

# CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

## B PERFORMING OPERATIONS; TRANSPORTING

(NOTES omitted)

### PRINTING

**B41 PRINTING; LINING MACHINES; TYPEWRITERS; STAMPS** (reproduction or duplication of pictures or patterns by scanning and converting into electrical signals [H04N](#))

**B41K STAMPS; STAMPING OR NUMBERING APPARATUS OR DEVICES** (marking meat [A22C 17/10](#); embossing combined with printing [B41F 19/00](#); selective printing mechanisms [B41J](#); embossing decorations or marks [B44B 5/00](#); marking or coding completed packages [B65B 61/26](#); ticket printing and issuing, fare registering, nonprinting aspects of franking apparatus [G07B](#))

#### **WARNING**

In this subclass non-limiting references (in the sense of paragraph 39 of the Guide to the IPC) may still be displayed in the scheme.

<b>1/00</b>	<b>Portable hand-operated devices without means for supporting or locating the articles to be stamped, i.e. hand stamps; Inking devices or other accessories therefor</b>	1/48	. . . with ink ribbons, ink sheets, or carbon tape or paper
		1/50	. . . Stamping surfaces impregnated with ink, or made of material leaving a mark after stamping contact
1/003	. {combined with other articles (combination of writing appliances with stamps <a href="#">B43K 29/005</a> )}	1/52	. . . Ink reservoirs, e.g. integral with stamp handles
1/006	. {Pocket stamps}	1/54	. . . Inking pads
1/02	. with one or more flat stamping surfaces having fixed images	1/56	. . Handles {(combined with labelling means <a href="#">B41K 1/363</a> )}
1/04	. . with multiple stamping surfaces; with stamping surfaces replaceable as a whole	1/58	. . Stands or other means for keeping hand stamps or the like within easy reach
1/06	. . with means for locating the image to be obtained	<b>3/00</b>	<b>Apparatus for stamping articles having integral means for supporting the articles to be stamped (means for printing on articles of special shape or having a surface of particular configuration <a href="#">B41F 17/00</a>)</b>
1/08	. with a flat stamping surface and changeable characters		
1/10	. . having movable type-carrying bands or chains	3/005	. {Cheque stamping machines ( <a href="#">B41K 3/02</a> - <a href="#">B41K 3/62</a> take precedence)}
1/12	. . having adjustable type-carrying wheels	3/02	. with stamping surface located above article-supporting surface
1/14	. . having automatic means for changing type-characters	3/04	. . and movable at right angles to the surface to be stamped
1/16	. . . Numbering devices	3/06	. . . having type-carrying bands or chains
1/18	. . . . for pages	3/08	. . . having adjustable type-carrying wheels
1/20	. . with means for locating the image to be obtained	3/10	. . . having automatic means for changing type-characters, e.g. numbering devices
1/22	. with curved stamping surfaces for stamping by rolling contact	3/102	. . . . {Numbering devices}
1/24	. . Rocking stamps	3/105	. . . . . {actuating means for changing type-characters}
1/26	. with stamping surfaces adapted for application to non-flat surfaces	3/107	. . . . . {having movable type-carrying bands or chains}
1/28	. . flexible	3/12	. . with curved stamping surface for stamping by rolling contact
1/30	. for offset or intaglio stamping	3/121	. . . {using stamping rollers having changeable characters}
1/32	. for stencilling	3/122	. . . . {having type-carrying bands or chains}
1/34	. for multicolour stamping	3/123	. . . . {having adjustable type-carrying wheels}
1/36	. Details		
1/363	. . {Labelling means}		
1/366	. . {Arrangement of counting devices}		
1/38	. . Inking devices; Stamping surfaces		
1/40	. . . Inking devices operated by stamping movement		
1/42	. . . . with pads or rollers movable for inking		
1/44	. . . for offset, intaglio, or stencil stamping		
1/46	. . . for multicolour stamping		

- 3/125 . . . . {having automatic means for changing type-characters}
- 3/126 . . . . . {Numbering devices}
- 3/127 . . . . . {actuating means for changing type-characters}
- 3/128 . . . . . {having type-carrying bands or chains}
- 3/14 . . . for relief stamping
- 3/16 . . . for intaglio stamping
- 3/18 . . . for offset stamping
- 3/20 . . . for stencilling
- 3/22 . . . with means for producing distorted images
- 3/24 . . for multicolour stamping
- 3/26 . with stamping surface located below article-supporting surface
- 3/263 . . {having a stamping surface with changeable characters}
- 3/266 . . . {having automatic means for changing type-characters, e.g. numbering devices}
- 3/28 . . and bearing a positive image
- 3/30 . . . and having means for varying the image, e.g. by exchanging stamping plates in succession
- 3/32 . with co-operating stamping and counter-stamping members
- 3/34 . . in the form of indexable cylinders, e.g. of curved or polygonal cross-section, or of movable chains or bands
- 3/36 . with means for deforming or punching the copy matter
- 3/38 . . separate from the stamping means
- 3/40 . . for numerical or alphabetical characters
- 3/42 . Stamping apparatus with selection mechanisms for successively stamping and delivering lists or other items giving information, e.g. for warehouse administration, washing lists, supermarket guides
- 3/44 . Means for handling copy matter
- 3/46 . . for locating when stationary
- 3/48 . . for conveying intermittently to or from stamping station
- 3/50 . . for conveying during stamping operation
- 3/52 . . for discharging
- 3/54 . Inking devices
- 3/56 . . using inking pads
- 3/58 . . using ink ribbons, ink sheets, or carbon tape or paper
- 3/60 . . using rollers, e.g. rollers with integral ink-supply devices
- 3/62 . Details or accessories
- 3/625 . . {Arrangement of counting devices}
- 3/64 . . Stamping mechanisms controlled by feed of copy matter
- 3/66 . . Safety devices, e.g. for preventing extraction of copy matter before completion of stamping operation
- 3/68 . . Cutting or severing devices ([in general B26](#))
- 5/00 Plier-like tools for stamping, or stamping and delivering, tickets or the like**
- 5/003 . {Inking devices therefor}
- 5/006 . {with means for deforming the copy matter}
- 5/02 . with means for varying the image stamped
- 5/023 . . {having type-carrying bands or chains}
- 5/026 . . {having adjustable type-carrying wheels}
- 5/04 . with devices for collecting counterfoils, or with other means for recording stamping operations ([counting devices G06M](#))
- 5/06 . . for recording on separate tape
- 5/08 . . with counting devices
- 99/00 Subject matter not provided for in other groups of this subclass**