

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****C03C****CHEMICAL COMPOSITION OF GLASSES, GLAZES, OR VITREOUS ENAMELS; SURFACE TREATMENT OF GLASS; SURFACE TREATMENT OF FIBRES OR FILAMENTS FROM GLASS, MINERALS OR SLAGS; JOINING GLASS TO GLASS OR OTHER MATERIALS****NOTE**

This subclass covers compositions of polycrystalline fibres

This subclass does not cover the preparation of single-crystal fibres, which is covered by subclass [C30B](#)

**WARNING**

The following IPC groups are not used in the CPC scheme. Subject matter covered by these groups is classified in the following CPC groups:

[C03C 6/00](#) covered by [C03C 1/00](#)  
[C03C 10/02](#)-[C03C 10/14](#) covered by [C03C 10/00](#)  
[C03C 13/02](#) covered by [C03C 13/00](#)  
[C03C 27/12](#) covered by [B32B 17/00](#)

**Guidance heading:** Chemical composition of glasses, glazes, or vitreous enamels

**NOTE**

In groups [C03C 1/00](#) to [C03C 14/00](#), in the absence of an indication to the contrary, classification is made in the last appropriate place.

**C03C 1/00**

**Ingredients generally applicable to manufacture of glasses, glazes, or vitreous enamels**

**C03C 1/002**

. {Use of waste materials, e.g. slags }

**C03C 1/004**

. {Refining agents ([refining C03B 5/225](#)) }

**C03C 1/006**

. {to produce glass through wet route }

**C03C 1/008**

.. {for the production of films or coatings }

**C03C 1/02**

. Pretreated ingredients

**C03C 1/022**

.. {Purification of silica sand or other minerals }

**C03C 1/024**

.. {Chemical treatment of cullet or glass fibres }

**C03C 1/026**

.. {Pelletisation or prereacting of powdered raw materials ([apparatus or methods C03B 1/02](#)) }

**C03C 1/028**

.. {Ingredients allowing introduction of lead or other easily volatile or dusty compounds }

- C03C 1/04 . Opacifiers, e.g. fluorides or phosphates; Pigments
- C03C 1/06 . . to produce non-uniformly pigmented, e.g. speckled, marbled, or veined products
- C03C 1/08 . to produce crackled effects
- C03C 1/10 . to produce uniformly-coloured transparent products
- C03C 1/105 . . {by the addition of colorants to the forehearth of the glass melting furnace }

**C03C 3/00****Glass compositions**

- C03C 3/04 . containing silica

**NOTE**

If silica is specified as being present in a percent range covered by two of the groups [C03C 3/06](#), [C03C 3/062](#) or [C03C 3/076](#), classification is made in both groups. If the range is covered by the three groups, classification is made in group [C03C 3/04](#) itself.

- C03C 3/045 . . {Silicon oxycarbide, oxynitride or oxycarbonitride glasses }
- C03C 3/06 . . with more than 90% silica by weight, e.g. quartz { ([C03C 3/045](#) takes precedence) }
- C03C 3/061 . . . {by leaching a soluble phase and consolidating }
- C03C 3/062 . . with less than 40% silica by weight
- C03C 3/064 . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/066 . . . . containing zinc
- C03C 3/068 . . . . containing rare earths
- C03C 3/07 . . . containing lead
- C03C 3/072 . . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/074 . . . . . containing zinc
- C03C 3/0745 . . . . . {containing more than 50% lead oxide, by weight }
- C03C 3/076 . . with 40% to 90% silica, by weight { ([C03C 3/045](#) takes precedence) }
- C03C 3/078 . . . containing an oxide of a divalent metal, e.g. an oxide of zinc
- C03C 3/083 . . . containing aluminium oxide or an iron compound
- C03C 3/085 . . . . containing an oxide of a divalent metal
- C03C 3/087 . . . . . containing calcium oxide, e.g. common sheet or container glass
- C03C 3/089 . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/091 . . . . containing aluminium
- C03C 3/093 . . . . . containing zinc or zirconium
- C03C 3/095 . . . containing rare earths
- C03C 3/097 . . . containing phosphorus, niobium or tantalum
- C03C 3/102 . . . containing lead
- C03C 3/105 . . . . containing aluminium
- C03C 3/108 . . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/11 . . . containing halogen or nitrogen
- C03C 3/111 . . . . {containing nitrogen }

- C03C 3/112 . . . . containing fluorine
- C03C 3/115 . . . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/118 . . . . . containing aluminium
  
- C03C 3/12 . Silica-free oxide glass compositions
- C03C 3/122 . . {containing oxides of As, Sb, Bi, Mo, W, V, Te as glass formers }
- C03C 3/125 . . {containing aluminium as glass former }
- C03C 3/127 . . {containing TiO<sub>2</sub> as glass former }
- C03C 3/14 . . containing boron
- C03C 3/142 . . . {containing lead }
- C03C 3/145 . . . containing aluminium or beryllium
- C03C 3/15 . . . containing rare earths
- C03C 3/155 . . . . containing zirconium, titanium, tantalum or niobium
- C03C 3/16 . . containing phosphorus
- C03C 3/17 . . . containing aluminium or beryllium
- C03C 3/19 . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/21 . . . containing titanium, zirconium, vanadium, tungsten or molybdenum
- C03C 3/23 . . containing halogen and at least one oxide, e.g. oxide of boron
- C03C 3/247 . . . containing fluorine and phosphorus
- C03C 3/253 . . containing germanium
  
- C03C 3/32 . Non-oxide glass compositions, e.g. binary or ternary halides, sulfides or nitrides of germanium, selenium or tellurium
- C03C 3/321 . . {Chalcogenide glasses, e.g. containing S, Se, Te }
- C03C 3/323 . . . {containing halogen, e.g. chalcohalide glasses }
- C03C 3/325 . . {Fluoride glasses }
- C03C 3/326 . . . {containing beryllium }
- C03C 3/328 . . {Nitride glasses }

## **C03C 4/00 Compositions for glass with special properties**

### **NOTE**

When classifying in group [C03C 4/00](#), classification is also made in the appropriate groups of group [C03C 3/00](#) according to the glass composition.

- C03C 4/0007 . {for biologically-compatible glass }
- C03C 4/0014 . . { Biodegradable glass }
- C03C 4/0021 . . { for dental use }
  
- C03C 4/0028 . {for crystal glass, e.g. lead-free crystal glass }
  
- C03C 4/0035 . {for soluble glass for controlled release of a compound incorporated in said glass }
  
- C03C 4/0042 . { for glass comprising or including particular isotopes }

- C03C 4/005 . {for opaline glass }
- C03C 4/0057 . {for ultrasonic delay lines glass }
- C03C 4/0064 . { for self-destructing glass ([C03C 4/0014](#) takes precedence) }
- C03C 4/0071 . {for laserable glass }
- C03C 4/0078 . {for glass for dosimeters }
- C03C 4/0085 . {for UV-transmitting glass }
- C03C 4/0092 . { for glass with improved high visible transmittance, e.g. extra-clear glass }
- C03C 4/02 . for coloured glass
- C03C 4/04 . for photosensitive glass
- C03C 4/06 . . for phototropic or photochromic glass
- C03C 4/065 . . . {for silver-halide free photochromic glass }
- C03C 4/08 . for glass selectively absorbing radiation of specified wave lengths
- C03C 4/082 . . {for infra-red absorbing glass }
- C03C 4/085 . . {for ultra-violet absorbing glass }
- C03C 4/087 . . {for X-rays absorbing glass }
- C03C 4/10 . for infra-red transmitting glass
- C03C 4/12 . for luminescent glass; for fluorescent glass
- C03C 4/14 . for electro-conductive glass
- C03C 4/16 . for dielectric glass
- C03C 4/18 . for ion-sensitive glass
- C03C 4/20 . for chemical resistant glass
- C03C 8/00** **Enamels; Glazes ([cold glazes for ceramics {C04B 41/48 }](#)) ; Fusion seal compositions being frit compositions having non-frit additions**
- C03C 8/02 . Frit compositions, i.e. in a powdered or comminuted form
- C03C 8/04 . . containing zinc
- C03C 8/06 . . containing halogen
- C03C 8/08 . . containing phosphorus
- C03C 8/10 . . containing lead
- C03C 8/12 . . . containing titanium or zirconium
- C03C 8/14 . Glass frit mixtures having non-frit additions, e.g. opacifiers, colorants, mill-additions

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| C03C 8/16         | . . with vehicle or suspending agents, e.g. slip   |
| C03C 8/18         | . . containing free metals   |
| C03C 8/20         | . . containing titanium compounds; containing zirconium compounds  |
| C03C 8/22         | . containing two or more distinct frits having different compositions  |
| C03C 8/24         | . Fusion seal compositions being frit compositions having non-frit additions, i.e. for use as seals between dissimilar materials, e.g. glass and metal; Glass solders          |
| C03C 8/245        | . . {containing more than 50% lead oxide, by weight }  |
| <b>C03C 10/00</b> | <b>Devitrified glass ceramics, i.e. glass ceramics having a crystalline phase dispersed in a glassy phase and constituting at least 50% by weight of the total composition</b> |
| C03C 10/0009      | . {containing silica as main constituent }   |
| C03C 10/0018      | . {containing SiO <sub>2</sub> , Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> and monovalent metal oxide as main constituents }  |
| C03C 10/0027      | . . {containing SiO <sub>2</sub> , Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , Li <sub>2</sub> O as main constituents }   |
| C03C 10/0036      | . {containing SiO <sub>2</sub> , Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> and a divalent metal oxide as main constituents }  |
| C03C 10/0045      | . . {containing SiO <sub>2</sub> , Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> and MgO as main constituents }   |
| C03C 10/0054      | . {containing PbO, SnO <sub>2</sub> , B <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> }  |
| C03C 10/0063      | . {containing waste materials, e.g. slags }  |
| C03C 10/0072      | . {having a ferro-electric crystal phase }   |
| C03C 10/0081      | . {having a magnetic crystal phase }   |
| C03C 10/009       | . {having a superconducting crystal phase }  |
| C03C 10/16        | . Halogen containing crystalline phase   |
| <b>C03C 11/00</b> | <b>Multi-cellular glass; {Porous or hollow glass or glass particles }</b>  |
| C03C 11/002       | . {Hollow glass particles }  |
| C03C 11/005       | . {obtained by leaching after a phase separation step }  |
| C03C 11/007       | . {Foam glass, e.g. obtained by incorporating a blowing agent and heating }  |
| <b>C03C 12/00</b> | <b>Powdered glass (<a href="#">C03C 8/02</a> takes precedence) ; Bead compositions</b>   |
| C03C 12/02        | . Reflective beads   |
| <b>C03C 13/00</b> | <b>Fibre or filament compositions (<a href="#">manufacture of fibres or filaments</a> <a href="#">C03B 37/00</a>)</b>  |
| C03C 13/001       | . {Alkali-resistant fibres }   |

- C03C 13/002 . . {containing zirconium }
- C03C 13/003 . {Conducting or semi-conducting fibres }
- C03C 13/005 . {obtained by leaching of a soluble phase and consolidation }
- C03C 13/006 . {Glass-ceramics fibres }
- C03C 13/007 . . {containing zirconium }
- C03C 13/008 . {Polycrystalline optical fibres }
- C03C 13/04 . Fibre optics, e.g. core and clad fibre compositions ([light guides G02B 6/00](#))
- C03C 13/041 . . {Non-oxide glass compositions }
- C03C 13/042 . . . {Fluoride glass compositions }
- C03C 13/043 . . . {Chalcogenide glass compositions }
- C03C 13/044 . . . . {containing halogen, e.g. chalcohalide glass compositions }
- C03C 13/045 . . {Silica-containing oxide glass compositions }
- C03C 13/046 . . . {Multicomponent glass compositions }
- C03C 13/047 . . . {containing deuterium }
- C03C 13/048 . . {Silica-free oxide glass compositions }
- C03C 13/06 . Mineral fibres, e.g. slag wool, mineral wool, rock wool
- C03C 14/00** **Glass compositions containing a non-glass component, e.g. compositions containing fibres, filaments, whiskers, platelets, or the like, dispersed in a glass matrix** ([devitrified glass ceramics C03C 10/00](#))
- C03C 14/002 . {the non-glass component being in the form of fibres, filaments, yarns, felts or woven material }
- C03C 14/004 . {the non-glass component being in the form of particles or flakes }
- C03C 14/006 . {the non-glass component being in the form of microcrystallites, e.g. of optically or electrically active material }
- C03C 14/008 . {the non-glass component being in molecular form }
- Guidance heading:** **Surface treatment of glass; Surface treatment of fibres or filaments from glass, minerals or slag**
- C03C 15/00** **Surface treatment of glass , not in the form of fibres or filaments, by etching** ([etching or surface-brightening compositions, in general C09K 13/00](#))
- C03C 15/02 . for making a smooth surface
- C03C 15/025 . . {for polishing crystal glass, i.e. lead glass }
- C03C 17/00** **Surface treatment of glass, not in the form of fibres or filaments, by coating** ([optical coatings of optical elements G02B 1/10](#))

- C03C 17/001 . {General methods for coating; Devices therefor }
- C03C 17/002 .. {for flat glass, e.g. float glass }
- C03C 17/003 .. {for hollow ware, e.g. containers }
- C03C 17/004 ... { Coating the inside }
- C03C 17/005 ... { Coating the outside }
  
- C03C 17/006 . {with materials of composite character }
- C03C 17/007 .. {containing a dispersed phase, e.g. particles, fibres or flakes, in a continuous phase }
- C03C 17/008 .. {comprising a mixture of materials covered by two or more of the groups [C03C 17/02](#), [C03C 17/06](#), [C03C 17/22](#) and [C03C 17/28](#) }
- C03C 17/009 ... {Mixtures of organic and inorganic materials, e.g. ormosils and ormocers }
  
- C03C 17/02 . with glass ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
- C03C 17/04 .. by fritting glass powder
  
- C03C 17/06 . with metals ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
- C03C 17/09 .. by deposition from the vapour phase
- C03C 17/10 .. by deposition from the liquid phase
  
- C03C 17/22 . with other inorganic material ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
- C03C 17/225 .. {Nitrides }
- C03C 17/23 .. Oxides ([C03C 17/02](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 17/245 ... by deposition from the vapour phase
- C03C 17/2453 .... {Coating containing SnO<sub>2</sub> }
- C03C 17/2456 .... {Coating containing TiO<sub>2</sub> }
- C03C 17/25 ... by deposition from the liquid phase
- C03C 17/253 .... {Coating containing SnO<sub>2</sub> }
- C03C 17/256 .... {Coating containing TiO<sub>2</sub> }
- C03C 17/27 ... by oxidation of a coating previously applied
  
- C03C 17/28 . with organic material ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
- C03C 17/30 .. with silicon-containing compounds
- C03C 17/32 .. with synthetic or natural resins ([C03C 17/30](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 17/322 ... {Polyurethanes or polyisocyanates }
- C03C 17/324 ... {Polyesters }
- C03C 17/326 ... {Epoxy resins }
- C03C 17/328 ... {Polyolefins }
  
- C03C 17/34 . with at least two coatings having different compositions ([C03C 17/44](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 17/3405 .. {with at least two coatings of organic materials ([C03C 17/36](#), [C03C 17/42](#) take precedence) }
- C03C 17/3411 .. {with at least two coatings of inorganic materials ([C03C 17/36](#), [C03C 17/42](#) take precedence) }

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| C03C 17/3417 | ...   | {all coatings being oxide coatings }  |
| C03C 17/3423 | ...   | {at least one of the coatings comprising a suboxide }   |
| C03C 17/3429 | ...   | {at least one of the coatings being a non-oxide coating }   |
| C03C 17/3435 | ....  | {comprising a nitride, oxynitride, boronitride or carbonitride }  |
| C03C 17/3441 | ....  | {comprising carbon, a carbide or oxycarbide }   |
| C03C 17/3447 | ....  | {comprising a halide }  |
| C03C 17/3452 | ..... | {comprising a fluoride }  |
| C03C 17/3458 | ..... | {comprising a chloride }  |
| C03C 17/3464 | ....  | {comprising a chalcogenide }  |
| C03C 17/347  | ..... | {comprising a sulfide or oxysulfide }   |
| C03C 17/3476 | ..... | {comprising a selenide or telluride }   |
| C03C 17/3482 | ....  | {comprising silicon, hydrogenated silicon or a silicide }   |
| C03C 17/3488 | ....  | {comprising a boride or phosphide }   |
| C03C 17/3494 | ....  | {comprising other salts, e.g. sulfate, phosphate }  |
| C03C 17/36   | ..    | at least one coating being a metal  |
| C03C 17/3602 | ...   | { the metal being present as a layer }  |
| C03C 17/3605 | ....  | { Coatings of the type glass/metal/inorganic compound }   |
| C03C 17/3607 | ....  | { Coatings of the type glass/inorganic compound/metal }   |
| C03C 17/361  | ....  | { Coatings of the type glass/metal/inorganic compound/metal/inorganic compound/other }                  |
| C03C 17/3613 | ....  | { Coatings of type glass/inorganic compound/metal/inorganic compound/metal/other }                      |
| C03C 17/3615 | ....  | { Coatings of the type glass/metal/other inorganic layers, at least one layer being non-metallic }      |
| C03C 17/3618 | ....  | { Coatings of type glass/inorganic compound/other inorganic layers, at least one layer being metallic } |
| C03C 17/3621 | ....  | { one layer at least containing a fluoride }  |
| C03C 17/3623 | ....  | { one layer at least containing a chloride, bromide or iodide }   |
| C03C 17/3626 | ....  | { one layer at least containing a nitride, oxynitride, boronitride or carbonitride }                    |
| C03C 17/3628 | ....  | { one layer at least containing a sulfide }   |
| C03C 17/3631 | ....  | { one layer at least containing a selenide or telluride }   |
| C03C 17/3634 | ....  | { one layer at least containing carbon, a carbide or oxycarbide }                                       |
| C03C 17/3636 | ....  | { one layer at least containing silicon, hydrogenated silicon or a silicide }                           |
| C03C 17/3639 | ....  | { Multilayers containing at least two functional metal layers }   |
| C03C 17/3642 | ....  | { the multilayer coating containing a metal layer }   |
| C03C 17/3644 | ....  | { the metal being silver }  |
| C03C 17/3647 | ....  | { in combination with other metals, silver being more than 50% }  |
| C03C 17/3649 | ....  | { made of metals other than silver }  |
| C03C 17/3652 | ....  | { the coating stack containing at least one sacrificial layer to protect the metal from oxidation }     |
| C03C 17/3655 | ....  | { the multilayer coating containing at least one conducting layer }                                     |
| C03C 17/3657 | ....  | { the multilayer coating having optical properties }  |
| C03C 17/366  | ..... | { Low-emissivity or solar control coatings }  |



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| C03C 17/3663 | ..... | { specially adapted for use as mirrors }                                       |
| C03C 17/3665 | ..... | { specially adapted for use as photomask }                                     |
| C03C 17/3668 | ....  | { the multilayer coating having electrical properties }                        |
| C03C 17/3671 | ..... | { specially adapted for use as electrodes }                                    |
| C03C 17/3673 | ..... | { specially adapted for use in heating devices for rear window of vehicles }   |
| C03C 17/3676 | ..... | { specially adapted for use as electromagnetic shield }                        |
| C03C 17/3678 | ..... | { specially adapted for use in solar cells }                                   |
| C03C 17/3681 | ....  | { the multilayer coating being used in glazing, e.g. windows or windscreens }  |
| C03C 17/3684 | ....  | { the multilayer coating being used for decoration purposes }                  |
| C03C 17/3686 | ....  | { the multilayer coating being used for ovens }                                |
| C03C 17/3689 | ....  | { one oxide layer being obtained by oxidation of a metallic layer }            |
| C03C 17/3692 | ....  | { one metallic layer being obtained by reduction of an oxide layer }           |
| C03C 17/3694 | ....  | { one layer having a composition gradient through its thickness }              |
| C03C 17/3697 | ....  | { one metallic layer at least being obtained by electroless plating }          |
| C03C 17/38   | ...   | at least one coating being a coating of an organic material                    |
| C03C 17/40   | ...   | all coatings being metal coatings  |
| C03C 17/42   | ..    | at least one coating of an organic material and at least one non-metal coating |
| C03C 17/44   | .     | Lustring   |

**C03C 19/00**      **Surface treatment of glass, not in the form of fibres or filaments, by mechanical means** (sand-blasting, grinding, or polishing glass [B24](#) )

**C03C 21/00**      **Treatment of glass, not in the form of fibres or filaments, by diffusing ions or metals in the surface**

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| C03C 21/001 | .   | {in liquid phase, e.g. molten salts, solutions }   |
| C03C 21/002 | ..  | {to perform ion-exchange between alkali ions ( <a href="#">C03C 21/005</a> takes precedence) } |
| C03C 21/003 | ... | {under application of an electrical potential difference }                                     |
| C03C 21/005 | ..  | {to introduce in the glass such metals or metallic ions as Ag, Cu }                            |
| C03C 21/006 | ..  | {to perform an exchange of the type $Xn^{+} \rightarrow nH^{+}$ }                              |
| C03C 21/007 | .   | {in gaseous phase }  |
| C03C 21/008 | .   | {in solid phase, e.g. using pastes, powders }  |

**C03C 23/00**      **Other surface treatment of glass not in the form of fibres or filaments**

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| C03C 23/0005 | .  | {by irradiation }        |
| C03C 23/001  | .. | {by infra-red light }    |
| C03C 23/0015 | .. | {by visible light }      |
| C03C 23/002  | .. | {by ultra-violet light } |
| C03C 23/0025 | .. | {by a laser beam }       |

- C03C 23/003 .. {by X-rays }
- C03C 23/0035 .. {by gamma-rays }
- C03C 23/004 .. {by electrons, protons or alpha-particles }
- C03C 23/0045 .. {by neutrons }
- C03C 23/005 .. {by atoms }
- C03C 23/0055 .. {by ion implantation }
- C03C 23/006 .. {by plasma or corona discharge }
- C03C 23/0065 .. {by microwave radiation }
  
- C03C 23/007 . {by thermal treatment }
  
- C03C 23/0075 . {Cleaning of glass (specially adapted to plate glass [B08B 11/00](#)) }
  
- C03C 23/008 . {comprising a lixiviation step }
  
- C03C 23/0085 . {Drying; Dehydroxylation }
  
- C03C 23/009 . { Poling glass }
  
- C03C 23/0095 . {Solution impregnating; Solution doping; Molecular stuffing, e.g. of porous glass (in manufacture of preforms [C03B 37/012](#)) }
  
- C03C 25/00** **Surface treatment of fibres or filaments from glass, minerals, or slags { (woven fabrics [D03](#) ; non-woven fabrics [D04](#) ; treatment of fabrics in general or non-chemical aspects of treatment of glass fabrics [D06M](#) ) }**
  
- C03C 25/002 . {by thermal treatment }
  
- C03C 25/005 . {by mechanical means }
  
- C03C 25/007 . { by solution impregnating; solution doping or molecular stuffing of porous glass }
  
- C03C 25/10 . by coating
- C03C 25/1005 .. {with materials of composite character }
- C03C 25/101 ... {containing particles, fibres or flakes, e.g. in a continuous phase }
- C03C 25/1015 .. {with rubber latex-containing coatings }
- C03C 25/102 .. {Coating with colouring agent-containing compositions, e.g. for obtaining coloured textiles }
- C03C 25/1025 .. {Fibres used for reinforcing cement-based products }
- C03C 25/103 ... {with organic coatings }
- C03C 25/1035 ... {with inorganic coatings }
- C03C 25/104 .. {to obtain optical fibres }
- C03C 25/1045 ... {with organic coatings or claddings }
- C03C 25/105 .... {Organic claddings }
- C03C 25/1055 .... {Organic coatings }
- C03C 25/106 ..... {Single coatings }
- C03C 25/1065 ..... {Multiple coatings }

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| C03C 25/107  | ...  | {with inorganic coatings }   |
| C03C 25/1075 | .... | {Carbon }  |
| C03C 25/108  | .... | {Metals }  |
| C03C 25/1085 | .... | { Multiple inorganic coatings }  |
| C03C 25/109  | ...  | { with at least one organic coating and at least one inorganic coating } |
| C03C 25/1095 | ..   | { to obtain coated fabrics }   |
| C03C 25/12   | ..   | General methods for coating; Devices therefor                            |
| C03C 25/14   | ...  | Spraying, e.g. pulverisation   |
| C03C 25/143  | .... | {Pulverisation on continuous fibres }                                    |
| C03C 25/146  | .... | {Pulverisation on fibres in suspension in a gaseous medium }             |
| C03C 25/16   | ...  | Dipping  |
| C03C 25/18   | ...  | using extrusion devices  |
| C03C 25/20   | ...  | Contacting the fibres with applicators, e.g. rolls                       |
| C03C 25/22   | ...  | Depositing from the vapour phase   |
| C03C 25/223  | .... | {by chemical vapour deposition or pyrolysis }                            |
| C03C 25/226  | .... | {by sputtering }   |

**NOTE**

In groups [C03C 25/24](#) to [C03C 25/40](#), organic coating compositions also cover mixtures of organic and inorganic compounds. A coating composition which cannot be completely classified in a single one of groups [C03C 25/24](#) to [C03C 25/40](#) should be classified in each relevant group, in accordance with the following rules: - Compositions containing only one macromolecular constituent and one or more conventional inorganic or non-macromolecular compounds, e.g. acids, solvents, are classified according to the macromolecular constituent only. - Compositions containing two or more macromolecular constituents and further conventional inorganic or non-macromolecular compounds are classified according to the macromolecular constituent present in the highest proportion. If, however, the other macromolecular constituents represent invention information, classification is also made for these constituents. - Compositions containing macromolecular constituents present in comparable proportions are classified according to these constituents. - If non-macromolecular compounds in the composition also represent invention information, [C03C 25/38](#), for specific solvents, fillers, dyes or pigments, surfactants, biocides or the like in [C03C 25/24](#) or subgroups.

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| C03C 25/24  | ..    | Coatings containing organic materials                                      |
| C03C 25/243 | ...   | {Oils, waxes, fats or derivatives thereof }                                |
| C03C 25/246 | ...   | {Non-macromolecular compounds not covered by <a href="#">C03C 25/243</a> } |
| C03C 25/26  | ...   | Macromolecular compounds or prepolymers, {e.g. sizing compositions }       |
| C03C 25/28  | ....  | obtained by reactions involving only carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds    |
| C03C 25/285 | ..... | {Acrylic resins }  |
| C03C 25/30  | ..... | Polyolefins  |

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|-------------|-------|--|
| C03C 25/305 | ..... | {Polyfluoro olefins }  |
| C03C 25/32  | ....  | obtained otherwise than by reactions involving only carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds                       |
| C03C 25/321 | ..... | {Starch or starch derivatives }  |
| C03C 25/323 | ..... | {Esters or alkyd resins }  |
| C03C 25/325 | ..... | {Polycarbonates }  |
| C03C 25/326 | ..... | {Polyureas or polyurethanes }  |
| C03C 25/328 | ..... | {Polyamides }  |
| C03C 25/34  | ..... | Condensation polymers of aldehydes, e.g. with phenol, ureas, melamines, amides or amines                     |
| C03C 25/36  | ..... | Epoxy resins   |
| C03C 25/38  | ...   | Organo-metal compounds   |
| C03C 25/40  | ...   | Organo-silicon compounds   |
| C03C 25/42  | ..    | Coatings containing inorganic materials  |
| C03C 25/44  | ...   | Carbon, e.g. graphite  |
| C03C 25/46  | ...   | Metals   |
| C03C 25/48  | ..    | with two or more coatings having different compositions { ( <a href="#">C03C 25/104</a> take s precedence) } |

**NOTE**

If one or more of the individual coatings are of interest, for each of these coatings classification is also made in one or more of groups [C03C 25/24](#) to [C03C 25/46](#), in accordance with the note before group [C03C 25/24](#).

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| C03C 25/50   | ...   | Coatings containing organic materials only  |
| C03C 25/52   | ...   | Coatings containing inorganic materials only  |
| C03C 25/54   | ...   | Combinations of one or more coatings containing organic materials only with one or more coatings containing inorganic materials only            |
| C03C 25/60   | .     | by diffusing ions or metals in the surface  |
| C03C 25/601  | ..    | {in the liquid phase, e.g. using molten salts or solutions }  |
| C03C 25/602  | ...   | {to perform ion-exchange between alkali ions ( <a href="#">C03C 25/605</a> takes precedence) }  |
| C03C 25/603  | ..... | {under application of an electrical potential difference }  |
| C03C 25/605  | ...   | {to introduce in the glass such metals or metallic ions as Ag or Cu }   |
| C03C 25/606  | ...   | {to perform an exchange of the type $Xn^{+} \rightarrow nH^{+}$ }   |
| C03C 25/607  | ..    | {in the gaseous phase }   |
| C03C 25/608  | ..    | {in the solid phase, e.g. using pastes, powders }   |
| C03C 25/62   | .     | by application of electric or wave energy or particle radiation, or by ion implantation (for drying or dehydration <a href="#">C03C 25/64</a> ) |
| C03C 25/6206 | ..    | {Electromagnetic waves }  |
| C03C 25/6213 | ...   | {Infra-red }  |
| C03C 25/622  | ...   | {Visible light }  |
| C03C 25/6226 | ...   | {Ultra-violet }   |
| C03C 25/6233 | ...   | {Laser }  |

- C03C 25/624 . . . {X-rays }
- C03C 25/6246 . . . {Gamma-rays }
- C03C 25/6253 . . . {Microwaves }
- C03C 25/626 . . {Particle radiation or ion implantation }
- C03C 25/6266 . . . {Electrons, protons or alpha-particles }
- C03C 25/6273 . . . {Neutrons }
- C03C 25/628 . . . {Atoms }
- C03C 25/6286 . . . {Ion implantation }
- C03C 25/6293 . . {Plasma or corona discharge }
  
- C03C 25/64 . Drying; Dehydration; Dehydroxylation
  
- C03C 25/66 . Chemical treatment, e.g. leaching, acid alkali treatment ([dehydroxylation C03C 25/46](#))
- C03C 25/68 . . by etching
  
- C03C 25/70 . Cleaning, e.g. for reuse ( { [C03C 25/002](#), } [C03C 25/62](#) and [C03C 25/66](#) take precedence)

**Guidance heading:** **Joining glass to glass or to other materials** ([fusion seal compositions C03C 8/24](#))

#### **NOTE**

Layered products classified in groups [C03C 27/00](#) or [C03C 29/00](#) are also classified in subclass [B32B](#) .

**C03C 27/00** **Joining pieces of glass to pieces of other inorganic material; Joining glass to glass other than by fusing** ([C03C 17/00](#) takes precedence; layered structures comprising at least one glass sheet [B32B 17/00](#); wired glass [C03B](#) ; joining glass to ceramics [C04](#) )

- C03C 27/005 . {with compositions containing more than 50% lead oxide by weight }
- C03C 27/02 . by fusing glass directly to metal
- C03C 27/04 . Joining glass to metal by means of an interlayer
- C03C 27/042 . . {consisting of a combination of materials selected from glass, glass-ceramic or ceramic material with metals, metal oxides or metal salts }
- C03C 27/044 . . . {of glass, glass-ceramic or ceramic material only }
- C03C 27/046 . . . {of metals, metal oxides or metal salts only }
- C03C 27/048 . . {consisting of an adhesive specially adapted for that purpose }
  
- C03C 27/06 . Joining glass to glass by processes other than fusing ([fusing C03B 23/20](#); units for use as elements for closing wall or like openings and comprising two or more parallel glass panes in spaced relationship, the panes being permanently secured together [E06B 3/66](#))
- C03C 27/08 . . with the aid of intervening metal
- C03C 27/10 . . with the aid of adhesive specially adapted for that purpose

**C03C 29/00** **Joining metals with the aid of glass**

**Guidance heading:****C03C 2201/00****Glass compositions**

- C03C 2201/02 . Pure silica glass, e.g. pure fused quartz
- C03C 2201/06 . Doped silica-based glasses
- C03C 2201/08 . . containing boron or halide
- C03C 2201/10 . . . containing boron ([C03C 2201/14 takes precedence](#))
- C03C 2201/11 . . . containing chlorine
- C03C 2201/12 . . . containing fluorine ([C03C 2201/14 takes precedence](#))
- C03C 2201/14 . . . containing boron and fluorine
- C03C 2201/20 . . containing non-metals other than boron or halide
- C03C 2201/21 . . . containing molecular hydrogen
- C03C 2201/22 . . . containing deuterium
- C03C 2201/23 . . . containing hydroxyl groups
- C03C 2201/24 . . . containing nitrogen, e.g. silicon oxy-nitride glasses
- C03C 2201/26 . . . containing carbon
- C03C 2201/28 . . . containing phosphorus
- C03C 2201/30 . . containing metals
- C03C 2201/31 . . . containing germanium
- C03C 2201/32 . . . containing aluminium ([C03C 2201/36 takes precedence](#))
- C03C 2201/34 . . . containing rare earth metals ([C03C 2201/36 takes precedence](#))
- C03C 2201/3405 . . . . Scandium
- C03C 2201/3411 . . . . Yttrium
- C03C 2201/3417 . . . . Lanthanum
- C03C 2201/3423 . . . . Cerium
- C03C 2201/3429 . . . . Praseodymium
- C03C 2201/3435 . . . . Neodymium
- C03C 2201/3441 . . . . Samarium
- C03C 2201/3447 . . . . Europium
- C03C 2201/3452 . . . . Gadolinium
- C03C 2201/3458 . . . . Terbium
- C03C 2201/3464 . . . . Dysprosium
- C03C 2201/347 . . . . Holmium
- C03C 2201/3476 . . . . Erbium
- C03C 2201/3482 . . . . Thulium
- C03C 2201/3488 . . . . Ytterbium
- C03C 2201/3494 . . . . Lutetium
- C03C 2201/36 . . . . containing rare earth metals and aluminium, e.g. Er-Al co-doped
- C03C 2201/40 . . . containing transition metals other than rare earth metals, e.g. Zr, Nb, Ta or Zn

- C03C 2201/42 . . . . containing titanium
- C03C 2201/50 . . . containing alkali metals
- C03C 2201/54 . . . containing beryllium, magnesium or alkaline earth metals
- C03C 2201/58 . . . containing metals in non-oxide form, e.g. CdSe
- C03C 2201/60 . containing organic material
- C03C 2201/80 . containing bubbles or microbubbles, e.g. opaque quartz glass

#### Guidance heading:

#### C03C 2203/00

#### Production processes

- C03C 2203/10 . Melting processes
- C03C 2203/20 . Wet processes, e.g. sol-gel process
  - C03C 2203/22 . . using colloidal silica sols
  - C03C 2203/24 . . using alkali silicate solutions
  - C03C 2203/26 . . using alkoxides
    - C03C 2203/27 . . . the alkoxides containing other organic groups, e.g. alkyl groups
    - C03C 2203/28 . . . . functional groups, e.g. vinyl, glycidyl
- C03C 2203/30 . . Additives
  - C03C 2203/32 . . . Catalysts
    - C03C 2203/34 . . adding silica powder
    - C03C 2203/36 . . Gel impregnation
- C03C 2203/40 . Gas-phase processes
  - C03C 2203/42 . . using silicon halides as starting materials
    - C03C 2203/44 . . . chlorine containing
    - C03C 2203/46 . . . fluorine containing
- C03C 2203/50 . After-treatment
  - C03C 2203/52 . . Heat-treatment
    - C03C 2203/54 . . . in a dopant containing atmosphere

#### C03C 2204/00

#### Glasses, glazes or enamels with special properties

- C03C 2204/02 . Antibacterial glass, glaze or enamel
- C03C 2204/04 . Opaque glass, glaze or enamel
  - C03C 2204/06 . . opacified by gas
- C03C 2204/08 . Glass having a rough surface

#### C03C 2205/00

#### Compositions applicable for the manufacture of vitreous enamels or glazes

C03C 2205/02 . for opaque enamels or glazes

C03C 2205/04 . for self-cleaning enamels or glazes

C03C 2205/06 . for dental use

### **C03C 2207/00 Compositions specially applicable for the manufacture of vitreous enamels**

C03C 2207/02 . containing ingredients for securing a good bond between the vitrified enamel and the metal

C03C 2207/04 . for steel

C03C 2207/06 . for cast iron

C03C 2207/08 . for light metals

C03C 2207/10 . for copper, silver or gold

### **C03C 2209/00 Compositions specially applicable for the manufacture of vitreous glazes**

C03C 2209/02 . to produce non-uniformly coloured glazes

### **C03C 2213/00 Glass fibres or filaments**

C03C 2213/02 . Biodegradable glass fibres

C03C 2213/04 . Dual fibres

### **C03C 2214/00 Nature of the non-vitreous component**

C03C 2214/02 . Fibres; Filaments; Yarns; Felts; Woven material

C03C 2214/03 . . surface treated, e.g. coated

C03C 2214/04 . Particles; Flakes

C03C 2214/05 . . surface treated, e.g. coated

C03C 2214/06 . Whiskers ss

C03C 2214/07 . . surface treated, e.g. coated

C03C 2214/08 . Metals

C03C 2214/10 . Superconducting materials

C03C 2214/12 . Polymers

C03C 2214/14 . Waste material, e.g. to be disposed of



- C03C 2214/16 . Microcrystallites, e.g. of optically or electrically active material
- C03C 2214/17 . in molecular form (for molecular composites)
- C03C 2214/20 . Glass-ceramics matrix
- C03C 2214/30 . Methods of making the composites
- C03C 2214/32 . comprising a sol-gel process
- C03C 2214/34 . comprising an impregnation by molten glass step

### **C03C 2217/00 Coatings on glass**

- C03C 2217/20 . Materials for coating a single layer on glass
- C03C 2217/21 .. Oxides
  - C03C 2217/211 ... SnO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/212 ... TiO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/213 ... SiO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/214 ... Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>
  - C03C 2217/215 ... In<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>
  - C03C 2217/216 ... ZnO
  - C03C 2217/217 ... FeO<sub>x</sub>, CoO<sub>x</sub>, NiO<sub>x</sub>
  - C03C 2217/218 ... V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, Nb<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, Ta<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
  - C03C 2217/219 ... CrO<sub>x</sub>, MoO<sub>x</sub>, WO<sub>x</sub>
  - C03C 2217/22 ... ZrO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/228 ... Other specific oxides
  - C03C 2217/229 ... Non-specific enumeration
  - C03C 2217/23 ... Mixtures
    - C03C 2217/231 .... In<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/SnO<sub>2</sub>
    - C03C 2217/232 .... CdO/SnO<sub>2</sub>
    - C03C 2217/24 ... Doped oxides
      - C03C 2217/241 .... with halides
      - C03C 2217/242 .... with rare earth metals
      - C03C 2217/243 .... with S, Se, Te
      - C03C 2217/244 .... with Sb
  - C03C 2217/25 .. Metals
    - C03C 2217/251 ... Al, Cu, Mg or noble metals
      - C03C 2217/252 .... Al
      - C03C 2217/253 .... Cu
      - C03C 2217/254 .... Noble metals
        - C03C 2217/255 ..... Au
        - C03C 2217/256 ..... Ag

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| C03C 2217/257 | ...  | Refractory metals                        |
| C03C 2217/258 | .... | Ti, Zr, Hf                               |
| C03C 2217/259 | .... | V, Nb, Ta                                |
| C03C 2217/26  | .... | Cr, Mo, W                                |
| C03C 2217/261 | ...  | Iron-group metals, i.e. Fe, Co or Ni     |
| C03C 2217/262 | ...  | Light metals other than Al               |
| C03C 2217/263 | ...  | Metals other than noble metals, Cu or Hg |

**NOTE**

This code is only to be used in combination with [C03C](#) classification symbols having the +IDT notation.

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| C03C 2217/268 | ...   | Other specific metals                                    |
| C03C 2217/269 | ...   | Non-specific enumeration                                 |
| C03C 2217/27  | ...   | Mixtures of metals, alloys                               |
| C03C 2217/28  | ..    | Other inorganic materials                                |
| C03C 2217/281 | ...   | Nitrides   |
| C03C 2217/282 | ...   | Carbides, silicides                                      |
| C03C 2217/283 | ...   | Borides, phosphides                                      |
| C03C 2217/284 | ...   | Halides  |
| C03C 2217/285 | ....  | Fluorides  |
| C03C 2217/286 | ....  | Chlorides  |
| C03C 2217/287 | ...   | Chalcogenides  |
| C03C 2217/288 | ....  | Sulfides   |
| C03C 2217/289 | ....  | Selenides, tellurides                                    |
| C03C 2217/29  | ..    | Mixtures   |
| C03C 2217/40  | .     | Coatings comprising at least one inhomogeneous layer     |
| C03C 2217/42  | ..    | consisting of particles only                             |
| C03C 2217/425 | ..    | consisting of a porous layer                             |
| C03C 2217/43  | ..    | consisting of a dispersed phase in a continuous phase    |
| C03C 2217/44  | ...   | characterized by the composition of the continuous phase |
| C03C 2217/445 | ....  | Organic continuous phases                                |
| C03C 2217/45  | ....  | Inorganic continuous phases                              |
| C03C 2217/452 | ..... | Glass  |
| C03C 2217/46  | ...   | characterized by the dispersed phase                     |
| C03C 2217/465 | ....  | having a specific shape                                  |
| C03C 2217/47  | ....  | consisting of a specific material                        |
| C03C 2217/475 | ..... | Inorganic materials                                      |
| C03C 2217/476 | ..... | Tin oxide or doped tin oxide                             |
| C03C 2217/477 | ..... | Titanium oxide   |
| C03C 2217/478 | ..... | Silica   |
| C03C 2217/479 | ..... | Metals   |

- C03C 2217/48 . . . . having a specific function
- C03C 2217/485 . . . . . Pigments
- C03C 2217/70 . Properties of coatings
- C03C 2217/71 . . Photocatalytic coatings
- C03C 2217/72 . . Decorative coatings
- C03C 2217/73 . . Anti-reflective coatings with specific characteristics
- C03C 2217/732 . . . made of a single layer
- C03C 2217/734 . . . comprising an alternation of high and low refractive indexes
- C03C 2217/74 . . UV-absorbing coatings
- C03C 2217/75 . . Hydrophilic and oleophilic coatings
- C03C 2217/76 . . Hydrophobic and oleophobic coatings
- C03C 2217/77 . . Coatings having a rough surface
- C03C 2217/775 . . . to provide anti-slip characteristics
- C03C 2217/78 . . Coatings specially designed to be durable, e.g. scratch-resistant
- C03C 2217/90 . Other aspects of coatings
- C03C 2217/91 . . Coatings containing at least one layer having a composition gradient through its thickness
- C03C 2217/92 . . Coating of crystal glass
- C03C 2217/93 . . Coatings containing a reinforcement comprising fibers or grids
- C03C 2217/94 . . Transparent conductive oxide layers [TCO] being part of a multilayer coating
- C03C 2217/944 . . . Layers comprising zinc oxide
- C03C 2217/948 . . . Layers comprising indium tin oxide [ITO]
- C03C 2218/00      Methods for coating glass**
- C03C 2218/10 . Deposition methods
- C03C 2218/11 . . from solutions or suspensions
- C03C 2218/111 . . . by dipping, immersion
- C03C 2218/112 . . . by spraying
- C03C 2218/113 . . . by sol-gel processes
- C03C 2218/114 . . . by brushing, pouring or doctorblading
- C03C 2218/115 . . . electro-enhanced deposition
- C03C 2218/116 . . . by spin-coating, centrifugation
- C03C 2218/117 . . . by ultrasonic methods
- C03C 2218/118 . . . by roller-coating
- C03C 2218/119 . . . by printing
- C03C 2218/13 . . from melts
- C03C 2218/15 . . from the vapour phase
- C03C 2218/151 . . . by vacuum evaporation
- C03C 2218/152 . . . by cvd
- C03C 2218/1525 . . . . by atmospheric CVD

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| C03C 2218/153 | .... | by plasma-enhanced cvd                                 |
| C03C 2218/154 | ...  | by sputtering  |
| C03C 2218/155 | .... | by reactive sputtering                                 |
| C03C 2218/156 | .... | by magnetron sputtering                                |
| C03C 2218/17  | ..   | from a solid phase                                     |
| C03C 2218/30  | .    | Aspects of methods for coating glass not covered above |
| C03C 2218/31  | ..   | Pre-treatment  |
| C03C 2218/32  | ..   | After-treatment  |
| C03C 2218/322 | ...  | Oxidation  |
| C03C 2218/324 | ...  | De-oxidation   |
| C03C 2218/326 | ...  | Nitriding  |
| C03C 2218/328 | ...  | Partly or completely removing a coating                |
| C03C 2218/33  | .... | by etching   |
| C03C 2218/335 | ..   | Reverse coating  |
| C03C 2218/34  | ..   | Masking  |
| C03C 2218/345 | ..   | Surface crystallisation                                |
| C03C 2218/35  | ..   | Exuding  |
| C03C 2218/355 | ..   | Temporary coating                                      |
| C03C 2218/36  | ..   | Underside coating of a glass sheet                     |
| C03C 2218/365 | ..   | Coating different sides of a glass substrate           |