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# The world's patent data, curated and simplified

Patent data is an invaluable resource for evaluating technology trends, tracking competitors, and identifying risks.

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By translating, indexing and enhancing global patent documents, DWPI enables more comprehensive and relevant patent search results, while also supporting faster review and evaluation of a patent's contents.

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DWPI families go beyond priority relationships and group patents by invention, including non-convention equivalents and separating continuations that introduce new inventions into new families.

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## Before becoming a DWPI record, a patent publication is:

Translated into
English from over 30
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Normalized using machine learning and manual review, applying standardized, Latin character company and inventor names

Indexed by technology category using 322 classes across 21 sections

Enhanced with a descriptive title provided by an editor with subject-matter expertise

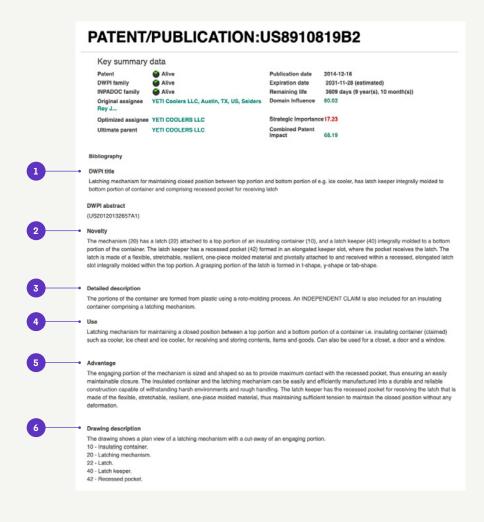
Summarized with standardized abstracts that clearly state novelty, use, and advantage

Curated by inventive feature using over 26,000 codes applied by a patent editor

 $<sup>{}^{1}\</sup>underline{\text{Refer to our study}} \text{ for additional detail on how patent search applications were evaluated.}$ 

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- **1. Title:** describes the invention and its use in standard language to make it easier to retrieve the document with keyword searches and assess its relevance.
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- **5. Advantage:** describes how the novelty is an improvement over prior art.
- **6. Other fields:** including Technology Focus, Activity, Mechanism of Action, Description of Drawing, Wider Disclosure, Specific Substances and more to help you quickly discern key information.





**Global coverage** across all regions, including jurisdictions in Asia-Pacific with high growth rates of patent applications and grants.

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global patent publications covered by DWPI abstracts

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+008

priority data errors corrected every week 88K+

new DWPI abstracts created on average every week

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sources, including 59 patent-issuing authorities and 2 literature sources

900+

patent editors write abstracts based on their technical domain expertise

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DWPI Record Example

Original Publication

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