



PATENTSCOPE

The User's Guide



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INTRODUCTION

WHAT IS THE PATENTSCOPE SEARCH SYSTEM?

You're a patent attorney and need to find a specific patent document...

You're an inventor and want to see whether your latest invention has already been patented...

You're a researcher and are interested in seeing which technologies have been developed in your field...

You're an entrepreneur and want to find out who your competitors are and what they're up to...


The PATENTSCOPE search system just might be the right tool for you!

The PATENTSCOPE search system is the FREE OF CHARGE patent search system provided by the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) that allows you to access millions of patent documents.

This User's Guide will help you get to know the PATENTSCOPE search system and learn how to get the most out of its powerful search and analysis features.

ABOUT THIS GUIDE

The PATENTSCOPE search system is constantly improving to provide new features and new content to its users. In fact, from the time the writing of this guide started to the time it was completed, a few things have changed on the interface. To keep up to date on the latest developments and changes to the PATENTSCOPE search system, take a look at: <https://patentscope.wipo.int/search/en/help/news.jsf>.

To help readability, a few conventions were used in this book: Web sites urls and email addresses are in *blue* and to refer to something that you see on the interface, *PURPLE* is used. Tips are indicated with .

Note: Screenshots in this guide reflect what the interface was like in summer 2015; a few significant changes took place during the writing of this guide.

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WHAT IS THE DATA COVERAGE?

PATENTSCOPE gives you access to millions of patent documents, namely:

- International Patent Applications filed under the PCT (Patent Cooperation Treaty);
- Regional and national patent collections from numerous participating countries and organizations, including:

- ARIPO (African Regional Intellectual Property Organization)
- Argentina
- Bahrain
- Brazil
- Canada
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- EPO (European Patent Office)
- Egypt
- Estonia
- EAPO (Eurasian Patent Office)
- Germany
- Germany (DDR data)
- Guatemala
- Honduras
- Israel
- Japan
- Jordan
- Kenya
- LATIPAT
- Mexico
- Morocco
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Peru
- Portugal
- Republic of Korea
- Russian Federation
- Russian Federation (USSR data)
- Singapore
- South Africa
- Spain
- United Arab Emirates
- Uruguay
- USA
- Vietnam

Please check our website, as we add new collections on a regular basis. The collections available are listed in the **ADVANCED SEARCH** page, click on **SPECIFY** next to **OFFICE: ALL**.

The screenshot shows the 'Advanced Search' window. At the top, there is a 'Search For:' text box. Below it, the 'Language' is set to 'English', 'Stem' is checked, and 'Office' is set to 'All'. The 'Specify' button next to 'All' is circled in red. Below the 'Office' dropdown, there is a list of checkboxes for various regions and countries, including Africa, Americas, LATIPAT, and Asia-Europe. The 'Search' and 'Reset' buttons are at the bottom right.

For the most up-to-date information on data coverage, please go to the **HELP** menu, **DATA COVERAGE** at: https://patentscope.wipo.int/search/en/help/data_coverage.jsf.

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There are 8 predefined search fields available, each defining different search criteria:

1. **FRONT PAGE:** the search criteria you entered in this field will be searched in the front page of the document.
2. **ANY FIELD:** the search criteria you entered in this field will be searched in any fields of the document.
3. **FULL-TEXT:** enter your query in this field if you are interested in full-text.
4. **ENGLISH TEXT:** the search criteria you entered in this field will be searched in texts in English.
5. **ID/NUMBER:** enter publication number, filing number, etc.
6. **IPC:** enter any International Patent Classification code.
7. **NAMES:** enter your search in this field to look for the name of an inventor, an applicant, a company, etc.
8. **DATES:** enter any date in this field such as filing date, publication date, etc.

Click on the question mark to be provided with search examples. If you click on those examples, they will automatically appear in the search box. They give you good examples of the kind of keywords that can be used for the **SIMPLE SEARCH** interface.

To use the **SIMPLE SEARCH** interface:

1. Select one of the 8 available search fields from the drop-down menu;
2. If you've selected the full text field, also select the correct language;
3. Enter your search terms into the selected field;
4. Select the collection/s you are interested in the **OPTIONS** menu (Office tab); and
5. Click the **SEARCH** button



The spell check as you type is on by default. To turn it off, just right-click anywhere in the search box.

Advanced Search

The **ADVANCED SEARCH** is the **PATENTSCOPE** expert search interface that can be used to create complex search queries using an unlimited number of terms.

Advanced Search

Search For:

Language: English Stem: Office: All Specify

Search Reset

Tooltip Help

The **PATENTSCOPE** search service offers a wide range of operators that can be used to combine search terms, including Boolean operators, proximity operators, and range operators. Using these operators can allow you to customize your results. It also allows you to use wildcard operators to search for variants of terms based on a common stem, or root.

For more information about operators available in the **PATENTSCOPE** search service, take a look at: <https://patentscope.wipo.int/search/en/help/querySyntaxHelp.jsf>

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The **ADVANCED SEARCH** interface uses field codes to define the fields in which search terms must be found.

More information about field codes can be found at:

<https://patentscope.wipo.int/search/en/help/fieldsHelp.jsf>

Let's look at a few ways the **ADVANCED SEARCH** interface can be used!

1. Searching for inventions by Steve Jobs published during the period from 2007 to 2009 comprising the keyword "touch" in the description:

```
IN:(Jobs) AND DP:[2007 TO 2009] AND EN_DE:(touch)
```

This search query uses field codes, a Boolean operator, and a range operator. The field codes are IN for inventor, DP for publication date, and EN_DE for English description.

The Boolean operator AND is used to ensure that all search terms are included in the search results (i.e. that the results are for Jobs as inventor, within the given publication date range, and using the word "touch").

The range operator TO is used to define a range of publication date values.

2. Searching for inventions related to cutting tree trunks:

```
cutting AND trunk
```

This search query will retrieve over 10,000 results, many of which are not related to cutting tree trunks.

```
cutting NEAR5 trunk
```

This search query retrieves a few hundred results; most of which are related to the wood industry. It uses a proximity operator NEAR to ensure that the two terms are close to each other in your results and specifies that they must be within 5 words of each other by defining the value as NEAR5. Similarly, you could specify that the terms must be within any other number of words of each other, e.g. NEAR4, NEAR100.

3. Searching for surgical instruments that are referred to after the paragraph "Field of the invention":

```
"Field of the invention" BEFORE100 "surgical instruments"
```

The operator BEFORE allows users to define the part of the description the search should be carried out: only documents containing surgical instruments positioned 100 words after "Field of the invention" will be retrieved.


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To use the **ADVANCED SEARCH** interface:

1. Enter keywords/Boolean expression/field codes etc. Please read the Annex section of this guide or go to the **HELP** menu on the search interface (select **HOW TO SEARCH** and then **QUERY SYNTAX**) for a complete list of Boolean expressions and **FIELDS DEFINITION**;
2. Select the language in which you would like to perform the search.
13 languages are available;
3. Select the collection/s you are interested in using the **SPECIFY** button.

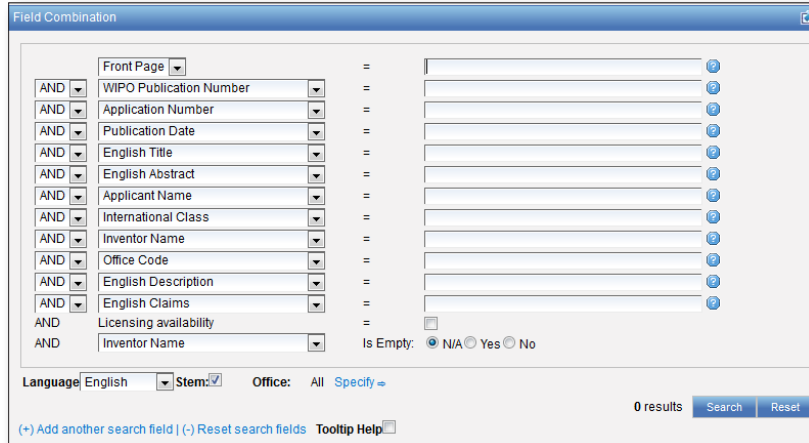
Stem Untick this box if you would like to restrict your search to the exact word/sentence typed in the box. Stemming uses the root form of a word; if you type “cell”, results will include “cell”, “cells”, etc. The stemmer is related to the language of the search, in this example, it is therefore the English stemmer.

Tooltip Help By ticking the **TOOLTIP HELP** you will be shown examples when moving your mouse over the interface.

 Clicking on this **QUESTION MARK** will automatically display some search examples.

Field Combination

The **FIELD COMBINATION** interface can be used to structure a more targeted search using specific search criteria in any search fields (eg. title, abstract, description, etc.) can be performed using this interface.



The **FIELD COMBINATION SEARCH**, a list of preset search fields that can be combined according to the users’ needs, should be used to search different concepts such as:

- a date and an inventor
- an inventor and a company,
- etc.

Basically any combination of the preset search fields available in the **FIELD COMBINATION SEARCH** is possible.

Here are a few examples:

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1. Searching for the inventions filed by Steve Jobs in 2007.
In the drop-down box, select the field **APPLICANT NAME** and enter **Steve Jobs**;
select **AND** and the field **PUBLICATION DATE** and enter **2007**

The screenshot shows a 'Field Combination' window with a table of search criteria. A red oval highlights the first two rows. The first row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'Applicant Name' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and 'Steve Jobs' in a text box. The second row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'Publication Date' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and '2007' in a text box. Other rows include 'Main Applicant Name' and 'English Title'.

Operator	Field	Value
AND	Applicant Name	Steve Jobs
AND	Publication Date	2007
AND	Main Applicant Name	
AND	English Title	

2. Searching for applications containing microchip with licensing availability. In the drop-down box, select **ENGLISH DESCRIPTION** and enter **microchip**, then tick the **LICENSING AVAILABILITY** box (one before last in the **FIELD COMBINATION** interface).

The screenshot shows a 'Field Combination' window with a table of search criteria. A red oval highlights the last three rows. The third row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'English Description' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and 'microchip' in a text box. The fourth row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'English Claims' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and an empty text box. The fifth row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'Licensing availability' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and a checked checkbox. The sixth row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'Inventor Name' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and 'Is Empty: N/A Yes No' with radio buttons.

Operator	Field	Value
AND	Inventor Name	
AND	Office Code	
AND	English Description	microchip
AND	English Claims	
AND	Licensing availability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
AND	Inventor Name	Is Empty: <input type="radio"/> N/A <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

3. Searching for missing information using the empty field option: for example you could search applications without any IPC code. On the last line, select the **IPC** in the drop-down box and tick **YES** next to **EMPTY**.

The screenshot shows a 'Field Combination' window with a table of search criteria. A red oval highlights the last three rows. The third row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'English Claims' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and an empty text box. The fourth row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'Licensing availability' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and an empty checkbox. The fifth row has 'AND' in a dropdown, 'International Class' in a dropdown, an equals sign, and 'Is Empty: N/A Yes No' with radio buttons.

Operator	Field	Value
AND	English Description	
AND	English Claims	
AND	Licensing availability	<input type="checkbox"/>
AND	International Class	Is Empty: <input type="radio"/> N/A <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

To use the Field Combination interface:

1. Select the field/s of interest using the arrow of the drop-down menu
2. Use the **AND/OR** boxes to add or include fields
3. If you would like to add more fields or remove one or more fields, please click on: [\(+\)](#) Add another search field | [\(-\)](#) Reset search fields
4. Select the language in which you would like to perform the search: 13 languages are available
5. Select the collection/s you are interested in using the **SPECIFY** button.

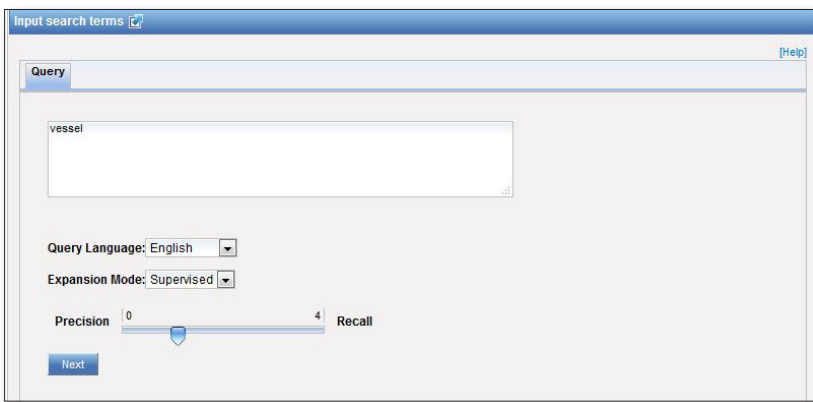
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CLIR

CLIR stands for Cross Lingual Information Retrieval and will allow you to search a term or a phrase and its variants in:

- Chinese
- Dutch
- English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Japanese
- Korean
- Portuguese
- Russian
- Spanish and
- Swedish

Just enter one or more terms in one of those languages in the search box and the system will suggest variants and translate the term(s), thus allowing you to search patent documents disclosed in all of these languages.



The screenshot shows a web interface titled "Input search terms" with a search box containing the word "vessel". Below the search box, there are two dropdown menus: "Query Language: English" and "Expansion Mode: Supervised". At the bottom, there is a slider labeled "Precision" on the left (marked 0) and "Recall" on the right (marked 4). A blue "Next" button is located at the bottom left of the interface.

Step 1: Enter your query

1. Enter the search query in the search box
2. Select the language of your query
3. Select the **EXPANSION MODE**:
 - a. **SUPERVISED** will allow you to select the technical domain associated with your query and the variants relevant to your query.
 - b. **AUTOMATIC** will generate the results immediately without any further user input.
4. Decide on the balance between **PRECISION** and **RECALL** for your query. If you favor precision, an expanded query will be built in order to retrieve only the most relevant results at the risk of missing some results. If you favor recall, an expanded query will be built in order to retrieve more results at the possible expense of accuracy.

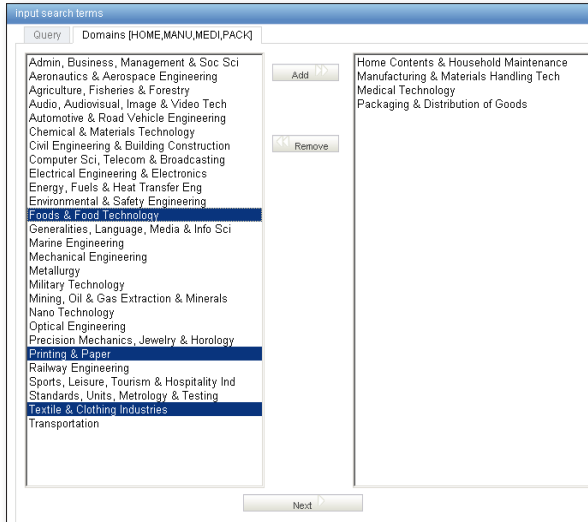
Precision is defined as the proportion of relevant documents in the set of all documents returned by a search query. Precision is a measure of exactness

Recall is defined as the number of relevant documents retrieved as fraction of all relevant documents. Recall is a measure of completeness.
5. Click on **NEXT** (if you're using the supervised expansion mode) or **SUBMIT QUERY** (if you're using the automatic expansion mode).

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Step 2: Select the technical domain/s (Supervised mode)

The PATENTSCOPE search system will propose a list of domains to which the keywords you entered in the first step could belong.



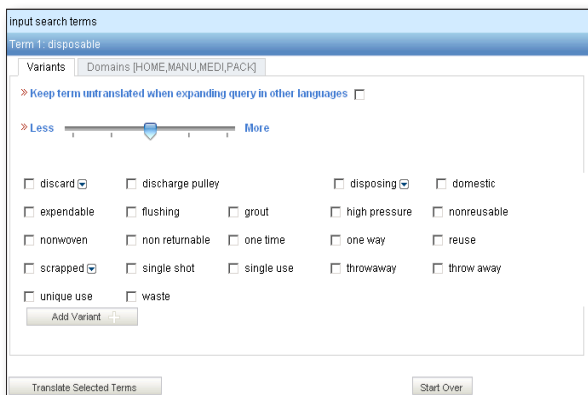
The system will automatically propose domains associated with your query in the right column. If one or more technical domains are not relevant just select it/them and click on the REMOVE button. To add more domains, select the domains in the left column and click on ADD. Click on NEXT. Up to 5 domains can be added.

Step 3: Select the variants relevant to your query (Supervised mode)

The system will suggest variants for the items of your initial query. Select the checkboxes next to the variants relevant to your query. If you know a variant that is not in the proposed list, click on ADD VARIANT +, enter the variant in the box and select the relevant domain. Click on TRANSLATE SELECTED TERMS or START OVER if necessary.

You can define the number of variant proposals you are interested in by moving the button to LESS for an inferior number of variants and to MORE for a higher number.

Please note that is necessary to check if each displayed variant applies or you run the risk of getting incomplete results.



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Step 4: Define the fields in which the search should be performed

The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Language selection: English, German, Spanish, French, Japanese, Korean, Portuguese, Russian, Chinese, IPC.
- Search query input: "disposable" OR "single use"
- Field(s) you want to search: Abstract
- Acceptable distance between matched words: Sentence
- Stemming:
- Buttons: Submit Query, Start Over

1. Check the translated terms.
2. Define the fields where the search will be performed.
3. Define the distance between the words.
4. Untick the "STEMMING" option if you would like to have results including only the exact term of your search. Stemming uses the root form of the word, for example if you search "swim", the results will include swimming, swimmers etc.
5. Click on **SUBMIT QUERY**. Results will be displayed from the search service and results will be displayed.

HOW TO BROWSE?

Browse by week (PCT)

WIPO publishes new PCT applications every week on Thursday. Selecting **BROWSE BY WEEK** gives access to a list of PCT applications by publication week.

The screenshot shows a PCT application list interface. At the top, there is a drop-down menu for the publication week (23/2013/2013-06-06) and two buttons: "Excel Download" (circled in green) and "IPC Statistics" (circled in red). Below the buttons is a table with 20 columns and 8 rows of data.

	Title	Kind	Appl.No	IPC	Applicant
1.	(WO/2013/080367)RAILWAY VEHICLE	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	JP2011/077892	B61D 17/06	NIPPON SHARYO, LTD.
2.	(WO/2013/082538)SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR AUTHENTICATING OBJECTS USING IR	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	US2012/067459	G06K 9/58	WABA FUN, LLC
3.	(WO/2013/045571)USE OF PLASMA TREATED SILICONE OIL AS A COATING IN A MEDICAL INJECTION DEVICE	Later publication of international search report[A.3]	EP2012/069119	A61M 5/31	BECTON DICKINSON FRANCE
4.	(WO/2013/081491)METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PURIFYING FLUID MEDIA BY REMOVAL OF CONTAMINATING MULTICOMPONENT INGREDIENTS	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	RU2012/000553	B01D 45/12	ABAYEV, Alexandr Dzakhotovich
5.	(WO/2013/080149)SYSTEMS AND METHOD FOR GRAPH-BASED DISTRIBUTED PARAMETER COORDINATION IN A COMMUNICATION NETWORK	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	IB2012/056810	H04W 24/02	TELEFONAKTIEBOLAGET L M ERICSSON (PUBL.)
6.	(WO/2013/080169)METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING MICROORGANISMS VIA MASS SPECTROMETRY AND SCORE NORMALISATION	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	IB2012/056859	G06K 9/00	BIOMÉREUX, INC.
7.	(WO/2013/079931)METROLOGICAL APPARATUS AND A METHOD OF DETERMINING A SURFACE CHARACTERISTIC OR CHARACTERISTICS	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	GB2012/052930	G01B 9/02	TAYLOR HOBSON LIMITED
8.	(WO/2013/081214)SYSTEM, APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING MULTIMEDIA ANIMATION MESSAGE BASED ON 3D SMART CHARACTER USED IN MOBILE DEVICE	Initial Publication with ISR[A.1]	KR2011/009240	G06Q 50/00	OCTO TREE PTE., LTD.

23/2013/2013-06-06

Use the arrow of the drop-down menu to select a PCT publication week.

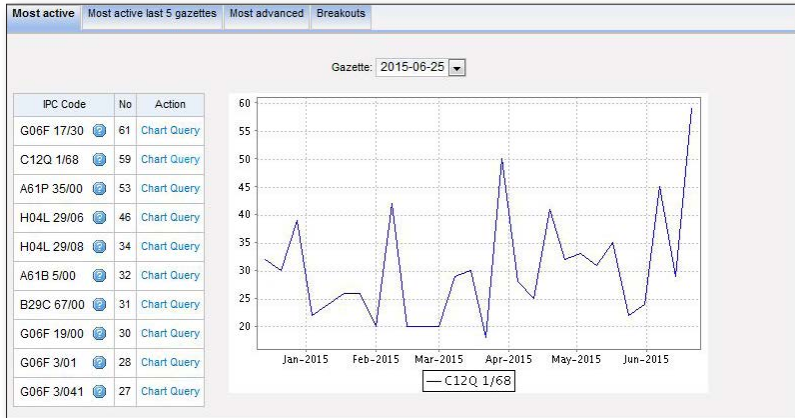
The result list can be downloaded using the Excel download button (green circle in figure above)

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IPC statistics

IPC statistics are available in this **BROWSE BY WEEK** menu. The idea is to provide a picture of the global trends in PCT applications. For example, it can show who the main and/or new main actors are etc. It takes into account applications that have IPC codes. Out of 3000 published applications, about 100 do not have any IPC code.

To access those statistics click on the IPC statistics button (red circle in the figure page 10).



The first tab is called “Most active” which shows the most active IPCs in a specific publication. First select the publication you are interested in in the drop-down menu. The question mark will provide you with the definition of the code when you hover the mouse over it. Here “chart” was selected in the action column. If you select query, you will be redirected to the result list where you can see the query that triggered the graph, the top 10 applicants amongst other values in the Analysis box.

The second tab “Most active last 5 gazettes” shows the most active IPC in the last 5 publications. Options “chart” and “query” are available.

The “Most advanced” tab shows uptrends of IPCs. Options “chart” and “query” are available.

And the last tab “Breakouts” shows a major change in IPCs. Options “chart” and “query” are available.

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By sequence listing

Selecting **BROWSE: SEQUENCE LISTING** gives access to the lists of nucleotide and or amino acid sequence listings contained in published PCT applications. Use the 2 drop-down menus shown below to select the year and publication week.

23/2013(2013-06-06) ▾

Publication Week: August 05, 2010 ▾

Search Sequence Listings

Published Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Listings Contained in Published PCT Applications (WinZIP 8.0)

This data is also available for bulk download via anonymous ftp from ftp://ftp.wipo.int/pub/published_pct_sequences/publication/.

Year: 2013 ▾ Publication Week: June 06, 2013 ▾

Publication Date:

WO Number	Compressed Size	Download	Applicant
WO13/078511	6 KBs	SL1.zip	GARVAN INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL RESEARCH
WO13/078767	113 KBs	SL1.zip	CHENGDU KANGHONG BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY CO. LTD.
WO13/078786	3 KBs	SL1.zip	ZHEJIANG UNIVERSITY
WO13/079015	5 KBs	SL1.zip	NOVOZYMES, INC.
WO13/079174	411 KBs	SL1.zip	MERCK PATENT GMBH
WO13/079188	3712 KBs	SL1.zip	IPSOGEN
WO13/079207	580 KBs	SL1.zip	KENTA BIOTECH AG
WO13/079307	0 KBs	SL1.zip	ALBERT-LUDWIGS-UNIVERSITÄT FREIBURG
WO13/079309	3 KBs	SL1.zip	FUNDACIÓ PRIVADA INSTITUCIÓ CATALANA DE RECERCA I ESTUDIS AVANÇATS
WO13/079456	1 KBs	SL1.zip	INSTITUT CURIE
WO13/079531	12 KBs	SL1.zip	NOVOZYMES A/S
WO13/079533	2 KBs	SL1.zip	NOVOZYMES A/S
WO13/079670	1 KBs	SL1.zip	IMBA - INSTITUT FÜR MOLEKULARE BIOTECHNOLOGIE GMBH
WO13/079701	1 KBs	SL1.zip	UNIVERSITY OF BREMEN
WO13/079721	5 KBs	SL1.zip	BERGEN TEKNOLOGIOVERFØRING AS
WO13/079796	8050 KBs	SL1.zip	HELSINGIN YLIOPISTO
WO13/079828	2 KBs	SL1.zip	CENTRE NATIONAL DE LA RECHERCHE SCIENTIFIQUE - CNRS -
WO13/079924	2 KBs	SL1.zip	THE UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD
WO13/079953	4 KBs	SL1.zip	KYMA LIMITED
WO13/079970	12 KBs	SL1.zip	UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD

IPC Green Inventory

The **IPC GREEN INVENTORY** attempts to collect Environmentally Sound Technologies (ESTs as listed by the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)) in one place as they are currently scattered widely across the IPC in numerous technical fields.

ESTs are presented in a hierarchical structure (A). For each technology, the links in the IPC column direct the user to the corresponding place in the scheme. The links in the PATENTSCOPE column (B) allow the user to automatically search and display all international patent applications available through PATENTSCOPE which are classified in the relevant IPC place.

	A	B
TOPIC	IPC	PATENTSCOPE
☐ ALTERNATIVE ENERGY PRODUCTION		
☐ Bio-fuels		
. Integrated gasification combined cycle (IGCC)	C10L 3/00 F02C 3/28	C10L 3/00 F02C 3/28
☐ Fuel cells	H01M 4/86-4/88, 8/00-8/24, 12/00-12/08	H01M 4/86-4/88, 8/00-8/24, 12/00-12/08
. Pyrolysis or gasification of biomass	C10B 53/00 C10J	C10B 53/00 C10J
☐ Harnessing energy from manmade waste		
☐ Hydro energy		
. Ocean thermal energy conversion (OTEC)	F02G 7/05	F02G 7/05
☐ Wind energy	F03D	F03D

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In the Portal to Patent Registers

The portal aims to facilitate the verification of legal status of patents and related SPCs by compiling relevant information of national registers of various jurisdictions, e.g. availability of online access to a national or regional register.

Patent Register Portal

The portal aims to facilitate the verification of legal status of patents and related SPCs by compiling relevant information of national registers of various jurisdictions, e.g. available online access to a national or regional register. Please see the [Quick Help](#) for how to use this page, and the [User Guide](#) for detailed information about the page and the portal project. To access a register online, please click on the respective Y in the column 'Online National Register'. The boundaries and names shown and the designations used on this map do not imply official endorsement or acceptance by WIPO.

Jurisdiction	Online National Register	English Interface	Inventor Search	PCT Search	PCT National Phase Entry	Fee Payment	Most Recent Legal Status	File Inspection	SPCs	Full Publications	Online Gazette
<u>OC - Oenpnum</u>	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
BG - Bulgaria	N	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N*	N	Y.C
BH - Bahrain	N	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N	N

How to use the map:

- The map shows, by default, the availability of online national register access (the first column of the table). Click on a column heading of the table to see the geographical distribution of 'Yes, No, NA' of any other column (default is availability of online register access):
Green: Yes
Red: No
Gray: Not applicable (N/A)
White: Jurisdiction not yet included in portal
- Click on a country on the map to view the country specific information in the window on the left of the map, including respective links to each country's online resources (if available). This information is equivalent to the information presented in the table.

How to use the table:

- An **underscore** indicates that the cell content is hyperlinked, e.g. to a register;
- An **asterisk** indicates supplementary information in a pop-up window that can be activated by moving the cursor over the cell;
- Move the cursor over each column heading of the table to read the definition of what 'Yes' means. For more information, see the detailed descriptions below.
- Open a link to an online register** by clicking on the respective 'Yes' in the column 'online register'. If no online register is accessible, some 'No' provide additional information on how to submit a request for status information; at least the contact details of WIPO's country profiles are displayed.

The names in the 'jurisdiction' column are hyperlinked to the website of the respective national authority in charge of patent prosecution, i.e. they are not linked.

SEARCH RESULTS

DISPLAY OF THE SEARCH RESULTS

The search query, whether you performed a **SIMPLE**; **ADVANCED**; **FIELD COMBINATION** or **CLIR** search, will return a list of results in a window as shown below:

Results 1-10 of 226,806 for Criteria:FP:(vessel) Office(s):all Language:EN Stemming: true

prev 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 next Page: 1 / 22681 Go >

Refine Search FP:(vessel) Search RSS

Analysis

Sort by: Pub Date Desc View All List Length 10 Machine translation

Int. Class	Appl. No	Title	Applicant	Ctr	Pub Date
1. G05D 1/02	20150177735	APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING VESSEL DEVIATING FROM ANCHORAGE	ELECTRONICS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS RESEARCH INSTITUTE	US	25.06.2015
The present invention relates to an apparatus and method that control a vessel deviating from an anchorage using wide-range sensor-based spherical trigonometry. In the method, vessels anchored in an anchorage are monitored. The anchorage is defined as a group, and the group of the anchored vessels is managed. Leaving of a vessel, needing to deviate from the anchorage, from the group is controlled. If a vessel recognized as a vessel identical to one that left the group requests anchoring after a predetermined period of time has elapsed, the anchoring-requesting vessel is controlled.					
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The current invention is a system and method for facilitating high-quality broadband wireless communication in a mobile environment. The present invention also offers significantly improved performance over currently available land-based systems, as high bit rate data connectivity is made possible over long distances by utilizing multiple frequencies, antennas, polarizations, modulations, and radios to optimize propagation and accomplish the delivery of synchronous and asynchronous data connections to a seagoing vessel (or other such user, such as a plane or vehicle).					

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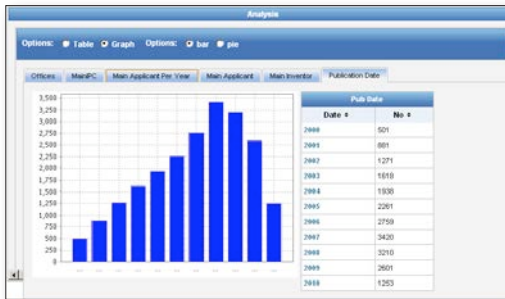
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PCT	2310696	G01N	840117	LG ELECTRONICS INC.	106216			2007	1483098
Republic of Korea	1739058	H04L	800721	SONY CORP	103622	ICHIHARA TAKAAKI	3915	2008	1549950
Russian Federation (USSR data)	1408496	A61P	790493	TOSHIBA CORP	101429	Mao Yumin	3898	2009	1575155
Spain	1396710	C07D	752446	HITACHI LTD	89622	Silverbrook Kia	3864	2010	1549033
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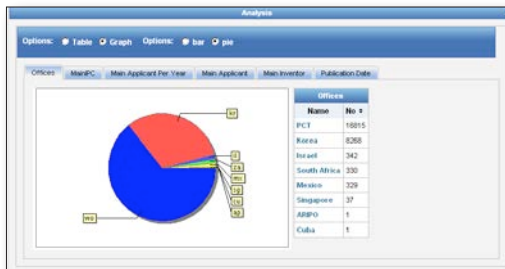
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- B. The **View** option allows you to select the components displayed in the result list. Images can be also made visible for example.
- C. The **List Length** option allows you to increase the number of displayed results per page (10 by default) up to 200.
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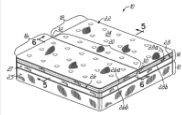
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Agent: **POFFENBERGER, John, D.**; Wood, Herron & Evans, L.L.P., 441 Vine Street, 2700 Carew Tower, Cincinnati, OH 45202 (US)

Priority Data: 11/425,169 20.06.2006 US

Title: **(EN)** DIVIDED SUPPORT MATTRESS
(FR) MATELAS DE SUPPORT DIVISÉ

Abstract: **(EN)**A divided mattress 10 is disclosed having multiple sections 16, 18 separated by an expansible divider 20 such that movement atop one section of the mattress is isolated and not felt from the adjacent section.
(FR)La présente invention concerne un matelas divisé (10) comprenant de multiples sections (16, 18) séparées par une cloison extensible (20) qui permet d'isoler un mouvement produit au-dessus de l'une des sections du matelas et d'empêcher qu'il ne soit senti par la section adjacente.



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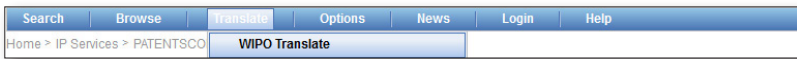
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- **Claims** Legal definition of the subject matter which the applicant regards as his invention and for which protection is sought or granted; each claim is a single sentence in a legalistic form that defines an invention and its unique technical features; claims must be clear and concise and fully supported by the description. Integrated machine translation tools allow translation of the document.
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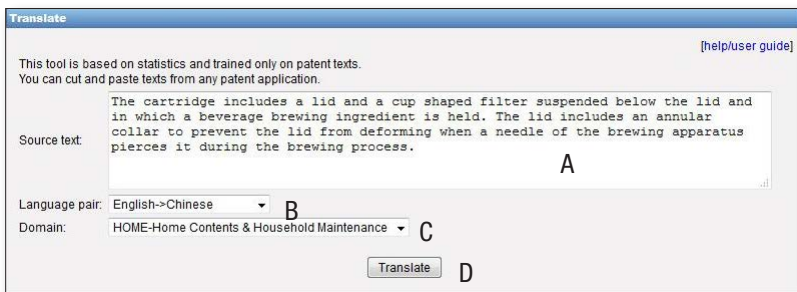
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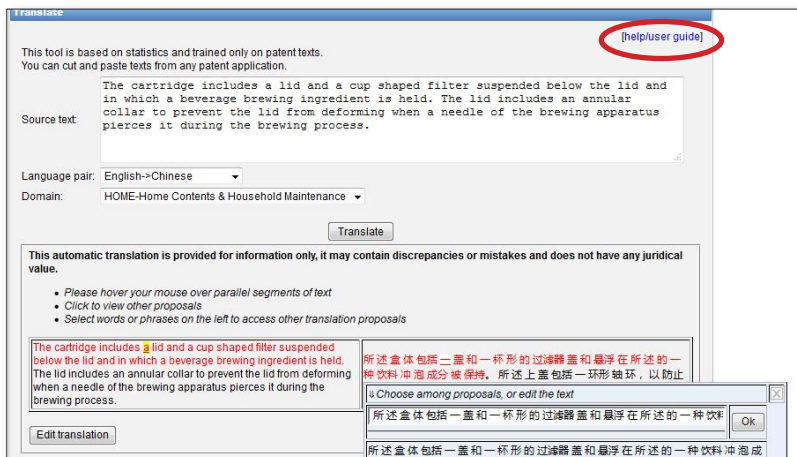
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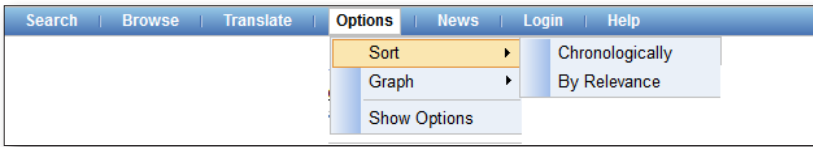


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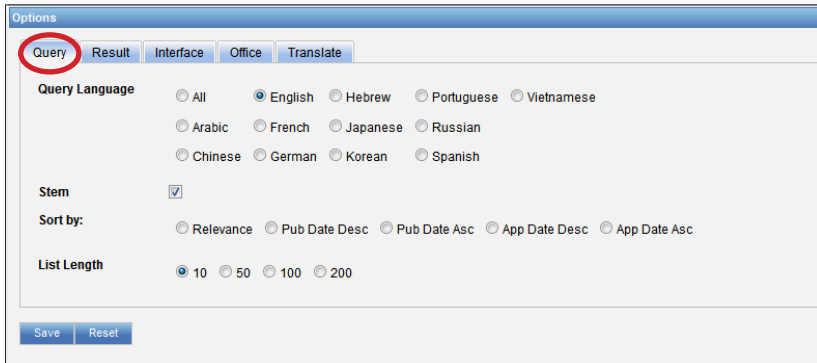
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- by relevance

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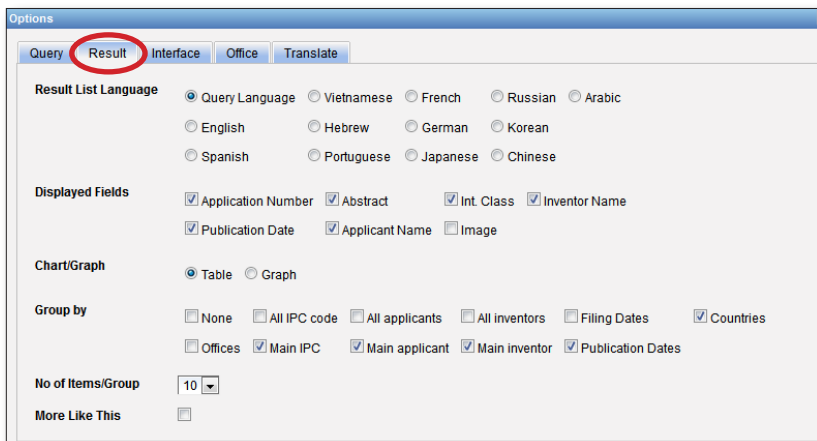
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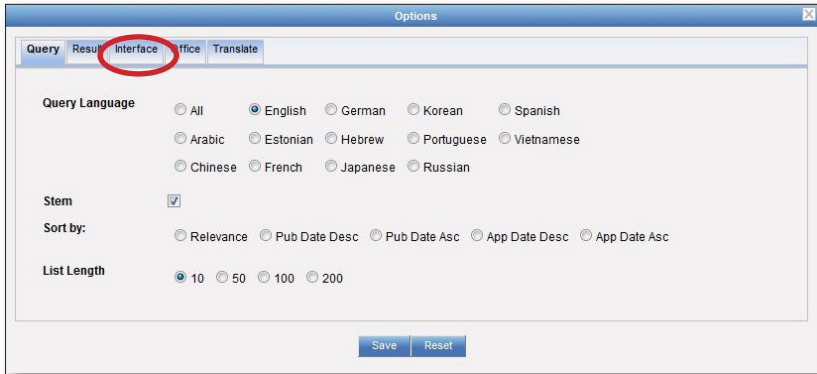


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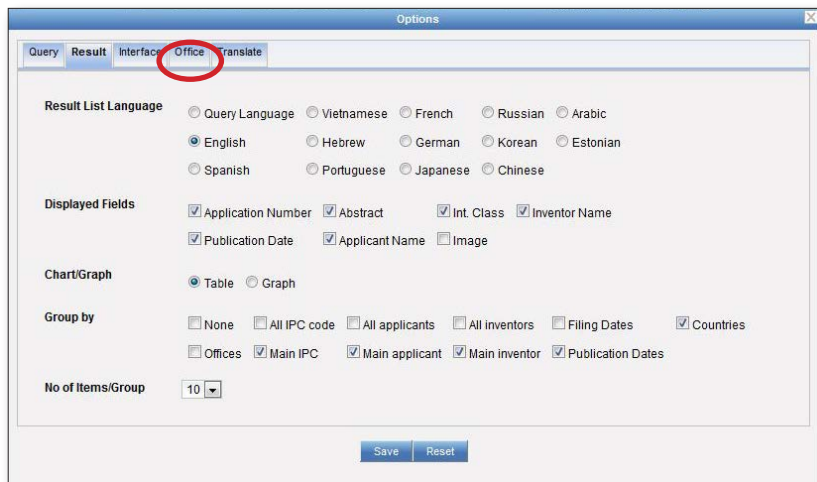


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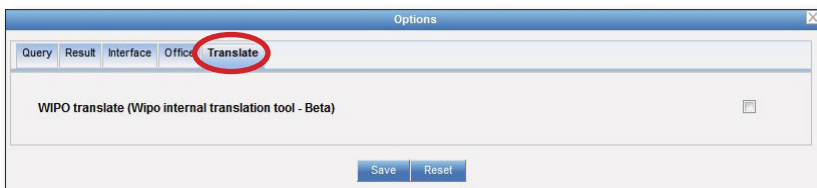
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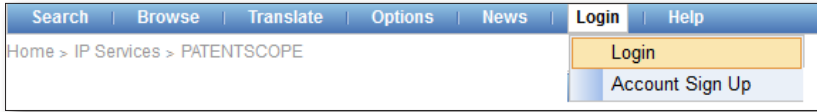


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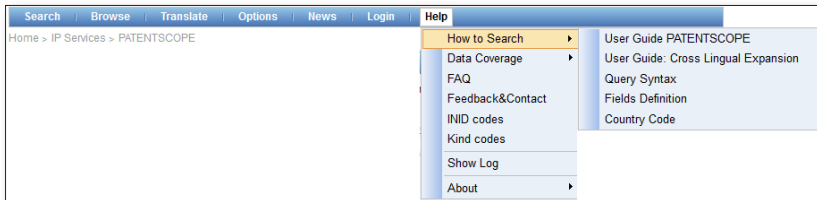


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SEARCH SYNTAX

The search syntax allows you to search for specific information in the Advanced Search. A query is a logical sentence that consists of elements joined by special symbols called operators used to define the relationship between words or groups of words.

An “element” can be:

- a single term (“engine”);
- a phrase (a group of words surrounded by quotes to search for multiple words in exact order: “magnetic cup”); or
- several of these grouped together with parentheses.

List of operators supported in the PATENTSCOPE search service:

Operators	Example	Explanation
BOOLEAN		
		always use in capital
AND	train AND plane	Returns all documents that contain both the first term and the second term.
OR	train OR plane	Returns all documents that contain either the first term or the second term or both .
NOT	train NOT plane	Returns all documents that contain the first term and not the term following NOT .
ANDNOT	train ANDNOT plane	Returns all documents that contain the first term and not the term following NOT .
WILDCARD		
?	te?t	Returns all documents that contain test or text. <u>Wildcard search</u> uses ? to search terms with one single character replaced.
*	electr*	Returns all documents that contain electric, electric s , electrical, electric ity .
	elec*try	Returns all documents that contain electric, electric s , electrical, electric ity . Returns all documents that contain electricity. <u>Wildcard search</u> uses * to search terms with 0 or more characters replaces either in the middle of the term or at the end of the term (* as the 1 st character of the term is not supported).
OTHERS		
^	power^10 nuclear	Returns all documents in which “power” is considered to be more relevant than “nuclear”. <u>Boosting</u> assigns importance values to individual query terms.
+/-	+electric-power	Returns all documents that contain electric and that do not contain power <u>Filtered searching</u> allows to require (+) a query term and to prohibit (-) one.
~	roo~	<u>Fuzzy search</u> returns all documents that contain room, rood, rook, etc.

()	(spaghetti OR plate) AND fork	Returns all documents that contain spaghetti or plate and fork. <u>Grouping</u> is used to group clauses to form sub-queries.
~/NEAR	“heart monitoring” ~ 10 Heart NEAR monitoring	<u>Proximity search</u> allows specifying a distance monitoring between words. In the example with tilde “heart” and “monitoring” are separated by 10 other words; NEAR separates words by 5 words by default
[]	[01.01.2000 TO 01.01.2001]	Returns all documents that contain dates between 01.01.2000 and 01.01.2001. Range search uses [] to include the bounds.
{ }	{ Smith TO Townsend}	Returns all documents that contain names between Smith and Townsend, but not including Smith and Townsend. Range search uses { } to exclude the bounds.

FIELD CODES

Field codes are used in the Advanced Search interface to limit your search to specific fields. For example:

To search for documents that contain the terms “precipitated calcium carbonate”, “carbon dioxide”, and variants of the word inject (using a wildcard operator) in any English text and belong to the fields of technology of papermaking or cellulose production, as represented by the IPC subclass D21, you can use the query:

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EN_ALLTXT:(“precipitated calcium carbonate” AND “carbon dioxide” AND inject*) AND IC:D21
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The EN_ALLTXT field code represents a combination of the English title, abstract, description, and claims fields, while the IC field code represents the International Patent Classification field. You should use parentheses (brackets) to enclose all search terms for a given field. And make sure not to put any spaces between the field code and the brackets!

The screenshot shows a web interface titled "Advanced Search". It features a search input field with the query: `EN_ALLTXT:"precipitated calcium carbonate" AND "carbon dioxide" inject* AND IC:d21`. Below the search field, there are two dropdown menus: "Language" set to "English" and "Stem" with a checked checkbox.

List of field codes supported in the PATENTSCOPE search service

For queries related to **APPLICANTS**:

Fields	Codes	Examples
All data	PAA	PAA: John US California
Address	AAD	AAD: Paix
Country	AADC	AADC: IT
"Main Applicant" name	PAF	PAF: "smith, john"
Name	PA	PA: smith
Nationality	ANA	ANA: CN
Residence	ARE	ARE: KR

For queries related to **DATES/RANGE**:

Fields	Codes	Examples
Application	AD	AD:[01.01.2001 TO 01.01.2005]
National phase entry number	NPAN	NPAN: CA-2*
National phase entry date	NPED	NPED:US-200012*
National phase entry type	NPET	NPET:US E
Priority	PD	PD:[01.04.2033 TO 11.11.2007]
Publication	DP	DP:[15.05.2005 TO 15.15.2008]

For queries related to **INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATIONS**:

Fields	Codes	Examples
IPC with subgroups	IC	IC: "F15D 1/00" results include F15D 1/02, F15D 1/04
IPC exact value	IC_EX	IC: "F15D 1/00" results include only F15D 1/00
IPC Inventive	ICI	ICI: "F15D 1/00" results include F15D 1/02, F15D 1/04
IPC Inventive exact value	ICI_EX	ICI: "F15D 1/00" results include only F15D 1/00
IPC inventive with subgroups	ICIS	ICIS: "F15D 1/00" results include F15D 1/02, F15D 1/04
IPC Non-Inventive	ICN	ICN: "F15D 1/00" results include F15D 1/02, F15D 1/04
IPC Non-Inventive exact value	ICN_EX	ICN_EX: "F15D 1/00" results include only F15D 1/00
IPC Non-Inventive with subgroups	ICNS	ICNS: "F15D 1/00" results include F15D 1/02, F15D 1/04

Note: The empty space can be replace with either '-' or no space at all, therefore the following are equivalent: IC:"F15D 1/00" IC:F15D1/00 IC:F15D-1/00

For queries related to **INVENTORS:**

Fields	Codes	Examples
All data	INA	INA:paul, london UK
Address	IAD	IAD:Seattle
Country	IADC	IADC:DE
“Main inventor” name	INF	INF:“hamilton, Janice”
Name	IN	IN:john

For queries related to **LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES:**

Fields	Codes	Examples
All data	RPA	RPA: (gearge, new port)
Address	RAD	RAD: (colombettes)
Country	RCN	RCN: KR
“Main Legal Rep” Name	RPF	RPF: (Jons)

For queries related to **LANGUAGES:**

Fields	Codes	Examples
All data	EN_ALL	EN_ALL: pot
Abstract	EN_AB	EN_AB:“electric car”
Claims	EN_CL	EN_CL: needle
Description	EN_DE	EN_DE: syringe
Text	EN_ALLTXT	EN_ALLTXT:“waterproof cannula”
Title	EN_TI	EN_TI:“flexible tube”
Filing	LGF	LGF: JA
Publication	LGP	LGP: EN

The table shows examples for ENGLISH, for other languages, please replace EN by:

FR for French

DE for German

ES for Spanish

JA for Japanese

RU for Russian

VN for Vietnamese

For queries related to **NAMES:**

Fields	Codes	Examples
All data	ALLNAMES	ALLNAMES:smith
Applicant	PA	PA:smith
Inventor	IN	IN:smith
“Main Applicant	PAF	PAF:“smith, john”
“Main Inventor”	INF	INF:“hamilton, janice”
“Main Legal Rep”	RPF	RPF:jones

For queries related to **NUMBERS**:

Fields	Codes	Examples
All data	ALLNUM	ALLNUM: 198808383
Application	AN	AN:IB2013888
National phase number	NPAN	NPAN: CA-2*
National Publication	PN	PN: 2005
Prior PCT Application	PRIORPCTAN	PRIORPCTAN:US2003
Prior PCT Publication	PRIORPCTWO	PRIORPCTWO:2003
Priority	NP	NP:2003*
WIPO Publication	WO	WO:YY/NN*;YY/NN; YYYY/NN*; YYYY/NNNN

Numbers are flexible: examples can be found on the *Simple Search* interface

For queries related to **NATIONAL PHASE**:

Fields	Codes	Examples
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National Phase Entry Date	NPED	NPED:US-200012*
National Phase Entry Type	NPET	NPET: (US-E*)
National Phase Office Code	NPCC	NPCC: JP

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Fields	Codes	Examples
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Office	OF	OF:JP
Office code	OF	OF:WO
Country	CTR	CTR:CU

For queries related to **PRIORITY**:

Fields	Codes	Examples
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