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(54) **Indoor and outdoor covering panels and shapes**

(57) Indoor and outdoor covering panels and shapes are disclosed, comprising a PVC core (1),

wherein said core is solid and packed and is coated by a plurality of protective layers, said layers providing for an external pattern reproducing the wood grain.

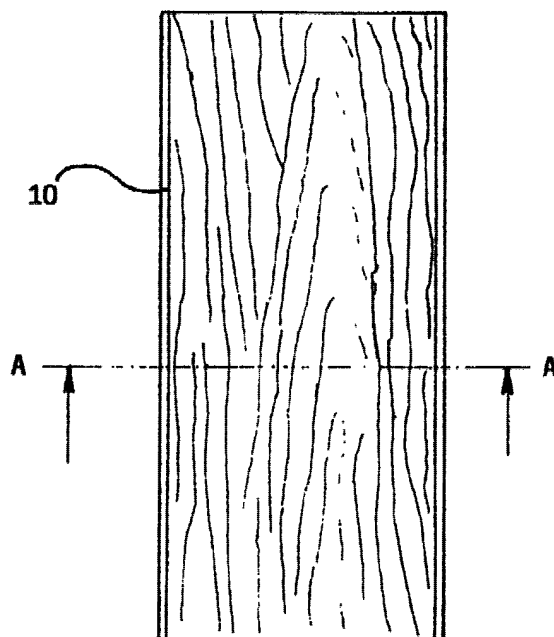


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