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Module 3: Espacenet – International Search in the European Patent Office

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Applicant(s):	Institut Pasteur
Inventor(s): i	Smith

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Continuing the search for "motorized wheelchair", we used parenthesis to separate combinations and synonyms of the keywords, in English:

Keyword(s) in title: i	plastic and bicycle
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Inventor(s): i	Smith
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1 .	OBSTACLE TRAVERSI	NG WHEEL CHAIR				
*	Inventor: Goertzen Gerold [US] NULL WILLIAM A [US]	Applicant: IINVACARE CORP [US]	CPC: <u>A61G2005/1078</u> <u>A61G2005/1089</u> <u>A61G2005/128</u> (+10)	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/06 B62B5/02 (+2)	Publication info: US2014138170 (A1) 2014-05-22	Priority date: 2000-10-27
2.	MOTORIZED LIFTING D	DEVICE FOR WHEEL CHAIR				
*	Inventor: JUN YOO MAN [KR]	Applicant: DASUNG TECHNOLOGY CO LTD [KR]	CPC:	IPC: A61G3/02 B66F7/06	Publication info: KR101372262 (B1) 2014-03-10	Priority date: 2012-10-26
3.	. mobile centre of testin	iq technical state of wheel transp	ort vehicles			
*	Inventor: Demyd Maria Mykolaivna [Ua]	Applicant: DEMYD MARIA MYKOLAIVNA [UA]	CPC:	IPC: B60R11/00 B60R99/00	Publication info: UA41603 (U) 2009-05-25	Priority date: 2009-01-30
4 .	AUTOMATIC RETRACT	ABLE LOADING/UNLOADING RAMP				
*	Inventor: CRUZ RAMOS MARCO POLO [MX] GORDILLO MOSCOSO JOSÉ LUIS [MX] (+2)	Applicant: INST TECNOLÓGICO Y DE ESTUDIOS SUPERIORES DE MONTEREY [MX]	CPC:	IPC: A61G3/06 B60P1/43 B65G69/28	Publication info: WO2014069976 (A1) 2014-05-08	Priority date: 2012-11-01
5.	GENERATOR OF DIREC	TIONAL THRUST FOR MOVING VEH	IICLES AND/OR OB	JECTS IN GENER	AL USING CENTRIFUGA	FORCE
*	Inventor: OSWALDO STOPPA JUNIOR [BR] STOPPA OSWALDO [BR] (+3)	Applicant: OSWALDO STOPPA JUNIOR [BR] STOPPA OSWALDO [BR] (+3)	CPC:	IPC: F03G3/00 F03G3/02	Publication info: WO2014066960 (A1) 2014-05-08	Priority date: 2012-11-05
6.	. <u>Device enabling an ele</u>	ectric wheel chain to cross obsta	<u>cles</u>			
*	Inventor: OHRUH MICHEL	Applicant: NEW LIVE	CPC: <u>A61G2005/1078</u> <u>A61G2005/1089</u> <u>A61G5/046</u> (+2)	IPC: A61G5/04 B62D55/075 B62D61/10	Publication info: NZ601620 (A) 2014-02-28	Priority date: 2010-02-05
7.	. <u>Power <mark>Wheel </mark>Chai</u>	N WITH GUARD FOR PLAYING SPC	RTS	MINISTÉRIC		
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wheelchair? or (chair* and wheel?)

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The search can also be more precise by using the classification (field "IPC") combined with the keywords in the title or the abstract.

Since this classification is suitable for motorized wheel chairs and cars, "motor*" was not included in the search.







Approximately **3,897** results found in the Worldwide database for: **wheelchair? or (chair* and wheel?)** in the title or abstract AND **A61G5/04** as the IPC classification Only the first **500** results are displayed.

Results are sorted by date of upload in database

The list of results is very extensive, because there are a lot of inventions related to motorized wheelchairs.

1.	ANTI-TIP SYSTEM	I FOR A POWER WHEEL CHAIR				
*	Inventor: MULHERN JAMES P [US] LEVI RONALD [US] (+1)	Applicant: PRIDE MOBILITY PRODUCTS CORP [US]	CPC: <u>A61G2005/1078</u> <u>A61G2005/1089</u> <u>A61G5/042</u> (+6)	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/06 B60R21/00 (+1)	Publication info: US2015173985 (A1) 2015-06-25	Priority date: 2003-10-08
2.	Foldable electric	wheel chair				
*	Inventor: GAO ZI GUI [US]	Applicant: GAO ZI GUI [US] KD HEALTH CARE CO USA INC [US]	CPC: <u>A61G2005/0833</u> <u>A61G2005/085</u> <u>A61G2005/0866</u> (+4)	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/08 B60K1/04 (+1)	Publication info: US9060909 (B1) 2015-06-23	Priority date: 2014-08-05
3.	POWER ADD-ON	DEVICE FOR MANUAL WHEEL CHAI	R			
*	Inventor: Tallino Patrick [US]	Applicant: TALLINO PATRICK [US]	CPC: <u>A61G2005/1054</u> <u>A61G2203/14</u> <u>A61G5/04</u> (+3)	IPC: A61G5/04	Publication info: US2015164718 (A1) 2015-06-18	Priority date: 2009-05-27
4.	SELF OPERABLE	WHEEL CHAIR				
*	Inventor: LEE TUN-CHI [TW]	Applicant: MEDICRAFT HOLDINGS TAIWAN CO LTD [TW]	CPC: <u>A61G2005/125</u> <u>A61G2005/127</u> <u>A61G5/041</u> (+4)	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/10 A61G5/12 (+1)	Publication info: US2015164717 (A1) 2015-06-18	Priority date: 2013-12-12
5.	WHEEL CHAIR	WITH CHANGEABLE BASE				
*	Inventor: WIAK SLAWOMIR JAN [PL] PYCH TOMASZ ALEKSANDER [PL]	Applicant: FEDERAL NOE G BJUDZHETNOE OBRAZOVATEL NOE UCHREZHDENIE VYSSHEGO PROFESSIONAL NOGO OBRAZOVANIJA NOVGO [RU]	CPC:	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/06	Publication info: RU2542557 (C1) 2015-02-20	Priority date: 2013-10-22
6.	WHEEL CHAIR	SEAT ASSEMBLY				
*	Inventor: LOEWENTHAL HOWARD [US] MOHAN TRAIAN [US]	Applicant: INVACARE CORP [US]	CPC: A61G2005/085 A61G2005/0866 A61G2005/0883 (+15)	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/08 A61G5/10	Publication info: US2015157518 (A1) 2015-06-11	Priority date: 2010-03-16



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By detailing the subject of the search, the results are more specific.

For example, the search can be conducted for a motorized wheelchair with a massager to avoid bedsores in the user.

Therefore, we included the term "massag*" for "massage", "massaging", etc.

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	1.	Electric rehabilitat	ion wheel chair with standing and sitting a	ssisting functi	<u>on</u>		
	*	Inventor: ZHANG LIXUN QIN TAO (+1)	Applicant: UNIV HARBIN ENG	CPC:	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/14 A61H1/02 (+1)	Publication info: CN204170008 (U) 2015-02-25	Priority date: 2014-09-26
	2	Medical wheel cha	air				
	*	Inventor: LEI ZHEN	Applicant: SHAANXI YIFU BEAUTY THERAPY TECHNOLOGY CO LTD	CPC:	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/10 A61H23/02	Publication info: CN104337630 (A) 2015-02-11	Priority date: 2013-08-09
	3	Massage wheel o	hair				
	*	Inventor: WANG YUN	Applicant: WANG YUN	CPC:	IPC: A61G5/00 A61G5/04 A61G5/10 (+2)	Publication info: CN204106380 (U) 2015-01-21	Priority date: 2014-10-11
	4	Electrical rehabilita	ation wheel chair with sit-up function				
	*	Inventor: ZHANG LIXUN QIN TAO (+1)	Applicant: UNIV HARBIN ENG	CPC:	IPC: A61G5/04 A61G5/14 A61H1/02 (+1)	Publication info: CN104224463 (A) 2014-12-24	Priority date: 2014-09-26
	5.	Multi-functional w	heel chair				
	*	Inventor: HE GANG	Applicant: HE GANG	CPC:	IPC: A61G5/04 A61H1/00	Publication info: CN203598136 (U) 2014-05-21	Priority date: 2013-12-04





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DESCRIPTION CN204106380

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Technical Field

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The utility model relates to a care unit, in particular to a massage chair.

[0003]

Background technique

[0004]

Most currently available wheelchair wheels driven by human pushing the wheelchair forward, the patient's physical exertion, the patient long-term against the wheelchair back, easily lead to a blood clot and sore back, no infusion device in a wheelchair, when the patient needs transfusion exist inconvenience.





SUMMARY: Comparative table for the free patent databases for search

Free patent databases	Scope	Keyword Ianguage	Number of terms per field	Logical operators	Truncation operators
INPI	Only documents filed in Brazil	Portuguese	Indefinite (time for response increases with the number of terms used)	"AND" "OR" "AND NOT"	*
LATIPAT	Documents filed in Latin America countries and Spain (20 countries)	Portuguese and Spanish	Up to 4	"AND" "OR" "NOT"	* ? #
ESPACENET	More than 90 countries	Preferentially English	Up to 10	"AND" "OR" "NOT"	* ? #



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Final Considerations and Tips

•The databases described have similar search fields, as well as truncation characters (*) and logical operators (AND OR).

• The logical operator "AND" must be used to combine characteristics, and "OR", for synonyms.

• The operators "AND NOT" and "NOT", included in the table above, must be used with extreme caution and, therefore, are not introduced in this basic guide.

 In the databases in which only * is a truncation character, you must observe the real need and the best way to use it.





Final Considerations and Tips

•Truncation using * must be used in a smart way, as it can yield undesired results. Example: in a search in the telecommunications field, the expression "tele*" will yield documents related to television.

For example, if the objective is to recover terms related to mosquitoes and *mosquiteiros* (mosquito nets), with different suffixes, in a search in Portuguese in Latipat, some options would be:

a) mosquito, mosquitos, mosquiteiro use mosquit*;
b) for plural or singular use ? at the end: mosquito? (mosquito or mosquitos);
c) for masculine or feminine use # at the end: mosquiteir# (mosquiteiro or mosquiteira)



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• The complete list of codes of the countries can be found in <u>www.wipo.int/standards/en/pdf/03-03-01.pdf</u>. Examples:

BR – Brazil CN – China US – United States JP – Japan KR – South Korea CA – Canada IN – India DE – Germany RU – Russia

Some codes represent organizations, such as EP, which represents the European Patent Office.

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