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Miscellaneous Collection of Documents Dealing
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 - b. Entwicklung der Fabrikation.
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 - c. Stand u. Ausbau des Werkes.
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 - d. Energieversorgung.
The power supply.
 - e. Betriebs- u. Baubelegschaft.
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 - h. Kaufmännisches und Finanzierung.
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40. Monatsbericht November 1942. Fahrweise.
 Monthly reports on manufacturing procedure.
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 Monatsbericht November 1942. Aldol - Fabrik.
 Monthly reports of the aldol factory. Nov. 1942.
 Monatsbericht der Aldolhydrierung. November 1942.
 Monthly reports on the hydrogenation of aldol.
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 Balance sheet on the hydrogenation of aldol.
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 Monatsbilanz Oktober 1942. Gesamtausbeute der Aldol Butolstufe.
 Monthly balance sheet of the total yield of the aldol butylene glycol phase. October 1942.
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41. Apart from the first three items in the file, the main contents are a continuation of the various types of reports on the hydrogenation of aldol, covering the period from December 1942, and on up to October 1943. The dates in each case are included and need not be repeated. The first three items are:
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 Lieferung von Hydrierkontakte an die Bunawerke.
 Delivery of hydrogenation catalysts.
 Die Hydrierung des Reinaldols bei 700 atu.
 The hydrogenation of pure aldol at 700 atms.
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42. Dr. P. Baumann, Marl, den 12. Mai 1943: Gross-technische Destillation im Haus der Technik.
 Lecture given by Dr. P. Baumann on "Large-scale Distillation" on May 12, 1943.

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- 42a. Betriebsvorschrift für Nekal BX trocken Emulgator 1000 Pulver.
 Directions for the manufacture of "Nekal BX, dry" Emulsifier 1000 powder.
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 Raw materials, % per 100 kilograms yield:
 28,6% Butanol rein, wasserfrei.
 28.6% pure, anhydrous butanol.

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 72,9% 24-proz. Oleum.
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 0,1% Sulfosaure D.
 0.1% sulpho acid D.
 74,3% 34,5-proz. Natronlauge.
 74.3% caustic soda solution (34.5%).
 10,0% Natriumhypochloritlösung.
 10.0% sodium hypochlorite solution.
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 Patent application. Process and equipment for continuous sulphonating and/or neutralization. Sulphonating of fatty alcohols. Process for the manufacture of the products of sulphonation from alcohols of higher molecular weight.
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46. Pharm. Betriebs-Labor. Jahresbericht 1942. Her-
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Pharm. Works Lab. Annual report, 1942. Manu-
facture of "Lubisan". ("Lubisan" is: Resorcinol
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Synthetic resins. The most important raw
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Lautenschlager). 987 - 1007
49. Dr. Hagen. Bericht Nr. 20. Versuche mit Butadien-
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Dr. Hagen's report No. 20. Experiments with
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50. Dr. Hagen. Bericht Nr. 8. "Über lichtechte Buna-Stabilisatoren. Kurze zusammenfassung: In tertiärem Butylphenolsulfid wird ein Stabilisator für Buna gefunden, der im gegensatz zum Vulkanisaten keine Lichtverfärbung zeigt.
 Dr. Hagen's report No. 8 on light-fast Buna stabilizers. Short summary: A stabilizer for Buna has been found in tertiary butylphenol sulphide, which, in contrast to phenyl-beta-naphtylamine (which was hitherto in use), shows no light-discolouration in the lighter vulcanizations. Jan. 11, 1937. 1026 - 1041
51. Charakterisierung von Stabilisatoren durch Messung der Saurestoffaufnahme.
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 c. Auszug aus dem Referat Dr. Ing. P. Nowak, Bln.-Charlottenburg: "Über den Einfluss kautschukähnlicher Hochpolymerer Auf die physikalischen Eigenschaften von Buna-Mischungen". Extract from the survey by Dr. Ing. P. Nowak, Bln.-Charlottenburg: "The influence of high-polymer of a rubber-like character on the physical qualities of Buna compounds".

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- d. Auszug aus dem Referat von Dr. P. Stöcklin,
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1940. Polnischer Kautschuk "Ker".
Concerning: experimental plant for synthetic
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