

## SECTION A — HUMAN NECESSITIES

## A41 WEARING APPAREL

## A41B SHIRTS; UNDERWEAR; BABY LINEN; HANDKERCHIEFS

Subclass index

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| SELECTION OF SPECIAL MATERIALS.....           | 17/00                     |
| SHIRTS.....                                   | 1/00-7/00                 |
| UNDERGARMENTS; BABY LINEN; HANDKERCHIEFS..... | 9/00, 11/00, 13/00, 15/00 |

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| <b>1/00</b> | <b>Shirts</b>  | 9/04         | • Knickers for ladies, with or without inserted crotch or seat parts   |
| 1/02        | • with front inserts   | 9/06         | • Undershirts; Chemises  |
| 1/04        | • convertible into cami-knickers   | 9/08         | • Combined undergarments (panti-hose, body-stockings A41B 11/14)   |
| 1/06        | • exchangeably attached to underbodices, drawers, or the like  | 9/10         | • Petticoats   |
| 1/08        | • Details  | 9/12         | • Protective undergarments (combined with swabs or absorbent pads or specially adapted for supporting them A61F 13/15) |
| 1/10        | • • Closures (buttons A44B 1/00; sleeve links A44B 5/00)   | 9/14         | • Waistbands forming part of the undergarments; Closures thereof   |
| 1/12        | • • Neckbands  | 9/16         | • Shoulder-straps forming part of the undergarments (shoulder-straps in general A41F 15/00)                            |
| 1/14        | • • • Stiffeners for neckbands   | <b>11/00</b> | <b>Hosiery; Panti-hose</b> (elastic stockings for curative purposes A61F 13/08) [2]                                    |
| 1/16        | • • • Adjustable neckbands   | 11/01        | • Seams [2]  |
| 1/18        | • • Shirt-fronts   | 11/02        | • Reinforcements   |
| 1/20        | • • • Stiffeners for shirt-fronts  | 11/04        | • • of the stocking top  |
| 1/22        | • • • False shirt-fronts, e.g. dickeys, with or without attached collars; Means for attaching or stretching  | 11/06        | • with interchangeable foot parts  |
| <b>3/00</b> | <b>Collars</b> (A41B 1/00 takes precedence)  | 11/08        | • Stockings without foot parts   |
| 3/02        | • Closures, e.g. tabs  | 11/10        | • Stocking protectors (to be put in footwear A43B 23/28)   |
| 3/04        | • fastening to shirts (collar-studs A44B 3/00)   | 11/12        | • Means at the upper end to keep the stockings up (A41B 11/04 takes precedence; suspenders A41F 11/00) [2]             |
| 3/06        | • Stiffeners for collars   | 11/14        | • Panti-hose; Body-stockings [2]   |
| 3/08        | • Combined stiffening and fastening devices  | <b>13/00</b> | <b>Baby linen</b> (babies' napkins or holders therefor A61F 13/15) [5]   |
| 3/10        | • chemically stiffened (processes for stiffening D06)  | 13/04        | • Babies' pants (combined with swabs or absorbent pads or specially adapted for supporting them A61F 13/15) [5]        |
| 3/12        | • with supports for neckties or cravats  | 13/06        | • Slip-in bags; Swaddling clothes  |
| 3/14        | • Reversible collars   | 13/08        | • Bodices [5]  |
| 3/16        | • Plastic collars; Paper collars   | 13/10        | • Bibs   |
| 3/18        | • Protectors for collars   | <b>15/00</b> | <b>Handkerchiefs</b>   |
| <b>5/00</b> | <b>Fold-line formings for collars or cuffs</b> (folding collar or cuff edges while manufacturing A41H 33/00) | 15/02        | • Simulations of breast pocket handkerchiefs; Their attachment [2]   |
| <b>7/00</b> | <b>Cuffs</b> (A41B 1/00, A41B 3/00 take precedence; cuff links A44B 5/00)                                    | <b>17/00</b> | <b>Selection of special materials for underwear</b>  |
| 7/02        | • Closures for cuffs   |              |  |
| 7/04        | • Fastening cuffs to shirts  |              |  |
| 7/06        | • Fastening cuffs to the sleeves of jackets  |              |  |
| 7/08        | • Stiffeners for cuffs   |              |  |
| 7/10        | • Reversible cuffs   |              |  |
| 7/12        | • Protectors for cuffs   |              |  |
| <b>9/00</b> | <b>Undergarments</b> (corsets, brassières A41C)  |              |  |
| 9/02        | • Drawers or underpants for men, with or without inserted crotch or seat parts                               |              |  |

**A41B****A41C CORSETS; BRASSIÈRES****1/00 Corsets or girdles** (corset fasteners A41F 1/04; orthopaedic corsets A61F 5/02)

- 1/02 • Elastic corsets
- 1/04 • • made of rubber
- 1/06 • with brassières
- 1/08 • Abdominal supports
- 1/10 • • Maternity corsets
- 1/12 • Component parts
- 1/14 • • Stays; Steels
- 1/16 • • • made of wire
- 1/18 • • • of built-up type
- 1/20 • • • with protective caps

**3/00 Brassières**

- 3/02 • with front closures
- 3/04 • for nursing mothers
- 3/06 • Strapless brassières
- 3/08 • combined with other garments (with corsets A41C 1/06)
- 3/10 • with stiffening or bust-forming inserts (inserts per se A41C 3/14) [2]
- 3/12 • Component parts [2]
- 3/14 • • Stiffening or bust-forming inserts [2]

**5/00 Machines, appliances, or methods for manufacturing corsets or brassières****A41D OUTERWEAR; PROTECTIVE GARMENTS; ACCESSORIES** (eye or ear protectors A61F 9/00, A61F 11/00; sweating suits A61H 36/00)**Note(s)**

In this subclass, the following term is used with the meaning indicated:

- "outerwear" covers dressing-gowns, bathing costumes and pyjamas.

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| SELECTION OF SPECIAL MATERIALS..... | 31/00                          |
| OUTERWEAR                           |                                |
| Outerwear in general.....           | 1/00, 3/00, 5/00, 11/00, 15/00 |
| Outerwear for particular use.....   | 7/00, 10/00, 13/00, 29/00      |
| Details of garments.....            | 27/00                          |
| ACCESSORIES.....                    | 17/00-25/00                    |

**1/00 Garments** (for children A41D 11/00)

- 1/02 • Jackets
- 1/04 • Vests, jerseys, sweaters, or the like
- 1/06 • Trousers
- 1/08 • • for sporting purposes, e.g. ski trousers, riding breeches
- 1/10 • • Means for maintaining the crease
- 1/12 • • Means for hiding bandy legs
- 1/14 • Skirts
- 1/16 • • Hooped skirts; Crinolines
- 1/18 • Blouses
- 1/20 • Maternity clothing
- 1/22 • Other garments for ladies

**3/00 Overgarments** (fur garments A41D 5/00; for children A41D 11/00; professional or sporting protective garments A41D 13/00)

- 3/02 • Overcoats
- 3/04 • • Raincoats
- 3/06 • • • with leg-protecting means
- 3/08 • Capes

**5/00 Fur garments; Garments of fur substitutes****7/00 Bathing gowns; Swim-suits, drawers, or trunks; Beach suits** (bathing caps A42B 1/12)**10/00 Pyjamas; Nightdresses** [3]**11/00 Garments for children****13/00 Professional, industrial or sporting protective garments, e.g. garments affording protection against blows or punches, surgeons' gowns** (helmets A42B 3/00; clothing affording protection against chemical agents or for use at high altitudes A62B 17/00; life-saving garments for use at sea, diving suits B63C; bulletproof or armoured clothing F41H; clothing affording protection against radiation G21F 3/02; electric heating elements H05B)

- 13/002 • with controlled internal environment [7]
- 13/005 • • with controlled temperature [7]
- 13/008 • protecting against electric shocks or static electricity [7]
- 13/01 • with reflective or luminous safety means [7]
- 13/012 • for aquatic activities, e.g. with buoyancy aids [7]
- 13/015 • with shock-absorbing means (A41D 13/05 takes precedence) [7]
- 13/018 • • inflatable automatically [7]
- 13/02 • Overalls
- 13/04 • Aprons; Fastening devices for aprons
- 13/05 • protecting only a particular body part (sports brassières A41C 3/00) [7]
- 13/06 • • Knee or foot [1, 7]
- 13/08 • • Arm or hand (protective gloves A41D 19/015) [1, 7]

- 13/11 • • Protective face masks, e.g. for surgical use, or for use in foul atmospheres (eye-masks A61F 9/04) [7]
- 13/12 • Surgeons' or patients' gowns or dresses [3]
- 15/00 Convertible garments** (for travelling or camp articles A45F 4/00)
- 15/02 • Skirts convertible into trousers
- 15/04 • Garments convertible into other articles
- 17/00 Gaiters; Spats**
- 17/02 • Leggings
- 17/04 • Puttees
- 19/00 Gloves** (operating gloves A61B 19/04; swimming gloves A63B 31/02; as accessories for games or sports, e.g. baseball, boxing or golf gloves, A63B 71/14; gloves for glove-boxes B25J 21/02) [1, 7]
- 19/01 • with undivided covering for all four fingers, i.e. mittens (A41D 19/015 takes precedence) [2, 7]
- 19/015 • Protective gloves [7]
- 19/02 • Arrangements for cutting-out, or shapes of, glove blanks
- 19/04 • Appliances for making gloves; Measuring devices for glove-making
- 20/00 Wristbands or headbands, e.g. for absorbing sweat** (hat fittings A42C 5/02) [5]
- 23/00 Scarves; Head-scarves; Neckerchiefs**
- 25/00 Neckties**
- 25/02 • with ready-made knot or bow, with or without bands
- 25/04 • • Fastening devices for the bands
- 25/06 • with knot, bow, or like tied by the user
- 25/08 • • Means for forming or tying the knot, or the like
- 25/10 • • Means for holding the knot, or the like
- 25/12 • • • attachable to the collar or stud
- 25/14 • • Means for forming and holding simultaneously
- 25/16 • Linings; Stiffening-pieces
- 27/00 Details of garments or of their making** (haberdashery A44)
- 27/02 • Linings
- 27/04 • • Removable linings
- 27/06 • • Stiffening-pieces
- 27/08 • Trimmings; Ornaments (trimmings in general D04D)
- 27/10 • Sleeves; Armholes
- 27/12 • Shields or protectors
- 27/13 • • Under-arm shields [2]
- 27/14 • • on the underedge of the garment
- 27/16 • • Collar-shields
- 27/18 • Cloth collars
- 27/20 • Pockets; Making or setting-in pockets
- 27/22 • Loops or hooks for hanging-up (with locking devices E05B 69/00)
- 27/24 • Hems; Seams
- 27/26 • Shoulder-pads; Hip-pads; Bustles
- 27/28 • Means for ventilation [2]
- 29/00 Uniforms; Parts or accessories of uniforms**
- 31/00 Selection of special materials for outerwear**
- 31/02 • of layered materials [2]

## A41F GARMENT FASTENINGS; SUSPENDERS

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| FASTENING DEVICES.....                         | 1/00                          |
| SUSPENDERS FOR TROUSERS OR SKIRTS.....         | 3/00, 5/00, 7/00, 9/00, 18/00 |
| STOCKING OR SOCK SUSPENDERS.....               | 11/00, 13/00, 18/00           |
| OTHER GARMENT SUSPENDERS; SHOULDER STRAPS..... | 18/00, 19/00, 15/00           |
| MEANS FOR HOLDING-DOWN GARMENTS.....           | 17/00                         |

### 1/00 Fastening devices specially adapted for garments

(fastening devices in general A44B)

- 1/02 • Buttonholes; Eyelets for buttonholes
- 1/04 • Corset fasteners
- 1/06 • Glove fasteners
- 1/08 • Garter fasteners

### Garment suspenders

#### 3/00 Braces

- 3/02 • Strips, tongues, or the like, for attaching to the trousers
- 3/04 • Means for joining the strips, tongues, or the like, to the body of the braces
- 3/06 • Means for rendering braces pliable; Elastic elements for braces; Braces completely made of rubber

#### 5/00 Trousers supports attached to the shirt, waistcoat, or the like

#### 7/00 Devices for connecting underpants to trousers

### 9/00 Belts, girdles, or waistbands for trousers or skirts

- 9/02 • Expansible or adjustable belts or girdles

### 11/00 Stocking or sock suspenders

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

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

### 15/00 Shoulder or like straps

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| 15/02        | • Means for retaining the straps in position                  | <b>18/00</b> | <b>Garment suspenders covered by two or more of groups A41F 3/00-A41F 17/00</b> |
| <b>17/00</b> | <b>Means for holding-down garments</b>                        | <b>19/00</b> | <b>Garment suspenders not otherwise provided for</b>                            |
| 17/02        | • Clips or the like for trousers or skirts, e.g. for cyclists |              |   |
| 17/04        | • Straps on the lower end of legs of trousers                 |              |   |

**A41G ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS; WIGS; MASKS; FEATHERS****Subclass index**

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| ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS..... | 1/00        |
| WIGS.....               | 3/00, 5/00  |
| MASKS.....              | 7/00        |
| FEATHERS.....           | 9/00, 11/00 |

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| <b>1/00</b> | <b>Artificial flowers, fruit, leaves, or trees</b> (artificial christmas trees A47G 33/06); <b>Garlands</b> | <b>7/00</b>  | <b>Masks or dominoes for concealing identity, e.g. for theatrical use</b>                                   |
| 1/02        | • Implements, apparatus, or machines for making artificial flowers, or the like                             | 7/02         | • with parts for producing a special effect   |
| 1/04        | • Garlands; Assembly of garlands  | <b>9/00</b>  | <b>Adornments of natural feathers; Working natural feathers</b> (treatment of bed feathers B68G 3/00, D06M) |
| <b>3/00</b> | <b>Wigs</b> (for dolls only A63H 3/44)  | <b>11/00</b> | <b>Artificial feathers</b>  |
| <b>5/00</b> | <b>Hair pieces, inserts, rolls, pads, or the like; Toupées</b>  | 11/02        | • Implements or machines for making artificial feathers   |
| 5/02        | • Artificial eyelashes; Artificial eyebrows   |              |   |

**A41H APPLIANCES OR METHODS FOR MAKING CLOTHES, e.g. FOR DRESS-MAKING, FOR TAILORING, NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR** (machines, appliances or methods for making particular articles of apparel, see the relevant groups for these articles in A41B-A41F; cutting tools or machines in general B26; weaving, braiding, lace-making, knitting, tufting, treating of textiles D03-D06; sewing-machines, sewing appliances, seam-ripping devices D05B; cutting or otherwise severing textile materials D06H 7/00)

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| <b>METHODS; DEVICES OR ACCESSORIES</b>                          |                                |
| Measuring.....  | 1/00, 3/00, 5/00               |
| Tracing.....  | 1/00, 3/00, 5/00, 11/00, 23/00 |
| Fitting.....  | 5/00, 21/00                    |
| Finishing, mending.....   | 9/00, 25/00, 27/00, 31/00      |
| Accessories.....  | 15/00, 17/00, 19/00, 31/00     |
| <b>MACHINES, APPARATUS, OR METHODS FOR SPECIAL APPLICATIONS</b> |                                |
| Folding; setting fastenings.....                                | 33/00, 37/00                   |
| Other methods or machines.....                                  | 41/00, 42/00, 43/00            |

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| <b>1/00</b> | <b>Measuring aids or methods</b> (making patterns by modelling on the human body A41H 3/04; measuring persons for identification purposes A61B 5/117; measuring in general G01, e.g. G01B)           | 3/04         | • Making patterns by modelling on the human body   |
| 1/02        | • Devices for taking measurements on the human body  | 3/06         | • Patterns on paper  |
| 1/04        | • • Stands for taking measurements   | 3/08         | • Patterns on the cloth, e.g. printed  |
| 1/06        | • in combination with marking (marking <u>per se</u> D06H 1/00)  | <b>5/00</b>  | <b>Dress forms; Bust forms; Stands</b> (for display purposes A47F 8/00)  |
| 1/10        | • Measuring jackets for marking-out patterns   | 5/01         | • with means for adjustment, e.g. of height  |
| <b>3/00</b> | <b>Patterns for cutting-out; Methods of drafting or marking-out such patterns, e.g. on the cloth</b> (woven fabrics characterised by the special disposition of the warp or weft threads D03D 13/00) | 5/02         | • Inflatable forms   |
| 3/01        | • using stencils   | <b>9/00</b>  | <b>Devices or methods for trimming, levelling, or straightening the hems of garments</b> (on sewing machines D05B) |
| 3/015       | • • of adjustable type   | 9/02         | • Devices for marking the length of garments   |
| 3/02        | • Making patterns by copying (tracing-wheels A41H 11/00)   | <b>11/00</b> | <b>Tracing-wheels</b>  |
|             |  | <b>15/00</b> | <b>Cloth-holders</b>   |

- 17/00 Cushions for needles or pins** (A41H 19/00 takes precedence)
- 19/00 Boxes for needles or pins**
- 21/00 Supports for the body whilst trying-on or fitting**
- 23/00 Devices for applying chalk; Sharpening or holding chalk** (writing or drawing implements B43)
- 25/00 Appliances or methods for marking-out, perforating, or making buttonholes** (by sewing D05B)
- 25/02 • Buttonhole shears
- 27/00 Mending garments by adhesives or adhesive patches**
- 31/00 Other aids for tailors**
- 33/00 Machines or appliances for folding the edges of collars, cuffs, or the like while manufacturing** (turning inside-out only D06G 3/00)
- 37/00 Machines, appliances or methods for setting fastener-elements on garments** (for shoes A43D 100/00; by sewing D05B)
- 37/02 • Setting hooks or eyes
- 37/04 • Setting snap fasteners
- 37/06 • Setting slide or glide fastener elements
- 37/08 • Setting buckles
- 37/10 • Setting buttons
- 41/00 Machines or appliances for making garments from natural or artificial fur** (fur garments A41D 5/00)
- 42/00 Multi-step production lines for making clothes** (sewing units consisting of combinations of several sewing machines D05B 25/00) [3]
- 43/00 Other methods, machines, or appliances**
- 43/02 • Handling garment parts or blanks, e.g. feeding, piling, separating, reversing (handling thin material in general B65H) [3]
- 43/04 • Joining garment parts or blanks by gluing or welding (mending garments by adhesives or adhesive patches A41H 27/00; joining during the manufacture of particular garments, except by gluing or welding, see the relevant subclasses for those garments, e.g. A41D; adhesive processes in general C09J 5/00; joining by sewing D05B) [3]