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- (1) Attention is drawn to the following places:
 C08B Polysaccharides, derivatives thereof
 C11 Animal or vegetable oils, fats, fatty substances or waxes
 C12 Biochemistry, beer, spirits, wine, vinegar
 C13 Sugar industry. [4]
- (2) Processes using enzymes or micro-organisms in order to:
 (i) liberate, separate or purify a pre-existing compound or composition, or to
 (ii) treat textiles or clean solid surfaces of materials
 are further classified in subclass C12S. [5]

A23B PRESERVING, e.g. BY CANNING, MEAT, FISH, EGGS, FRUIT, VEGETABLES, EDIBLE SEEDS; CHEMICAL RIPENING OF FRUIT OR VEGETABLES; THE PRESERVED, RIPENED, OR CANNED PRODUCTS (preserving foodstuffs in general A23L 3/00; applying food preservatives in packages B65D 81/28)

<p>4/00 General methods for preserving meat, sausages, fish or fish products [2]</p> <p>4/005 . Preserving by heating [5]</p> <p>4/02 . Preserving by means of inorganic salts (apparatus therefor A23B 4/26, A23B 4/32) [2]</p> <p>4/03 . Drying; Subsequent reconstitution [5]</p> <p>4/044 . Smoking; Smoking devices [5]</p> <p>4/06 . Freezing; Subsequent thawing; Cooling [2]</p> <p>4/12 . Preserving with acids; Acid fermentation [2]</p> <p>4/14 . Preserving with chemicals not covered by groups A23B 4/02 or A23B 4/12 [2]</p> <p>4/26 . Apparatus for preserving using liquids [5]</p> <p>4/32 . Apparatus for preserving using solids [5]</p> <p>5/00 Preservation of eggs or egg products (preserving dough or bakery products A21D)</p> <p>5/005 . Preserving by heating [5]</p>	<p>7/00 Preservation or chemical ripening of fruit or vegetables [3]</p> <p>7/005 . Preserving by heating [5]</p> <p>7/02 . Dehydrating; Subsequent reconstitution (dried cooked potatoes A23L 1/214)</p> <p>7/04 . Freezing; Subsequent thawing; Cooling</p> <p>7/08 . Preserving with sugars (marmalade, jam, fruit jellies A23L 1/06)</p> <p>7/10 . Preserving with acids; Acid fermentation</p> <p>7/14 . Preserving or ripening with chemicals not covered by group A23B 7/08 or A23B 7/10</p> <p>7/144 . . in the form of gases, e.g. fumigation; Compositions or apparatus therefor [3,5]</p> <p>9/00 Preservation of edible seeds, e.g. cereals</p>
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Note

This subclass covers:

- the chemical aspects of making dairy products; [3]
- the apparatus used for performing techniques provided for therein, e.g. for concentration, evaporation, drying, preservation, or sterilisation, unless such apparatus is specifically provided for in another subclass, e.g. A01J for treatment of milk or cream for manufacture of butter or cheese. [3]

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SUBSTITUTES; CREAM; BUTTER	9/00; 11/00; 13/00; 15/00	PRODUCTS	17/00; 21/00; 23/00

General dairy technology

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FOODSTUFFS; TOBACCO

A23 FOODS OR FOODSTUFFS; THEIR TREATMENT, NOT COVERED BY OTHER CLASSES

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 - ii. treat textiles or clean solid surfaces of **materials** are further classified in subclass **C12S**. [5]

A23B PRESERVING, e.g. BY CANNING, MEAT, FISH, EGGS, FRUIT, VEGETABLES, EDIBLE SEEDS; CHEMICAL RIPENING OF FRUIT OR VEGETABLES; THE PRESERVED, RIPENED, OR CANNED PRODUCTS (preserving foodstuffs in general **A23L 3/00**; applying food preservatives in packages **B65D 81/28**)

A23B 4/00 General methods for preserving meat, sausages, fish or fish products [2]

- A23B 4/005** . Preserving by heating [5]
- A23B 4/01** . . by irradiation or electric **treatment** [5]
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A23B 9/00 Preservation of edible seeds, e.g. cereals

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A23B 9/14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> . Coating with a protective layer; Compositions or apparatus therefor [5]
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FILTER(S), filtering				FIRE(S)		
photographic —	G03C	1/00 3/00 7/00		FINGERBOARDS		
production of — from ion-exchange resins	C08J	5/20		— for stringed instruments	G10D	3/00 (3/06)
storing — on cores or reels	B65H	75/00		FINGERPRINT(S)		
thick — resistors	H01C	17/06	(17/065)	recognising —	A61B G06K	5/117 9/00
thin — resistors	H01C	17/075		FINIALS		
thin magnetic —	H01F	10/00		(roof ridge tiles)	E04D	1/30
thin- or thick- — capacitors	H01G	4/33		FINING		
FILTER(S), filtering				— of non-alcoholic beverages	A23L	2/70
<u>(1) for separating solids</u>	B01D			FINISHING		
arrangement or mounting of air conditioner —	F24F	13/00	(13/28)	barrel- —	B24B	31/00
drum —	B01D	33/00		— of bores or cylinders by rolling	B21H	1/00 (1/18)
— for breathing-protection purposes	A62B	23/00		— of chains or chain links	B21L	9/00 (9/06)
— for coffee	A47J	31/00				
— for milk	A01J	9/00	(9/02)	— of fibres, threads, yarns or fabrics	D06M	
		11/00	(11/06)	by chemical, biochemical or physical means		
— for non-alcoholic beverages	A23L	2/70	(2/72)	— of gear teeth	B23F	19/00
— for suction cleaners	A47L	9/10		— of headwear	A42C	1/00 (1/08)
— implantable into blood vessels	A61F	2/01		— of leather	C14B	
— in air conditioning	F24F	3/16			C14C	11/00
— in cigar or cigarette holders	A24F	13/00	(13/06)	— of metal surfaces mechanically	B23P	9/00
— in fluid meters	G01F	15/00	(15/12)	— of metal tubes	B21C	37/06 (37/30)
— in mouthpieces of tobacco pipes	A24F	7/00	(7/04)	see also catchwords for the finishing operations per se		
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— paper	D21H	27/08		— or dressing of filaments, yarns, threads, cords or ropes	D02J	
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— spinning solution or melt	D01D	1/00	(1/10)	— of print or printed paper	B41F	23/00 (23/08)
— tips for cigars or cigarettes	A24D	3/00			B41L	11/00
making — paper	D21F	11/00	(11/14)	— of screw threads	B23G	23/00 (23/24)
regenerating — material	B01D	41/00		— of surfaces by grinding or polishing	B24B	7/00
ultra —	B01D	61/14		— of textile fabrics	D06C	
using — aids	B01D	37/00	(37/02)	tools for building structure —	E04F	21/00
well —	E03B	3/00	(3/18)	FIRE(S)		
<u>(2) acoustic —</u>	G10K	11/00	(11/04)	<u>(1) fireplaces and equipment</u>		
<u>(3) — for electro-magnetic waves:</u>				<u>therefor:</u>		
— networks	H03H			domestic open —	F24B	1/00 (1/18)
— of waveguide type	H01P	1/20		— bars for grates of combustion apparatus	F23H	
<u>(4) optical —</u>	G02B	5/20		— bridges	F23M	
fastening — to lighting devices	F21V	17/00		— irons	F24B	15/00
— associated with lighting devices	F21V	9/00		— lighters	C10L	11/00
		13/00		<u>(2) preventing undesired — and minimising effects thereof</u>		
— for photographic purposes	G03B	11/00		extinguishing or preventing — in boreholes	E21B	35/00
— for spectacles	G02C	7/00	(7/10)	— alarms	G08B	17/00
— in electric incandescent lamps	H01K	1/00	(1/26)	— escape ladders not permanently fixed to buildings	E06C	1/00 to 7/00
— layers in photosensitive materials	G03C	1/815 1/825		— escape ladders permanently fixed to buildings	E06C	9/00
<u>(5) — for X-rays</u>	G21K	3/00		— escapes	A62B	1/00 to 5/00
FINANCE				— extinguishing apparatus adapted for or arranged in vehicles	A62C	3/07
Data processing systems or methods, specially adapted for —	G06Q	40/00		— fighting	A62C	
FINGER(S)						
apparatus for exercising —	A63B	23/035	(23/16)			
artificial — nails	A45D	31/00				
— glasses or bowls	A47G	19/00	(19/12)			
— guards for doors	E06B	7/00				
— mirrors	A45D	42/00	(42/06)			
— plates for doors	E06B	7/00	(7/28)			
— protectors for knitting	D04B	3/00	(3/04)			
— rings	A44C	9/00				
orthopaedic appliances for —	A61F	5/01	(5/10)			

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A61K 7/02	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/00
A61K 7/021	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/02
A61K 7/025	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/04
A61K 7/027	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/06
A61K 7/031	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/08
A61K 7/032	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/10
A61K 7/035	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 1/12 - 1/14
A61K 7/04	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 3/00
A61K 7/043	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 3/02
A61K 7/047	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 3/04
A61K 7/06 - 7/07	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/00 - 9/04
A61K 7/075	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/12
A61K 7/08	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/02
A61K 7/09	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/04
A61K 7/11	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/06
A61K 7/13	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/10
A61K 7/135	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 5/08
A61K 7/15	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 9/02
A61K 7/155	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 9/04
A61K 7/16	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 11/00
A61K 7/18	A61K 8/00 - 8/89, A61K 8/90 - 8/99, A61Q 11/00
A61K 7/20	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 11/00
A61K 7/22 - 7/28	A61K 8/00 - 8/89, A61K 8/90 - 8/99, A61Q 11/00
A61K 7/30	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 11/02
A61K 7/32 - 7/38	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 15/00
A61K 7/40	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 17/00 - 17/02
A61K 7/42 - 7/44	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 17/04
A61K 7/46	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 13/00
A61K 7/48	A61K 8/00 - 8/99, A61Q 19/00 - 19/08
A61K 7/50	A61K 8/30 - 8/99, A61Q 19/10
A61K 35/00	
A61K 35/70	A61K 36/06 - 36/062, A61K 36/07
A61K 35/72	A61K 36/06 - 36/064, A61K 36/07
A61K 35/78	A61K 36/00, A61K 36/10 - 36/9068
A61K 35/80	A61K 36/02 - 36/05
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