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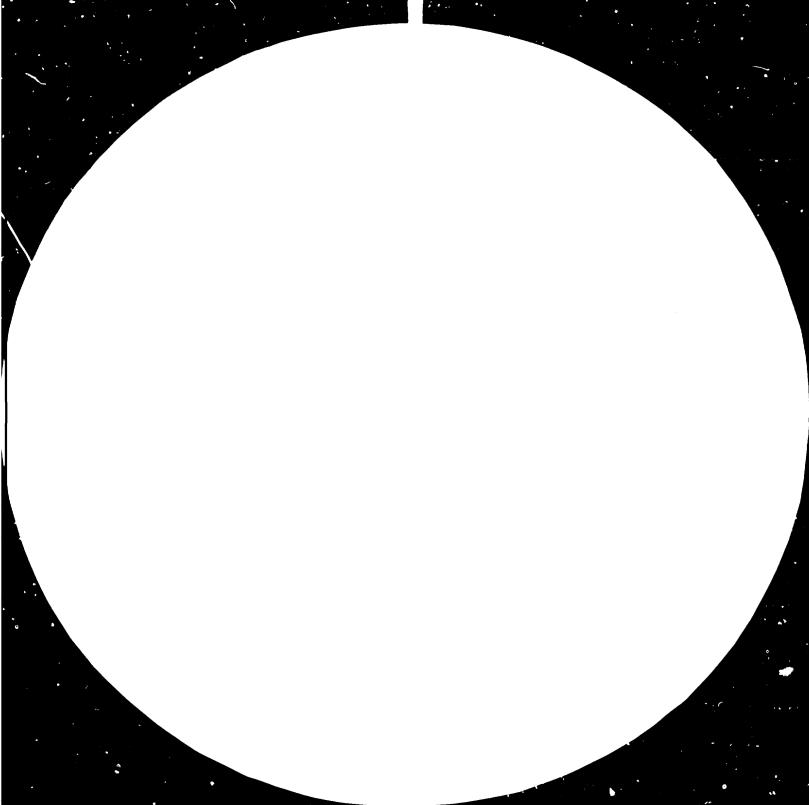
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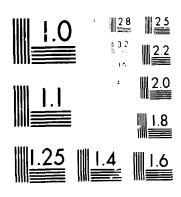
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FOREWORD

The Industrial and Technological Information Bank (INTIB) came into existence in 1977 as a UNIDO pilot operation in four industrial sectors: Iron and Steel, Fertilizers, Agricultural Machinery and Implements, and Agro-Industries. After its successful completion, INTIB has become a permanent activity of UNIDO covering, for the time being, 20 industrial sectors. Its main objective is to facilitate the choice of technology for decision makers in developing countries.

Users' Guides to the International Patent Classification (IPC) were produced by WIPO in co-operation with the European Patent Office in the four sectors selected for the pilot operation of INTIB. They are intended to facilitate access to patent information through the use of the UNIDO Thesaurus of Industrial Development Terms. The Guides stress the importance of patent information for technology selection and describe the process of the identification of patent documents using the International Patent Classification (IPC).

It is hoped that this document will be of assistance to industrial information facilities in developing countries in identifying technologies of relevance to investment decision-making on the basis of appropriate choices of technologies.

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PREPACE

This Users' Guide to the International Patent Classification (IPC) is one of a series dealing with the use of the IPC to retrieve technological information from patent documents. Each Guide considers a well-defined technical section of direct relevance to the development process in developing countries and gives detailed guidance as to how pertinent technological disclosures contained in patent documents may be identified by using the IPC.

The series of Users' Guides to the IPC so far covers the following technical sections:

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INTRODUCTION

- 1. Today, in Eany fields of technology, scientific and technological development is advancing at a very fast pace. Scientific and technological information is assuming increasing importance as a vital resource in the development of national economies, and has become a major factor in the formalution of national policy decisions.
- 2. Scientific and technological information is primarily to be found in patent documents and in technical and scientific books and periodicals. Access to that information, which is vast and rapidly expanding, demands the use of an efficient, widely accepted, classification system. This Guide describes, in general terms, the usefulness of patent cocuments as a source of technological information and explains how the International Patent Classification (IPC) may be used to retrieve technological information concerning AGRO-INDUSTRIES.

PATERT DOCUMENTS AS A SOURCE OF TECHNOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 3. In this Guide, the expression "patent documents," means published patents for invention and published patent applications. It also includes other published documents reflecting other forms of protection for inventions, such as inventors' certificates or utility models.
- 4. By technical and scientific books and periodicals is meant such books and periodicals which contain texts that describe solutions to technical problems. They are sometimes referred to in English as "non-patent literature."
- 5. The expression "patent information" is used in this Guide not (as in some other contexts) to indicate information about patents and patent applications but to mean the technological_information_content_of_patent_documents.

Characteristics of patent documents

- 6. In searching for, and retrieving, technological information, patent documents have more practical importance than periodicals and books. This is so for several reasons, the most important of which are briefly described in the following paragraphs.
- 7. One reason is that patent documents should and, in fact, usually do, disclose solutions of technical problems more clearly, more completely and in more detail than most periodicals and books. They have to do so; otherwise the said disclosures do not qualify as "patents for invention".
- 8. Another reason is that patent documents bear classification symbols of a classification system—the IPC—which was so devised that it should facilitate the finding of the state of the art in a given technology. Later parts of this Guide give a detailed introduction to the IPC and deal exhaustively with the retrieval, by use of the IPC, of patent documents concerned with AGRO-INDUSTRIES. Articles in periodicals and books usually do not show any classification symbols or, if they do, the classification is usually one which has not been devised for the purposes of finding the state of the art.
- 9. An additional reason for which patent documents are generally more useful than periodicals and books is that patent documents are drafted in a certain style and their contents are divided in certain parts which follow each other in a certain order. And this is true not only in respect of the patent documents of a given country but also in respect of the patent documents of all countries. The resulting advantage is that a searcher reads documents which have a structure with which he is familiar. Such uniform structure does not always exist in the case of articles in periodicals and books.
- 10. Pinally, there is still another reason for which patent documents are more useful than periodicals and books. This reason lies in the fact that, characteristically, any given patent application tries to prove that the invention claimed in it is something new, and something representing the required inventive step, in relation to former inventions claimed in older patent applications.

- 11. Patent documents also possess a certain number of specific characteristics that make them eminently suitable for retrieval of technological information, e.g.: they normally disclose information on new inventions earlier than is disclosed in other sources of technological information; a high proportion of patent documents contain an abstract; patent documents belonging to the same family* are frequently in a number of different languages.
- 12. The preceding assertions can be proven by statistics. It is estimated that only less that 10% of all the publications cited against the average patent application are citations of articles in periodicals or books. The rest, that is, on average more than 90% of the publications cited against the average patent application, are citations of patent documents.
- 13. Patent documents are, then, useful sources of technological information with clear advantages over other sources of technological information. There are, however, a certain number of limitations to this usefulness, which are the following:
 - (a) new technology is not always sufficiently inventiv. to be patentable;
- (b) even where a patent has been granted by an examining Patent Office, this is not a guarantee that the invention is absolutely new;
- (c) although patent documents should be, and generally are, written in a way which allows the invention to be executed on the basis of them alone, it will frequently be cheaper and faster in practice to execute it with the cooperation of the inventor (for example, by acquiring his know-how and blueprints under a contract concluded with him) than without such cooperation.
- 14. Each year more than one million patent document are published by some 70 countries. Some countries publish a patent document as a patent application and later as the granted patent. Other countries publish only the granted patent. The following twelve countries publish 80% of the world's total patent documents:

Japan	439,000	Canada	23,000
Germany (Federal Republic of)	146,000*	Spain	21,000*
Soviet Union	70,000	Australia	21,000
France	58,000	Netherlands	18,000
United States of America	49,000	Sweden	16,500
United Kingdom	43,000	Italy	12,000

(Based on WIPO Statistics for 1979)

* including utility model publications

THE INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASSIFICATION (IPC)

- 15. The IPC is based on an international multilateral treaty administered by the International Bureau of WIPO (the Strasbourg Agreement Concerning the International Patent Classification of 1971). The symbol or symbols of the classification to which the technical invention described in a patent document belongs are usually indicated on the patent document by the Patent Office of the country where the application has filed. Thus, the document will be retrievable according to its subject matter with the help of the IPC.
- 16. The IPC is now applied by over 40 Patent Offices which, taken together, issue over 90% of the patent documents of the world. By the end of 1980, some ten million patent documents had been provided with the classification symbols of the IPC. Approximately 4.0 million of them are in English, 2.0 million in Prench and 1.5 million in German. The remainder are in various other languages, mainly Dutch, Japanese and Russian.
- 17. Many years of international cooperation, which started in 1956 under the auspices of the Council of Europe, resulted, in 1971, in the Strasbourg Agreement Concerning the International Patent Classification which provided a worldwide forum for the development of the IPC.

^{*} Patent documents published in different countries but relating to the same invention are generally called a "patent family".

- 18. The IPC, being a means for obtaining an internationally uniform classification of patent documents, has as its primary purpose the establishment of an effective search tool for the retrieval of patent documents by Patent Offices and other users to establish the novelty and evaluate the inventive step (including the assessment of technical advance and useful results or utility) of patent applications.
- 19. The IPC, furthermore, has the important purposes of serving as:
 - (a) an instrument for the orderly arrangement of patent documents in order to facilitate access to the information contained therein;
 - (b) a basis for selective dissemination of information to all users of patent information;
 - (c) a basis for investigating the state of the art in given fields of technology;
 - (d) a basis for the preparation of industrial property statistics which in turn permit the assessment of technological development in specific areas.
- 20. Reeping the IPC up to date and allotting its symbols to new patent documents is one of the largest international efforts, at least in terms of expert manpower at international and national levels, in information processing today. At the international level, an estimated 120 work-months per year, and, at the national level, an estimated 240 work-months per year, are devoted to revising the IPC and adapting it to newly developing technologies and the needs of the users. The yearly effort to allot the IPC symbols to new patent documents is estimated at approximately 600 work-months (90,000 hours) of work by highly qualified Patent Office staff. It should be emphasized that such new patent documents can, subject to a possible check of the classification allotted, be directly inserted into the appropriate place in a search file organized according to the IPC.
- 21. The third edition of the IPC came into force on January 1, 1980. It comprises nine volumes, being the Guide and the Classification itself. The Guide, which is contained in Volume 9, explains the layout, use of sympols, principles, rules and application of the Classification contained in Volumes 1 to 8. In the following paragraphs a short outline will be given of the system and principles of the IPC as well as of the most important rules.

Layout and Use of Symbols

22. The IPC is a hierarchical system comprising the following classification levels, which are listed in hierarchical order:

Sections.

Classes,

Subclasses,

Groups (main groups and subgroups).

23. These different classification levels are characterized by a letter or a number. A complete classification symbol consists of a combination in which each of these levels is represented. The third edition of the IPC consists of:

8 sections,

118 classes.

617 supclasses, about

7,000 main groups, and approximately

47,000 subgroups.

24. The IPC is divided into eight sections, each designated by a capital letter (section symbol), as follows:

Section A HUMAN NECESSITIES

Section B PERFORMING OPERATIONS; TPANSPORTING

Section C CHEMISTRY AND METALLURGY

Section D TEXTILES AND PAPER

FIXED CONSTRUCTIONS Section E

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING; LIGHTING; Section F

HEATING; WEAPONS; BLASTING

Section G **PHYSICS**

ELECTRICITY Section H

- 25. Each class symbol consists of the section symbol followed by a two-digit number, e.g. A 01. Each subclass symbol consists of the class symbol followed by a capital letter, e.g. A 01 B.
- 26. Each group symbol consists of the subclass followed by two numbers separated by an oblique stroke, either as:
 - main group symbol, which consists of the subclass symbol followed by a one to three digit number, the oblique stroke and the number 00:

Example: A 01 B 1/00

- sub-group symbol, which consists of the subclass symbol followed by the one to three digit number of its main group, the oblique stroke and a number of at least two digits other than 00:

Example: A 01 B 1/24

Any third digit after the oblique stroke is to be read as a decimal subdivision of the second digit, e.g., "/215" is to be read as "twenty one point five," and not "two hundred and fifteen."

27. A complete classification symbol comprises the combined symbols representing the section, class, subclass and main group or sub-group:

Example:

A	01	в,	1/00	or I	1/24
Section	i i	!		i Ì	!
Cla	ss	!		1	1
S	ub-class	i		1	ĺ
I	Main G	confi		- ¦	1
		Sub-group	>		

28. The hierarchy among groups is determined solely by the dots preceding the titles of sub-groups. These dots are used in place of, and avoid repetition of, the titles of hierarchically directly superior groups:

Example: A 24 B 7/00 Cutting tobacco (hand cutting tool B 26 B; slicing in general B 26 D 4/00)
7/04 . by machines with revolving knives

7/08 . . with several knives which act one after the other

7/10 . . . with cutter axes parallel to the feeding direction

Without the use of hierarchical levels, sub-group A 24 B 7/10 would have to have a title such as: "Cutting tobacro by machines with several revolving knives acting one after the other with cutter axes paraulel to the feeding direction."

29. In many cases, a class, subclass or group title is followed by a phrase in brackets referring to another place in the IPC. Such a phrase indicates that the subject matter identified is classified in the place referred to (or in one or more places where several are referred to). An example of such a reference can be seen in Appendix III to this document under the symbol A 24 B 7/00.

- 30. In certain places of the Classification, some particular classification rules are specified. The purpose of these rules is to limit multiple classification, to improve consistency and to facilitate searching.
- 31. The places where such rules apply are clearly marked by a note at the highest place covered by such classification rules. Such rules are:
 - (a) Precedence Note The most frequently occurring rule is the "precedence note", indicating which one of two or more places has priority in the classification of a technical subject which can be classified in more than one of these;
 - (b) Last Place Rule In certain parts or places of the Classification, where a particular technical subject is covered by two or more places of the same hierarchical level or indentation, a "last place rule" has been introduced. According to this rule, such a technical subject is classified in the one of these places which appears last in the Classification. This rule is applied successively at each hierarchical level or indentation at which the technical subject in question is covered by two or more places. In each part of the Classification (class, subclass or group), where this rule applies, this rule is clearly set out in a note specific to the subject matter concerned. The "last place rule" is in effect a systematic precedence rule which obviates the need for separate precedence notes in each of the places concerned;
 - (c) Other Rules In a limited number of places in the Classif cation other particular rules exist which are clearly specified in notes at the places concerned.

Relevant sup-groups of the IPC concerned with AGRO-INDUSTRIES

- 32. The aim of identifying basic technical information necessitates the carrying out of a so-called "information search," which is made to familiarize the inquirer with the state of the art in a particular field of technology.
- 33. Before making a search, it is essential to establish clearly what is being sought, i.e. the technical subject has to be determined. Having formulated a clear statement of the technical subject which is being sought, the searcher has to identify the proper place for this subject in the IPC. Although the IPC is a relatively logical subdivision of technology, it is advisable for the uninitiated searcher to approach the system using the Catchword Index to the IPC, which has been elaborated in several languages, e.g., in English, Prench, German, Japanese and Spanish.
- 34. Consideration of the statement of the technical subject sought will bring to mind a word which covers broadly or specifically the field of technology with which this subject is clearly concerned. As most of the words of the Catchword Index are nouns, it is preferable to consider the name given to the relevant process or device, although it may be useful to consider other words. The Catchword Index may indicate to the searcher a precise group of the IPC as the proper place for the technical subject being sought, but often there can only be an indication of the subclass or possibly only the class or range of classes concerned.
- 35. A sample page of the Official Catchword Index appears in Appendix I to this document and shows, for example, the catchword "FRUIT" with a number of subordinate entries with references to specific places in the IPC.
- 36. If use of the Catchword Index does not lead to a pertinent field of search, the "Contents of Section" (see Appendix II to this document) appearing at the beginning of each section of the IPC should be consulted. The eight sections should be scanned and the possible classes should be selected. Thereafter, the searcher should turn to those classes in order to select the subclass (or subclasses) which most satisfactorily covers the subject. The references and notes appearing in the selected subclass title should be checked for an indication of subclass content and for possible distinctions between subclasses, which in turn may indicate that the location of the desired subject is elsewhere. It is also essential to consult any notes or references appearing in the title of the relevant class, since these may also affect the subclass content.

- 37. When the correct subclass has been identified, the main group which, in the light of its full wording and any existing notes and references most clearly includes the subject being sought should then be selected.
- 38. The most indented sub-group (i.e., having most dots) under the selected main group, which still covers the subject sought, should be chosen for search.
- 39. After completing the search in a chosen group, it should be considered whether the superior group (i.e., having fewer dots) under which it is indented should be searched, since a wider subject which includes the subject sought may be classified there.
- 40. Appendix III to this document shows an excerpt of the IPC giving the whole of sub-class A 24 B relating to manufacture and preparation of tobacco for smoking and chewing, and Appendix IV shows photocopies of front pages of patent documents published by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (US Patent No. 4,155,295), by the Egyptian Patent Office (EG Patent No. 10156) and by the International Bureau of WIPO (PCT International Application No. WO 61/00956).
- 41. Appendix V gives an exhaustive list of thesaurus terms as defined by UNIDO as relevant to the industrial sector "AGRO-INDUSTRIES." Against each term is listed the IPC symbol(s) most appropriate for the technological subject of the term. Where necessary detailed explanatory notes are given.
- 42. Against each IPC symbol, or group of symbols, statistical information giving the patent activity in each industrial sector is given in Appendix V. The statistics give the number of patent documents published in the year 1978, based upon information received from INPADOC (see paragraph 47 below), on which the symbol, or group of symbols, is printed. The total number of patent documents relevant to each industrial sector may be estimated by multiplying the figure given in Appendix V by a factor of 10, although that factor naturally varies between industrial sectors.

RETRIEVAL OF PATENT DOCUMENTS RELATING TO AGRO-INDUSTRIES USING THE IPC

- 43. There are several ways to take cognizance of the enormous amount of technological information contained in patent documents, namely, the consultation of patent document collections organized according to the IPC or other (national) classification systems or the consultation of secondary sources of patent information, e.g., patent gazettes, abstracts services, Selective Dissemination of Information (SDI) or international referral services which, in many cases, contain also references to patent documents.
- 44. In view of the enormous amount of patent documents published each year, the user will almost certainly like to restrict the number of patent documents which he is interested in reading to a strict minimum. It is, therefore, likely that he will first rely on a secondary information source for a first selection of relevant documents.

Patent gazettes

45. To assist users in identifying primary sources of patent information, most Industrial Property Offices publish patent gazettes (also named official gazettes or official bulletins). These gazettes usually contain a certain number of indexes, e.g., by classification symbol, by name of applicant, etc., and contain entries consisting of bibliographic data relating to and marked also on the newly published patent documents. Some of these gazettes also contain abstracts of patent documents.

Abstracts services

46. As set forth above, many patert gazettes contain abstracts, as also do patent documents (see Appendix IV containing the first page of US Patent No. 4,155,295). There are also many patent documents which are officially published in a given language but of which abstracts—that is, a description of their technological content in a few lines—are available in another language. For example, the Japanese Patent Office publishes English abstracts of a substantial portion of its published unexamined patent applications,

whilst Derwent Publications Limited, a private firm in London, publishes each year tens of thousands of abstracts in English of patent documents published in many languages, including Russian and Japanese. Chemical Abstracts, a publication of Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS), a subsidiary of the American Chemical Society, Columbus, Ohio, United States of America, publishes abstracts in the chemical and chemical engineering field supplemented by indexes produced weekly.

International referral services

- 47. A truly international referral service for patent information came into existence in 1972. In that year, the International Patent Documentation Center (INPADOC) was created in Vienna by virtue of an Agreement between WIPO and the Republic of Austria. INPADOC stores, in a machine-readable data bank, the most important bibliographic data of each patent document, i.e., the title of the invention, its classification symbol, relevant dates, names and numbers. The said bibliographic data are either obtained from Industrial Property Offices in machine-readable form or input by INPADOC on the basis of the announcements published in patent gazettes.
- 48. At present, bibliographic data pertaining to patent documents published by the following 46 countries are included on a current basis in the data bank of INPADOC. Argentina, Australia, Austria, Palgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Cuda, Cyprus, Czechoslovakia, Lenmark, Egypt, Finland, France, German Democratic Republic, Germany (Federal Republic of), Greece, Hong Kong, Hungary, India, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Luxembourg, Malewi, Monaco, Mongolia, Netherlands, Norway, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Yorea, Romania, South Africa, Soviet Union, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States of America, Yugoslavia, Zambia. The data bank is growing at a rate of 16,000 patent documents per week (more than 90% of the world total) and is the largest computerized data bank of bibliographic data relating to patent documents in the world.
- 49. INPADOC processes the bibliographic data and provides services to government authorities and the public. The data bank can be used for answering many kinds of questions, the two most important being the following. Firstly, the data bank can be asked to identify all the patent documents belonging to any given symbol of the more than 54,000 symbols of the IPC. Here lies of course the main usefulness of the Center in giving industry and other users access to the achievements of modern technology. The Patent Classification Service (PCS) provided by INPADOC gives, on microfiche, the bibliographic data of each patent document belonging to each IPC symbol. An alternative service gives information concerning one, or a selected number of, IPC symbols. An example of the PCS is given in Appendix VI to this document. Secondly, the data bank can provide all the patent documents which in various countries have been filed for the same invention by -- usually, but not necessarily--the same person, company or enterprise. Thus, one can obtain information at a glance as to the likelihood of the invention being protected in various countries, and, which is of greater interest for the purpose of access to technological information, as to the likelihood of the invention being described in different languages. INPADOC is also studying the possibility of using its services in the preparation of industrial property statistics.
- 50. To replace the burdensome scanning of various patent gazettes published by many countries, INPADOC publishes each week an international patent gazette, the INPADOC Patent Gazette (IPG). The IPG, which is published on microfiche, consists of three basic indexes, i.e., by number, by IPC symbol, and by standardized applicant's name, respectively each containing references to all patent documents stored in INPADOC's data bank in the previous week. The index by IPC symbol, the Selected Classification Service (SCS), is particularly useful as a current-awareness service. An example of the SCS is given in Appendix VI. Users thus can follow easily and week by week any field of technology or the activities of any given company, enterprise or applicant.

Access to the primary sources of information

51. Each Patent Office has a collection of all the patent documents it has published. Each major Patent Office also has complete, or largely complete, collections of patent documents published by the Patent Offices of the other countries or at least of most of them. These collections are either in

numerical order or classified order or both. Some libraries (in developed countries) also have more or less complete collections of domestic and foreign published pateric documents. Members of the general public usually are allowed to consult such collections. In major Patent Offices and major libraries, specialized staff is usually available to assist the public in locating published patent documents it is interested in.

- 52. Patent Offices and the libraries mentioned above are usually equipped to furnish copies of published patent documents contained in their collections to anyone who wants them and pays the prescribed price. Unic prices, mostly independent of the number of pages of the patent document, range from US dollar 0.50 for a US patent to approximately US dollars 5.00 for a Soviet Union patent. The average price per patent document, on standing order, is approximately US dollars 2.00.
- 53. It should be emphasized that the patent document collections available throughout the world are the result of a broad free-of-charge exchange of currently issued patent documents among countries and, more especially, among the Patent Offices of those countries under bilateral and multilateral exchange agreements. The patent documents are exchanged in the form of paper copies or in microform. It is estimated that a total of more than 15 million copies of patent documents per year are exchanged in this way. Secondary sources of patent information in the form of patent gazettes are also exchanged free of charge on a broad basis. In order to promote national and regional infrastructures, WIPO has successfully developed and sponsored procurement and exchange of primary and secondary sources of patent information for developing countries.

Conclusions

- 54. This Guide is intended to give the basic approach in obtaining the state of the technology in a given industrial sector in the most economic way by consulting selected patent documents.
- 55. For those individuals and institutions who have easy access to patent libraries and to the updated official editions of the IPC the way of action is straightforward;
- Step I determine which of the UNIDO Thesaurus Keywords (Appendix V) reflect the main features of the technology in question;
- Step II find out (using tile second column of the Appendix V) which of the IPC units correspond to that keyword;
- Step III consult the IPC to find out (from the definitions of main groups and subgroups) the groups to be searched;
- Step IV select patent documents published within a certain period and classified by the symbols of the liven IPC group (the average number of patent documents published with a particular subgroup symbol is about 40 per year);
- Step V analyse selected documents and, if necessary, other relevant documents cited in the selected ones.
- 56. For those users whose location or other circumstances prevent them from consulting in person the official edition of the IPC Step III might be ficilitated by Appendix V-A which gives supplementary information by reproducing definitions of certain groups of the IPC. This has been done in those cases (marked by daggers in Appendix V) where a keyword corresponds to more than one main group of the IPC.
- 57. Selection and reproduction, if necessary, of the relevant patent documents (Step IV) for the interested users may be performed on a commercial basis by the above-mentioned INPADOC (Mo.lwaldplatz 4, A-1041 Vienna, Austria) or by national Patent Offices or libraries (some of these institutions provide such a service).
- 58. Governmental institutions of developing countries may also avail themselves of still another possibility, namely, the WIPO State-of-the-Art Search program. Established as one of the forms of technical assistance to developing countries, this program enables a user to receive, free of charge, a report on the latest achievements and the general technological level in a particular field specified in the user's request and also copies of relevant patent documents.

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- 4. INPADOC, General Information (WIPO/INPADOC Publication No. 426 (E F G)).

[Appendices I to VI follow]

APPENDIX I

OFFICIAL CATCHWORD INDEX

to the Third Edition (1979) of the International Patent Classification

FRIEDEL-CRAFTS				PUNC	TION
FRIEDEL-CRAFTS			FRYING	A47J	37 ′0
- reactions	C07B	27/00 29/00	57.T. (S)	CIOL	
	C07C	29/00 45/46	FUEL(S)		
- Itare	E04F	[9/02	adding materials to — to im- prove them	CIOL	
RIEZES	EUNP	19702	combustion apparatus for liq- uid, gaseous, or fluent -	F23C	
FRINGES	D04D	5/00	combustion apparatus for only	FIJB	
stificial bair —	A4IG		solid — feeding — to combustion ap-	F23K	
FROGS			paratus	Ciai	
- for railway tracks	E01B	7/10	- based on waste materials - boxes	CIOL A47J	5/4 49/0
		25/06	- briquettes	CIOL	5/0
			- bunkers	365D	•
FROST				E04B	7/3
protecting plants from —	AOIG	13/00	- cells or batteries	HOLM	\$/0
			- injection peculiar to inter-	F02M	
FROSTING			nal-combustion engines		
- surfaces by abrading	B24B		gaseous —	CIOL	3/0
, -	B24C		investigating —	GOIN	33/2
			liquid —	CIOL	
FROTHING see FLOTATION, FOAM			nuclear - elements for reac-	G21C	3/0
PLUTATION, FOAM			tors	CloF	
			obtaining — from peat regulating or controlling —	F23N	
FROZEN			supply in combustion in	1.5014	
— sweets	A23G	9/00	general		
71.70	C114	11.00	solid -	CIOL	5/0
FRUCTOSE	CI3K	11/00	storage of —	B65G	3/0
			stoves or ranges using gaseous	F24C	
FRUIT			or liquids —	F24B	
apparatus for printing or	B41F	17/34	stoves or ranges using solid — treating — to improve their	CIOL	
stamping on -			quality — to improve their	CIUL	
anificial —	A4IG	1/00	400111)		
cabinets, racks, or trays for	A47B	75/00	FULLING		
domestic — storage cultivation of — trees	AOIG	17/00		D0()/	٠,,
cutting or slicing —	B26D	1/00	- fibres or fabrics	D06M C14B	3/
		3/00	- hides - textile fabrics	D06C	17/0
devices for coring, destalking	A47J	21/00	- textile (2011C)	Dooc	1770
or stoning —		to 25/00	FULMINATES	C07C	131/1
devices for coring, destalking	A23N	11	· - ·		
or stoning — in bulk domestic peeling or paring of	A473	17/00	 in detonating or priming compositions 	C06B	37/0
domestic - presses	A473	19/00	FUMES		
drying —	A23.N	12/00		2000	100
extracting of juices from -	A23 N	1/00	preventing escape of dirt or -	B08B	15/
	A473	19/00	removal or treatment of — in	F23J	
— jellies	A23L	1/06	comhustion apparatus		
— juices	A23L	2/02	FUMIGATING		
hand-knives for —	B26B	25/04			
packaging —	B65B A23N	25/04 7/08	- for sanitary purposes	AGIL	
peeling — in bulk	AOID		see also DISINFECTING		
preserving —	A23B	7/00	mis (mass)		
stoning — in bulk	A23 N		FUNCTIONS		
		4/00	evaluating -	G06	
	A01F		see also COMPUTING		

SECTION A - HUMAN NECESSITIES

APPEIDIX II

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A 01	AGRICULTURE; FORESTRY; ANIMAL HUSBANDRY; HUNTING; TRAPPING; FISHING	A 23 B	Preserving, e.g. by canning, meat, fish, e ₁ vs. fruit, vegetables, edible, seeds; Chemical ripening of fruit or vegetables; The preserved, ripened, or canned products	35
A 01 B	Soil working in agriculture or forestry; Parts, details, or accessories of agricultural muchines or implements, in general		Dairy products, e. g. milk, butter, cheese; Milk or cheese substitutes; Making thereof	35
A 01 C	Planting; Sowing; Fertilising		Butter substitutes; Edible oils or fets	37
	Harvesting	A 23 F	Coffee; Tea; Their substitutes; Manufacture,	٠.
	Processing of harvested produce; Hay or		preparation, or infusion thereof	
A 01 1	straw presses; Devices for storing		Cocoa; Chocolate; Confectionery; Ice-cream	
	agricultural or horticultural produce		Proteins; Phosphatides	
A 01 G	Culture of vegetables, flowers, fruit, vines,		Fodder	35
A 01 H	hops, or seaweed; Forestry; Watering	A 23 L	Foods or foodstuffs not covered by sub-classes A 23 B to A 23 J; Their	
A 01 I	Manufacture of dairy products (see sub-class		preparation, e.g. cooking; Preservation of foods or foodstuffs in general	ac
,	A 23 C for chemical matters)	A 23 N	Machines or apparatus for treating harvested	~
A 01 K	Animal husbandry; Care of birds, fishes, insects; Fishing	A 23 N	fruit, vegetables, or flower bulbs in bulk, not otherwise provided for: Peeling vegetables or	
A 01 L	Shoeing of animals		fruit in bulk: Apparatus for preparing animal	
A 01 M	Catching or trapping of unimals; Apparatus		feeding-stuffs	41
	for the destruction of noxious animals or noxious plants	A 23 P	Shaping or working of foodstuffs not fully covered by a single other sub-class	47
A 01 N	Preservation of bodies of humans or animals or plants or parts thereof; Biocides, e. g. as disinfectants. 22 p.esticides, as herbicides; Pest	A 24	TOBACCO; CIGARS; CIGARETTES;	
	repellants or attractants; Plant growth regulators	A 24	SMOKERS' REQUISITES	43
			Manufacture and preparation of tobacco for smoking and chewing; Tobacco; Snuff	
Sub-See	tion: FOODSTUFFS AND TOBACCO	A 2÷ C	Machines for making cigars and cigarettes	44
		A 24 D	Cigare; Cigarettes; Tobacco smoke filters; Mouthpieces for cigars or cigarettes;	
A 21	BAKING; EDIBLE DOUGHS	_	Manufacture of tobacco smoke filters or mouthpieces	
A 21 B	Bakers' ovens; Machines or equipment for baking	A 24 F	Smokers' requisites; Match boxes	4:
≯ 21 C	Machines and equipment for making and processing doughs; Handling baked articles made from dough	Sub-Se	ection: PERSONAL AND DOMESTIC ARTICLES	
A 21 D	Treatment, e.g. preservation, of flour or dough, e.g. by addition of materials; Baking; Bakery products; Preservation thereof	A 41	WEARING APPAREL	4:
A 22	BUTCHERING; MEAT TREATMENT;		Underwear; Baby linen; Handkerchiefs	
/1 44	PROCESSING POULTRY OR FISH		Corsets	
			Outwear; Protective garments; Accessories	
	Slaughtering	A 41 F	Garment fastenings; Suspenders	4
A 22 C	Processing meat poultry or fish	A 41 G	Artificial flowers; Wigs; Masks; Feathers	4

A 41 H	Appliances or methods for making clothes. e. g. for dress-making, for tailering, not		Sub-Se	rtion: HEALTH AND AMUSEMENT	
	covered elsewhere	50			
			A 61	MEDICAL AND VETERINARY SCIENCE; HYGIENE	9
A 42	HEADWEAR	51			
				Diagnosis; Surgery; Identification	
	Hats: Head coverings	51		Dentistry; Oral or dental hygiene	9
A 42 C	Manufacturing and trimming hats and other		A 61 D	Vete: inary instruments, implements, tools or	
	head coverings		A 61 F	methods Prostheses: Orthopaedic or nursing appliances; Contraceptive devices; Fomentation: Treatment or protection of	9 :
A 43	FOOTWEAR			eyes or ears; Bandages	9:
A 43 B	Footwear	52	A 61 G	Transport and accommodation for patients:	
A 43 C	Fastenings: Laces; Attachments	54		Operating tables and chairs; Chairs for dentistry; Burial devices	9
	Machines: Tools: Equipment: Methods HABERDASHERY: JEWELLERY		A 61 H	Physical therapy apparatus, e.g. devices for locating or stimulating reflex points in the body; Artificial respiration; Massage; Baths or washing devices for special purposes or	
A 44	HABERDASHERT; JEWELLERT	27		specific parts of the body	9
	Buttons, pins, buckles, slide fasteners, etc. Jewellery: Bracelets; Other personal adoruments; Coins		A 61 J	Putting-up pharmaceutical products; Devices for administering food or medicines orally; Baby comforters; Devices for receiving spittle	
			A 61 K	Preparations for medical, dental, or toilet	
A 45	HAND AND TRAVELLING ARTICLES	62	A 6: L	purposes	9
A 45 B	Walking sticks; Umbrellas; Ladies' or like	62		or objects in general; Disinfection, sterilisation, or deodorisation of air; Chemical	
A 45 C	Purses; Travelling bags and baskets; Suitcases			aspects of, or use of materials for, bandages or dressings; Materials for surgical suture or for ligaturing blood vessels	i O :
A 45 D	Hairdressing or shaving equipment;		A 61 M	Devices for introducing media into or onto	_
	Manicuring or other cosmetic treatment			the body; Devices for transducing body	
A 45 F	Travelling or camp equipment	6/	A 61 N	media or for taking media from the body	
				userapy	
A 46	BRUSHWARE				
	Brushes		A 62	LIFE-SAVING; FIRE-FIGHTING	0
A 45 D	Manufacture of brushes	69		Devices, apparatus or methods for life-saving 1	
				Fire-fighting	1
A 47	FURNITURE; DOMESTIC AKTICLES OR APPLIANCES; COFFEE MILLS; SPICE		A 62 D	Chemical means for extinguishing fires or for combating or protecting against harmful chemical agents; Chemical materials for use in breathing apparatus	
	MILLS; SUCTION CLEANERS IN GENERAL	70		in oreauning apparatus	•
A 47 B	Tables; Desks; Office furniture; Cabinets; Drawers; General details or furniture	70	A 63	SPORTS; GAMES; AMUSEMENTS	1
A 47 C	Chairs; Sofas; Beds		A 67 B	Apparatus for abusical training manageries	
	Furniture specially adapted for children		7 W B	Apparatus for physical training, gymnastics, swimming, climbing or fencing; Ball games;	
	Special furniture, fittings, or accessories for			Training equipment	1
	shops, storehouses, bars, restaurants, or the like; Paying counters	. 78	A 63 C	Skates; Skis; Water-shoes; Roller skates; Courts, Rinks	11
A 47 G	Household and table equipment		A 63 D	Bowling-alleys; Bowling games; Boccia,	
A 47 H	Furnishings for windows and doors	81		Bowls; Bagatelle; Billiards	11
λ 47 J	Kitchen equipment; Domestic equipment not covered in sub-class A 47 G; Coffee mills;	82			
A 47 K	Spice mills				
A 47 L	for; Toilet accessories	86			
_	cleaners in general	. 88			

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A 63 F	Card, board, or roulette games: Indoor games	A 63 H Toys, e. g. tops, dolls, hoops, building blocks 121
	using small moving playing bodies; Miscellaneous games	A 63 J Devices for theatres, circuses, etc.; Conjuring appliances or the like
A 63 G	Merry-go-ro ds: Swings: Rocking-horses: Chutes: Switchbacks: Similar devices for public amusement 120	A 63 K. Racing: Riding sports; Equipment or accessories therefor

[Appendix III follows]



A 24 TOBACCO; CIGARS; CIGARETTES; SMOKERS' REQUISITES

A 24 8 MANUFACTURE AND PREPARATION OF TOBACCO FOR SMOKING AND CHEWING; TOBACCO; SNUFF

Sub-cl	ass Index		
STRIP	ARATION	CHEMICAL T	ACHINES
			<u> </u>
1/00	Preparation of tobacco on the plantation (harvesters for tobacco A 01 D 45/16)		ding or regulating devices for tobacco-cutting aratus
1/02	. Arrangements in barns for preparatory treatment of the tobacco, e.g. with devices for drying		of the moisture content of tobacco products, rars, eigarettes, pipe tobacco (devices for use by
1/04	Sifting, sorting, cleaning or removing impurities from tobacco (purifying by sifting or sorting in general B 07 B)	the smo	oker for controlling the moisture content of products A 24 F 25/00; humidity control per se
1/06	. Stringing tobacco leaves	11/00 Tobacc	o-twisting machines
1/08	. Suspending devices for tobacco leaves		to for pipes, for cigars, e.g. cigar inserts, or for
1/10	. Packing or pressing tobacco		tes; Chewing tobacco; Snuff (mechanical
3/00	Preparing tobacco in the factory	treatme	ent 3/00 to 11/00; reconstituted tobarco
3/02	Humidifying packed raw tobacco (containers for packaging contents in moist condition 8 65 D 81/22)	•	ts 3/14; chemical features or treatment of p 15/00)
3/04		13/02 - Fiai	kes or shreds of tobacco
3/06	tobacco (3/12 takes precedence)		cal features or treatment of tobacco; Tobacco utes (3/00 takes precedence)
2. 00	takes precedence)		erred to 15/18, covered by 15/00)
3/07		15/027.	erred to A 24 D 3/00)
3/08	. Blending tobacco	15/04 to	
3/10	•	•• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	erred to 15/10, 15/18 covered by 15/00)
3/12	-	15/10 . Che	emical features of tobacco products or tobacco
3/14		sub.	stitutes
	wrapper materials, sheets, imitation leaves, rods,	15/12	of reconstituted tobacco
	cakes; Forms of such products (delustering A 24 C 1/40; tobacco or digarette paper D 21 H 5/16)	15/14	. made of tobacco and a binding agent not derived from tobacco
3/16	Classifying or aligning leaves	15/16	of tobacco substitutes
3/18	. Other treatment of leaves, e.g. puffing, crimpling, cleaning		atment of tobacco products or tobacco stitutes
5/00	Stripping tobacco; Treatment of stems or ribs	15/20	Biochemical treatment
5/02	. by plucking out the stem		by application of electric or wave energy or
5/04	by cutting out the stem		particle radiation
5/06	. by stripping leaf-parts from the stem		by extraction: Tobacco extracts
5/08	by cutting-off, shaving off, pressing flat the thick parts of stems and ribs		by chemical substances
5/10	. by crushing the leaves with subsequent separating	Note to see	ups 15/30 to 15/42, in the absence of an
5/12	. Auxiliary devices for stripping		ion to the contra.y, an invention is classified in
5/14	. Flattening machines for leaves or stems		t appropriate place for a substance.
5/16			
	chopping, incising (humidifying 3/04)		. by organic substances
7/00	Cutting to bacco (hand cutting tool B 26 B; slicing in	15/32	by acyclic compounds
7/02	general B 26 D 4/00) by machines with reciprocating knives	15/34	. containing a carbocyclic ring other than a six-membered aromatic ring
7/04	by machines with revolving knives	15/36	containing a heterocyclic ring
7/06	with two co-operating sets of knife discs	15/38	having only nitrogen as hetero-atoms
7/08	with several knives which act one after the other	1.5/40	having only oxygen or sulphur as hetero-atoms
7/10	with cutter axes parallel to the feeding direction	15/42	netero-atoms . by organic and inorganic substances

direction

with cutter axes transverse to the feeding

APPENDIX IV

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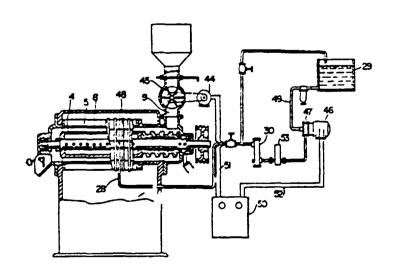
[57] ABSTRACT

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A rice pearling apparatus of the type including a pearling chamber formed by a pearling rol! and a multipleboled debranning-pearling cylinder surrounding the roll, and a device for feeding rice to the pealing cylinder, further comprises a device for supplying water to the pearling chamber, flow meters for measuring and indicating the rates of rice and water flow into the chamber, and a device for regulating the respective flow rates of rice and water.

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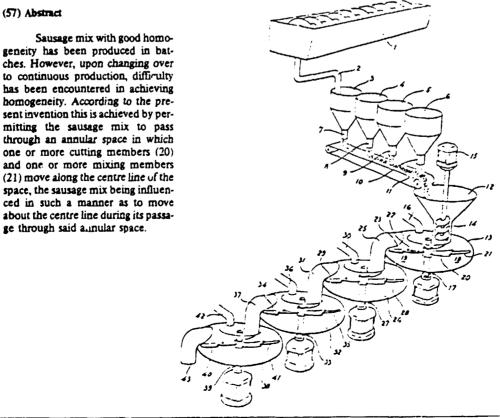
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(54) Thie: APPARATUS FOR DISINTEGRATING AND MIXING FOODSTUFFS

Sausage mix with good homogeneity has been produced in batches. However, upon changing over to continuous production, difficulty has been encountered in achieving homogeneity. According to the present invention this is achieved by permitting the sausage mix to pass through an annular space in which one or more cutting members (20) and one or more mixing members (21) move along the centre line of the space, the sausage mix being influenced in such a manner as to move

ge through said annular space.



APPENDIX V

Agro-Industries: Concordance Table

UNIDO Thesaurus Keywords (with clarification)	Equivalent symbols of the IPC (Third Edition)	Statistical data (No.of patent documents published in 1978)
Code 061100 Coreals, Sugars, Starch		
GRAIN CEREALS - preparation of grain for milling # milling grain auxiliary devices for grain mills preservation of cereals dough # baking #	B02C 9/00 to 9/04 B02C 11/00 to 11/08 A23B 9/00	35
ROOT & TUBER CEREALS - preparation thereof	C13J 1/00 to 1/08 C13K 3/00 C13K 1/00 to 1/10 C13K 5/00 C13K 7/00 C13K 13/00 C13K 13/00 C13L 1/00 to 1/12 A23L 1/195 C13K 1/00 to 1/10 A23L 1/00 to 1/10 A23L 1/00	2 23 115 25 39 115 8 13 77 70 108 24 125 8
Code 061200 Meat, Poultry and Fish Products MEAT; MEAT PRODUCTS & BY-PRODUCTS - slaughtering processing processing processing meat products	A23B 4/00 to 4/14 A23L 1/31 to 1/313	591 400
POULTRY: POULTRY PRODUCTS & BY-PRODUCTS - slaughtering processing preserving products	(see also processing) A22B 3/08 A22C 21/00 to 21/06 A23B 4/00 to 4/14 A23L 1/315 to 1/311 (see also processing)	6 93 400
FISH;FISH PRODUCTS & BY-PRODUCTS - slaughtering processing preserving fish products	A22B 3/08	371 400
OTHER ANIMAL PROTEIN - egg products preservation of egg products obtaining animal protein	A23L 1/32 A23B 5/00 to 5/06 A23J 1/00 to 1/10 and 1/20 to 1/22	
Code 161300 Dairy Products & Eggs		
MILK - milking apparatus mechanical treatment of milk concentration, evaroration, drying preservation milk preparations; milk powder	A01J 1/00 to 9/10 A01J 11/00 to 11/16 A23C 1/00 to 1/16 A23C 3/00 to 3/08 A23C 9/00 to 9/20	42 21 61
CHIEFF (CURD - cheese making (mechanical aspects) deese making (chemical aspects) cheese substitutes	A01J 25/00 to 27/04 A23C 19/00 to 19/16 A23C 20/00 to 20/03	236
butter making (chemical aspects)	A01J 15/00 to 23/00 A23C 15/30 to 15/20 A01J 11/10 to 11/14 and 13/00	a
cream making (chemical aspects) CASEIN - obtaining casein from milk working-up of casein	A23C 13/00 A23J 1/20 to 1/22 A23J 3/02	28 64 34

[→] For details see paragraph 56 and Appendix MmA

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	Equivalent symbols	Statistical data
UNIDO Thesaurus Revwords (with clarification)	of the IPC	(No. of patent documents
REVNOICS (WICH CIRCITICACION)	(Third Edition)	published in 1978)
OTHER MILK : RODUCTS - buttermilk	A23C 17/00 to 17/02	4
whey; other	A23C 21/00 to 23/00	94
butter substitutes	A23D 3/00 to 3/04	96
cream substitutes	A23L 1/19	32
milk substitutes	A23C 11/00 to 11/10	70
	A01K 41/00 to 41/06	.19
EGGS - incubators testing;sorting,cleaning,grading of eggs	A01K 43/00 to 43/10	26
housing of birds	A01K 31/00 to 31/22	82
preserving of eggs	A23B 5/00 to 5/06	50
protein from eggs	A23J 1/08 to 1/09	7
egg products	A23L 1/32	78
Code 61400 Fats and Oils"		
Production of fats or oils from raw materials	C11B 1/00 to 1/16	80
Refining of fats and oils	C11B 3/00 to 3/16	123
Preservation of fats and oils	C11B 5/00	29
Separation of fats and oils	C11B 7/00	38
Recovery of fats and oils	C11B 13/00	25
Solidification of fats and oils	C11B 15/00	6
MARGARINE, SHORTENING, VEGETABLE GHEE - Margarine	A23D 3/00 to 3/04	36
other edible fat or oil products	A23D 5/00 to 5/04	146
Coue 061500 Fruit and Vegetable Products **		
- juice extraction	A23N 1/00 to 1/02	55
coring or stoning	+ A23N 3/00 to 4/24	51
hulling, husking, cracking shells	A23N 5/00 to 5/08	34
peeling	A23N 7/00 to 7/16	79
cleaning, blanching, drying, roasting	A23N 12/00 to 12/12	99
other processing	A23N 15/00 to 15/12	119
treatment of pulse	A23L 1/20 to 1/209	387
Code 061600 Beverages and Tobacco***		
WATER - treatment of water, waste-water, sewage, sludge	+ C02P 1/00 to 11/14	8,026
NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - non-alcoholic beverages	A23L 2/00 to 2/40	241
WINE - wine	1	
0000 - 1177 - 1000000000000	C12G 1/00 to 1/08	103
BEER & TALT - preparation of malt brewing beer	C12C 1/00 to 1/18	47
brewing beer	C12C 3/90 to 11/06	150
DISTILLED ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - distillation or	C12F 1/00 to 5/00	41
rectification of fermented solutions	+ C12F 1/00 to 5/00	1
OTHER BEVERAGES - other alcoholic beverages	C12G 3/00 to 3/12	125
TOBACCO CURING & BLENDING - preparation at plantation	-,	
preparation at the factory	A24B 1/00 to 1/10	79
preparation at the radeory - CURING	A24B 3/00 to 3/18	263
	A24B 3/12	105
- RIFULIVE	A24B 3/08	11
- BLENDING stripping	A24B 5/00 to 5/16	16
stripping		
	A24B 7/00 to 7/14	20
<pre>stripping cutting</pre>	A24B 7/00 to 7/14 A24B 9/00	11
<pre>stripping cutting moisture control</pre>	A24B 7/00 to 7/14	

^{*} The IPC is not subdivided according to the origin of the fat or oil but according to the method of processing it.

^{**} The IPC is not subdivided according to the type of fruit or vegetable but according to the method of processing it.

^{***} This subclass is NOT principally concerned with drinking water but with large scale treatment/murification of water in general

UNIDO Thesaurus Keywords (with clarification)	Equivalent symbols of the IPC (Third Edition)	Statistical data (No. of patent documents published in 1978)
TOBACCO SMOKING PRODUCTS - machines for making cigar; or cigarette; smoking tobacco cigars; cigarettes filters, mouthpieces	A24C 1/00 to 5/60 A24B 13/00 to 13/32 A24D 1/00 to 1/18 A24D 3/00 to 3/18	
OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS - chewing tobacco;snuff	A24B 13/00 to 13/02	10
Code 361700 Coffee, Tea, Cocoa, Spices and Food Additives		
COFFEE - coffercoffe substitutes apparatus for roasting thereof	A?3F 5/00 to 5/0 A23N 12/08 to 12/2	275 50
TEA - tea; tea substitutes	A23F 3/00 to 3/42	154
COCOA;CHOCOLATE - cocoa;chocolate apparatus for roasting thereof	A23G 1/00 to 1/28 A23N 12/08 to 12/12	50
SPICES - natural spices synthetic spices	A23L 1/221 to 1/225 A23L 1/226 to 1/23	97 2*;
FOOD FLAVOURINGS; COLOURINGS; - flavourings; condiments SEASONING colouring or decolouring	A23L 1/22 to 1/24	806
agents	A23L 1/27 to 1/277	91
EXTRACTS & ESSENTIAL OILS - extracts of tea extracts of coffee extracts of spices or	A23P 3/16 to 3/32 A23F 5/24 to 5/42 A23L 1/22 to 1/225	23 151 187
flavourings extracts of fungi essential oils	A23L 1/28 C11B 9/00 to 9/02	50 144
CONDIMENTS - see spices; flavourings; seasonings etc.		
PECTIN; AGAR-AGAR; ALGINATES; JELLIES - foods containing these materials	A23L 1/04 to 1/06	127
Code 361900 Other Food Products		
INFANT FCOD) These items are classified according to their contents or according to their method of preparation Usually in λ 23 Σ		
FOCE EMPICHMENTS - food products containing additives which modyfy the nutritive quality e.g. vitamins, minerals	A23L 1/30	71
PRESERVATIVES - preservatives for meat fruit; vegetables dough milk cream butter cheese	A23B 4/14 to 4/14 A233 7/10 to 7/156 A21D 2/00 to 2/38 A23C 3/08 A23C 13/10 A23C 15/20 A23C 19/10 to 19/11	45 53 153 10 2 -
PLANT PROTEIN - obtaining proteins from plants	A23J 1/12 to 1/18	242
FISH PROTEIN - obtaining protein from fish or other sea animals	A23J 1/04	21
Code 061900 ANIMAL FOODSTUFFS	A 23 K 1/00 to 3/04	1,441
Apparatus specially adapted for preparing animal feedstuffs	A 23 N 17/00 to 17/02	88

^{*} The IPC is not subdivided according to the use of the foodstuff but according to the row materials from which it is made.

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Definitions of Selected Main Groups of the IPC

2-6	Definitions appearing
Reference in Concordance Table	in the IPC ³
ь 02 В 1/00 to 7/02	1/00 Preparing grain for milling or like processes (hulling, husking, decorticating, polishing, removing the awns, or degerming 3/00)
	3/00 Hulling; Husking; Decorticating (decorticating textile fibres D 01 B 1/14); Polishing; Ramoving the awns (in threshing machines A 01 F 12/42); Degerming
	5/00 Grain treatment not otherwise provided for
	7/00 Auxiliary devices
A 21 C and A 21 D	A 21 C MACHINES AND EQUIPMENT FOR MAKING AND PROCESSING DOUGHS; HANDLING BAKER ARTICLES MADE FROM DOUGH
	1/00 Mixing or kneading machines for the preparation of dough (domestic mixing or kneading machines $\lambda=7$ J 43/00, 44/00)
	3/00 Machines or apparatus for shaping batches of dough before sub- division
	5/00 Dough-dividing machines
	7/00 Machines which homogenise the subdivided dough by working other than by kneading
	9/00 Other apparatus for handling dough or dough pleces
	11/00 Other machines for forming the dough into its final shape before cooking or baking
	13/00 Provers, i.e. apparatus permitting dough to rise
	15/00 Apparatus for handling baked articles
	A 21 D TREATMENT, e.g. PRESERVATION, OF FLOUR OR DOUGH, e.g. BY ADDITION OF MATERIALS; BAKING; BAKERY PRODUCTS; PRESERVATION THEREOF
	2/00 Treatment of flour or dough by adding materials thereto (10/00 takes precedence)
	4/00 Preserving flour or dough before baking by storage in an inert atmosphere
	6/00 Other treatment of flour or dough before baking, e.g. cooling, irradiating, heating
	8/00 Methods for preparing dough and for baking (2/00 takes precedence)
	10/00 Batters, dough or mixtures before baking
	13/00 Finished or partly finished bakery products
	15/00 Preserving finished bakery products; Improving (refreshing 17/00; packaging or wiapping bakery products 3 65 B, e.g. B 65 B 23/10, 25/16)
	17/00 Refreshing bakery products (improving 15/00)

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Reference in Concordance Table	Definitions .ppearing in the IPC
A 71 3	A 21 B BAKERS' OVENS; MACHINES OR EQUIPMENT FOR BAKING (domestic baking equipment A 47 J 37L00, combustion apparatus F 23; domestic stoves or ranges being wholly or partly ovens F 24 B, C)
	1/00 Bakers' ovens
	2/00 Baking apparatus employing high-frequency or infra-red heating
	3/00 Parts or accessories of ovens
	5/00 Baking apparatus for special goods; Other baking apparatus
	7/00 Baking plants
C 13 F 1/00 to 5/00	<pre>1/00 Thickening, evaporating, or boiling sugar juice (boiling apparatus B 01 B; evaporators B 01 D; centrifuges B 04 B)</pre>
	3/00 Miscellaneous suyar products, e.g. powdered, lump, or liquid sugar; Working-up of sugar (5/00, C l3 H take precedence; sweetmeats A 23 G 3/00; sucrose syrups A 23 L 1/09; glucose-containing syrups C l3 K 1/00)
	5/00 Drying sugar (storing sugar B 65)
A 23 G 3/00 7/02	<pre>3/00 Sweetmeats; Confectionery; Marzipan; Coated or filled products</pre>
	7/00 Other apparatus specially adapted for the chocolate or confectionery industry
A 22 B 1/00 7/00	1/00 Apparatus for fettering animals to be slaughtered
/00	3/00 Slaughtering or stunning (cutting in general 3 26)
	5/00 Accessories for use during or after slaughtering
	7/00 Slaughterhouse arrangements
A 22 C 5/00 18/00	5/00 Apparatus for mixing meat, sausage-meat, or meat products (mixing in general 3 01 F)
	7/00 Apparatus for pounding, forming, or pressing meat, sausage-meat, or meat products
	9/00 Apparatus for tenderising meat, e.g. ham
	11/00 Sausage-making
	13/00 Sausage casings
	15/00 Apparatus for hanging-up meat for sausages (conveyors B 65 G)
	17/00 Other devices for processing meat or bones
	18/00 Plants, factories, or the like for processing meat (for processing poultry only 21/00; for processing fish only 25/00)

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	ence in nce Tabl	e	Definitions appearing in the IPC ³									
A 22 C	25/00 to	0 25/00	Processing fish									
	29/04	29/00	Processing shellfish, e.g. oysters, lobsters									
A 01 J	1/00 to 9/10	0 1/00	Devices or accessories for milking by hand (milking stools A 47 C $9/04$)									
		3/00	Milking with catheters									
		5/00	Appliances for milking mechanically									
		7/00	Other accessories for milking machines									
		9/00	Milk receptacles (containers in general B 65 D; devices for tilting and emptying of containers B 65 G 65/23)									
A 01 J	25/00 t	e 25/00	Cheese-making (coating the cheese 27/02)									
	27/04	27/00	After-treatment of cheese; Coating the cheese									
A 01 J	15/00 to	0 15/00	Manufacturing butter									
	23/00	17/00	Kneading machines for butter, etc. (mixing or kneading machines for the preparation of dough A 21 C 1/00)									
		19/00	Hand devices for forming slabs of butter, etc.									
		21/00	Machines for forming slabs of butter, etc.									
		23/00	Devices for dividing bulk butter, etc.									
A 01 J	11/00 t		Apparatus for treating milk (preserving or sterilising A 23 C)									
	11/14 a 13/00		Tanks for treating cream									
A 23 C	21/00 t	0 21/00	Whey; Whey preparations (1/00, 3/00, 9/14 take precedence)									
	23/00	23/00	Other dairy products									
A 23 N	3/00 t 4/24	o 3/00	Machines for coring or stoning fruit, characterised by their feeding device (4/00 takes precedence) [2]									
		4/00	Machines for stoning fruit or removing seed-containing sections from fruit, characterised by their stoning or removing device (for peeling fruit and removing seed-containing sections 7/08; demestic devices for stoning fruit 2 47 J 23/00, for coring fruit 2 47 J 25/00)									
C 02 F	1/00 to	:0 1/00	Treatment of water, waste water, or sewage (3/00 to 9/00 take precedence)									
		3/00	Biological treatment of water, was'r water, or sewage									
		5/00	Softening water; Preventing scale; Adding scale preventatives or scale removers to water, e.g. adding sequestering agents (softening using ion-exchange 1/42)									

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	rence in ance Table	Definitions appearing in the IPC
C 02 F	1/90 to	7/00 Aeration of stretches of water
	(continued)	9/00 Multistage treatment of water, waste water or sewage
		Note This group is intended to cover only those combined treating operations where the interest is directed to the relationship between the steps. It would not normally cover, for example, chemical treatment followed by settlement or biological treatment involving normal mechanical treatment.
		11/00 Treatment of sludge; Devices therefor
c 12 c	3/00 to 11/06	3/00 Treatment of hops (hop extraction 9/02)
	11/00	5/00 Other raw materials for the preparation of beer
		7/00 Preparation of wort (malt extract 1/18)
		9/00 Methods specially adapted for the making of beerwort
		11/00 Fermentation, processes for beer (preparation of wine C 12 G 1/00
C 12 F	1/00 to 5/00	1/00 Distillation or rectification of fermented solutions (preparation of alcoholic beverages by distillation C 12 G 2/12)
		3/00 Recovery of by-products
		5/00 Preparation of denatured alcohol
A 24 C	1/00 to 5/60	1/00 Elements of cigar manufacture (combinations of two or more elements of cigar manufacture 3/00; attaching or incorporating filters or mouthpieces 5/47, 5/52; cutting machines in general B 26 D)
		3/00 Complete manufacture of cigars; Combinations of two or more elements of cigar manufacture
		5/00 Making cigarettes; Making tipping materials for, or attaching filters or mouthpieces to, cigars or cigarettes
A 23 K	1/00 to 3/04	<pre>1/00 Animal feeding-stuffs (detoxicating or removing bitter tastes from seeds, e.g. lupin seeds for fodder of food A 23 L 1/20)</pre>
		3/00 Preservation of materials to produce animal feeding-stuffs

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SAMPLE OF INPADOC'S PATENT CLASSIFICATION SERVICE (PCS)

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