

[54] INSTANT BEVERAGE ARTICLE

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[57] ABSTRACT

A dry article for the preparation of instant beverages when combined with a liquid. The article comprises a stick, a first solid, liquid-soluble mass comprising beverage base material and at least one second solid, liquid-soluble mass comprising flavoring material for said base material. The first and second masses are bonded to the stick in side-by-side relationship, the second or flavoring mass being adjacent one end of the stick so that it can be removed if the user prefers to prepare the beverage without the flavoring material. The stick serves as a handle for the dry article and as a stirrer to facilitate dissolution of the base material and the flavoring material, if present, in the liquid.

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