

SECTION F — MECHANICAL ENGINEERING; LIGHTING; HEATING; WEAPONS; BLASTING

F21 LIGHTING

F21S NON-PORTABLE LIGHTING DEVICES OR SYSTEMS THEREOF (burners F23D; electric aspects or elements, see section H, e.g. electric light sources H01J, H01K, H05B) [1, 7]

Note(s)

1. This subclass covers devices or systems intended for fixed installation, e.g. vehicle lighting, or for use at a permanent location, e.g. free-standing floor- or table-lamps.
2. This subclass does not cover devices or systems specially adapted for transportation, which are covered by subclass F21L.
3. Non-electric lighting devices or systems are classified in groups F21S 11/00-F21S 15/00 only if a special adaptation related to the use of a non-electric light source is of interest.
4. In this subclass, it is desirable to add the indexing codes of subclasses F21W and F21Y.

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COMBINATIONS OF ELECTRIC AND NON-ELECTRIC DEVICES.....19/00

2/00	Systems of lighting devices, not provided for in main groups F21S 4/00-F21S 10/00 or F21S 19/00, e.g. of modular construction [7]	9/02	• the power supply being a battery or accumulator
		9/03	• • rechargeable by exposure to light [7]
		9/04	• the power supply being a generator
4/00	Lighting devices or systems using a string or strip of light sources [7]	10/00	Lighting devices or systems producing a varying lighting effect [7]
6/00	Lighting devices intended to be free-standing (F21S 9/00, F21S 10/00 take precedence) [7]	10/02	• changing colours (F21S 10/04 takes precedence) [7]
		10/04	• simulating flames [7]
		10/06	• flashing, e.g. with rotating reflector or light source [7]
8/00	Lighting devices intended for fixed installation (F21S 9/00, F21S 10/00 take precedence; using a string or strip of light sources F21S 4/00) [7]	11/00	Non-electric lighting devices or systems using daylight
8/02	• of recess-mounted type, e.g. downlighters (F21S 8/10 takes precedence) [7]	13/00	Non-electric lighting devices or systems employing a point-like light source (candle holders F21V 35/00); Non-electric lighting devices or systems employing a light source of unspecified shape
8/04	• intended only for mounting on a ceiling or like overhead structure (F21S 8/02 takes precedence) [7]	13/02	• Devices intended to be fixed, e.g. ceiling lamp, wall lamp
8/06	• • by suspension [7]	13/04	• • with a pendant
8/08	• with a standard [7]	13/06	• • • multi-branched, e.g. chandelier
8/10	• specially adapted for vehicles [7]	13/08	• • with suspension from a stretched wire
8/12	• • providing a single shaped beam, e.g. asymmetric beam, e.g. for penetrating fog or for preventing glare [7]	13/10	• • with a standard, e.g. street lamp
9/00	Lighting devices with a built-in power supply; Systems employing lighting devices with a built-in power supply	13/12	• Devices intended to be free-standing, e.g. table lamp, floor lamp

F21S

13/14 • Lighting systems

15/00 Non-electric lighting devices or systems employing light sources not covered by main groups F21S 11/00, F21S 13/00 or F21S 19/00

19/00 Lighting devices or systems employing combinations of electric and non-electric light sources; Replacing or exchanging electric light sources with non-electric light sources or vice versa