

Title (en)

Polyvinyl alcohol-based synthetic fibers having a slender cross-sectional configuration and their use for reinforcing shaped articles.

Title (de)

Polyvinylalkoholfasern mit dünnem Querschnitt und Anwendung für verstärkte Artikel.

Title (fr)

Fibres d'alcool polyvinyle à section transversale mince, et utilisation pour des articles renforcés.

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Abstract (en)

Described is the spinning of a boric acid-containing aqueous polyvinyl alcohol solution in an alkaline coagulation bath. The coagulation bath is maintained at a temperature of 55 to 95 DEG C. The resulting tow of monofilaments is drawn in a draw ratio of not less than 17. This process provides polyvinyl alcohol-based synthetic fibers having a slender cross-sectional configuration and superior mechanical properties. By using these fibers as a reinforcement material for synthetic resins, rubbers, hydraulic inorganic materials, etc., there can be obtained shaped articles possessing improved mechanical properties.

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