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## (54) A MOUNTING TOOL FOR A COMPONENT MOUNTING MACHINE

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#### (57)**ABSTRACT**

The present invention provides a mounting tool tip arranged for being releasably mounted to mounting tool of a component mounting machine, said mounting tool being rotatably arranged in said component mounting machine around a vertical rotational axis. The mounting tool tip comprises a tip portion at a first end and arranged for engagement with a component to be mounted in a component mounting machine; engagement means for mounting said mounting tool tip to said mounting tool. Further, the engagement means is arranged at a second end opposite said first end and further configured such that said tip portion is off-center in a horizontal direction compared to said rotational axis when the mounting tool tip is mounted to said mounting tool. The present invention further provides a mounting tool, a mount head, a component mounting machine as well as method for simultaneously picking at least two components arranged in adjacent component tapes in a component mounting machine.

