

ABSTRACT**IMPROVEMENTS RELATING TO DRAINAGE OF MATERIAL**

There are described arrangements for draining material from a storage space of a vessel, and related apparatus and methods. In certain embodiments, the arrangement can comprise at least one injector for injecting a carrier fluid into the storage space, and a topography defining at least one drainage course on a floor at a base of the storage space, the topography being configured to concentrate the injected carrier fluid in the drainage course for carrying the particles on the drainage course to an outlet.

[Figure 1]