

## PATENT ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

Electronic Version v1.1  
Stylesheet Version v1.2

EPAS ID: PAT4242460

<b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>	NEW ASSIGNMENT
<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>	MERGER
<b>EFFECTIVE DATE:</b>	08/31/2011
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>
DIVERGENCE, INC.	08/31/2011
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	MONSANTO COMPANY
<b>Street Address:</b>	800 NORTH LINDBERGH BOULEVARD
<b>City:</b>	ST. LOUIS
<b>State/Country:</b>	MISSOURI
<b>Postal Code:</b>	63167
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>	
<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Number</b>
Application Number:	15415170
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>	
<b>Fax Number:</b>	(314)231-4342
<i>Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.</i>	
<b>Phone:</b>	(314) 345-7000
<b>Email:</b>	uspatents@senniger.com
<b>Correspondent Name:</b>	SENNIGER POWERS LLP
<b>Address Line 1:</b>	100 NORTH BROADWAY, 17TH FLOOR
<b>Address Line 4:</b>	ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63102
<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:</b>	MTC 58523.US5
<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	SHARON L. WINKLER
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	/Sharon L. Winkler/
<b>DATE SIGNED:</b>	01/25/2017
<b>Total Attachments: 2</b>	
source=02674903#page1.tif	
source=02674903#page2.tif	

State of Delaware  
Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
Delivered 12:44 PM 08/31/2011  
FILED 12:44 PM 08/31/2011  
SRV 110968645 - 3174788 FILE

**CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER**  
**OF**  
**DIVERGENCE, INC.**  
(a Delaware corporation)  
**INTO**  
**MONSANTO COMPANY**  
(a Delaware corporation)

Pursuant to Section 253 of the General Corporation Law of Delaware

It is hereby certified that:

1. Monsanto Company (hereinafter sometimes referred to as "Monsanto") was incorporated on February 9, 2000, pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware ("DGCL").

2. Monsanto is the owner of all of the issued and outstanding shares of the stock of Divergence, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "Divergence"), a corporation incorporated on June 15, 1999 pursuant to DGCL.

3. On August 3, 2011, the Board of Directors of Monsanto duly adopted the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Merger of Divergence, Inc. with and into Monsanto, whereby Monsanto will be the surviving entity, is approved and declared advisable.

4. The merger is to become effective at 11:59 p.m. EST on August 31, 2011.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said parent corporation has caused this certificate to be signed by an authorized officer the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011.

MONSANTO COMPANY

By Jennifer L. Woods  
Jennifer L. Woods, Assistant Secretary

# Delaware

PAGE 1

*The First State*

I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"DIVERGENCE, INC.", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,

WITH AND INTO "MONSANTO COMPANY" UNDER THE NAME OF "MONSANTO COMPANY", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 2011, AT 12:44 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP IS THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 2011, AT 11:59 O'CLOCK P.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.



3174788 8100M

110968645

You may verify this certificate online  
at [corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml](http://corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml)

  
Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State  
AUTHENTICATION: 9002666

DATE: 08-31-11