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(57)**ABSTRACT**

The invention relates to a process or apparatus for transforming a first polymorph of a chemical material into a second polymorph of the same chemical material, utilizing an apparatus comprising a vessel connected to a re-circulation system, the process comprising the steps of: suspending said first polymorph in a solution to form a slurry in the vessel, re-circulating the slurry and removing the slurry from the vessel.





FIG. 1

Polymorph Transformation Crystallization — Batch mode

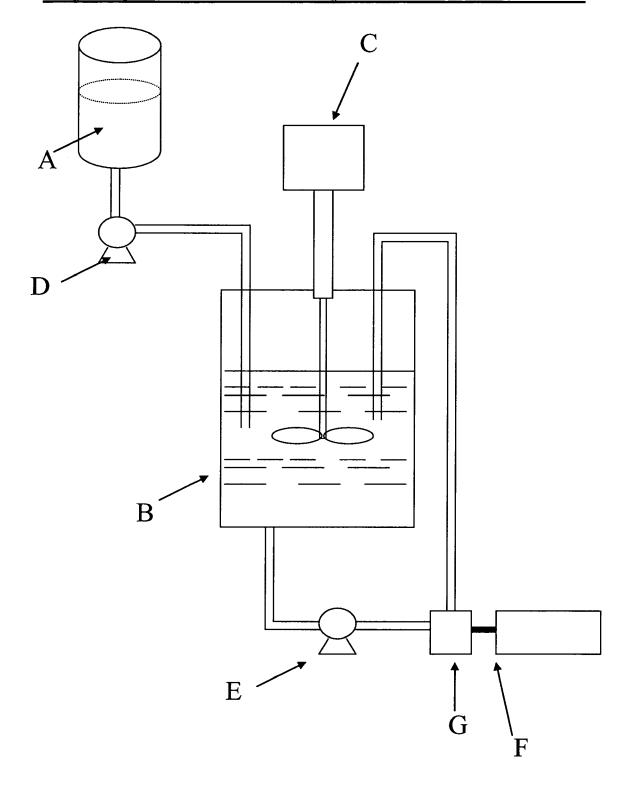


FIG. 2

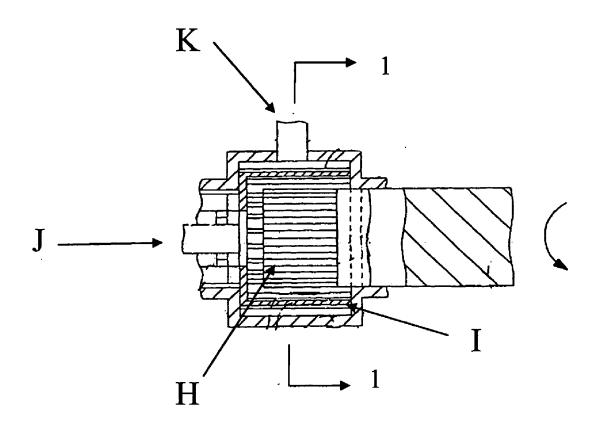


FIG. 3

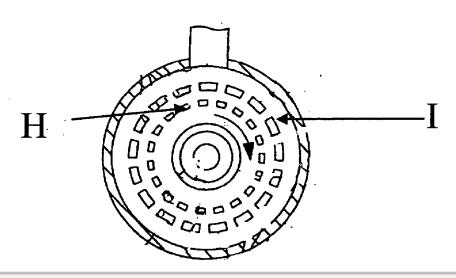
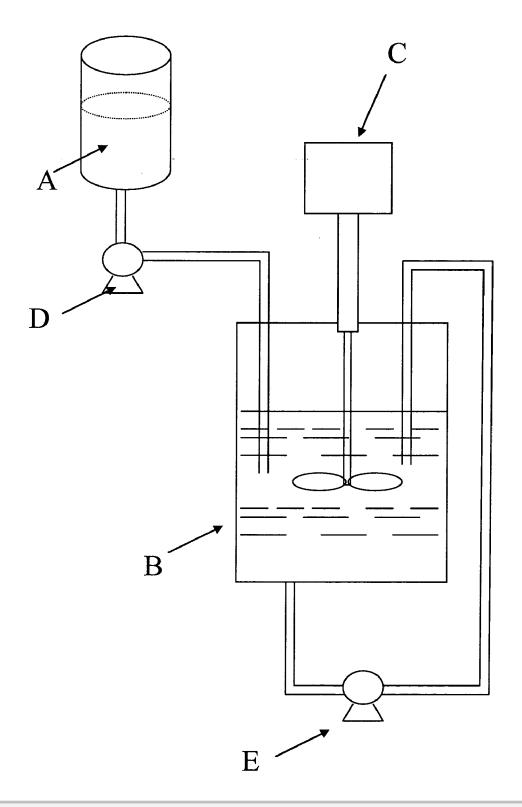
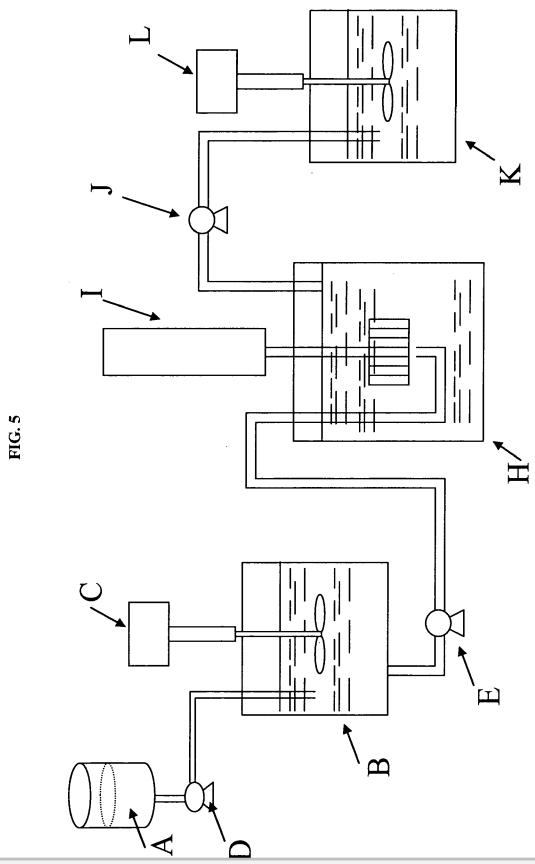


FIG. 4

Polymorph Transformation Crystallization — Batch mode







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