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METHOD OF PRODUCING AND PACKING FILTER-TIPPED CIGARETTES

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0586919A2] On the filter assembly machine (2) of a cigarette manufacturing and packing system (1), tobacco items (20), each consisting of two cigarette portions (21, 22) joined by a double filter (23), are fed successively to a cutting station (24) to form two successions (25, 26) of side by side, oppositely-oriented single cigarettes (11a, 11b); the cigarettes (11a) in one succession (25) being turned around 180 DEG and outwards in relation to the cigarettes (11b) in the other succession (26) to form two successions (25, 26) of equioriented, transversely-spaced cigarettes (11), which are fed along respective paths (31, 32) to respective outputs (38) of the filter assembly machine (2), for supply to respective transversely-spaced inputs (6, 7) of a packing unit (3). <IMAGE>

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