

Title (en)  
USE OF EXPANDABLE ELEMENT

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VERWENDUNG EINES SICH AUSDEHNENDEN ELEMENTES

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UTILISATION D'UN ELEMENT EXPANSIBLE

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[origin: WO0037762A1] The present invention relates to a process for the manufacture of expandable elements having a determined shape, whereby a mass (1) consisting of organic fibres, which are expandable by the addition of a hydrophilic liquid, is compressed in one or more determined directions to a density of 300 to 1500 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, preferably 600 to 800 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, and that elements having the determined form are shaped from said mass, as well as an expandable element and its use.

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