## Chemical Treatment of Hides, Skins or Leather

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**CHEMICAL TREATMENT OF HIDES, SKINS OR LEATHER, e.g. TANNING, IMPREGNATING, FINISHING; APPARATUS THEREFOR; COMPOSITIONS FOR TANNING**

**Note:** Bleaching of leather or furs D06L; dyeing of leather or furs D06P.

### 1/00 Chemical treatment prior to tanning
- 1/02 Curing raw hides
- 1/04 Soaking
- 1/06 Facilitating unhairing, e.g. by painting, by liming
- 1/065 Enzymatic unhairing
- 1/08 Deliming; Bating; Pickling; Degreasing

### 3/00 Tanning; Compositions for tanning
- 3/02 Chemical tanning
- 3/04 Mineral tanning
- 3/06 using chromium compounds
- 3/08 by organic agents
- 3/10 Vegetable tanning
- 3/12 using purified or modified vegetable tanning agents
- 3/14 Fat tanning; Oil tanning
- 3/16 using aliphatic aldehydes
- 3/18 using polycondensation products or precursors thereof
- 3/20 sulfonated
- 3/22 using polymerisation products
- 3/24 using lignin derivatives, e.g. sulfate liquor
- 3/26 using other organic substances, containing halogen
- 3/28 Multi-step processes
- 3/30 using physical means combined with chemical means
- 3/32 Recovering tanning agents from leather

### 5/00 Degreasing leather

### 7/00 Pasting processes (chemical part)

### 9/00 Impregnating leather for preserving, waterproofing, making resistant to heat or similar purposes
- 9/02 using fatty or oily materials, e.g. fat liquoring
- 9/04 Fixing tanning agents in the leather

### 11/00 Surface finishing of leather
- 11/003 using macromolecular compounds
- 11/006 using polymeric products of isocyanates (or isothiocyanates) with compounds having active hydrogen

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**WARNING**

In this subclass non-limiting references (in the sense of paragraph 39 of the Guide to the IPC) may still be displayed in the scheme.