

CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

A HUMAN NECESSITIES

PERSONAL OR DOMESTIC ARTICLES

A45 HAND OR TRAVELLING ARTICLES

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

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

3/14	. Bags combined with hand-muffs	7/02	. with lazy-tongs framework
5/00	Rigid or semi-rigid luggage (collapsible or extensible luggage, bags or the like A45C 7/00)	9/00	{Purses,} Luggage or {hand carried} bags convertible into {other articles or into} objects for other use (trunk-wardrobes A47B 61/06; trunks convertible into tables A47B 85/00; trunk-beds A47C 17/82)
5/005	. {Toilet cases (toilet etuis A45C 11/008)}	2009/002	. {into a seat}
5/02	. Materials therefor (making luggage of leather, canvas, or the like B68F)	2009/005	. {into a vehicle, e.g. scooter}
5/03	. Suitcases	2009/007	. {into other hand or travelling articles}
2005/032	. . {semi-rigid, i.e. resistant against deformation and resilient, e.g. with a resilient frame}	11/00	Receptacles for purposes not provided for in groups A45C 1/00 - A45C 9/00 (specially adapted for toilet or cosmetic equipment A45D; travelling sewing kits A45F 3/48; {devices for carrying bowling balls A63B 47/007)}
2005/035	. . . {soft-sided, i.e. with flexible side walls covering a rigid frame}	2011/001	. {for portable audio devices, e.g. walkman, headphones, MP3-player}
2005/037	. . {with a hard shell, i.e. rigid shell as volume creating element}	2011/002	. {for portable handheld communication devices, e.g. mobile phone, pager, beeper, PDA, smart phone}
5/04	. Trunks; Travelling baskets	2011/003	. {for portable computing devices, e.g. laptop, tablet, netbook, game boy, navigation system, calculator}
5/045	. . {Travelling baskets}	11/005	. {Contact lens cases (A45C 11/046 takes precedence)}
5/06	. with outside compartments	2011/006	. . {for storing a plurality of disposable lens packages}
5/065	. . {with drawers}	2011/007	. {Receptacles for personal medical or care products, e.g. drugs, condoms, patches; Small first aid kits}
5/08	. of round or oval shape	11/008	. {Pocket toilet etuis (toilet cases A45C 5/005)}
2005/10	. . {Travelling baskets}	11/02	. Hat boxes
5/14	. with built-in rolling means	11/04	. Spectacle cases; Pince-nez cases
5/141	. . {the rolling means being formed by the trunk itself}	11/043	. . {with cleaning means}
2005/142	. . . {with spherical rolling means, e.g. ball casters}	11/046	. . {with contact lens holders}
5/143	. . {detachable}	11/06	. . Making of spectacle or pince-nez cases (of a single specified material, see the relevant class, e.g. B31)
5/145	. . {with immobilising means, e.g. means for blocking the wheels}	11/08	. Cases for telescopes or binoculars
5/146	. . {retractable}	11/10	. Watch cases or guards, with or without windows
2005/147	. . . {for climbing stairs}	11/12	. . Transparent watch-protectors
2005/148	. . . {Other arrangements of the rolling means}	11/14	. Pocket holders for postage stamps
7/00	Collapsible or extensible {purses,} luggage {hand carried} bags or the like	11/16	. Jewel boxes
2007/0004	. {convertible into an open planar surface, e.g. a sheet}	11/18	. Ticket-holders or the like
2007/0009	. . {with an elongated shape, i.e. belt-shaped}	11/182	. . {Credit card holders}
2007/0013	. . {with fasteners along the periphery of the surface}	11/184	. . . {with a reminding device, e.g. when the card is not returned into its holder (reminder alarms in general G08B 21/00)}
7/0018	. {Rigid or semi-rigid luggage}	2011/186	. . . {with protection from unauthorised reading by remotely readable data carriers}
7/0022	. . {comprising an integrated expansion device}	2011/188	. . {Media card holders, e.g. memory cards, SIM cards}
7/0027	. . . {with slide fastener strips}	11/20	. Lunch or picnic boxes or the like
7/0031	. . . {telescopic}	11/22	. Watertight containers for use while swimming
7/0036	. . {collapsible to a minimal configuration, e.g. for storage purposes}	11/24	. Etuis for purposes not covered by a single one of groups A45C 11/02 - A45C 11/22 , A45C 11/26 , A45C 11/32 - A45C 11/38
7/004	. . . {inflatable and deflatable}	11/26	. Roll-up holders with pockets for separate articles
7/0045	. . {comprising a plurality of separable elements which can be used independently of one another}	11/32	. Bags or wallets for holding keys ({ key-holding inserts A45C 13/023 })
7/005	. . {with interchangeable elements forming the storage space, e.g. modular}	11/321	. . {combined with other articles}
7/0054	. . {comprising a plurality of hinged panels to be unfolded in one plane for access purposes}	2011/322	. . {Sheath-like bags for protecting a key-blade or for receiving a key}
7/0059	. {Flexible luggage; Hand bags}	11/323	. . {with key hangers}
7/0063	. . {comprising an integrated expansion device}	11/324	. . {with pivoting keys (A45C 11/325 takes precedence)}
7/0068	. . . {with slide fastener strips}		
7/0072	. . . {telescopic}		
7/0077	. . {collapsible to a minimal configuration, e.g. for storage purposes}		
7/0081	. . . {inflatable and deflatable}		
7/0086	. . {comprising a plurality of separable elements which can be used independently of one another}		
7/009	. . {with interchangeable elements forming the storage space, e.g. modular}		
7/0095	. . {comprising a plurality of hinged panels to be unfolded in one plane for access purposes}		

- 11/325 . . {Spare-key holders}
- 11/326 . . . {Card-like holders}
- 11/327 . . {with sliding keys ([A45C 11/325](#) takes precedence)}
- 11/328 . . . {comprising a sliding mechanism}
- 11/329 . . . {comprising a flexible tie, e.g. strip, band, chain}
- 11/34 . Pencil boxes; Pencil etuis or the like (functioning as, or combined with, writing or drawing implements [B43K 31/00](#))
- 11/36 . Cases for drawing or like instruments (functioning as, or combined with, writing or drawing implements [B43K 31/00](#))
- 11/38 . Camera cases, e.g. of ever-ready type
- 13/00 Details; Accessories** ([haberdashery A44](#); [hinged lids for containers B65D 43/16](#); [hinges E05D](#))
- 13/001 . {Accessories}
- 13/002 . {Protective covers}
- 13/004 . {Expanding devices for display purposes, e.g. filler for soft luggage}
- 13/005 . {Hinges}
- 13/007 . . {with spring means}
- 13/008 . {for making water- or air-tight}
- 13/02 . Interior fittings; Means, {e.g. inserts,} for holding and packing articles
- 13/021 . . {inflatable}
- 13/023 . . {Means for holding keys}
- 2013/025 . . {for holding portable computers or accessories therefor}
- 2013/026 . . {Inserts}
- 2013/028 . . {for holding or compacting items by creating vacuum}
- 13/03 . . Means for holding garments
- 13/04 . Frames
- 13/06 . . Frame closures
- 13/08 . Decorative devices for handbags or purses
- 13/083 . . {of articulated coverings, e.g. meshwork}
- 13/086 . . . {metallic}
- 13/10 . Arrangement of fasteners (fastening devices for containers [B65D](#), e.g. [B65D 43/14](#); [locks E05B](#))
- 2013/1007 . . {with two parallel resilient strips, hinged at their ends and opened by pressure in longitudinal direction on both ends}
- 2013/1015 . . {of hook and loop type}
- 13/1023 . . {with elongated profiles fastened by sliders}
- 13/103 . . . {Arrangement of zip-fasteners}
- 13/1038 . . {of flexible ties}
- 13/1046 . . . {of strings or cords}
- 13/1053 . . . {of tabs}
- 2013/1061 . . . {of elastic straps or bands}
- 13/1069 . . {magnetic}
- 13/1076 . . {with a snap action ([A45C 13/12](#) 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 ([A45C 13/185](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/22 . . Detachable handles; Handles foldable into the luggage (separate handles for carrying means [A45F 5/10](#))
- 2013/223 . . . {Detachable handles}
- 2013/226 . . . {Handles foldable into the luggage}
- 13/24 . . Devices for sound-producing, piercing, gas-discharging, or the like
- 13/26 . Special adaptations of handles ([A45C 13/22](#) takes precedence; handles for containers in general [B65D 25/28](#))
- 13/262 . . {for wheeled luggage}
- 2013/265 . . . {the handle being adjustable in rotation to a towing element}
- 2013/267 . . . {the handle being slidable, extractable and lockable in one or more positions}
- 13/28 . . Combinations of handles with other devices
- 13/30 . Straps; Bands
- 2013/303 . . {with strap loop for carrying an object by passing the hand through the loop, the loop resting partially around the wrist}
- 2013/306 . . {for attaching auxiliary articles to luggage, e.g. piggyback}
- 13/34 . Stays or supports for holding lids or covers open
- 13/345 . . {with automatic opening or closing means}
- 13/36 . Reinforcements for edges, corners, or other parts
- 13/38 . Luggage carriers
- 13/385 . . {with rolling means (trunks with built-in rolling means [A45C 5/14](#))}
- 13/40 . Umbrella, stick, or glove holders attached to a bag
- 13/42 . Devices for identifying luggage; Means for attaching same
- 15/00 Purses, bags, luggage or other receptacles covered by groups [A45C 1/00](#) - [A45C 11/00](#), combined with other {objects or} articles ([A45C 1/08](#), [A45C 3/14](#), {[A45C 11/321](#) and [A45C 13/28](#)} take precedence; {Purses combined with sticks [A45B 3/10](#)})**
- 15/02 . with memorandum tablets
- 15/04 . with mirrors
- 15/06 . with illuminating devices
- 15/08 . with watches
- 2200/00 Details not otherwise provided for in [A45C](#)**
- 2200/05 . Means for indicating features of the content from outside
- 2200/10 . Transparent walls
- 2200/15 . Articles convertible into a stand, e.g. for displaying purposes
- 2200/20 . Carrying beverage vessels, e.g. bottles