

# CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

## A HUMAN NECESSITIES

### PERSONAL OR DOMESTIC ARTICLES

#### A44 HABERDASHERY; JEWELLERY

#### A44C PERSONAL ADORNMENTS, e.g. JEWELLERY; COINS

##### WARNINGS

- The following IPC groups are not in the CPC scheme. The subject matter for these IPC groups is classified in the following CPC groups:  
[A44C 11/02](#) covered by [A44C 5/18](#)
- In this subclass non-limiting references (in the sense of paragraph 39 of the Guide to the IPC) may still be displayed in the scheme.

<b>1/00</b>	<b>Brooches or clips in their decorative or ornamental aspect</b>	5/06	. . . having lazy-tongs
		5/08	. . . having separate links
<b>3/00</b>	<b>Medals; Badges</b>	5/10	. . not extensible ( <a href="#">A44C 5/022</a> and <a href="#">A44C 5/025</a> take precedence)
3/001	. {Badges}	5/102	. . . {with links made of one piece with integral connecting means}
3/002	. . {Honorific badges, e.g. ribbon holders for decoration}	5/105	. . . {with links made of one piece and linked together by one connecting element}
3/004	. {Medals}	5/107	. . . {with links made of more than two elements including connecting elements}
3/005	. . {made of one piece}	5/12	. C-spring-type bracelets or wrist-watch holders
3/007	. . {which can be separated into parts, e.g. to be worn by two persons}	5/14	. characterised by the way of fastening to a wrist-watch or the like
3/008	. . {Suspension loops or rings}	5/142	. . {Cord type straps}
<b>5/00</b>	<b>Bracelets; Wrist-watch straps; Fastenings for bracelets or wrist-watch straps</b> ( <a href="#">settings for holding gems or the like A44C 17/02; devices for putting-on or pulling-off bracelets A47G 25/901</a> )	5/145	. . {Hooks}
5/0007	. {Bracelets specially adapted for other functions or with means for attaching other articles}	5/147	. . {Watchcase itself used as fastener}
5/0015	. . {providing information, e.g. bracelets with calendars ( <a href="#">identification bracelets G09F 3/005</a> )}	5/16	. . by folding the strap
5/0023	. . {for therapeutic purposes}	5/18	. Fasteners for straps, {chains or the like} ( <a href="#">buckles A44B 11/00</a> )
5/003	. . {with a storage compartment}	5/185	. . {Attachment of fasteners to straps or chains}
5/0038	. . {with means for attaching keys ( <a href="#">A44C 5/003</a> takes precedence)}	5/20	. . for open straps {, chains or the like}
5/0046	. . {with means for attaching a writing instrument or a memo pad ( <a href="#">A44C 5/0015</a> and <a href="#">A44C 5/003</a> take precedence)}	5/2004	. . . {Padlocks}
5/0053	. {Flexible straps}	5/2009	. . . {of the ring type}
5/0061	. . {essentially made from metal ( <a href="#">A44C 5/0076</a> takes precedence)}	5/2014	. . . . {of the spring ring type}
5/0069	. . {extensible}	5/2019	. . . . {Hooks}
5/0076	. . . {essentially made from metal}	5/2023	. . . . {Sliding hooks}
5/0084	. {Bracelets in the form of a ring, band or tube of rigid material ( <a href="#">C-spring-type bracelets A44C 5/12</a> )}	5/2028	. . . . . {with spring closure means}
5/0092	. . {essentially made from metal}	5/2033	. . . . . {Hooks provided with pivoting closure means}
5/02	. Link constructions	5/2038	. . . . . {Swivels}
5/022	. . {with links threaded on at least one filamentary core ( <a href="#">ornamental chains made of pearls A44C 11/002</a> )}	5/2042	. . . {Fasteners provided with a turnable clamping lever}
5/025	. . {with links threaded on a band}	5/2047	. . . {Fasteners provided with a V-shaped spring-tongue male member}
5/027	. . . {the band also made of links}	5/2052	. . . {Fasteners provided with at least one push-button acting parallel to the main plane of the fastener and perpendicularly to the direction of the fastening ( <a href="#">A44C 5/2047</a> takes precedence)}
5/04	. . extensible ( <a href="#">A44C 5/022</a> and <a href="#">A44C 5/025</a> take precedence)}	5/2057	. . . {Fasteners locked by sliding or rotating of the male element of the fastener; Turn-button fasteners}
		5/2061	. . . . {combined with spring means}

5/2066	. . . {Fasteners with locking means acting parallel to the main plane of the fastener and perpendicularly to the direction of the fastening}	15/001	. {Jewels transformable into other jewels, e.g. finger rings transformable into ear-rings}
5/2071	. . . {with the two ends of the strap or chain overlapping each other and fastened by an action perpendicularly to the main plane of these two ends ( <a href="#">A44C 5/2009</a> - <a href="#">A44C 5/2057</a> take precedence)}	15/0015	. {Illuminated or sound-producing jewellery}
5/2076	. . . {with the two ends of the strap or chain abutting each other or sliding in the main plane or a plane parallel to the main plane of these two ends ( <a href="#">A44C 5/2009</a> - <a href="#">A44C 5/2061</a> take precedence)}	15/002	. {Jewellery dispersing perfume or the like}
5/208	. . . . {being screwed to each other}	15/0025	. {Reversible or double face jewellery}
5/2085	. . . {with the two ends sliding transversally to the main plane of the strap or chain}	15/003	. {Jewellery holding or retaining articles, e.g. eyeglasses}
5/209	. . . {Fasteners specially adapted for necklaces or bracelets made of pearls}	15/0035	. {Piercing type jewellery ( <a href="#">earrings</a> <a href="#">A44C 7/00</a> )}
5/2095	. . . . {provided with retaining means for several strings of pearls}	15/004	. {Jewellery with monograms or other inscription}
5/22	. . for closed straps	15/0045	. {Jewellery specially adapted to be worn on a specific part of the body not fully provided for in groups <a href="#">A44C 1/00</a> - <a href="#">A44C 9/00</a> ( <a href="#">A44C 15/0035</a> takes precedence)}
5/24	. . . with folding devices	15/005	. . {Necklaces ( <a href="#">ornamental chains</a> <a href="#">A44C 11/00</a> )}
5/243	. . . . {Automatic folding spring closure}	15/0055	. . . {combined with other jewels, e.g. earrings}
5/246	. . . . {having size adjusting means}	15/006	. . {on the head, e.g. diadem ( <a href="#">hair holding devices</a> <a href="#">A45D 8/00</a> )}
<b>7/00</b>	<b>Ear-rings; Devices for piercing the ear-lobes</b>	15/0065	. . {on the nose or nostrils}
7/001	. {Devices for piercing the ear-lobes}	15/007	. . {on the teeth, e.g. settings or decorations}
7/002	. {Ear-rings with interchangeable ornaments}	15/0075	. . {on the hand or nails}
7/003	. {Ear-studs or their catch devices}	15/008	. . . {on the nails}
7/004	. {Ear-clips}	15/0085	. . {on the leg, foot or toes}
7/005	. . {made of one piece}	15/009	. . . {on the foot or toes}
7/006	. . {with a pivotable back clamping arm}	15/0095	. . {on the nipples}
7/007	. . {with an ear gripping member mounted, e.g. pivotably, at the upper end of a back arm}	<b>17/00</b>	<b>Gems or the like</b>
7/008	. . . {movable axially}	17/001	. {Faceting gems}
7/009	. {Earrings covering the upper portion of the ear}	17/002	. {Gems made of several cut pieces}
<b>9/00</b>	<b>Finger-rings</b> ( <a href="#">settings for holding gems or the like</a> <a href="#">A44C 17/02</a> )	17/003	. . {Doublet stones}
9/0007	. {made of several rings}	17/005	. {Gems provided with grooves or notches, e.g. for setting}
9/0015	. . {connected or interlinked to each other}	17/006	. {Gems provided with a cavity, e.g. for containing another gem}
9/0023	. . . {in a separable way}	17/007	. {Special types of gems}
9/003	. . . {in a rotatable way}	17/008	. . {Glass stones}
9/0038	. {openable or able to be broken for safety reasons}	17/02	. Settings for holding gems {or the like, e.g. for ornaments or decorations}
9/0046	. . {comprising a hinge}	17/0208	. . {removable}
9/0053	. {having special functions}	17/0216	. . . {with automatic locking action, e.g. by using a spring}
9/0061	. . {Holding articles}	17/0225	. . . . {having clamping action}
9/0069	. . {Storing articles, e.g. pills}	17/0233	. . . {using screws or screwed elements}
9/0076	. {worn on several fingers or between fingers}	17/0241	. . {slidably arranged}
9/0084	. {Accessories}	17/025	. . . {with the gem sliding along guiding rails}
9/0092	. . {Ring protectors}	17/0258	. . {rotatably or pivotably arranged}
9/02	. adjustable	17/0266	. . . {with means for maintaining a pivoted position}
<b>11/00</b>	<b>Watch chains; Ornamental chains</b> ( <a href="#">fastening devices for watch or ornamental chains</a> <a href="#">A44C 5/18</a> )	17/0275	. . {in an oscillating way}
11/002	. {Ornamental chains composed of pearls ( <a href="#">rosaries</a> <a href="#">A44C 23/00</a> ; <a href="#">making such chains</a> <a href="#">D04D 9/00</a> )}	17/0283	. . {moving freely inside a setting}
11/005	. {with friction boxes adjustments}	17/0291	. . . {in the same plane}
11/007	. {Tennis type}	17/04	. Setting gems in jewellery; Setting-tools
<b>13/00</b>	<b>Connectible jewellery</b>	17/043	. . {Setting-tools}
<b>15/00</b>	<b>Other forms of jewellery</b>	17/046	. . {Setting gems in a plurality of non coplanar table top planes}
15/0005	. {Jewelry adherable on the human body}	<b>19/00</b>	<b>Devices for preventing pilfering of watches or jewellery</b>
		<b>21/00</b>	<b>Coins</b> ( <a href="#">coins specially adapted to operate coin-freed mechanisms</a> <a href="#">G07F 1/06</a> ); <b>Emergency money; Beer or gambling coins or tokens, or the like</b>
		<b>23/00</b>	<b>Rosaries</b>

**25/00** Miscellaneous fancy ware for personal wear, e.g. {pendants,} crosses, crucifixes, charms {(suspension loops or rings [A44C 3/008](#); settings for holding gems or the like [A44C 17/02](#))}

- 25/001 . {Pendants}
- 25/002 . . {forming a container, e.g. for pictures}
- 25/004 . . . {with articulated faces}
- 25/005 . {Crosses or crucifixes}
- 25/007 . {Charms or amulets}
- 25/008 . {Jewellery worn on collars, e.g. on shirts (brooches [A44C 1/00](#))}

**27/00** Making jewellery or other personal adornments

- 27/001 . {Materials for manufacturing jewellery}
- 27/002 . . {Metallic materials ([A44C 27/006](#) takes precedence)}
- 27/003 . . . {Metallic alloys (alloys in general [C22C](#))}
- 27/005 . . {Coating layers for jewellery}
- 27/006 . . . {Metallic coatings}
- 27/007 . . . {Non-metallic coatings}
- 27/008 . . {having shape memory behavior}