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(54) **ELECTRONIC CHASSIS AND HOUSING
HAVING AN INTEGRATED FORCED AIR
COOLING SYSTEM**

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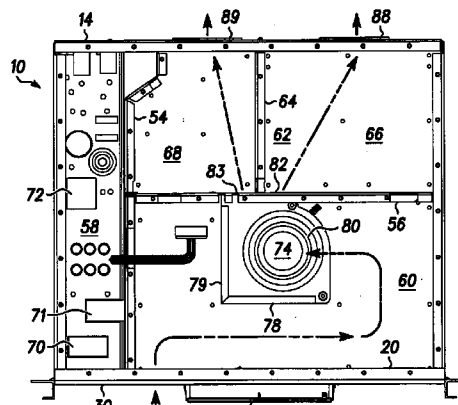
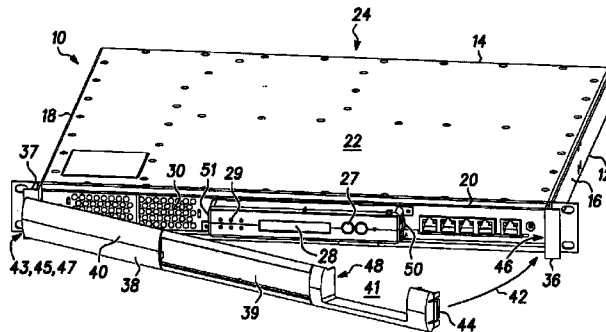
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

The invention provides a chassis for housing printed circuit boards comprising: a housing having a top, bottom, front, back, left and right side walls, and having a height, measured from the bottom wall to the top wall, that is equal to a 1 rack-unit. The front wall includes an inlet vent, a display module, and a jack and the back side wall includes an exhaust vent. A front wall face plate overlies the inlet vent, display module and jack, with the inlet vent arranged in parallel, overlapping but offset planes. A centrifugal blower is provided inside the chassis housing.

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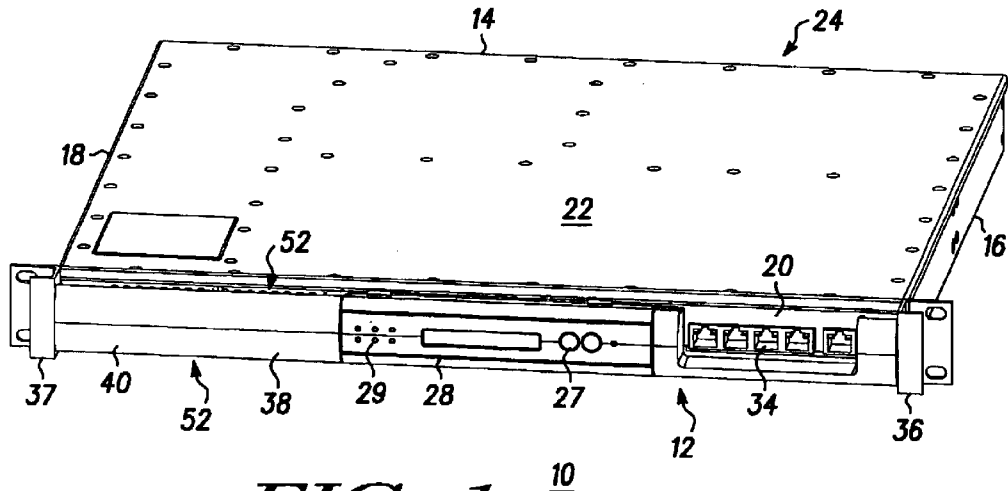


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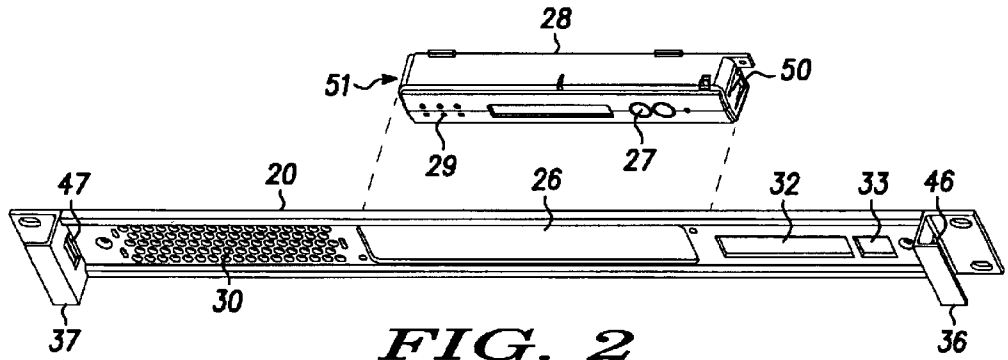


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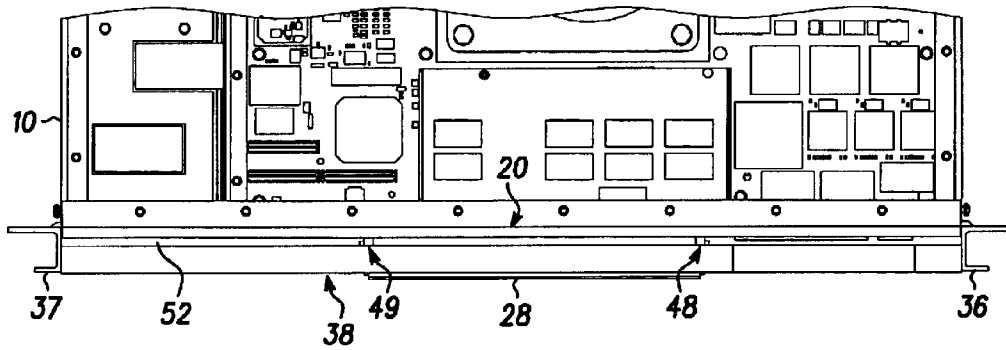


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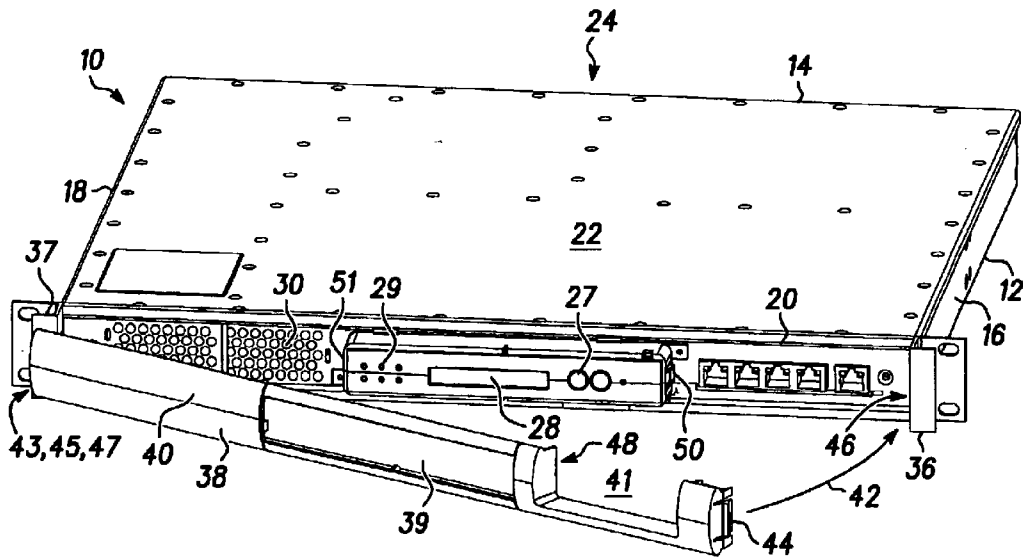
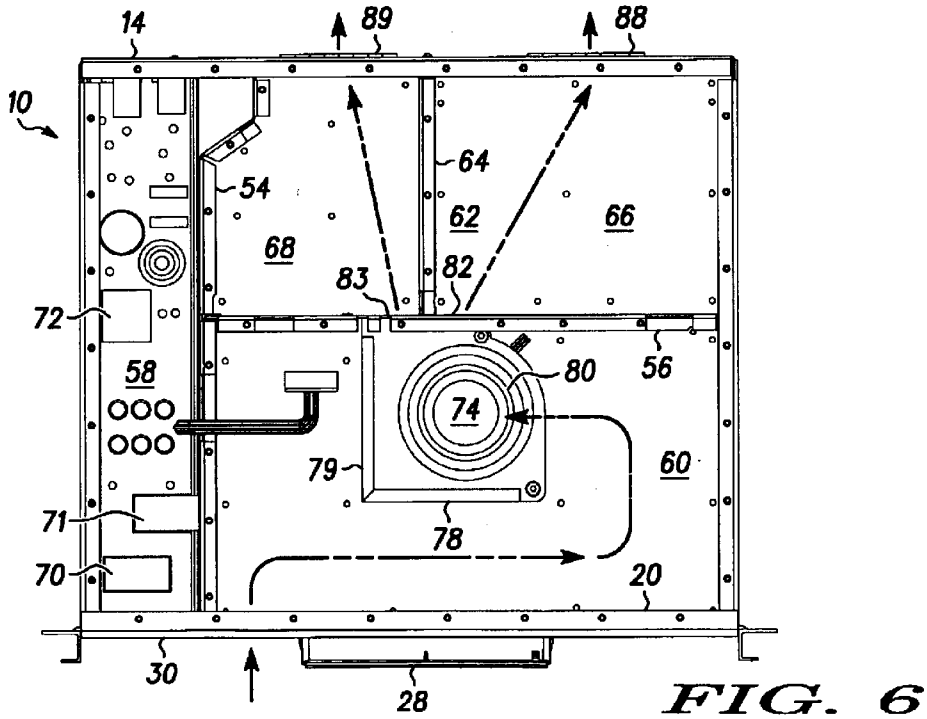
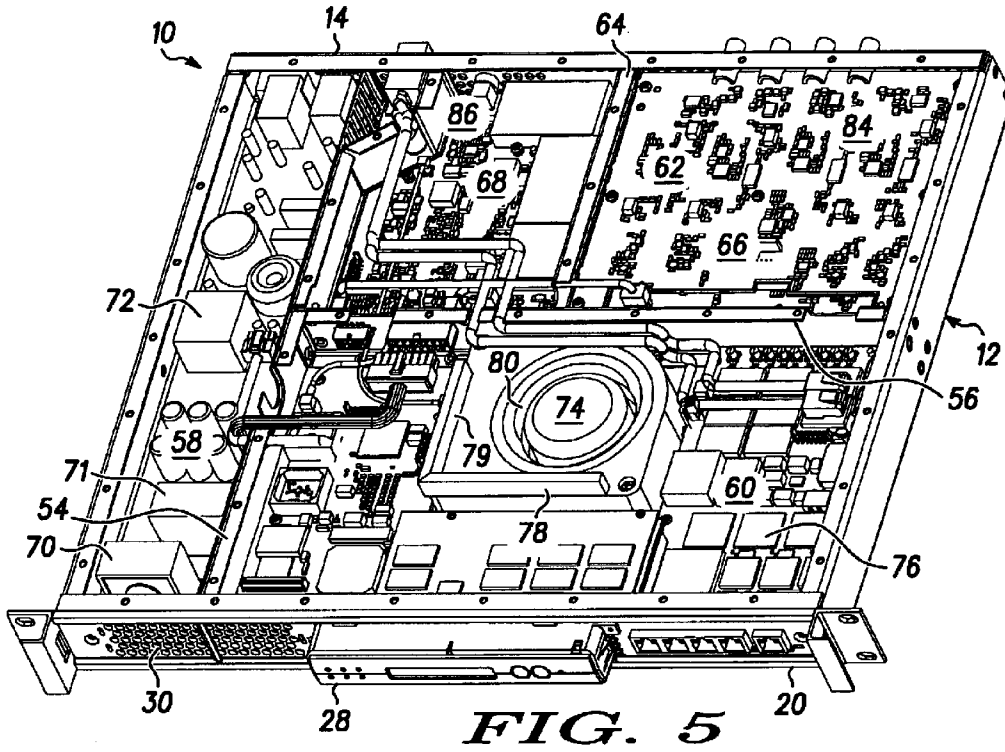


FIG. 4



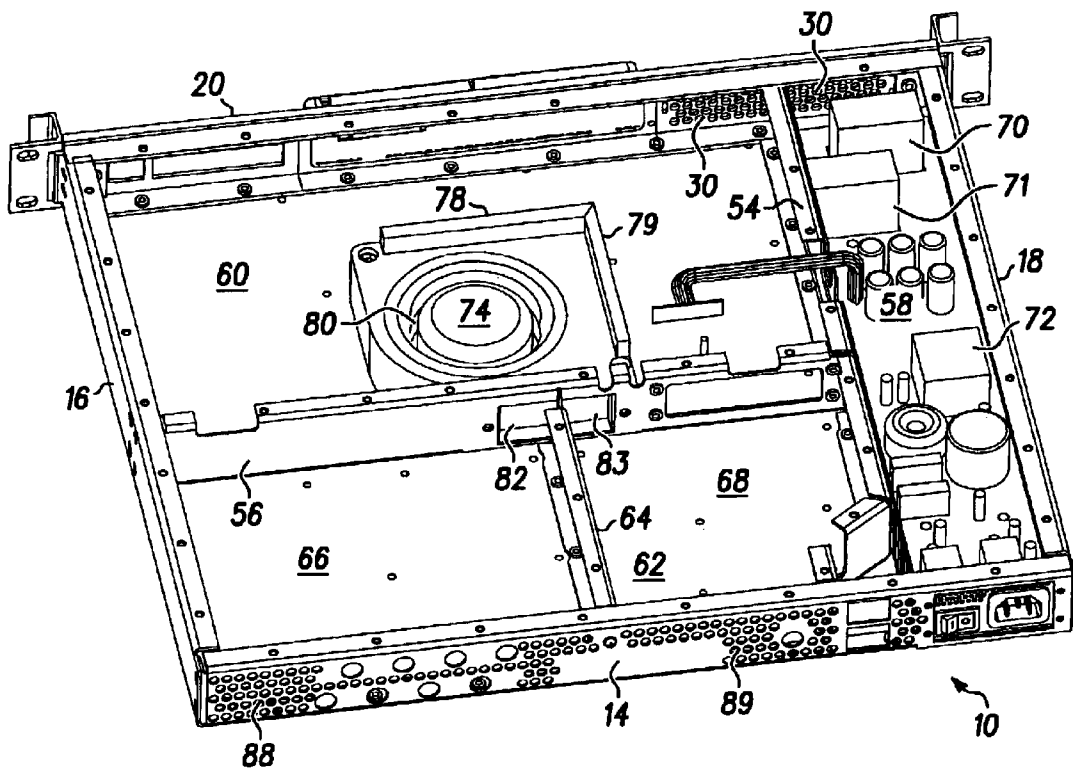


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