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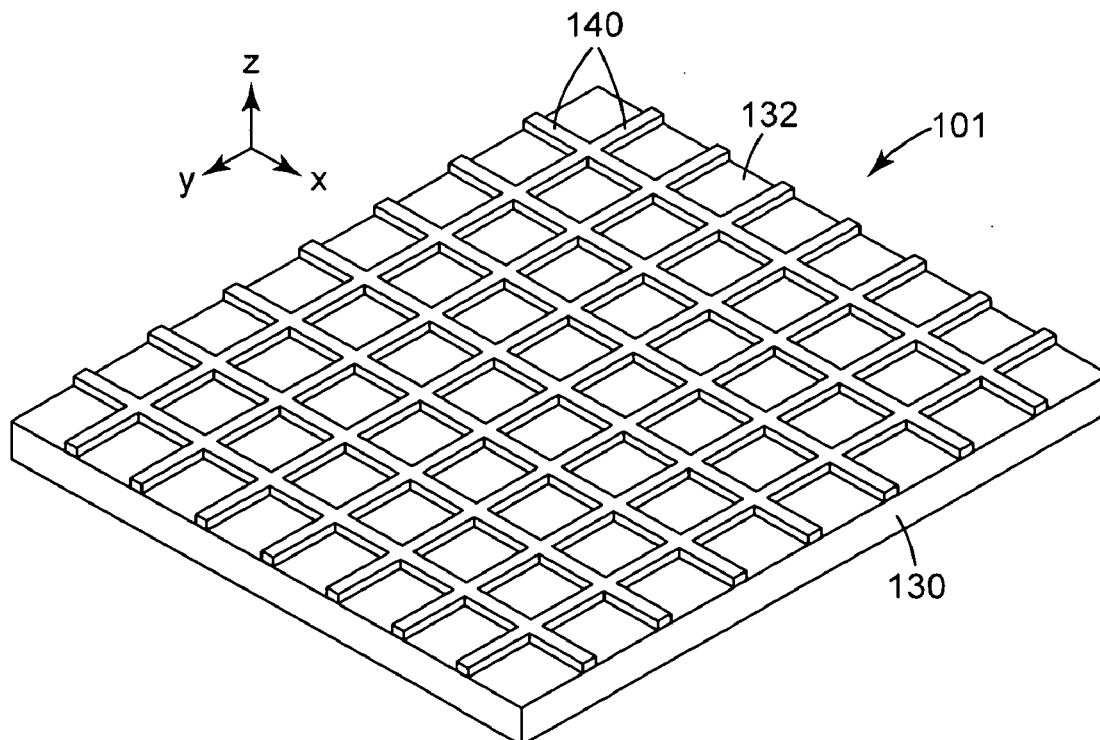
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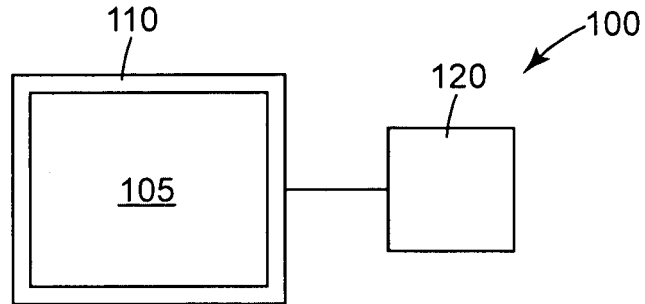
A touch screen sensor includes a visible light transparent substrate and an electrically conductive micropattern disposed on or in the visible light transparent substrate. The micropattern includes a first region micropattern within a touch sensing area and a second region micropattern. The first region micropattern has a first sheet resistance value in a first direction, is visible light transparent, and has at least 90% open area. The second region micropattern has a second sheet resistance value in the first direction. The first sheet resistance value is different from the second sheet resistance value.

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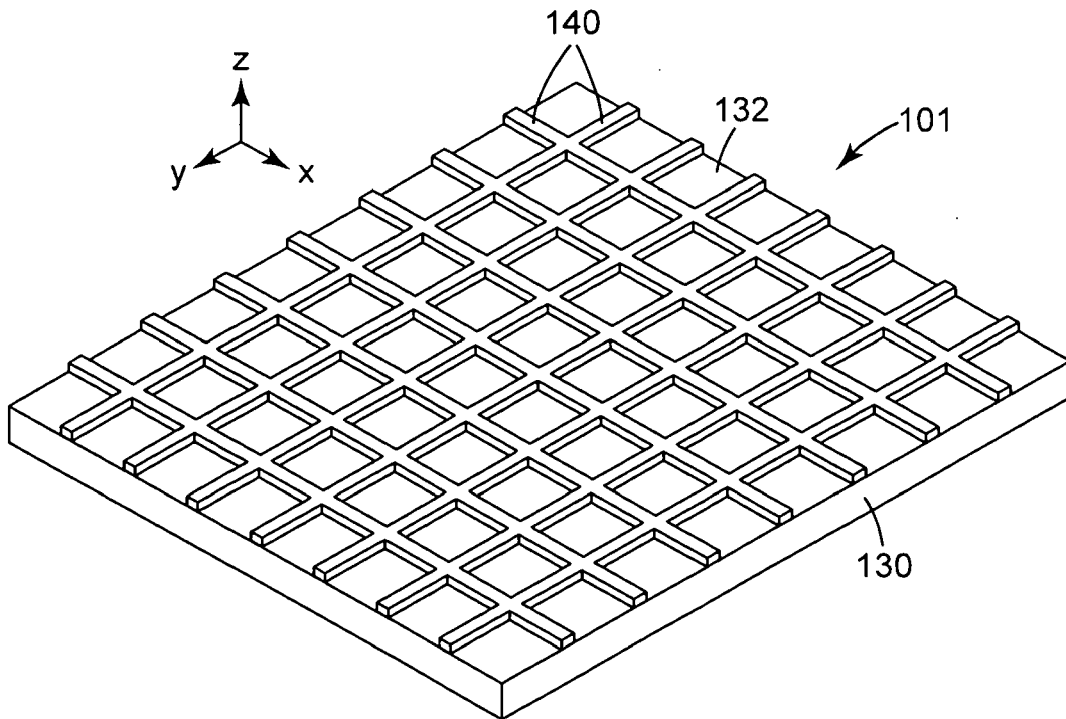
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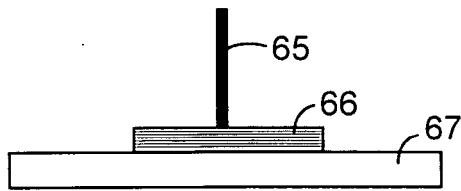




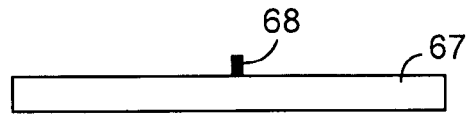
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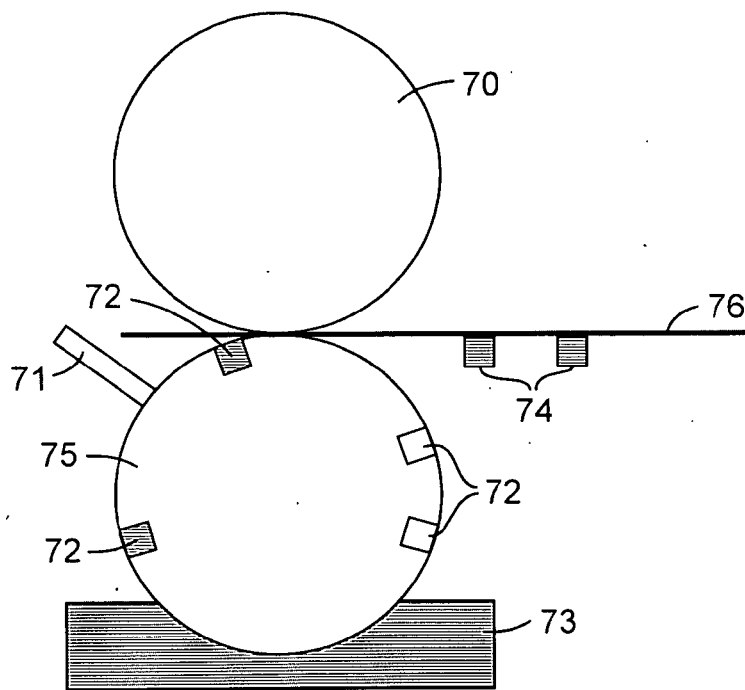
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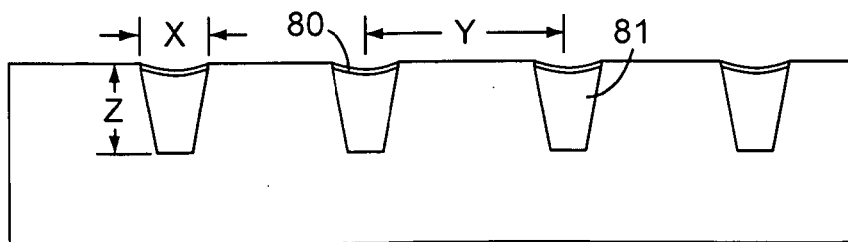
*Fig. 3a*



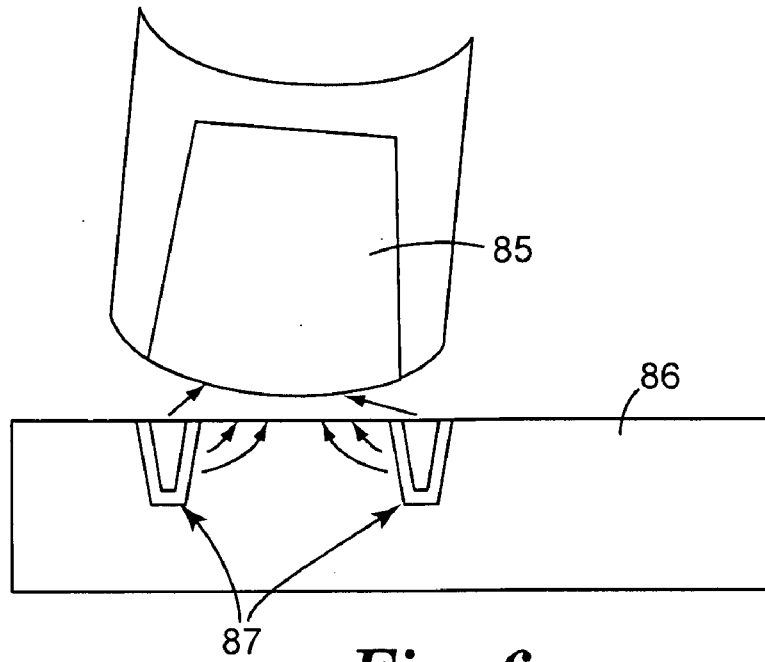
*Fig. 3b*



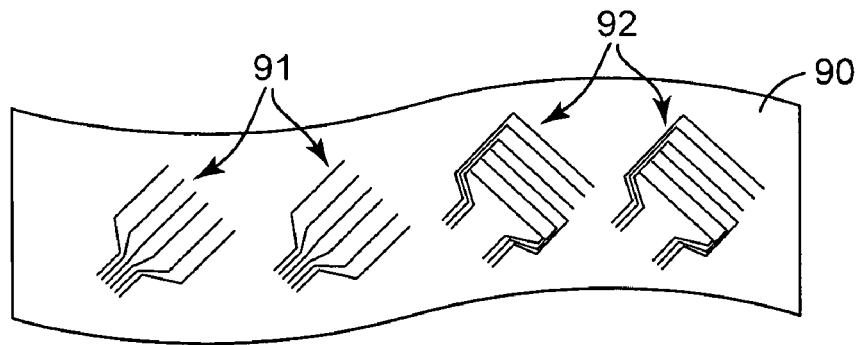
*Fig. 4*



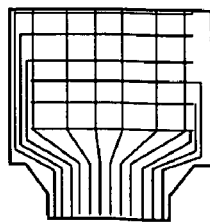
*Fig. 5*



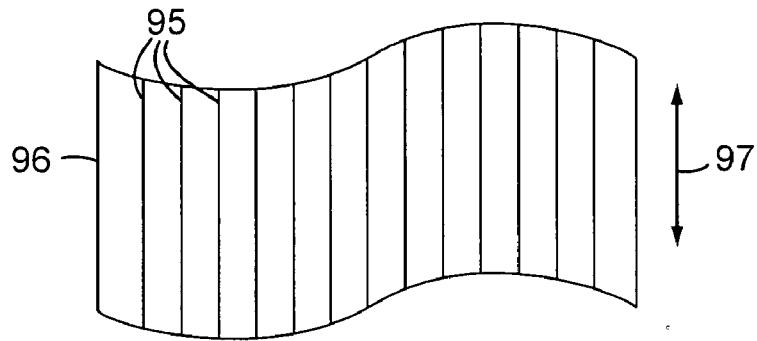
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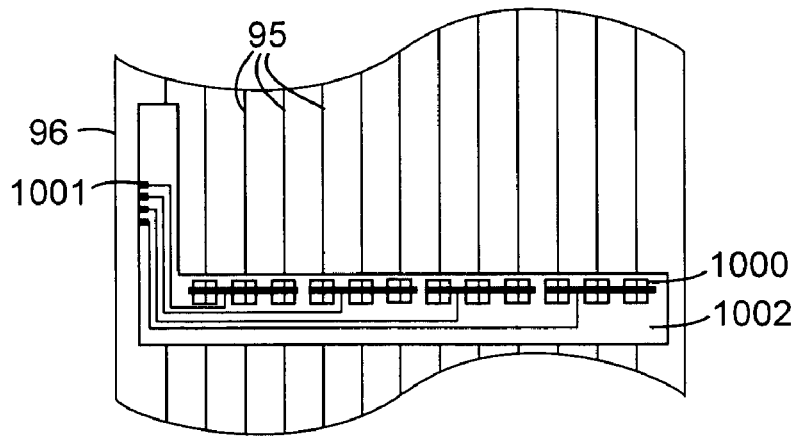
**Fig. 7a**



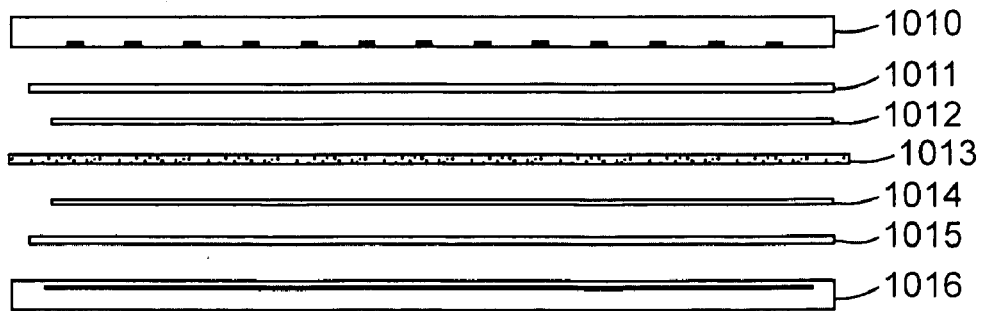
**Fig. 7b**



*Fig. 8*



*Fig. 9*



*Fig. 10*

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