

CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

B PERFORMING OPERATIONS; TRANSPORTING (NOTES omitted)

SEPARATING; MIXING

B09 DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE; RECLAMATION OF CONTAMINATED SOIL

B09C RECLAMATION OF CONTAMINATED SOIL (gatherers for removing stone or the like from the soil [A01B 43/00](#); sterilising soil by steam [A01G 11/00](#); removing undesirable matter, e.g. rubbish, from the land [E01H 15/00](#))

NOTE

In this subclass, the following term is used with the meaning indicated:

- "reclamation" means the partial or total elimination or the fixing of contaminants in soil.

WARNING

The following IPC groups are not in the CPC scheme. The subject matter for these IPC groups is classified in the following CPC groups:

[B09C 1/04](#)

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[B09C 1/02](#)

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| 1/00 | Reclamation of contaminated soil |
| 1/002 | • {involving in-situ ground water treatment} |
| 1/005 | • {Extraction of vapours or gases using vacuum or venting} |
| 1/007 | • {by removing contaminants floating on the water table} |
| 1/02 | • Extraction using liquids, e.g. washing, leaching {, flotation} |
| 1/025 | • . {using an oil as solvent or extracting agent} |
| 1/06 | • thermally |
| 1/062 | • . {by using electrode or resistance heating elements} |
| 1/065 | • . {by pyrolysis} |
| 1/067 | • . {by vitrification} |
| 1/08 | • chemically |
| 1/085 | • . {electrochemically, e.g. by electrokinetics} |
| 1/10 | • microbiologically, {biologically} or by using enzymes |
| 1/105 | • . {using fungi or plants} |

2101/00 In situ