

CPC**COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****B21F**

WORKING AND PROCESSING OF WIRE ({ reducing diameter by} rolling of metal [B21B](#); by drawing, auxiliary operations used in connection with metal working without essentially removing material [B21C](#))

Guidance heading: Wire working characterised by operations performed

B21F 1/00

Bending wire other than coiling; Straightening wire

B21F 1/002

- . {by means of manually operated devices, e.g. pliers}

B21F 1/004

- . { by means of press-type tooling}

B21F 1/006

- . { in 3D with means to rotate the tools about the wire axis}

B21F 1/008

- . { in 3D with means to rotate the wire about its axis}

B21F 1/02

- . Straightening

B21F 1/023

- .. { in a device rotating about the wire axis}

B21F 1/026

- .. {Straightening and cutting}

B21F 1/04

- . Undulating

B21F 1/06

- . Bending wire-eyes

B21F 3/00

Coiling wire into particular forms

B21F 3/02

- . helically

B21F 3/027

- .. with extended ends formed in a special shape, e.g. for clothes-pegs

B21F 3/04

- .. externally on a mandrel or the like

B21F 3/06

- .. internally on a hollow form

B21F 3/08

- . to flat spiral

B21F 3/10

- . to spirals other than flat, e.g. conical

B21F 3/12

- . of interconnected helical springs

B21F 5/00

Upsetting wire { or pressing operations affecting the wire cross-section}(in the manufacture of nails or pins [B21G 3/12](#))

B21F 5/005

- . { Upsetting wire}

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Twisting wire; Twisting wire together (for connections of limited size [B21F 15/04](#))

B21F 9/00

Straining wire (straining pre-stressing wires for concrete [E04G 21/12](#); connections or attachments adapted for straining [F16G 11/00](#); {bundling machines or tools [B65B 13/00](#)})

B21F 9/002

- . { to maintain tension in the wire, e.g. to pull the wire taut}

B21F 9/005

- . { to affect the material properties of the wire}

B21F 9/007

- . { to induce a plastic deformation of the wire}

B21F 9/02

- . by tools adapted also for making connections

B21F 11/00

Cutting wire (hand cutting tools [B26B](#))

B21F 11/005

- . {springs}

B21F 13/00	Splitting wire
B21F 15/00	Connecting wire to wire or other metallic material or objects; Connecting parts by means of wire (tools for both straining and connecting B21F 9/00 ; jacketing or reinforcing B21F 17/00 ; manufacture of wire network B21F 27/00 ; in making bands B21F 43/00){ bundling machines or tools B65B 13/00 ; for semiconductors H01L 24/85 }
B21F 15/02	. wire with wire
B21F 15/04	. . without additional connecting elements or material, e.g. by twisting
B21F 15/06	. . with additional connecting elements or material {(B21F 27/08 takes precedence)}
B21F 15/08	. . . making use of soldering or welding {(B21F 27/10 takes precedence)}
B21F 15/10	. wire with sheet metal
B21F 17/00	Jacketing or reinforcing articles with wire (by winding B65H 54/00 , B65H 81/00 ; by braiding D04C)
B21F 19/00	Metallic coating of wire (by extruding B21C 23/24 ; by soldering or welding, e.g. cladding or plating B23K ; by other non-mechanical means C23 ; electroplating C25D)
B21F 23/00	Feeding wire in wire-working machines or apparatus (applicable also to feeding rods or strips B21D 43/00)
B21F 23/002	. {Feeding means specially adapted for handling various diameters of wire or rod}
B21F 23/005	. {Feeding discrete lengths of wire or rod}
B21F 23/007	. . { using pick-up means, e.g. for isolating a predefined number of wires from a bundle}
Guidance heading:	<u>Wire working characterised by the particular articles produced</u>
B21F 25/00	Making barbed wire
B21F 27/00	Making wire network, i.e. wire nets (meshed-ring network B21F 31/00 ; in making bands B21F 43/00 ; using looms D03D)
B21F 27/005	. {Wire network per se}
B21F 27/02	. without additional connecting elements or material at crossings, e.g. connected by knitting
B21F 27/04	. . Manufacturing on machines with rotating blades or formers
B21F 27/06	. . Manufacturing on twister-gear machines
B21F 27/08	. with additional connecting elements or material at crossings
B21F 27/10	. . with soldered or welded crossings {(resistance spot welding machines for manufacturing of metallic grids or mats B23K 11/008)}
B21F 27/12	. Making special types or portions of network by methods or means specially adapted therefor
B21F 27/121	. . {of tubular form, e.g. as reinforcements for pipes or pillars}
B21F 27/122	. . . {by attaching a continuous stirrup to longitudinal wires}
B21F 27/124 {applied by rotation}
B21F 27/125	. . . {by attaching individual stirrups to longitudinal wires}

B21F 27/127	... {by bending preformed mesh}
B21F 27/128	.. {of three-dimensional form by connecting wire networks, e.g. by projecting wires through an insulating layer}
B21F 27/14	.. Specially bending or deforming free wire ends
B21F 27/16	.. for spring mattresses
B21F 27/18	.. of meshed work for filters or sieves
B21F 27/20	.. of plaster-carrying network
B21F 27/22	.. of network for wire-reinforced glass or the like
B21F 29/00	Making fencing or like material made partly of wire (B21F 25/00 , B21F 27/00 take precedence)
B21F 29/02	. comprising bars or the like connected by wires
B21F 31/00	Making meshed-ring network from wire
B21F 33/00	Tools or devices specially designed for handling or processing wire fabrics or the like
B21F 33/002	. {Coiling or packing wire network}
B21F 33/005	. {Cutting wire network}
B21F 33/007	. {Connecting wire network}
B21F 33/02	. Mounting of wire network on frames
B21F 33/025	.. {Mounting of mattress innersprings on borderframes}
B21F 33/04	. Connecting ends of helical springs for mattresses
B21F 35/00	Making springs from wire (by coiling wire B21F 3/00 ; making resilient rings B21F 37/02)
B21F 35/003	. { Multi-filament springs, e.g. made of stranded, braided, cable or multi-filament material}
B21F 35/006	. { Double twist coil springs}
B21F 35/02	. Bending or deforming ends of coil springs to special shape
B21F 35/04	. Making flat springs, e.g. sinus springs
B21F 37/00	Manufacture of rings from wire (in chain making B21L ; making of tyre beads B29D 30/48)
B21F 37/02	. of resilient rings, e.g. key-rings
B21F 37/04	. of washers (B21F 37/02 takes precedence)
B21F 39/00	Making wheel spokes from wire
B21F 41/00	Making umbrella frames or members from wire
B21F 43/00	Making bands, e.g. bracelets, or wire (making chains B21L ; using looms D03D)
B21F 45/00	Wire-working in the manufacture of other particular articles (of pins, needles, nails, hairpins B21G ; of chains B21L ; { for semiconductor devices H01L 24/42 })
B21F 45/002	. {of frames for spectacles}

B21F 45/004	. {Mounting bails on containers}
B21F 45/006	. { of concrete reinforcement fibres}
B21F 45/008	. { of medical instruments, e.g. stents, corneal rings (medical science A61)}
B21F 45/02	. of clothes hangers
B21F 45/04	. of elements, e.g. levers or links, for bottle stoppers
B21F 45/06	. of flexible shafts or hollow conduits, e.g. for Bowden mechanisms
B21F 45/08	. of loom heddles
B21F 45/10	. of cards for fabric-napping machines
B21F 45/12	. of fishing hooks
B21F 45/14	. of end-pieces for laces or ropes
B21F 45/16	. of devices for fastening or securing purposes
B21F 45/18	. . of slide fastener elements
B21F 45/20	. . of springs hooks; of spring safety hooks
B21F 45/22	. . of paper fasteners or clips (staples B21F 45/24)
B21F 45/24	. . of staples; of belt-fastening elements
B21F 45/26	. . of buttons
B21F 45/28	. . . of "patent-fastener" or press-button type
B21F 99/00	Subject matter not provided for in other groups of this subclass