

ABSTRACT

A FAN BLADE

5 The present invention discloses a fan blade of generally rectangular configuration having leading and trailing edges, means for attachment to a drive motor at one end, and a convex free end, the curvature of which is greater at the ends of the curve than at its centre, wherein the upper surface of the blade has on its free end a rib extending inwardly around its leading edge from a position not exceeding one third of the width
10 of the free end to a position not exceeding half of the length of the leading edge.

(Fig. 2)