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BRIEF COMPENDIUM
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IN THE FIELD OF LEATHER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES*

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countries from the United Nations and other organizations
in the field of leather and allied industries

Introduction

The Leather and Leather Products Industry Panel at its first meeting in Vienna from 5-7 June 1978 requested UNIDO to review existing data on technical assistance available to the developing countries from the United Nations and other organizations in the field of leather and allied industries, and to prepare a brief compendium listing these organizations.

This brief compendium is not to replace the UNIDO publication UNIDO/LIB/SER.D/3, entitled: Information Sources on the Leather and Leather Goods Industry, neither to be a substitute to several national and international directories existing throughout the world.

The main purpose is to give a brief survey of various existing organizations, institutions and institutes active in this field, and existing training possibilities.

Associations and companies established on a profit basis have not been listed. Their names and locations can easily be found in the various existing directories. Managerial training institutes can be found in the 79 Guide to Training Opportunities for Industrial Development (PI/63, 1 November 1978).

This compendium should be considered only the beginning of a permanent information task concerning the entire leather sector and should be further completed and up-dated as required. Suggestions for improvements, amendments and additions to the list would be highly appreciated.

The compendium is divided into four parts:

1. Organizations
2. Training Centres
3. Foundations and institutes involved in overseas studies
4. Development and Investment Banks.

1. ORGANIZATIONS

1.1 International and regional governmental organizations

(a) United Nations family:

United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)
P.O. Box 707
1011 Vienna, Austria

Food and Agriculture Organization of the (FAO)
United Nations
Via delle Terme di Caracalla
00100 Rome, Italy

International Labour Organisation (ILO)
4, Chemin des Morillons
1211 Geneva, Switzerland

International Trade Centre (ITC)
4, Chemin des Morillons
1211 Geneva, Switzerland

United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
One United Nations Plaza
New York, N.Y. 10017, USA

United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)
P.O. Box 30552
Nairobi, Kenya

(b) Other organizations:

Swedish International Development Authority (SIDA)
Birger Jarlsgatan 61
10525 Stockholm, Sweden

Agency for Technical Co-operation (FRG/ATC)
Gesellschaft für Wirtschaftliche Zusammenarbeit
Belvederestrasse 40
5000 Cologne 41, F.R.G.

Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA)
200, rue Principale
Hull, PQ. K1A OG4, Canada

Commonwealth Fund for Technical Cooperation (UK/TC)
Eland House, Stag Place
London SW1 E5DH, U.K.

Danish International Development Agency (DANIDA)
Analiegade 7
1256 Copenhagen, Denmark

Industrial Development Center of Arab States (IDCAS)
P.O. Box 1297
Cairo, Egypt

International Development Association (IDA)
1818 H Street NW
Washington DC 20433, USA

Norwegian Agency for International Development (NORAD)
Information Division
P.O. Box 8142
Oslo, Norway

Overseas Development Agency (UK/ODA)
Eland House, Stag Place
London SW1 E5DH, U.K.

United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
2201 C Street NW
Washington DC 20523, USA

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Austria:

Oesterreichischer Entwicklungshelferdienst
Turkenstrasse 3
1090 Vienna, Austria

Oesterreichisches Institut für Entwicklungshilfe
und Technische Zusammenarbeit mit Entwicklungsländern
Grillparzerstrasse 14
1010 Vienna, Austria

Belgium:

Centre pour l'Etude et le Développement des Investissements d'Outre Mer (CEDION)
34, rue Stassart
1050 Brussels, Belgium

Association Belge d'Expansion et de Coopération
Bd. E. Jacqmain 162
1000 Brussels, Belgium

Ethiopia:

International Livestock Centre for Africa (ILCA)
P.O. Box 5689
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

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Société d'Aide Technique et de Coopération (SATEC)
110 rue de l'Université
Paris Cedex 07, France

Société d'Etudes pour le Développement (SEDES)
Economique et Social
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75007 Paris, France

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Klosterwall 4
2 Hamburg 1, F.R.G.

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Poschingerstrasse 5
8 Munich 86, F.R.G.

Carl-Duisburg Gesellschaft
Hohenstaufenring 30-32
5 Cologne, F.R.G.

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Technische (OTZ)
Zusammenarbeit
Stuttgarterstrasse 10
6236 Eschborn bei Frankfurt, F.R.G.

Entwicklungs-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
Dürenerstrasse 295
5 Cologne 41, F.R.G.

Deutscher Entwicklungsdienst (DED)
Friesdorfer Strasse 151-153
53 Bonn/Bad Godesberg, F.R.G.

Friedrich Ebert Stiftung
Kölnerstrasse 149
53, Bonn/Bad Godesberg, F.R.G.

Italy:

Instituto per la Cooperazione Economico (ICEPS)
Internazionale e Problemi dello Sviluppo
Via Cola di Rienzo 11
Roma, Italy

Japan:

The Institute of Asian Economic Affairs
42, Honmura-Cho Ichigaya Shinjuku-Ku
Tokyo, Japan

Engineering Consulting Firms Association
Kasumigaseki Building, 2-5 Kasumigaseki, 3-Chome
Chiyoda-Ku, Tokyo, Japan

International Development Centre of Japan
Shuwa Daini Toranomon Building
20 Sakuragawa-Cho, Shibanishikubo
Minato-Ku, Tokyo, Japan

The Africa Society of Japan
Han-Ei Kotohiracho Building 30
Kotohira-Cho, Shiba, Minato-Ku
Tokyo, Japan

Japan International Cooperation Agency
Shinjuku Mitsui Building 1
2 Chome Nishi-Shinjuku
Shinjuku-Ku
Tokyo, Japan

Switzerland:

Helvetica
Jubiläumstrasse 60
3000 Berne, Switzerland

USSR - Union of Soviet Socialist Republics:

Institut de l'Afrique de l'Academie des
Sciences de l'USSR
16, Starokomechenny for
Moscow, USSR

USA - United States of America:

African American Institute
833 United Nations Plaza
New York, N.Y. 10017, USA

1.3 Regional Economic Commissions

African Malagasy and Mauritian Common Organisation (OCAM)
B.P. 965
Bangui, Central African Empire

Central African Customs and Economic Union (UDEAC)
B.P. 969
Bangui, Central African Empire

Commission of the European Communities (CEC)
200, rue de la Loi
1040 Brussels, Belgium

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the
Pacific (ESCAP)

Sala Santhitan, Rajadamnern Avenue
UN Building
Bangkok 2, Thailand

Economic Commission for Africa (ECA)
Africa Hall
P.O. Box 3001
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Economic Commission for Latin America (ECLA)
Avenida Dag Hammarskjöld
Casilla 179 D
Santiago, Chile

Economic Commission for Western Asia (ECWA)
P.O. Box 4656
Beirut, Lebanon

Organisation for Economic Cooperation and
Development (OECD)
2, rue André Pascal
75 Paris 16e, France

Organisation for the Development of the
Senegal River (OMVS)
5, Place de l'Indépendance
Dakar, Senegal

Organization of American States (OAS)
17th Street and Constitution Avenue NW
Washington DC 20006, USA

West African Economic Community (WAEC)
B.P. 643
Ouagadougou, Upper Volta

2. TRAINING CENTRES

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Centro de Investigación de Tecnología del Cuero, CITEC
c/o LEMIT
Avenida 52, entre 121 y 122
1900 La Plata, Provincia de Buenos Aires

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Versuchsanstalt für Lederindustrie an der Höheren
Bundes, Lehr- und Versuchsanstalt für Chemische Industrie
Rosensteingasse 79
1170 Vienna

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Institut Communal Technique de Chimie et de Tannerie
de la Ville de Liège
Quai Gloesener 6
4000 Liège

Ecole des Industries du Cuir et de l'Habillement
Rue Agimont, 9
4000 Liège

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Escola Técnica de Curtimento
(Technical School of Tanning) - SENAI
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Estancia Velha, Rio Grande do Sul

Universidad Federal de Paraíba
João Pessoa
State of Paraíba

Escola do Calcado SENAI
Av. Pedro Adams Filho 6338
Caixa Postal 87
Novo Hamburgo, RS

Bulgaria:

Institut du Cuir, de la Pelleterie et de la Chaussure
rue Kosarska 3
Sofia

Costa Rica:

Escuela de Química
Universidad de Costa Rica
San José

Czechoslovakia:

National Research Institute for Shoe, Leather
and Allied Industries - SVUK
Gottwaldov 2

Leathergoods Research and Development Institute
Hradec Králové

Denmark:

Gaerverforsøgsstationen Teknologisk Institut
Gregersensvej
2630 Tæstrup

Ethiopia:

National Productivity Centre, NPC
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Addis Ababa

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7410 Reutlingen

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Petersen Strasse 22
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Lemberger Strasse 60
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Ricklinger Stadtweg 92
3000 Hannover

Prüf- und Forschungsinstitut für Schuhherstellung e.V.
Pirmasens

Max Sahn Schule
Fachschule für das Schuhmacher- und Orthopädischeschuhmacherhandwerk
Frankensteiner Strasse 12
6000 Frankfurt/Main

Fachschule für Orthopädische Schuhmacher und Schuhmodelle
Kerschensteinerschule
Steiermärker Strasse 76
7000 Stuttgart-Feuerbach

Fachschule des Schuhhandels
Am Stadtbud
6780 Pirmasens

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Ecole Française de Tannerie
181-203 Avenue Jean-Jaurès
69353 Lyon

Centre Technique du Cuir - CTC
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75008 Paris

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Thälmannring 1
Postfach 162
92 Freiberg, Sachsen

Institut für die Lederverarbeitende Industrie
Am Mühlberg 9
485 Weissenfeld (Saale)

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Technische Hochschule der Leichtindustrie
Doberdö u. 6
1034 Budapest

Research Institute of the Leather, Artificial Leather and
Footwear Industries
Paksi Jozsef u. 43
IV Budapest

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Institute of Leather Technology
Madras 20

Central Leather Research Institute - CLRI
Adyar, Madras 600 020

Indonesia:

Academy of Leather Technology and Leather Research
Jalan Sokonandi No. 3
Yogyakarta

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18-19 Prowell Square
Dublin 1

Italy:

Instituto Tecnologico del Cuoio
Corso Cicè 7
Torino

Ars Sutoria S.A.S.
Via Ippolito Nievo 33
20145 Milan

Stazione Sperimentale Industria Pelli
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Naples

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Imperial Hokkaido University
Sapporo

Faculty of Agriculture of Tokyo Noto University
3-5-8 Sawai-Cho
Fuchu - SH1
Tokyo 183

Kenya:

AHITI - Animal Health and Industry Training Institute
Kabete

Mexico:

Escuela Politecnica de la Universidad de Guadalajara
Guadalajara, Jal.

Morocco:

Institut National du Cuir et du Textile
B.P. 31
Fez

Netherlands:

Institute for Leather and Shoe Research - TNO
Waalwijk

Nigeria:

Leather Research Institute of Nigeria
P.O. Box 1052
Zaria

Poland:

Instytut Przemyslu Skorzaneego (Leather Institute)
Ul Zgierska 73
Lodz 11

Centralne Laboratorium Przemyslu Obuwniczeego (Shoe Institute)
Ul Zakopianska 9
Cracow

Romania:

Polytechnical Institute - Leather Department
Yassy

Institute of Leather and Rubber Research
Strada Bela Breiner 93
Bucharest

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Escuela Nacional de Teneria
Plaza San Antonio
Igualada (Barcelona)

Departamento de Curtidos del Consejo Superior de
Investigaciones Cientificas Patronato Juan de la Cierva
Jorge Girona Salgado
Barcelona

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Swiss Federal Laboratory for Testing Materials and
Research Institute
Unterstrasse 11
St. Gallen 9001

Turkey:

Leather Research and Training Institute
P.O. Box 26
Pendik, Istanbul

USSR - Union of Soviet Socialist Republics:

Leather Research Institute
Piatnickaia 74
Moscow

Kiev Technological Institute for Light Industries
Ulissa Nemiroviche Dachenko 2
Kiev

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Cordwainers Technical College
Mare Street
London E8 3RE

Design Center - Leicester Polytechnic
Leicester LE1 9BH

Hinckley College of Further Education
London Road
Hinckley, Leicestershire LE10 1HQ

Inner London Education Authority College for the Distribution Trades
30 Leicester Square
London WC2H 7LE

National Leathersellers Center - Nene College
Park Campus
Moulton Park, Northampton UN2 7AL

Strode College
Street, Somerset BA16 0AB

Wellingborough Technical College
Churchstreet
Wellingborough NN8 4DP

USA - United States of America:

Tanners Council Research Laboratory
University of Cincinnati
Campus Station
Cincinnati, Ohio 45221

Uruguay:

LATU - Laboratorio Tecnologico del Uruguay
Galicia 1133
Montevideo

Yugoslavia:

Institute for Leather Research
Karlovac

3. FOUNDATIONS AND INSTITUTES INVOLVED IN OVERSEAS STUDIES

Agence de Coopération Culturelle et Technique (ACCT)
19, Avenue de Messine
75008 Paris, France

Assistance Technique Tannerie Megisserie (ATTM)
122, rue de Provence
Paris, France

Fund for Research and Investment for the (FRIDA)
Development of Africa
38 King Street
London, U.K.

Institut d'Etudes du Développement (IED)
24, rue Rothschild
1202 Geneva, Switzerland

Institut Tropical Suisse
57, Socinstrasse
4051 Bale, Switzerland

Intermediate Technology
9 King Street
London WC2E BHN, U.K.

Koninkliik Instituut voor de Tropen
Mowietkade 63
Amsterdam, Netherlands

Netherlands Universities Foundation for (NUFFIC)
International Co-operation
Molenstreet 271
The Hague, Netherlands

Office des Recherches Scientifiques et
Techniques d'Outre-Mer
24, rue Bayard
Paris, France

(ORSTOM)

The Overseas Economic Cooperation Fund
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2 Chome Uchisaiwai-Cho
Chiyoda-Ku
Tokyo, Japan

Tropical Products Institute
56-62 Gray's Inn Road
London WC1 8LU, U.K.

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African Development Bank
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Abidjan, Ivory Coast

(ADB)

Arab Bank for the Economic Development in Africa
Khartoum, Sudan

Asian Development Bank
Commercial Centre
P.O. Box 126
Makati, Rizal D-708
Philippines

Caisse Centrale de Coopération Economique
233 Bd. St.Germain
Paris, France

(CCCE)

Caribbean Development Bank
P.O. Box 408
Wilden, St. Michel
Barbados

(CARIBANK)

European Investment Bank
P.O. Box 2005
Luxemburg

(EIB)

International Bank for Reconstruction and
Development
1818 H. Street NW
Washington DC 20433, USA

(IBRD)

International Finance Corporation
1818 H. Street NW
Washington DC 20433, USA

(IFC)

Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau
Palmengartenstrasse 5-9
6, Frankfurt am Main 1, F.R.G.

Société Belge d'Investissement International
Rue Montoyer, 46
Brussels, Belgium

(SBI)

The Export Import Bank of Japan
9-1, 1 Chome, Otemachi, Chiyoda-Ku
Tokyo, Japan

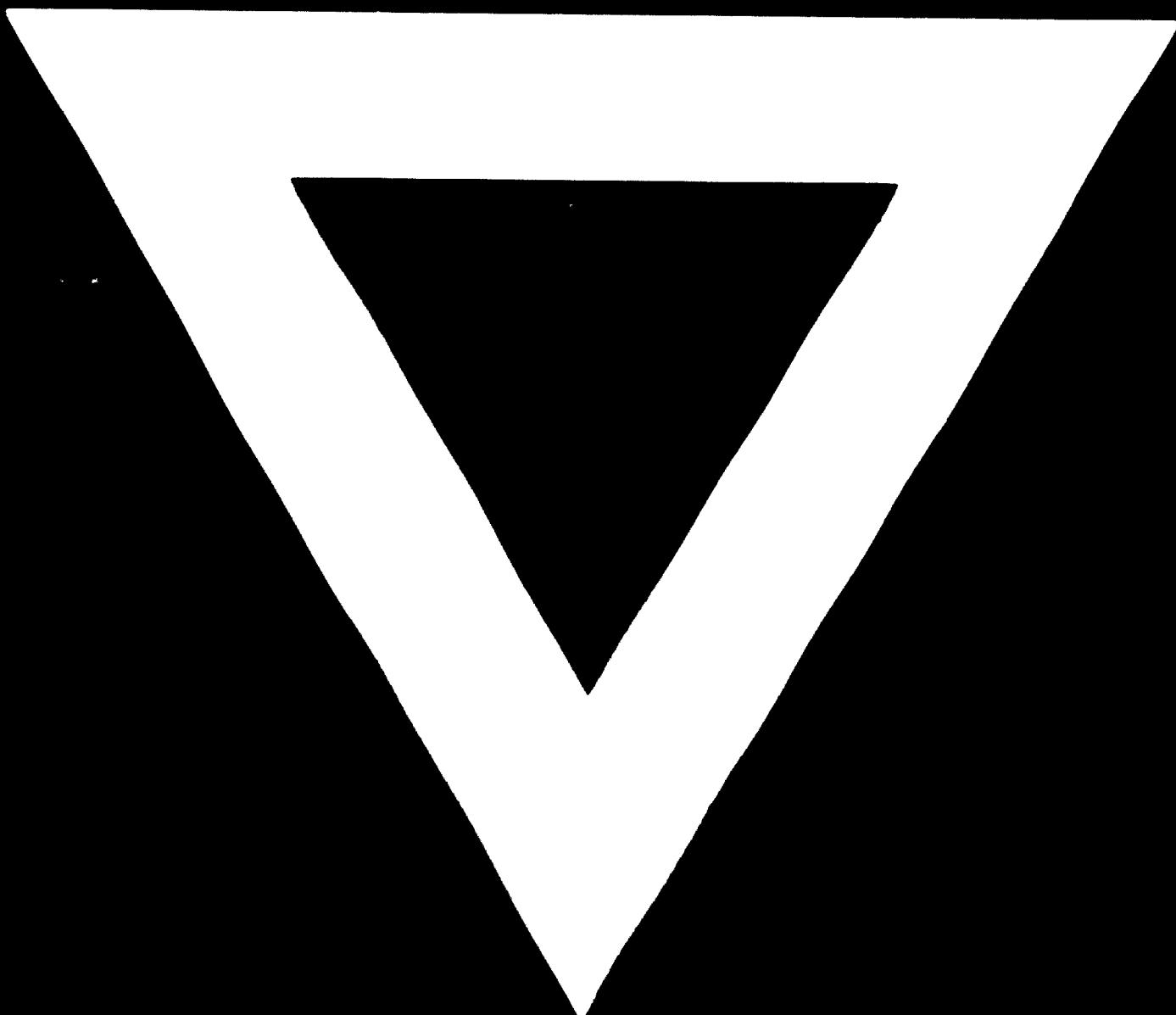
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B.P. 965
Bangui, Central African Empire

(UAMBD)

West African Development Bank
B.P. 117 L
Lomé, Togo

(WADB)

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