CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

F MECHANICAL ENGINEERING; LIGHTING; HEATING; WEAPONS; BLASTING (NOTE omitted)

LIGHTING; HEATING

F21 LIGHTING

(NOTE omitted)

F21YINDEXING SCHEME ASSOCIATED WITH SUBCLASSES F21K, F21L, F21S and F21V,
RELATING TO THE FORM OR THE KIND OF THE LIGHT SOURCES OR OF THE
COLOUR OF THE LIGHT EMITTED

<u>NOTE</u>

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2101/00	Point-like light sources	2109/00	Light sources with light-generating elements
2103/00	Elongate light sources, e.g. fluorescent tubes		disposed on transparent or translucent supports or substrates
2103/10	• comprising a linear array of point-like light-		
	generating elements	2111/00	Light sources of a form not covered by groups
2103/20	• of polygonal shape, e.g. square or rectangular		F21Y 2101/00-F21Y 2107/00
2103/30	. curved	2113/00	Combination of light sources
2103/33	annular		
2103/37	U-shaped		WARNING
2105/00	Planar light sources		Group <u>F21Y 2113/00</u> is impacted by reclassification into group <u>F21Y 2113/30</u> .
2105/10	comprising a two-dimensional array of point-like light concerting elements		Groups F21Y 2113/00 and F21Y 2113/30 should
2105/12	light-generating elements		be considered in order to perform a complete
2105/12	characterised by the geometrical disposition of the light-generating elements, e.g. arranging		search.
	light-generating elements in differing patterns or densities	2113/10	• of different colours
2105/14	• characterised by the overall shape of the two-		WARNING
	dimensional array		Group F21Y 2113/10 is impacted by
2105/16	• • • square or rectangular, e.g. for light panels		reclassification into group F21Y 2113/30.
2105/18	annular; polygonal other than square or		Groups F21Y 2113/10 and F21Y 2113/30 should
	rectangular, e.g. for spotlights or for generating		be considered in order to perform a complete
	an axially symmetrical light beam		search.
2107/00	Light sources with three-dimensionally disposed light-generating elements	2113/13	• comprising an assembly of point-like light sources
2107/10	• on concave supports or substrates, e.g. on the inner side of bowl-shaped supports		WARNING
2107/20	• on convex supports or substrates, e.g. on the outer		Group F21Y 2113/13 is impacted by
	surface of spheres		reclassification into group <u>F21Y 2113/30</u> .
2107/30	• on the outer surface of cylindrical surfaces, e.g. rod-		Groups F21Y 2113/13 and F21Y 2113/30
	shaped supports having a circular or a polygonal cross section		should be considered in order to perform a
2107/40			complete search.
2107/40	 on the sides of polyhedrons, e.g. cubes or pyramids on planar substrates or supports, but arranged in 	2113/17	forming a single encapsulated light source
	different planes or with differing orientation, e.g.		WARNING
	on plate-shaped supports with steps on which light-		
	generating elements are mounted		Group <u>F21Y 2113/17</u> is impacted by reclassification into group <u>F21Y 2113/30</u> .
2107/60	• on stacked substrates		Groups <u>F21Y 2113/17</u> and F21Y 2113/30
2107/70	• on flexible or deformable supports or substrates, e.g. for changing the light source into a desired form		should be considered in order to perform a
2107/80	• on articulated supports or substrates		complete search.
2107/90	• on two opposite sides of supports or substrates		
			should be considered in order to complete search.

F21Y

2113/20	of different	form

WARNING

Group <u>F21Y 2113/20</u> is impacted by reclassification into group <u>F21Y 2113/30</u>.

Groups <u>F21Y 2113/20</u> and <u>F21Y 2113/30</u> should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

2113/30 • {of visible and non-visible spectrum}

WARNING

Group <u>F21Y 2113/30</u> is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups <u>F21Y 2113/00, F21Y 2113/10, F21Y 2113/13,</u> <u>F21Y 2113/17</u> and <u>F21Y 2113/20</u>.

All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

2115/00	Light-generating elements of semiconductor light
	sources

- 2115/10 . Light-emitting diodes [LED]
- 2115/15 . . Organic light-emitting diodes [OLED]
- 2115/20 Electroluminescent [EL] light sources
- 2115/30 Semiconductor lasers