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Apparatus and method for forming a cigar from a bunch and a wrapper.

Title (de)
Vorrichtung und Verfahren zum Bilden einer Zigarre aus einem Bündel und einem Wickler

Title (fr)
Appareil et procédé pour former un cigare à partir d'un amas et d'une enveloppe

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The invention relates to an apparatus for forming a cigar from a bunch and a wrapper. The apparatus comprises feed means for feeding a bunch to a rolling location; wrapper supply means for supplying a wrapper to a wrapper supply location; transport means for transporting the wrapper from the wrapper supply location to the rolling location. The transport means comprises a carrier arm that is movable in a transport direction from an uptake position for taking up the wrapper at the wrapper supply location to a release position for releasing the wrapper at the rolling location. The carrier arm is provided with a suction means for holding the wrapper. The device further comprises a rolling device at the rolling location for rolling the wrapper around the bunch. The transport means are arranged such that, in at least the release position, at least a substantial part of the carrier arm extends from the suction means to behind the longitudinal axis of the suction means, as seen in the reverse transport direction.

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