

# CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

**A45C PURSES; LUGGAGE; HAND CARRIED BAGS** (sacks or packs carried on the body [A45F](#) containers in general [B65D](#), e.g. portable flexible containers, [B65D 27/00](#) - [B65D 37/00](#); making leather, canvas, or like articles [B68F](#))

## NOTES

1. In this subclass, the following term is used with the meaning indicated:
  - "luggage" means containers for personal belongings for a journey, e.g. travelling bags, suitcases, trunks.
2. In this subclass, the following terms are used with the meaning indicated:
  - "flexible" means providing a structure with no considerable resistance against deformation or decrease of the enclosed volume, whereby a two-dimensional stability may be provided, e.g. by a stiffened bottom
  - "semi-rigid" means providing a structure with three-dimensional stability in an unloaded state and resilient resistance against deformation, or allowing a limited decrease, of the enclosed volume, e.g. by a resilient frame or a rigid frame with flexible side walls
  - "rigid" means providing a structure with three-dimensional stability allowing no deformation leading to a considerable decrease of the enclosed volume
  - "collapsible" means providing a feature other than use of flexible material for reducing the dimensions of flexible luggage or the enclosed volume of semi-rigid or rigid luggage
  - "extensible" means providing a feature other than use of flexible material for increasing the enclosed volume of flexible, semi-rigid or rigid luggage

<b>1/00</b>	<b>Purses; Money-bags; Wallets</b> {(collapsible or extensible <a href="#">A45C 7/00</a> ; convertible into other articles <a href="#">A45C 9/00</a> )}	<b>2001/125</b>	. . {Treat collecting devices, e.g. bags for collecting contributions}
2001/003	. {Security cash bags}	<b>3/00</b>	<b>Flexible luggage; Handbags</b> (collapsible or extensible luggage, bags or the like <a href="#">A45C 7/00</a> ; handbag mirrors <a href="#">A45D 42/04</a> ; {bags for midwives <a href="#">A61B 17/48</a> ; doctors' or nurses' bags <a href="#">A61B 50/312</a> })
2001/006	. {Cash boxes, e.g. with compartments}	3/001	. {Flexible materials therefor (making luggage of leather, canvas or the like <a href="#">B68F</a> )}
1/02	. Purses	2003/002	. . {Mesh materials}
2001/022	. . {releasably fitted to a button or clothing item}	3/004	. {Foldable garment carrier bags}
1/024	. . {fitted in handbags or the like}	2003/005	. {Bags having two volumes connected at upper ends, e.g. saddle bags}
2001/026	. . {combined with key rings or the like}	2003/007	. {Sport bags}
2001/028	. . {Rigid coin holders}	2003/008	. {Travelling bags}
1/04	. . Purses to be worn at the belt or bracelet; Money-belts	3/02	. Briefcases or the like
1/06	. Wallets {(devices for the prevention of theft or loss of wallets <a href="#">A45C 13/185</a> ); for holding keys <a href="#">A45C 11/32</a> ); Notecases	3/04	. Shopping bags; Shopping nets
2001/062	. . {Clips for holding banknotes}	3/045	. . {Shopping nets}
2001/065	. . {combined with card holders}	3/06	. Ladies' handbags
2001/067	. . {Rigid casings}	3/08	. . Handbags provided with removable or washable covers
1/08	. Combinations of purses and wallets	3/10	. Beach-bags; Watertight beach-bags
2001/083	. . {combined with card holders}	3/12	. Bags for shoes
2001/086	. . {with an additional compartment for storing another kind of objects}	3/14	. Bags combined with hand-muffs
1/10	. Money-bags for conductors or like people; Money-bags with rigid coin-holders (sorting, testing, changing, delivering, or otherwise handling coins <a href="#">G07D</a> )	<b>5/00</b>	<b>Rigid or semi-rigid luggage</b> (collapsible or extensible luggage, bags or the like <a href="#">A45C 7/00</a> )
2001/101	. . {with means for carrying on the body}	5/005	. {Toilet cases (toilet etuis <a href="#">A45C 11/008</a> )}
2001/102	. . {Rigid coin-holders}	5/02	. Materials therefor (making luggage of leather, canvas, or the like <a href="#">B68F</a> )
2001/104	. . . {with one or more recesses for receiving a coin, i.e. each recess receiving one single coin}	5/03	. Suitcases
2001/105	. . . {with one or more recesses for receiving coins, i.e. the coins being stored side by side in a single recess, e.g. groove with coins flat in one planar surface}	2005/032	. . {semi-rigid, i.e. resistant against deformation and resilient, e.g. with a resilient frame}
2001/107	. . . {with coins stored in piles, i.e. several coins stacked in a compartment}	2005/035	. . . {soft-sided, i.e. with flexible side walls covering a rigid frame}
2001/108	. . . . {with means for controlling the dispensing of coins, e.g. followers, pushers, selectors}	2005/037	. . {with a hard shell, i.e. rigid shell as volume creating element}
1/12	. Savings boxes (safes <a href="#">E05G 1/00</a> )	5/04	. Trunks; Travelling baskets
		5/045	. . {Travelling baskets}
		5/06	. with outside compartments

5/065	. . {with drawers}	2011/001	. {for portable audio devices, e.g. walkman, headphones, MP3-player}
5/08	. of round or oval shape	2011/002	. {for portable handheld communication devices, e.g. mobile phone, pager, beeper, PDA, smart phone}
2005/10	. . {Travelling baskets}	2011/003	. {for portable computing devices, e.g. laptop, tablet, netbook, game boy, navigation system, calculator}
5/14	. with built-in rolling means	11/005	. {Contact lens cases ( <a href="#">A45C 11/046</a> takes precedence)}
5/141	. . {the rolling means being formed by the trunk itself}	2011/006	. . {for storing a plurality of disposable lens packages}
2005/142	. . . {with spherical rolling means, e.g. ball casters}	2011/007	. {Receptacles for personal medical or care products, e.g. drugs, condoms, patches; Small first aid kits}
5/143	. . {detachable}	11/008	. {Pocket toilet etuis ( <a href="#">toilet cases A45C 5/005</a> )}
5/145	. . {with immobilising means, e.g. means for blocking the wheels}	11/02	. Hat boxes
5/146	. . {retractable}	11/04	. Spectacle cases; Pince-nez cases
2005/147	. . . {for climbing stairs}	11/043	. . {with cleaning means}
2005/148	. . . {Other arrangements of the rolling means}	11/046	. . {with contact lens holders}
<b>7/00</b>	<b>Collapsible or extensible {purses,} luggage {hand carried} bags or the like</b>	11/06	. . Making of spectacle or pince-nez cases (of a single specified material, <a href="#">see the relevant class, e.g. B31</a> )
2007/0004	. {convertible into an open planar surface, e.g. a sheet}	11/08	. Cases for telescopes or binoculars
2007/0009	. . {with an elongated shape, i.e. belt-shaped}	11/10	. Watch cases or guards, with or without windows
2007/0013	. . {with fasteners along the periphery of the surface}	11/12	. . Transparent watch-protectors
7/0018	. {Rigid or semi-rigid luggage}	11/14	. Pocket holders for postage stamps
7/0022	. . {comprising an integrated expansion device}	11/16	. Jewel boxes
7/0027	. . . {with slide fastener strips}	11/18	. Ticket-holders or the like
7/0031	. . . {telescopic}	11/182	. . {Credit card holders}
7/0036	. . {collapsible to a minimal configuration, e.g. for storage purposes}	11/184	. . . {with a reminding device, e.g. when the card is not returned into its holder ( <a href="#">reminder alarms in general G08B 21/00</a> )}
7/004	. . . {inflatable and deflatable}	2011/186	. . . {with protection from unauthorised reading by remotely readable data carriers}
7/0045	. . {comprising a plurality of separable elements which can be used independently of one another}	2011/188	. . {Media card holders, e.g. memory cards, SIM cards}
7/005	. . {with interchangeable elements forming the storage space, e.g. modular}	11/20	. Lunch or picnic boxes or the like
7/0054	. . {comprising a plurality of hinged panels to be unfolded in one plane for access purposes}	11/22	. Watertight containers for use while swimming
7/0059	. {Flexible luggage; Hand bags}	11/24	. Etuis for purposes not covered by a single one of groups <a href="#">A45C 11/02</a> - <a href="#">A45C 11/22</a> , <a href="#">A45C 11/26</a> , <a href="#">A45C 11/32</a> - <a href="#">A45C 11/38</a>
7/0063	. . {comprising an integrated expansion device}	11/26	. Roll-up holders with pockets for separate articles
7/0068	. . . {with slide fastener strips}	11/32	. Bags or wallets for holding keys ( <a href="#">key-holding inserts A45C 13/023</a> )
7/0072	. . . {telescopic}	11/321	. . {combined with other articles}
7/0077	. . {collapsible to a minimal configuration, e.g. for storage purposes}	2011/322	. . {Sheath-like bags for protecting a key-blade or for receiving a key}
7/0081	. . . {inflatable and deflatable}	11/323	. . {with key hangers}
7/0086	. . {comprising a plurality of separable elements which can be used independently of one another}	11/324	. . {with pivoting keys ( <a href="#">A45C 11/325</a> takes precedence)}
7/009	. . {with interchangeable elements forming the storage space, e.g. modular}	11/325	. . {Spare-key holders}
7/0095	. . {comprising a plurality of hinged panels to be unfolded in one plane for access purposes}	11/326	. . . {Card-like holders}
7/02	. with lazy-tongs framework	11/327	. . {with sliding keys ( <a href="#">A45C 11/325</a> takes precedence)}
<b>9/00</b>	<b>{Purses,} Luggage or {hand carried} bags convertible into {other articles or into} objects for other use (<a href="#">trunk-wardrobes A47B 61/06</a>; <a href="#">trunks convertible into tables A47B 85/00</a>; <a href="#">trunk-beds A47C 17/82</a>)</b>	11/328	. . . {comprising a sliding mechanism}
2009/002	. {into a seat}	11/329	. . . {comprising a flexible tie, e.g. strip, band, chain}
2009/005	. {into a vehicle, e.g. scooter}	11/34	. Pencil boxes; Pencil etuis or the like ( <a href="#">functioning as, or combined with, writing or drawing implements B43K 31/00</a> )
2009/007	. {into other hand or travelling articles}	11/36	. Cases for drawing or like instruments ( <a href="#">functioning as, or combined with, writing or drawing implements B43K 31/00</a> )
<b>11/00</b>	<b>Receptacles for purposes not provided for in groups <a href="#">A45C 1/00</a> - <a href="#">A45C 9/00</a> (specially adapted for toilet or cosmetic equipment <a href="#">A45D</a>; travelling sewing kits <a href="#">A45F 3/48</a>; {devices for carrying bowling balls <a href="#">A63B 47/007</a>})</b>	11/38	. Camera cases, e.g. of ever-ready type

<b>13/00</b>	<b>Details; Accessories</b> ( <a href="#">haberdashery A44</a> ; <a href="#">hinged lids for containers B65D 43/16</a> ; <a href="#">hinges E05D</a> )	<b>2013/265</b>	. . . {the handle being adjustable in rotation to a towing element}
13/001	. {Accessories}	<b>2013/267</b>	. . . {the handle being slidable, extractable and lockable in one or more positions}
13/002	. {Protective covers}	13/28	. . Combinations of handles with other devices
13/004	. {Expanding devices for display purposes, e.g. filler for soft luggage}	13/30	. Straps; Bands
13/005	. {Hinges}	<b>2013/303</b>	. . {with strap loop for carrying an object by passing the hand through the loop, the loop resting partially around the wrist}
13/007	. . {with spring means}	<b>2013/306</b>	. . {for attaching auxiliary articles to luggage, e.g. piggyback}
13/008	. {for making water- or air-tight}	13/34	. Stays or supports for holding lids or covers open
13/02	. Interior fittings; Means, {e.g. inserts,} for holding and packing articles	13/345	. . {with automatic opening or closing means}
13/021	. . {inflatable}	13/36	. Reinforcements for edges, corners, or other parts
13/023	. . {Means for holding keys}	13/38	. Luggage carriers
<b>2013/025</b>	. . {for holding portable computers or accessories therefor}	13/385	. . {with rolling means ( <a href="#">trunks with built-in rolling means A45C 5/14</a> )}
<b>2013/026</b>	. . {Inserts}	13/40	. Umbrella, stick, or glove holders attached to a bag
<b>2013/028</b>	. . {for holding or compacting items by creating vacuum}	13/42	. Devices for identifying luggage; Means for attaching same
13/03	. . Means for holding garments	<b>15/00</b>	<b>Purses, bags, luggage or other receptacles covered by groups <a href="#">A45C 1/00</a> - <a href="#">A45C 11/00</a>, combined with other {objects or} articles (<a href="#">A45C 1/08</a>, <a href="#">A45C 3/14</a>, {<a href="#">A45C 11/321</a> and <a href="#">A45C 13/28</a>} take precedence; {Purses combined with sticks <a href="#">A45B 3/10</a>})</b>
13/04	. Frames	15/02	. with memorandum tablets
13/06	. . Frame closures	15/04	. with mirrors
13/08	. Decorative devices for handbags or purses	15/06	. with illuminating devices
13/083	. . {of articulated coverings, e.g. meshwork}	15/08	. with watches
13/086	. . . {metallic}	<b>2200/00</b>	<b>Details not otherwise provided for in <a href="#">A45C</a></b>
13/10	. Arrangement of fasteners ( <a href="#">fastening devices for containers B65D</a> , e.g. <a href="#">B65D 43/14</a> ; <a href="#">locks E05B</a> )	<b>2200/05</b>	. Means for indicating features of the content from outside
<b>2013/1007</b>	. . {with two parallel resilient strips, hinged at their ends and opened by pressure in longitudinal direction on both ends}	<b>2200/10</b>	. Transparent walls
<b>2013/1015</b>	. . {of hook and loop type}	<b>2200/15</b>	. Articles convertible into a stand, e.g. for displaying purposes
13/1023	. . {with elongated profiles fastened by sliders}	<b>2200/20</b>	. Carrying beverage vessels, e.g. bottles
13/103	. . . {Arrangement of zip-fasteners}		
13/1038	. . {of flexible ties}		
13/1046	. . . {of strings or cords}		
13/1053	. . . {of tabs}		
<b>2013/1061</b>	. . . {of elastic straps or bands}		
13/1069	. . {magnetic}		
13/1076	. . {with a snap action ( <a href="#">A45C 13/12</a> takes precedence)}		
13/1084	. . . {of the latch-and-catch type}		
13/1092	. . . {of the socket-and-pin type}		
13/12	. . of press-button or turn-button fasteners		
13/123	. . . {of press-buttons}		
13/126	. . . {of turn-buttons}		
13/14	. . of bar fastenings		
13/16	. Closures of the roller-blind type		
13/18	. Devices to prevent theft or loss of {purses,} luggage or {hand carried} bags		
13/185	. . {of purses, money-bags or wallets}		
13/20	. . Chains or bands ( <a href="#">A45C 13/185</a> takes precedence)}		
13/22	. . Detachable handles; Handles foldable into the luggage ( <a href="#">separate handles for carrying means A45F 5/10</a> )		
<b>2013/223</b>	. . . {Detachable handles}		
<b>2013/226</b>	. . . {Handles foldable into the luggage}		
13/24	. . Devices for sound-producing, piercing, gas-discharging, or the like		
13/26	. Special adaptations of handles ( <a href="#">A45C 13/22</a> takes precedence; <a href="#">handles for containers in general B65D 25/28</a> )		
13/262	. . {for wheeled luggage}		