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1. **What existing problem(s) does this invention solve?**

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1. **What are the technical features of the invention that solve this problem(s)? How do these features solve the problem(s)?**

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1. **How is the problem(s) currently solved by others?**

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1. **How is this invention different than the other existing solutions?**

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