

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****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](#))

**B41K 1/00**

**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**

**B41K 1/003**

- . {combined with other articles (combination of writing appliances with stamps [B43K 29/005](#))}

**B41K 1/006**

- . {Pocket stamps}

**B41K 1/02**

- . with one or more flat stamping surfaces having fixed images

**B41K 1/04**

- . . with multiple stamping surfaces; with stamping surfaces replaceable as a whole

**B41K 1/06**

- . . with means for locating the image to be obtained

**B41K 1/08**

- . with a flat stamping surface and changeable characters

**B41K 1/10**

- . . having movable type-carrying bands or chains

**B41K 1/12**

- . . having adjustable type-carrying wheels

**B41K 1/14**

- . . having automatic means for changing type-characters

**B41K 1/16**

- . . . Numbering devices

**B41K 1/18**

- . . . . for pages

**B41K 1/20**

- . . with means for locating the image to be obtained

**B41K 1/22**

- . with curved stamping surfaces for stamping by rolling contact

**B41K 1/24**

- . . Rocking stamps

**B41K 1/26**

- . with stamping surfaces adapted for application to non-flat surfaces

**B41K 1/28**

- . . flexible

**B41K 1/30**

- . for offset or intaglio stamping

**B41K 1/32**

- . for stencilling

**B41K 1/34**

- . for multicolour stamping

**B41K 1/36**

- . Details

**B41K 1/363**

- . . {Labelling means}

**B41K 1/366**

- . . {Arrangement of counting devices}

**B41K 1/38**

- . . Inking devices; Stamping surfaces

**B41K 1/40**

- . . . Inking devices operated by stamping movement

**B41K 1/42**

- . . . . with pads or rollers movable for inking

**B41K 1/44**

- . . . for offset, intaglio, or stencil stamping

**B41K 1/46**

- . . . for multicolour stamping

**B41K 1/48**

- . . . with ink ribbons, ink sheets, or carbon tape or paper

- B41K 1/50
  - . . . Stamping surfaces impregnated with ink, or made of material leaving a mark after stamping contact
- B41K 1/52
  - . . . Ink reservoirs, e.g. integral with stamp handles
- B41K 1/54
  - . . . Inking pads
- B41K 1/56
  - . . Handles {(combined with labelling means [B41K 1/363](#))}
- B41K 1/58
  - . . Stands or other means for keeping hand stamps or the like within easy reach
  
- B41K 3/00**

**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 [B41F 17/00](#))
- B41K 3/005
  - . {Cheque stamping machines ([B41K 3/02](#) - [B41K 3/62](#) take precedence)}
- B41K 3/02
  - . with stamping surface located above article-supporting surface
- B41K 3/04
  - . . and movable at right angles to the surface to be stamped
- B41K 3/06
  - . . . having type-carrying bands or chains
- B41K 3/08
  - . . . having adjustable type-carrying wheels
- B41K 3/10
  - . . . having automatic means for changing type-characters, e.g. numbering devices
- B41K 3/102
  - . . . . {Numbering devices}
- B41K 3/105
  - . . . . . {actuating means for changing type-characters}
- B41K 3/107
  - . . . . . {having movable type-carrying bands or chains}
- B41K 3/12
  - . . with curved stamping surface for stamping by rolling contact
- B41K 3/121
  - . . . {using stamping rollers having changeable characters}
- B41K 3/122
  - . . . . {having type-carrying bands or chains}
- B41K 3/123
  - . . . . {having adjustable type-carrying wheels}
- B41K 3/125
  - . . . . {having automatic means for changing type-characters}
- B41K 3/126
  - . . . . . {Numbering devices}
- B41K 3/127
  - . . . . . {actuating means for changing type-characters}
- B41K 3/128
  - . . . . . {having type-carrying bands or chains}
- B41K 3/14
  - . . . for relief stamping
- B41K 3/16
  - . . . for intaglio stamping
- B41K 3/18
  - . . . for offset stamping
- B41K 3/20
  - . . . for stencilling
- B41K 3/22
  - . . . with means for producing distorted images
- B41K 3/24
  - . . for multicolour stamping
- B41K 3/26
  - . with stamping surface located below article-supporting surface
- B41K 3/263
  - . . {having a stamping surface with changeable characters}
- B41K 3/266
  - . . . {having automatic means for changing type-characters, e.g. numbering devices}
- B41K 3/28
  - . . and bearing a positive image
- B41K 3/30
  - . . . and having means for varying the image, e.g. by exchanging stamping plates in succession
- B41K 3/32
  - . with co-operating stamping and counter-stamping members

B41K 3/34	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>in the form of indexable cylinders, e.g. of curved or polygonal cross-section, or of movable chains or bands</li> </ul>
B41K 3/36	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with means for deforming or punching the copy matter</li> </ul>
B41K 3/38	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>separate from the stamping means</li> </ul>
B41K 3/40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for numerical or alphabetical characters</li> </ul>
B41K 3/42	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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</li> </ul>
B41K 3/44	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Means for handling copy matter</li> </ul>
B41K 3/46	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for locating when stationary</li> </ul>
B41K 3/48	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for conveying intermittently to or from stamping station</li> </ul>
B41K 3/50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for conveying during stamping operation</li> </ul>
B41K 3/52	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for discharging</li> </ul>
B41K 3/54	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inking devices</li> </ul>
B41K 3/56	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>using inking pads</li> </ul>
B41K 3/58	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>using ink ribbons, ink sheets, or carbon tape or paper</li> </ul>
B41K 3/60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>using rollers, e.g. rollers with integral ink-supply devices</li> </ul>
B41K 3/62	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Details or accessories</li> </ul>
B41K 3/625	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">{Arrangement of counting devices}</a></li> </ul>
B41K 3/64	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stamping mechanisms controlled by feed of copy matter</li> </ul>
B41K 3/66	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Safety devices, e.g. for preventing extraction of copy matter before completion of stamping operation</li> </ul>
B41K 3/68	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curring or severing devices (<a href="#">in general B26</a>)</li> </ul>
<b>B41K 5/00</b>	<b>Plier-like tools for stamping, or stamping and delivering, tickets or the like</b>
B41K 5/003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">{Inking devices therefor}</a></li> </ul>
B41K 5/006	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">{with means for deforming the copy matter}</a></li> </ul>
B41K 5/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with means for varying the image stamped</li> </ul>
B41K 5/023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">{having type-carrying bands or chains}</a></li> </ul>
B41K 5/026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">{having adjustable type-carrying wheels}</a></li> </ul>
B41K 5/04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with devices for collecting counterfoils, or with other means for recording stamping operations (<a href="#">counting devices G06M</a>)</li> </ul>
B41K 5/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>for recording on separate tape</li> </ul>
B41K 5/08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with counting devices</li> </ul>
<b>B41K 99/00</b>	<b>Subject matter not provided for in other groups of this subclass</b>