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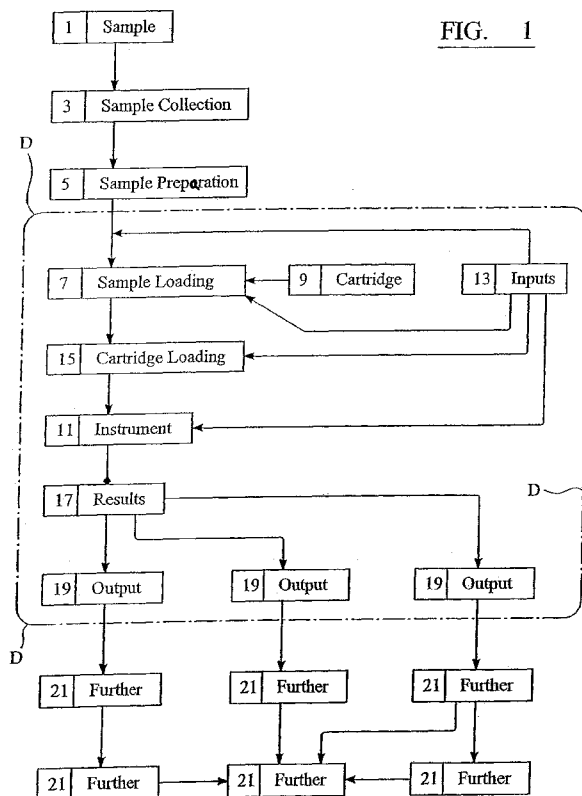
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(57) Abstract: A method for collecting a sample and/or
analysing a sample is provided, together with kits for use
therein, in which the method includes using the kit and where-
in an identifier is provided on one or more of the devices
and/or containers and/or packaging which can be recorded and
which is used to link the identity of the identifier for one or
more of those identifiers to one or more of the identities for
one or more of the other identifiers. In this way, the different
devices, containers, pieces of equipment, reagents and stages
used in the collection and/or analysis can be linked together
for future reference. This ensures the correct processing of the
sample and the correct attributing of the end results to it.
Checks or other enquiries can be made on each of the different
devices etc to validate the results if necessary.



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