

**CUTTING APPARATUS AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING CUT
PRODUCT**

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 The present invention makes it possible, using a blade, to cut an object to be cut in which cutting lines within mutually adjacent separating elements are set on mutually different straight lines. There is provided a cutting apparatus 100 that cuts, along cutting lines CL1 and CL2, an object to be cut W in which a plurality of separating elements W1 and W2 are connected together by means of connecting portions W3, and in
10 which the cutting lines CL1 and CL2 within the separating elements W1 and W2 that are mutually adjacent to each other are set on mutually different straight lines. This cutting apparatus 100 includes a cutting table 2 on which the object to be cut is held by means of suction, a cutting mechanism 3 that, using a blade 31, cuts the object to be cut W, and a separating element transporting portion 10 that, in a state in which the connecting
15 portions W3 have been cut by the cutting mechanism 3 so that the separating elements W1 and W2 have been separated from each other, transports one of the mutually adjacent separating elements W1 or W2 away from the cutting table 2.

Figure 7