

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****A41F****GARMENT FASTENINGS; SUSPENDERS****Guidance heading:**

- A41F 1/00**      **Fastening devices specially adapted for garments** ( {for pairing socks [A41B 11/002](#); for fur garments [A41D 5/006](#) }; fastening devices in general [A44B](#) ; {for babies` napkins [A61F 13/56](#) } )
- [A41F 1/002](#)      .    {Magnetic fastening devices }
- [A41F 1/004](#)      .    {Strips of buttons }
- [A41F 1/006](#)      .    {Brassière fasteners }
- [A41F 1/008](#)      .    {Adjustable fasteners comprising a track and a slide member (expansible or adjustable belts or girdles [A41F 9/02](#) ) }
- [A41F 1/02](#)      .    Buttonholes; Eyelets for buttonholes
- [A41F 1/04](#)      .    Corset fasteners
- [A41F 1/06](#)      .    Glove fasteners
- [A41F 1/08](#)      .    Garter fasteners

**Guidance heading: Garment suspenders**

- A41F 3/00**      **Braces**
- [A41F 3/02](#)      .    Strips, tongues, or the like, for attaching to the trousers
- [A41F 3/04](#)      .    Means for joining the strips, tongues, or the like, to the body of the braces
- [A41F 3/045](#)      . .    {using springs }
- [A41F 3/06](#)      .    Means for rendering braces pliable; Elastic elements for braces; Braces completely made of rubber
- A41F 5/00**      **Trouser supports attached to the shirt, waistcoat, or the like**
- A41F 7/00**      **Devices for connecting underpants to trousers**
- A41F 9/00**      **Belts, girdles, or waistbands for trousers or skirts**
- [A41F 9/002](#)      .    {Free belts }

- A41F 9/005 . . { with handles }
- A41F 9/007 . {Belt loops }
- A41F 9/02 . Expansible or adjustable belts or girdles; {Adjustable fasteners comprising a track and a slide member ([A41F 1/008](#), [A41F 9/002](#) take precedence) }
- A41F 9/025 . . {Adjustable belts or girdles }

## **A41F 11/00 Stocking or sock suspenders**

- A41F 11/02 . Devices for attaching the stocking or sock to the suspender
- A41F 11/04 . . of the stud-and-loop type
- A41F 11/06 . . Pivoted-jaw clips
- A41F 11/08 . . consisting of one part
- A41F 11/10 . Shields or like intermediate members
- A41F 11/12 . with devices for adjusting the length
- A41F 11/14 . Means for fastening the suspender to the garment, e.g. trousers, underpants
- A41F 11/16 . Garters
- A41F 11/18 . Means for fastening the stocking directly to the undergarment

## **A41F 13/00 Other devices for supporting or holding stockings or socks during wear**

### **A41F 15/00 Shoulder or like straps**

- A41F 15/002 . {separable or adjustable }
- A41F 15/005 . {Tapes for shoulder straps }
- A41F 15/007 . {Shoulder cushioning attachments }
- A41F 15/02 . Means for retaining the straps in position

### **A41F 17/00 Means for holding-down garments**

- A41F 17/02 . Clips or the like for trousers or skirts, e.g. for cyclists
- A41F 17/04 . Straps on the lower end of legs of trousers

### **A41F 18/00 Garment suspenders covered by two or more of groups [A41F 3/00](#) to [A41F 17/00](#)**

### **A41F 19/00 Garment suspenders not otherwise provided for**

A41F 19/005 . {Means for adjusting the length of sleeves }