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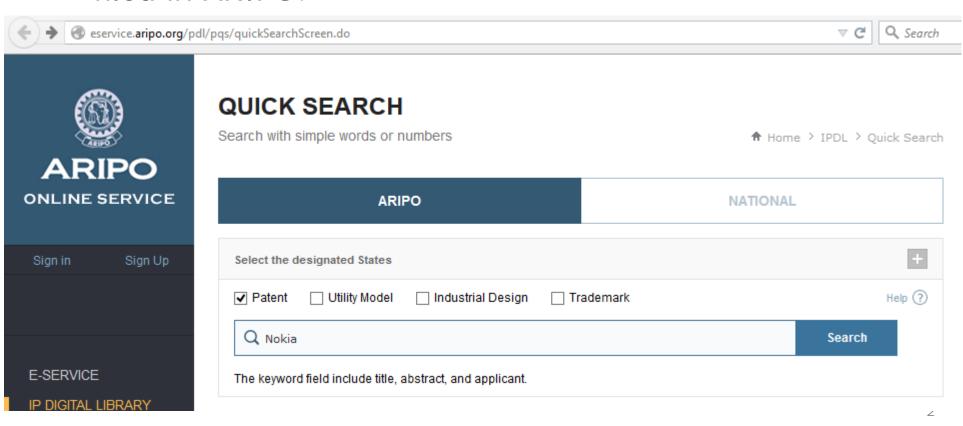
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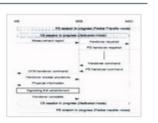
#### A method for handover of dedicated and shared resources for a mobile station in du...

Appl.No.: AP/P/2007/004136 Patent No.: AP 2178 Status: Granted or Registered application

IPC: H04W36/14(2006.01) | H04L12/56(2006.01)

Filling Date: 02.03.2006 Applicant: NOKIA CORPORATION

A method for the handover of dedicated as well as shared resources for a communication device. The communication device simultaneously uses circuit switched and packet switched bearer services of a communication network according to a certain connection mode, the method comprises performing a handov...



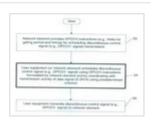
#### Dynamic uplink control channel gating to increase capacity

Appl.No.: AP/P/2008/004332 Patent No.: AP 2668 Status: Granted or Registered application

IPC: H04Q7/38(2006.01)

Filling Date: 04.08.2006 Applicant: NOKIA CORPORATION

The specification and drawings present a new method, system, apparatus and software product for dynamic gating of an uplink (UL) control channel, e.g., dedicated physical control channel (DPCCH) for increasing capacity of communications, e.g., wireless communications, wherein said gating is





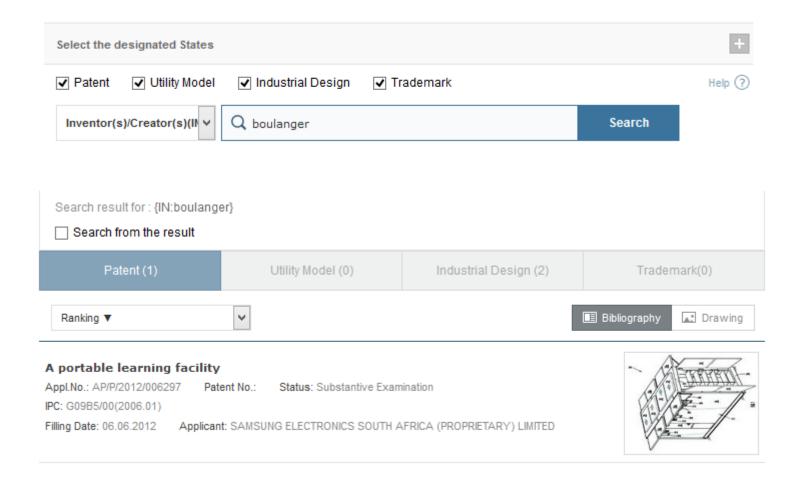


A client has seen a product that they would like to manufacture. Your client tells you that the inventor of the product is a Mr Simon Boulanger. Your client suspects the product is patented somewhere, but is not sure if it is patented in ARIPO.

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- A well-known type of HIV medication was originally patented by MERCK & CO INC
- Your client is interested in knowing whether the medication is patented in ARIPO, and whether any other relevant patents may cover the active ingredient
- Your client tells you that the active ingredient is classified as a "reverse transcriptase" inhibitor
- The active ingredient is Efavirenz

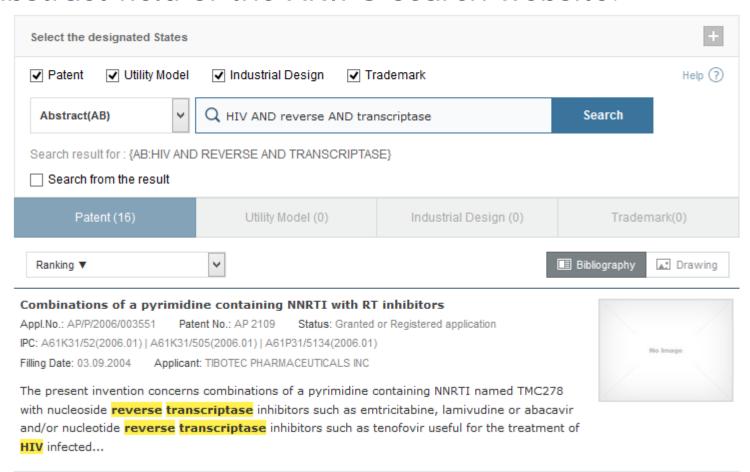




- On Espacenet, searching for "HIV reverse transcriptase" in the abstract field provides 1,814 results
- Adding "Merck" as an applicant for the search limits the results to 181
- When sorting the results by priority date, the oldest specification is entitled "BENZOXAZINONES AS INHIBITORS OF HIV REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE"
- This was the original filing relating to this medication



Searching for "HIV" and "reverse transcriptase" in the abstract field of the ARIPO search website:







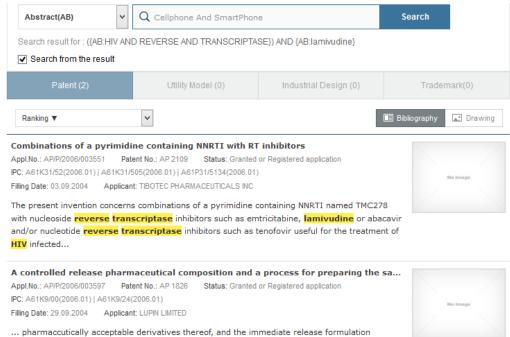
- 16 results
- The last result in the list is a MERCK SHARP & DOHME patent, but is not the same as the original patent found on Espacenet
- The original filing was not done in ARIPO. However, all of the patents in the list may be relevant to your client, as they relate to same type of technology

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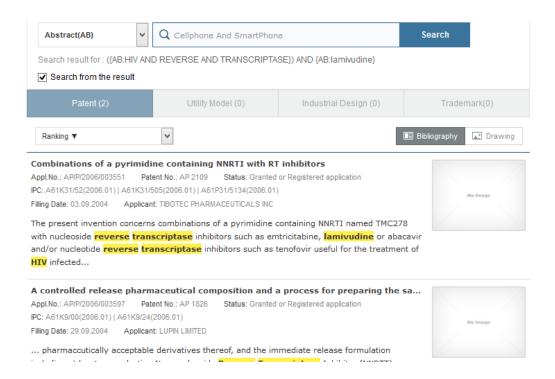
- You can search within the results by selecting the "search from the results" box
- If, for example, the client would like to know if an active ingredient called "lamivudine" is patented in combination with Efavirenz:







 Two results remain, which may both be particularly relevant to your client







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