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LACK OF UNITY OF INVENTION

The Search Division considers that the present European patent application does not comply with the requirements of unity of invention and relates to several inventions or groups of inventions, namely:

1. claims: 1-8, 11-15

A container comprising a tub and a hinged lid, whereby the hinge has an insertion portion comprising a frame, and a method of making it.

2. claims: 9, 10

A container comprising a tub and a hinged lid, with a latch.

None of the further search fees have been paid within the fixed time limit. The present (supplementary) European search report has been drawn up for those parts of the European patent application which relate to the first mentioned in the claims, namely claims: 1-8, 11-15

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