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Kind Code Analysis

This section provides a detailed analysis of the kind codes used in patent applications and publications in the Authority File.

NO patent Kind Codes (1991.01.01 - 2024.12.31)

- **L** Kind Code, Publication numbers in two series. Changed at turn of the millennium.
 - Patent application publications. Publication and patent numbers in the Authority File match the document cover pages.
 - Series one (YYNNNN): 741642 996590, latest publication 2014.06.30
 - Series two (YYYYNNNN): 20000003 20161521, latest publication 2010.12.30
- A Kind Code, Publication numbers in two series. Changed at turn of the millennium.
 - Patent application publications. Publication and application numbers in the Authority File match the document cover pages.
 - Series one (YYNNNN): 845055 996567 latest publication 2001.05.21
 - Series two (YYYYNNNN): 20000071 20101567, latest publication 2010.11.24
- **A1** Kind Code, Publication numbers (YYYYNNNN) 20020338 20241224, latest publication 2024-12-13, ongoing series
 - Patent application publications. Publication and application numbers in the Authority File match the document cover pages.
- **B** Kind Code, Publication numbers (NNNNN)165781 180817, latest publication 1997.07.07
 - Patent specification publications. Publication and patent numbers in the Authority File match the document cover pages.
- **C** Kind Code, Publication numbers (NNNNNN) 113611 180817, latest publication 2008.04.07
 - Patent specification publications. Publication and patent numbers in the Authority File match the document cover pages.

- **B1** Kind Code, Publication numbers (NNNNNN) in two series.
 - Patent specification publications. Publication and patent numbers in the Authority File match the document cover pages.
 - Series one: 169601 180693, latest publication 2007.06.11
 - Series two: 300001 348388, latest publication 2024-12-23, ongoing series
- **B2** Kind Codes, Publication numbers (NNNNNN) 301677 346593, latest publication 2022.10.24, ongoing series
 - Patent specification following an opposition.
- **B3** Kind Codes, Publication numbers (NNNNNN) 168151 343929, latest publication 2019.07.08, ongoing series
 - Patent specification amended following and administrative procedure.
- **I1** Kind Code, Publication numbers (YYYYNNN) 1994001 2024061, latest publication 2024-12-17, ongoing series
 - Application for Supplementary Protection Certificate (SPC)
- **12** Kind Code, Publication numbers (YYYYNNN) 1999001 2018031, latest publication 2019.02.19, ongoing series
 - Granted Supplementary Protection Certificate (SPC)
- **T3** Kind Codes, Publication numbers (NNNNNNN) 1946686 3262066, latest publication 2018.12.22, ongoing series
 - Norwegian Translation of an EP patent valid in Norway, claims + any part.

Kind codes from 2026.01.01

As of 1st January 2026, we will make some changes to the Kind Codes which we will be using on publications from that date.

Below you can see the ST. 16 kind codes that will be used:

- **A1** Published patent application open for public inspection
- **A9** Corrected publication of patent application, any part
- **B1** Patent specification
- **B2** Patent specification following an opposition
- **B3** Patent specification amended following and administrative procedure
- **B4** EP patent amended following a national procedure
- **B9** A corrected patent specification of any kind
- **T3** Translation of an EP patent valid in Norway, claims + any part
- **T4** Translation of an amended EP patent valid in Norway, claims + any part
- **T9** Translation of a corrected EP patent valid in Norway, any part
- **I1** Application for Supplementary Protection Certificate
- **I2** Granted Supplementary Protection Certificate