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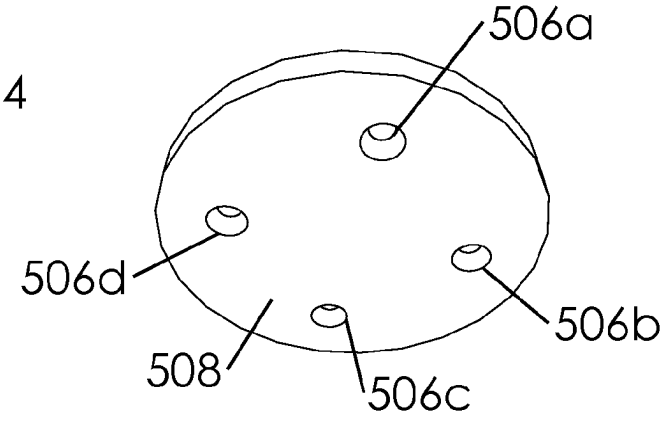

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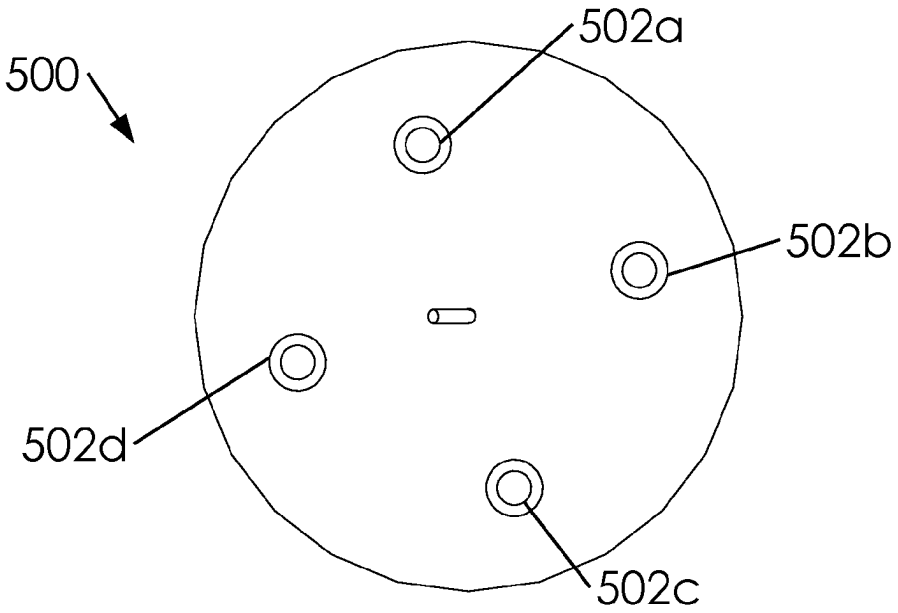

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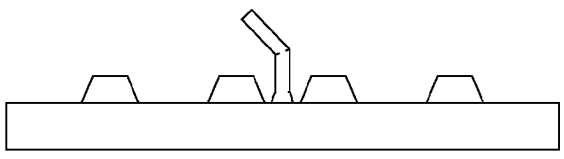

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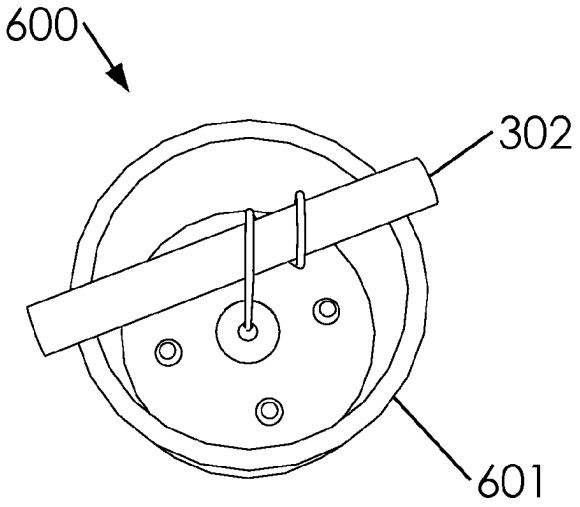

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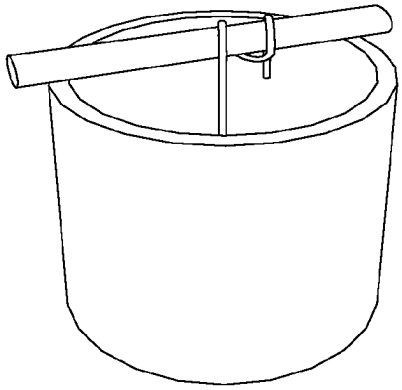

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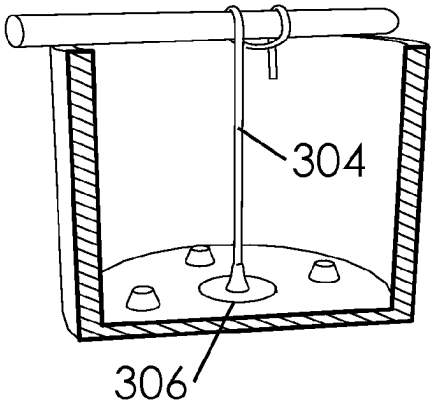

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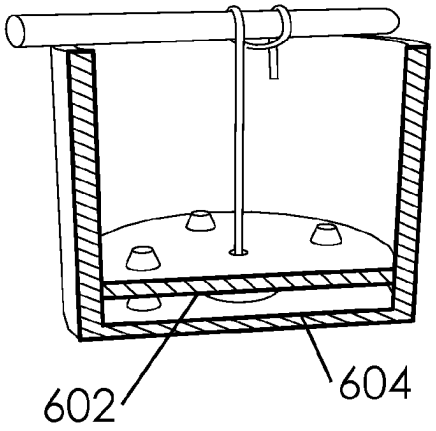

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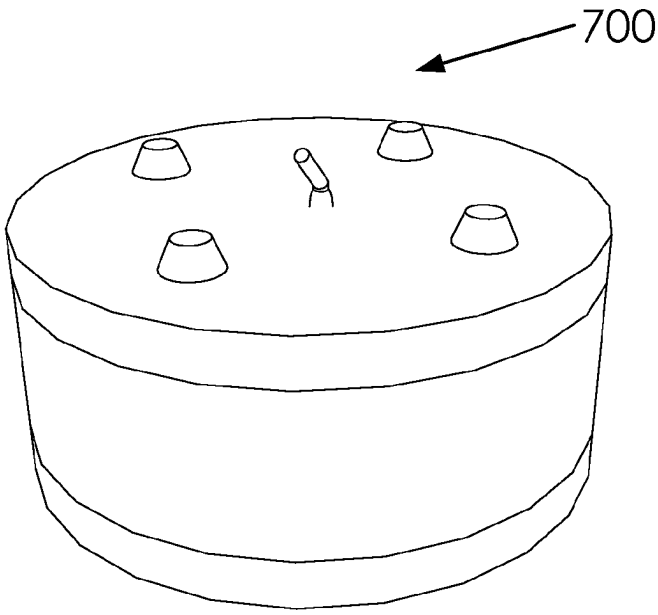

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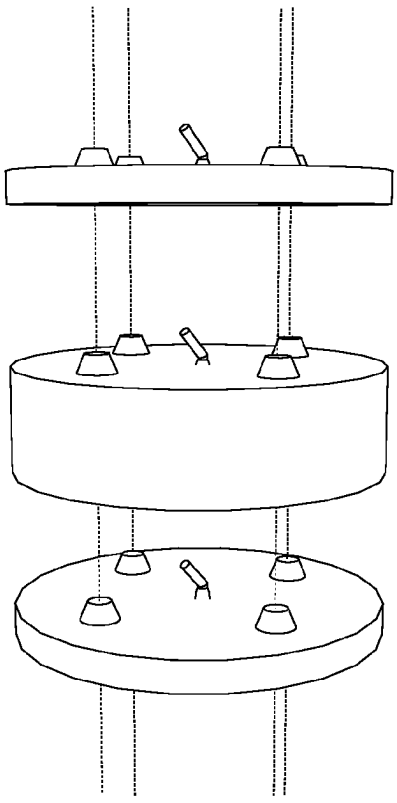

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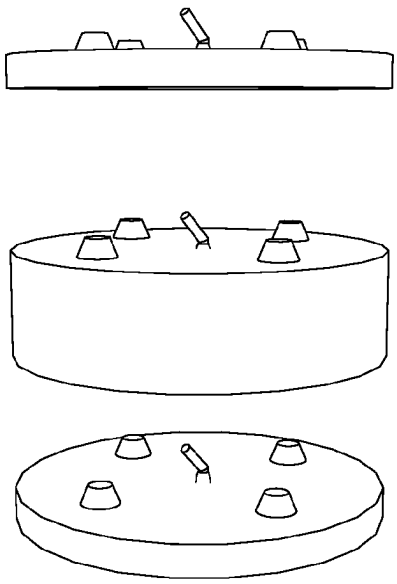

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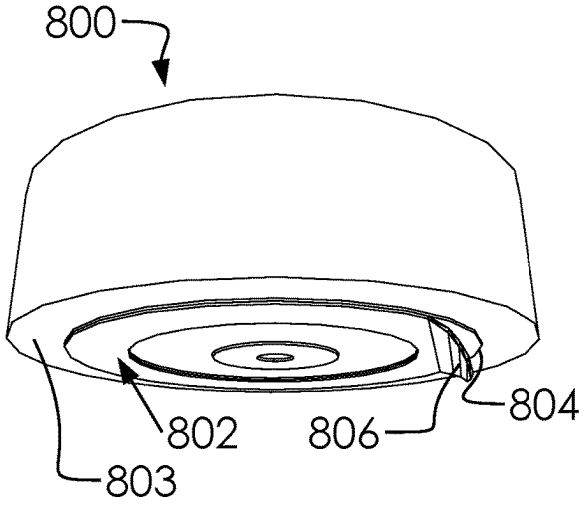

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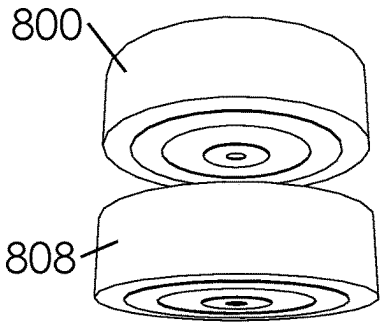

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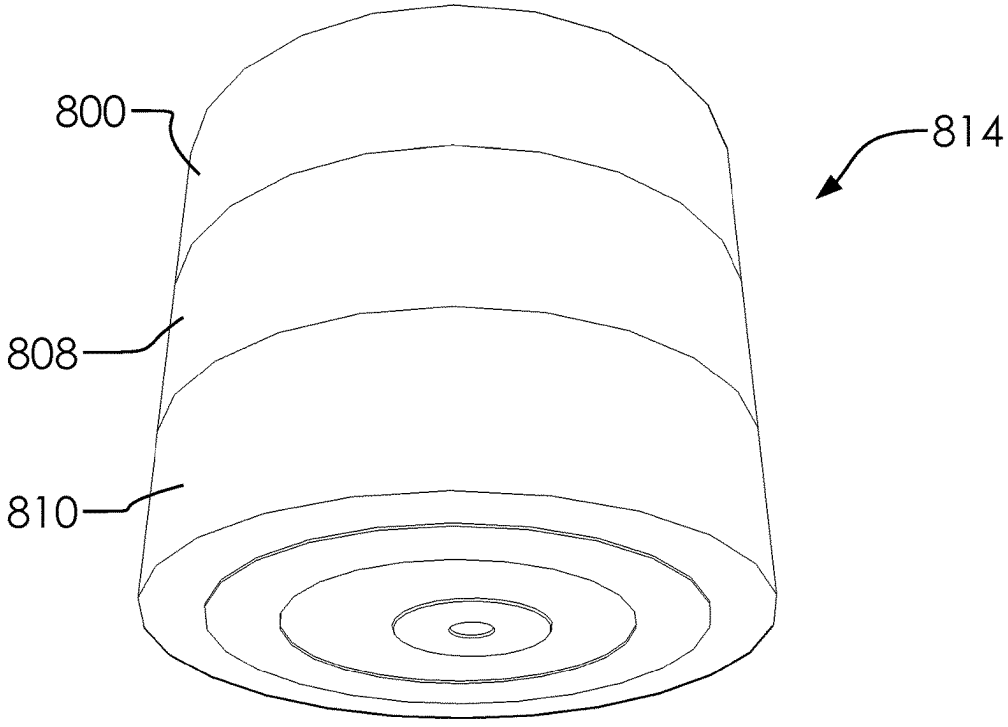

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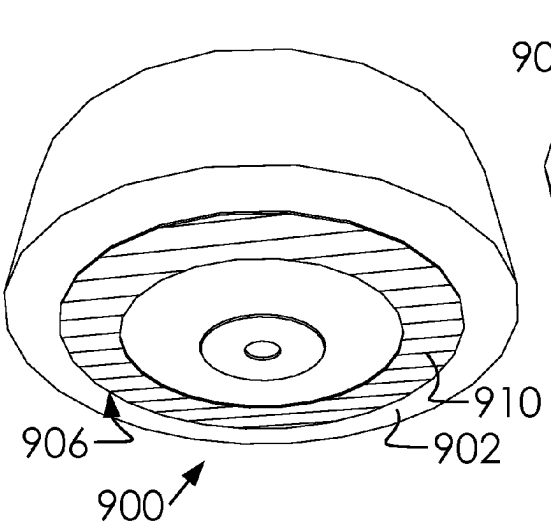

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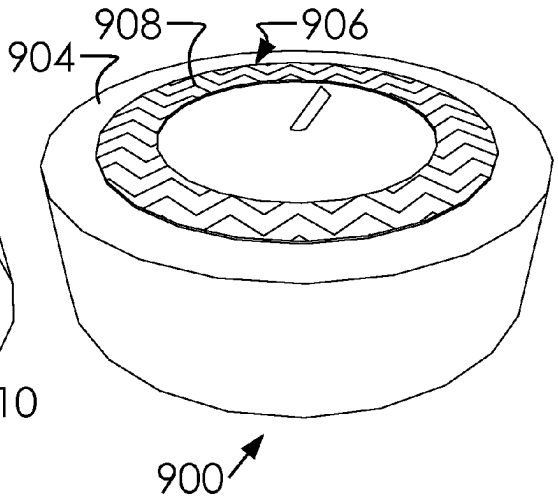

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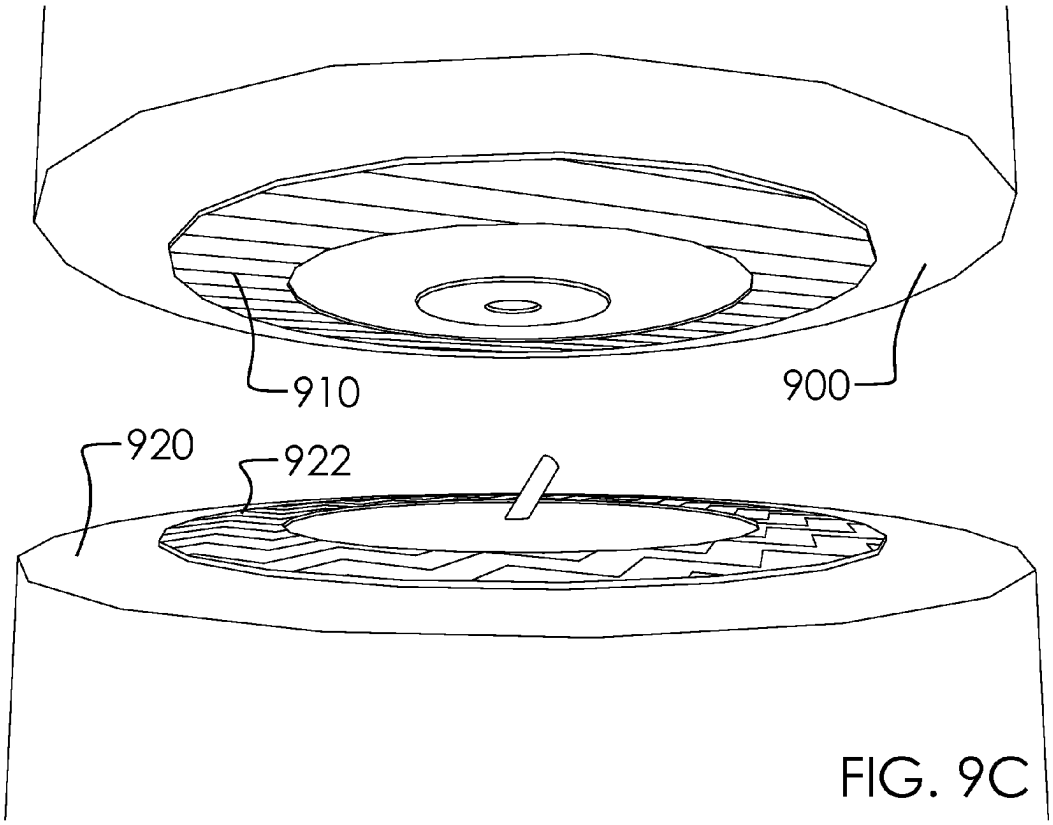

FIG. 9C

STACKABLE SEGMENTED CANDLE SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE

BACKGROUND

This disclosure relates generally to a stackable layered candle system and method of use. For more information on layered candles can be found in U.S. Pat. No. 7,040,888, U.S. Pat. No. 7,578,670, U.S. Pat. No. 7,789,808, US Patent Application Number 2006/0292509, and US Patent Application Number 2008/0268391. None of the disclosed inventions and patents, taken either singularly or in combination, is seen to describe the instant disclosure as claimed. Accordingly, an improved layered candle would be advantageous.

SUMMARY

A candle segment, a two or more candle segments and a candle segment manufacturing method are disclosed.

Said candle segment comprising a portion of a layered candle. Said candle segment comprises a candle wick, a top surface, a bottom surface, and a height. Said candle segment comprises a one or more protruding studs and a one or more stud cavities. Said one or more protruding studs and said one or more stud cavities are on opposite sides of said candle segment at said top surface and said bottom surface.

Said two or more candle segments comprising a layered candle. Said two or more candle segments comprise a first candle segment and a second candle segment. Said two or more candle segments each comprise a candle wick, a top surface, a bottom surface, a height and a composition. A bottom surface of said first candle segment is capable of attaching a top surface of said second candle segment.

Said candle segment manufacturing method comprising: attaching a first end of an extended candle wick around a rod, attaching a second end of said extended candle wick to a post of a candle tab, placing said candle tab at a bottom of a container while keeping said rod with said first end of said extended candle wick at the top of said container, pouring a liquid wax into said container, molding said a first candle segment form said liquid wax, said candle tab and said wick, and removing said first candle segment from said container when said liquid wax solidifies. Said first candle segment comprises a top surface and a bottom surface. Said first candle segment comprises a portion of a two or more candle segments comprising a layered candle. A bottom surface of said first candle segment is formed so as to nest into a top surface of a second candle segment among said two or more candle segments.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

FIG. **1**A illustrates a perspective overview of a candle segment and a candle wick.

FIGS. **1**B and **1**C illustrate a side view and top view of said candle segment, respectively.

FIGS. **1**D and **1**E illustrate a bottom view and a perspective bottom view of said candle segment respectively.

FIG. **2**A illustrates a perspective exploded overview of a layered candle.

FIGS. **2**B and **2**C illustrate a perspective overview and an elevated side view of a section cut of said candle segment.

FIG. **2**D illustrates an elevated side cross-section of said stack of candle segments.

FIGS. **3**A, **3**B, and **3**C illustrate a perspective overview, a perspective top view and a perspective cross-section side view of a container, a rod, an extended candle wick, and a candle tab, respectively.

FIG. **4** illustrates a perspective sectional side view of a container, a rod, an extended candle wick, an upper cast, a lower surface, and said candle tab, respectively.

FIGS. **5**A, **5**B, **5**C and **5**D illustrate a perspective overview, a perspective bottom view, an elevated top view and an elevated side view of an alternative candle segment **500**.

FIGS. **6**A, **6**B, **6**C and **6**D illustrate a perspective overview, a perspective front side view, and two a sectional side views of a candle making assembly.

FIGS. **7**A, **7**B and **7**C illustrate three perspective overviews of a layered candle.

FIG. **7**A comprises said layered candle in an assembled configuration and FIGS. **7**B-**7**C comprises said layered candle in an exploded configuration.

FIGS. **8**A, **8**B and **8**C illustrate three perspective lower views of a candle segment and a second segment.

FIGS. **9**A, **9**B and **9**C illustrate a perspective lower view and a perspective overview of a candle segment, and a perspective overview of said candle segment attaching to a second segment.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

Described herein is a stackable layered candle system and method of use. The following description is presented to enable any person skilled in the art to make and use the invention as claimed and is provided in the context of the particular examples discussed below, variations of which will be readily apparent to those skilled in the art. In the interest of clarity, not all features of an actual implementation are described in this specification. It will be appreciated that in the development of any such actual implementation (as in any development project), design decisions must be made to achieve the designers' specific goals (e.g., compliance with system- and business-related constraints), and that these goals will vary from one implementation to another. It will also be appreciated that such development effort might be complex and time-consuming, but would nevertheless be a routine undertaking for those of ordinary skill in the field of the appropriate art having the benefit of this disclosure. Accordingly, the claims appended hereto are not intended to be limited by the disclosed embodiments, but are to be accorded their widest scope consistent with the principles and features disclosed herein.

FIG. **1**A illustrates a perspective overview of a candle segment **100** and a candle wick **102**. In one embodiment, said candle segment **100** can comprise various sizes and compositions. In one embodiment, said compositions can comprise different colors as well as a variety of scents. In one embodiment, said candle segment **100** can be substantially cylindrical in shape but can be formed into various polygonal shapes as desired. In one embodiment, said candle segment **100** can be made of various types of waxes, including but not limited to, beeswax, soy, plant waxes, tallow, and gel. In one embodiment, said candle wick **102** is embedded centrally within said candle segment **100** with a section of said candle wick **102** exposed on the top of said candle segment **100** used for lighting said candle wick **102**. In one embodiment, said candle wick **102** can comprise a flat braided wick, a round braided wick, a square braided wick, a cored wick, a wooden wick, a specialty wick and/or a similar wick type as known in the art.

FIGS. **1**B and **1**C illustrate a side view and top view of said candle segment **100**, respectively. In one embodiment, said candle segment **100** can comprise a top surface **104**, a bottom surface **106**, a height **108**, and a diameter **110**. In one embodiment, said height **108** and said diameter **110** can vary

to result in different candle sizes and proportions as desired. In one embodiment, said height **108** and composition can be chosen so that said candle segment **100** will burn for a specific period of time. In one embodiment, said top surface **104** can have a concave shape while said bottom surface **106** can have a convex shape. In one embodiment, said top surface **104** and said bottom surface **106** can be similarly angled to permit nesting of said surfaces if one or more of said candle segment **100** was to be stacked on one another. In one embodiment, said surfaces can enhance said candle segment **100** aesthetics while providing a more stable foundation for nesting purposes.

FIGS. **1**D and **1**E illustrate a bottom view and a perspective bottom view of said candle segment **100** respectively.

FIG. **2**A illustrates a perspective exploded overview of a layered candle **200**. In one embodiment, said layered candle **200** can comprise of a one or more layered candle segments. In one embodiment, said one or more layered candle segments can comprise a segment **202***a*, a segment **202***b*, a segment **202***c* and a segment **202***d*. In one embodiment, more or less of said one or more layered candle segments may be used. In one embodiment, said layered candle **200** can comprise one or more of said candle segment **100** (such as said segment **202***a*, said segment **202***b*, and said segment **202***c*) and a base segment (such as said segment **202***d*). In one embodiment, said one or more candle segments can be rearranged as desired (such as placing said candle segment **202***a* in place of said candle segment **202***b* and vice versa). In one embodiment, said segment **202***d* can comprise a concave top surface and a flat bottom surface. Thus, in one embodiment, said base segment (or, as here, said segment **202***d*) can create a stable footing for said layered candle **200** (when they are stacked). In another embodiment, said candle segment **100** can comprise a convex bottom surface and can be set into a stable base with a concave top surface. For example, in one embodiment, said layered candle **200** can further comprise a candle holder having a concave top surface capable of holding said layered candle **200** comprising a convex bottom surface.

Although not illustrated, it would be apparent to one of ordinary skill in the art that the said candle segment **100** and said layered candle **200** could work equally well by reversing the concave and convex portions.

In one embodiment, each of said segment **202***a*, said segment **202***b*, and said segment **202***c* can comprise a top surface with a concave shape and a bottom surface with a convex shape. In one embodiment, said segment **202***a* can comprise a top surface **206***a* and a bottom surface **208***a*. In one embodiment, said segment **202***b* can comprise a top surface **206***b* and a bottom surface **208***b*. In one embodiment, said segment **202***c* can comprise a top surface **206***c* and a bottom surface **208***c* (see both FIGS. **2**A and **2**D for illustrations of these components). In one embodiment, said bottom surface **208***a* of said segment **202***a* can rest on said top surface **206***b* of said segment **202***b*. In one embodiment, said bottom surface **208***b* of segment **202***b* can rest on said top surface **206***c* of said segment **202***c*. In one embodiment, said bottom surfaces can be mated to said top surfaces in series to form said layered candle **200** of various heights.

FIGS. **2**B and **2**C illustrate a perspective overview and an elevated side view of a section cut of said candle segment **100**. In one embodiment, said top surface **104** of said candle segment **100** can comprise a center-point **220** and an upper wall surface **222**. In one embodiment, as said candle segment **100** melts, wax from said upper wall surface **222** will drain toward said center-point **220**. In one embodiment, said top surface **104** can comprise an incline **226** of said upper wall surface **222** in said concave portion of said top surface **104**. In one embodiment, said incline **226** can be low enough to control a flow of said wax as it melts into said center-point **220**. Accordingly, said wax can have sufficient time to burn off without extinguishing a flame at said candle wick **102**.

FIG. **2**D illustrates an elevated side cross-section of said layered candle **200**. FIG. **2**D is presented with candle wicks hidden (a discussion of candle wicks is included below). In one embodiment, said segment **202***a* can comprise a tab **230***a*; said segment **202***b* can comprise a tab **230***b*; said segment **202***c* can comprise a tab **230***c*; and said segment **202***d* can comprise a tab **230***d*. In one embodiment, as said segment **202***a* is burning out, it will burn down to said tab **230***a* and stop. Thus, in one embodiment said tab **230***a* (as with the other tabs described herein) can comprise a firewall. This trend can continue such that a user of said layered candle **200** may light a first among said layered candle **200** and minimize the risk that said user will forget to extinguish said layered candle **200** and thereby burn through the supply of wax in said layered candle **200**. It is therefore advantageous to break a candle into segments, as has been done with said layered candle **200**.

FIGS. **3**A, **3**B, and **3**C illustrate a perspective overview, a perspective top view and a perspective cross-section side view of a container **300**, a rod **302**, an extended candle wick **304**, and a candle tab **306**, respectively. In one embodiment, said tab **230***a*, said tab **230***b*, said tab **230***c* and said tab **230***d* (as shown in FIG. **2**D) can comprise one of said candle tab **306**. In one embodiment, said candle tab **306** can comprise a post **308** and a base **310**. In one embodiment, said post **308** can be located centrally on said base **310**. In one embodiment, said post **308** can be hollow to permit said candle wick **102** or other wicks to pass through (see infra) In one embodiment, said candle tab **306** can be used during formation of said candle segments as a wick stabilizer and as an endpoint for a burning wick. In one embodiment, said candle tab **306** can be used as a separator between one or more candle segments. In one embodiment, said candle tab **306** can comprise a firewall between said one or more candle segments.

In one embodiment, making said candle segment **100** can be formed in said container **300** by: attaching a first end of said extended candle wick **304** around said rod **302**, attaching a second end of said extended candle wick **304** to said post of said candle tab **306**, and pouring a liquid wax into said container **300**.

In one embodiment, said container **300** can comprise a lower surface **312** and a sidewall **314**. In one embodiment, said lower surface **312** can be concave and capable of molding said convex portion of said candle segment **100**.

FIG. **4** illustrates a perspective sectional side view of a container **300**, a rod **302**, said extended candle wick **304**, an upper cast **402**, a lower surface **312**, and said candle tab **306**, respectively. In one embodiment, one or more of said candle tab **306**, said upper cast **402**, and said lower surface **312** can be arranged along the length of said extended candle wick **304**. In one embodiment, said extended candle wick can be suspended by said rod **302** within said container **300**. In one embodiment, once one or more of said candle tab **306**, said upper cast **402**, and said lower surface **312** are arranged in a desired position within said container **300**, wax can be poured into said container to form one or more of said candle segment **100**. In one embodiment, different types of scents, colors, or waxes can be used for one or more of said candle segment **100**. Once formation is complete, one or more of said candle segment **100** can be removed from said container **300** and separated accordingly. In one embodiment, one or

more of said candle segment **100** can be rearranged to satisfy desired scent, color, or height preference.

FIGS. **5**A, **5**B, **5**C and **5**D illustrate a perspective overview, a perspective bottom view, an elevated top view and an elevated side view of an alternative candle segment **500**. In one embodiment, said alternative candle segment **500** can comprise one or more protruding studs, a top surface **504**, one or more stud cavities, and a bottom surface **508**. In one embodiment, said top surface **504** can comprise of said one or more protruding studs. In one embodiment, said bottom surface **508** can comprise said one or more stud cavities. In one embodiment, said one or more protruding studs can comprise a first stud **502***a*, a second stud **502***b*, a third stud **502***c* and a fourth stud **502***d*. In one embodiment, said one or more stud cavities can comprise a first cavity **506***a*, a second cavity **506***b*, a third cavity **506***c* and a fourth cavity **506***d*. In one embodiment, said alternative candle segment **500** can comprise an equal number of said one or more protruding studs and said one or more stud cavities. In one embodiment, said one or more protruding studs can be in said bottom surface **508** and said one or more stud cavities can be in said top surface **504** (not illustrated here). In one embodiment, said one or more of said stud cavity **506** is arranged so that said alternative candle segment **500** can stack upon one another to permit said top surface **504** to make contact with said bottom surface **508** of another of said alternative candle segment **500**. In one embodiment, one or more of said alternative candle segment **500** may be stacked in this manner. Thus, in one embodiment said one or more of said alternative candle segment **500** can interlock onto one another.

FIGS. **6**A, **6**B, **6**C and **6**D illustrate a perspective overview, a perspective front side view, and two a sectional side views of a candle making assembly **600**. In one embodiment, said candle making assembly **600** can comprise a container **601**, said rod **302**, said extended candle wick **304**, an upper alternative cast **602**, and an alternative lower cast **604**, and said candle tab **306**. In one embodiment, said candle making assembly **600** can be used to make one or more of said alternative candle segment **500**. In one embodiment, said alternative candle segment **500** can be made in a substantially similar way to said candle segment **100** (see supra) with said alternative candle segment **500**.

In one embodiment, one or more of said alternative candle segment **500** can be stacked according to scent, color, size, desired height, or any other specification as desired.

FIGS. **7**A, **7**B and **7**C illustrate three perspective overviews of a layered candle **700**. FIG. **7**A comprises said layered candle **700** in an assembled configuration and FIGS. **7**B-**7**C comprises said layered candle **700** in an exploded configuration. In one embodiment, said layered candle **700** can comprise a plurality of said alternative candle segment **500**.

FIGS. **8**A, **8**B and **8**C illustrate three perspective lower views of a candle segment **800** and a second segment **808**. In one embodiment, said candle segment **800** can comprise an adhesive set **802** having an adhesive **804** and an adhesive sticker **806**. In one embodiment, said adhesive **804** can attach to a bottom surface **803** of said candle segment **800**. In one embodiment, said adhesive **804** can be protected by said adhesive sticker **806** as is well known in the art. In one embodiment, said adhesive **804** can attach said candle segment **800** to said second segment **808** or any other candle segment by: exposing said adhesive **804**, pressing said adhesive **804** between said candle segment **800** and said second segment **808**. In one embodiment, exposing said adhesive **804** can comprise removing said adhesive sticker **806**. In one embodiment, said candle segment **800** can be used in a layered candle **814**, as illustrated with said candle segment **800**, said second segment **808** and a third segment **810**.

FIGS. **9**A, **9**B and **9**C illustrate a perspective lower view and a perspective overview of a candle segment **900**, and a perspective overview of said candle segment **900** attaching to a second segment **920**. In one embodiment, said candle segment **900** can comprise a top surface **902** and a bottom surface **904**. In one embodiment, said candle segment **900** can comprise a hook-and-loop set **906** having a hook portion **908** (illustrated as a zigzag pattern) and a loop portion **910** (illustrated as a hatch pattern). In one embodiment, said hook portion **908** can attach to said bottom surface **904** and said loop portion **910** can attach to said top surface **902**. In one embodiment, said hook-and-loop set **906** can be used to attach said candle segment **900** to said second segment **920**. For example, in one embodiment, said second segment **920** can comprise a hook portion **922** (similar to said hook portion **908**) which can attach to said loop portion **910** of said candle segment **900**.

Various changes in the details of the illustrated operational methods are possible without departing from the scope of the following claims. Some embodiments may combine the activities described herein as being separate steps. Similarly, one or more of the described steps may be omitted, depending upon the specific operational environment the method is being implemented in. It is to be understood that the above description is intended to be illustrative, and not restrictive. For example, the above-described embodiments may be used in combination with each other. Many other embodiments will be apparent to those of skill in the art upon reviewing the above description. The scope of the invention should, therefore, be determined with reference to the appended claims, along with the full scope of equivalents to which such claims are entitled. In the appended claims, the terms "including" and "in which" are used as the plain-English equivalents of the respective terms "comprising" and "wherein."

The invention claimed is:

1. A layered candle comprising:

said layered candle comprising a two or more candle segments;

said two or more candle segments comprise at least a first candle segment and a second candle segment;

said two or more candle segments each comprise a candle wick, a top surface, a bottom surface, and a height;

a bottom surface of said first candle segment is configured for attaching a top surface of said second candle segment;

each of said two or more candle segments further comprise a tab;

said candle wick attaches to said tab at said bottom surface of each of said two or more candle segments;

said tab comprises a firewall between said two or more candle segments;

each of said two or more candle segments consists of

said tab at said bottom surface,

said candle wick attached to said tab, and

said candle wick penetrating through said top surface;

said first candle segment comprises a top segment of said layered candle;

said layered candle is configured to

burn said candle wick of said first candle segment with a flame until said flame reaches said tab of said first candle segment, and

extinguish said flame by blocking continued burning at said tab of said first candle segment; and

said layered candle is configured to receive a new flame with said candle wick of said second segment after removing said tab of said first candle segment.

2. The layered candle of claim **1** wherein,

said compositions of said two or more candle segments are different.

3. The layered candle of claim **2** wherein,

said two or more candle segments each comprise a burn time, and

said burn time of said two or more candle segments vary based on said height and said composition.

4. The layered candle of claim **1** wherein,

said two or more candle segments are configured for rearrangement on one another.

5. The layered candle of claim **1** wherein,

said top surface of each of said two or more candle segments have a concave shaped surface and

said bottom surface of said two or more candle segments have a convex shaped surface;

further wherein,

said bottom surface of said first candle segment is configured for attaching to

said top surface of said second candle segment by fitting a portion of said concave shaped surface of said second candle segment into a portion of said convex shaped surface of said first candle segment.

6. The layered candle of claim **5** wherein,

said top surfaces and said bottom surfaces of said two or more candle segments are similarly angled to permit nesting when said two or more candle segments are stacked on one another.

7. The layered candle of claim **5** wherein,

said layered candle further comprises a base segment;

a top surface of said base segment is adapted to receive a bottom surface of said two or more candle segments; and

a bottom surface of said base segment comprises a flat surface.

8. The layered candle of claim **1** wherein,

said two or more candle segments comprise a one or more protruding studs and a one or more stud cavities; and further wherein,

said bottom surface of said first candle segment is configured for attaching said top surface of said second candle segment by inserting said one or more protruding studs into said one or more of a stud cavities.

9. The layered candle of claim **8** wherein,

said one or more protruding studs are on said top surface of said two or more candle segments; and

said one or more stud cavities are in said bottom surface of said two or more candle segments.

10. The layered candle of claim **8** wherein,

said one or more protruding studs are on said bottom surface of said two or more candle segments; and

said one or more stud cavities are in said top surface of said two or more candle segments.

11. The layered candle of claim **8** wherein,

said one or more protruding studs and said one or more stud cavities are equal in number and location on said candle segments.

12. The two or more candle segments of claim **1** wherein

each of said two or more candle segments comprise a hook-and-loop set having a hook portion and a loop portion;

said hook portion and said loop portions begin attached on opposite sides of said each of said two or more candle segments at a top surface and a bottom surface; and further wherein,

said bottom surface of said first candle segment is capable of attaching said top surface of said second candle segment by arranging said hook-and-loop set between each of said two or more candle segments of said layered candle.

13. A layered candle manufacturing method comprising:

attaching a first end of an extended candle wick around a rod,

attaching a second end of said extended candle wick to a post of a candle tab,

placing said candle tab at a bottom of a container while keeping said rod with said first end of said extended candle wick at a top of said container,

pouring a liquid wax into said container,

molding said a first candle segment form said liquid wax, said candle tab and said wick, and

removing said first candle segment from said container when said liquid wax solidifies;

and wherein,

said first candle segment comprises a top surface and a bottom surface,

said first candle segment comprises a portion of a two or more candle segments comprising a layered candle, and

a bottom surface of said first candle segment is formed so as to nest into a top surface of a second candle segment among said two or more candle segments

said two or more candle segments each comprise a candle wick, a top surface, a bottom surface, and a height;

said candle wick comprises a portion of said extended candle wick;

a bottom surface of said first candle segment is configured for attaching a top surface of said second candle segment;

each of said two or more candle segments further comprise a tab;

said candle wick attaches to said tab at said bottom surface of each of said two or more candle segments;

said tab comprises a firewall between said two or more candle segments;

each of said two or more candle segments consists of said tab at said bottom surface,

said candle wick attached to said tab, and

said candle wick penetrating through said top surface;

said first candle segment comprises a top segment of said layered candle; and

said layered candle is configured to

burn said candle wick of said first candle segment with a flame until said flame reaches said tab of said first candle segment, and

extinguish said flame by blocking continued burning at said tab of said first candle segment; and

said layered candle is configured to receive a new flame with said candle wick of said second segment after removing said tab of said first candle segment.

14. The layered candle manufacturing method of claim **13** wherein making molding said first candle segment further comprises:

molding a convex surface into said bottom surface of said first candle segment with said bottom of said container and

molding a concave surface into said top surface of said first candle segment with an upper cast.

15. The layered candle manufacturing method of claim **13** wherein making molding said first candle segment further comprises:

molding a one or more protruding studs into said bottom surface of said first candle segment with said bottom of said container and

molding a one or more of a stud cavities into said top surface of said first candle segment with an upper cast.

16. The layered candle manufacturing method of claim **13** wherein making molding said first candle segment further comprises:

molding a one or more of a stud cavities into said bottom surface of said first candle segment with said bottom of said container and

molding a one or more protruding studs into said top surface of said first candle segment with an upper cast.

17. A layered candle comprising:

said layered candle comprising a two or more candle segments;

said two or more candle segments comprise at least a first candle segment and a second candle segment;

said two or more candle segments each comprise a candle wick, a top surface, a bottom surface, and a height;

a bottom surface of said first candle segment is configured for attaching a top surface of said second candle segment;

said two or more candle segments comprise an adhesive set between each of said two or more candle segments; further wherein,

said bottom surface of said first candle segment is configured for attaching said top surface of said second candle segment by holding said two or more segments of said layered candle together with said adhesive.

18. The layered candle of claim **17** wherein:

said adhesive set comprises an adhesive and an adhesive sticker;

said adhesive adheres to said bottom surface of each of said two or more candle segments;

said adhesive sticker protects said adhesive prior to use; and

said two or more candle segments are configured to adhere to one another by

removing said adhesive sticker from said first candle segment and pressing said adhesive of said first candle segment into a top surface of said second candle segment.

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