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(54) **Agglomerate production**

(57) A method of producing agglomerates, which method includes blending carbonaceous particles, and optionally organic waste material, with an additive comprising particulate clay, and with a binder comprising an aqueous emulsion of polyvinyl acetate. The resultant

blend is then shaped to form agglomerates, and subsequently permitting the binder to cure in the agglomerates.

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