

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****D01C****CHEMICAL TREATMENT OF NATURAL FILAMENTARY OR FIBROUS MATERIAL TO OBTAIN FILAMENTS OR FIBRES FOR SPINNING;  
CARBONISING RAGS TO RECOVER ANIMAL FIBRES****NOTE**

Attention is drawn to the note following the title of Class [D01](#)

**Guidance heading:****D01C 1/00****Treatment of vegetable material****D01C 1/02**

. By chemical methods to obtain bast fibres

**D01C 1/04**

. Bacteriological retting

**D01C 3/00****Treatment of animal material, e.g. chemical scouring of wool** (recovery of lanolin or wool wax [C11B 11/00](#))**D01C 3/02**

. De-gumming silk

**D01C 5/00****Carbonising rags, { threads or fabrics } to recover animal fibres, { i.e. chemical removal of vegetable impurities** (treatment of threads or fabrics of animal fibres for other purposes than removal of vegetable impurities [D06L](#) or [D06M](#) ) }