

D04D

TRIMMINGS; RIBBONS, TAPES OR BANDS, NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR (fittings or trimmings for hats, e.g. hat bands A42C5/00; decorating art B44; yarns or threads D02G; weaving D03; braid or lace D04C; non-woven fabrics D04H)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

tuft strings and elongated pile articles serving other than decorative purposes.

These aspect are covered by [D04D 3/00](#).

textile decorative or ornamental articles of rope or ribbon shape with decorative properties imparted during textile formation

flat or three dimensional articles made up from such materials

textile forming processes other that weaving, knitting, crocheting or braiding providing these articles

machines for making these articles

References relevant to classification in this subclass

This subclass/group does not cover:

Decorative textiles by mechanical or chemical treatment	D06Q
Products obtained by processes producing special ornamental surface effects	B44C 1/00
Special ornamental bodies and processes of making same	B44C 5/00
Making jewellery or other personal adornments	A44C 27/00
Flexible elongated elements, e.g. straps, for bundling or supporting articles	B65D 63/10
Fittings or trimmings for hats, e.g. hat bands	A42C 5/00

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Load bearing band type slings	B66C 1/18
Load bearing rope bands	D07B 5/04

Glossary of terms

In this subclass/group, the following terms (or expressions) are used with the meaning indicated:

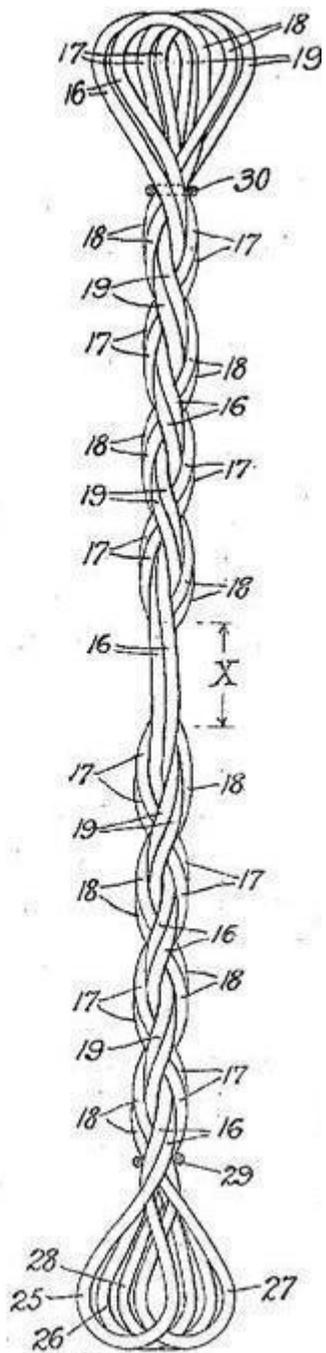
Trimmings	are decorative or ornamental articles made wholly or partly of textile or analogous material, or strips of textile or analogous material, intended to be used for decorative or ornamental purposes, not otherwise provided for.
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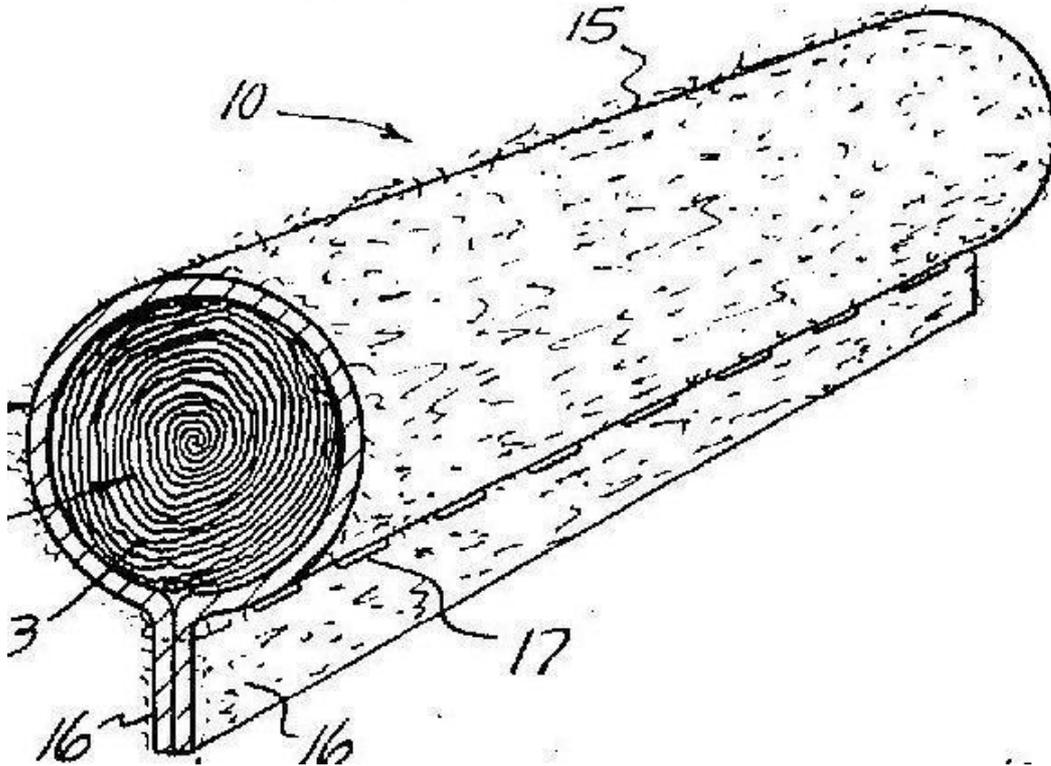
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Ropes or like decorative or ornamental elongated trimmings made from filamentary material (ropes or cords in general D07B)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:
elongated textile decorative articles.



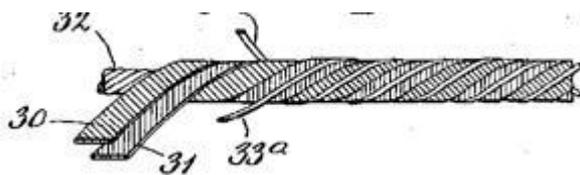


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by twisting strands around centrally arranged cores

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:
decorative ropes wrapped for aesthetic purposes.

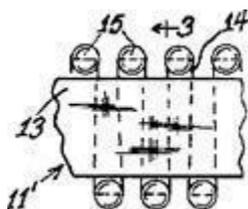


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by threading or stringing pearls or beads on filamentary material

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:
articles comprising beads or pearls incorporated during the textile forming process, e.g. stringing of beads.



Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Textile articles with decorative attachments, e.g. beads, applied after the textile forming process	A41D 27/08
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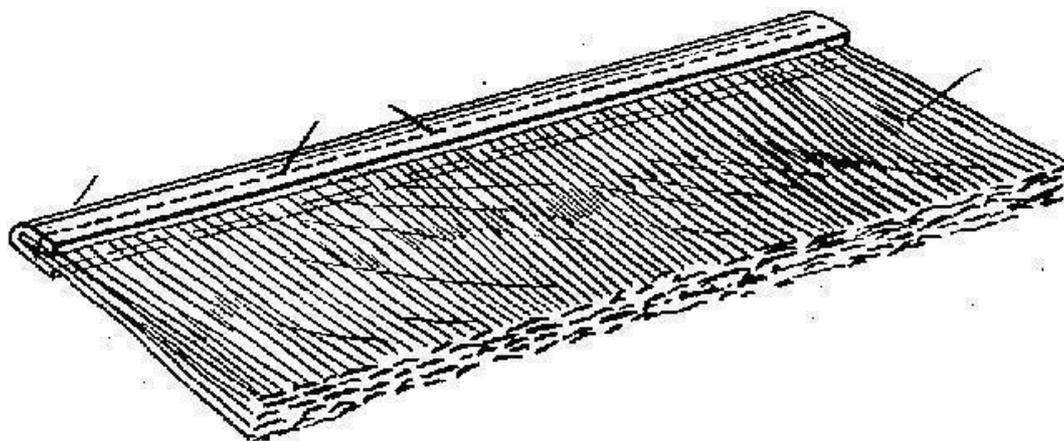
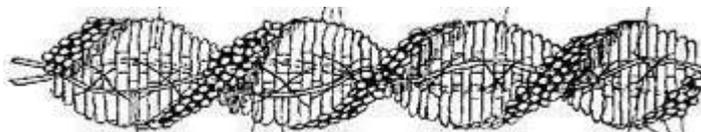
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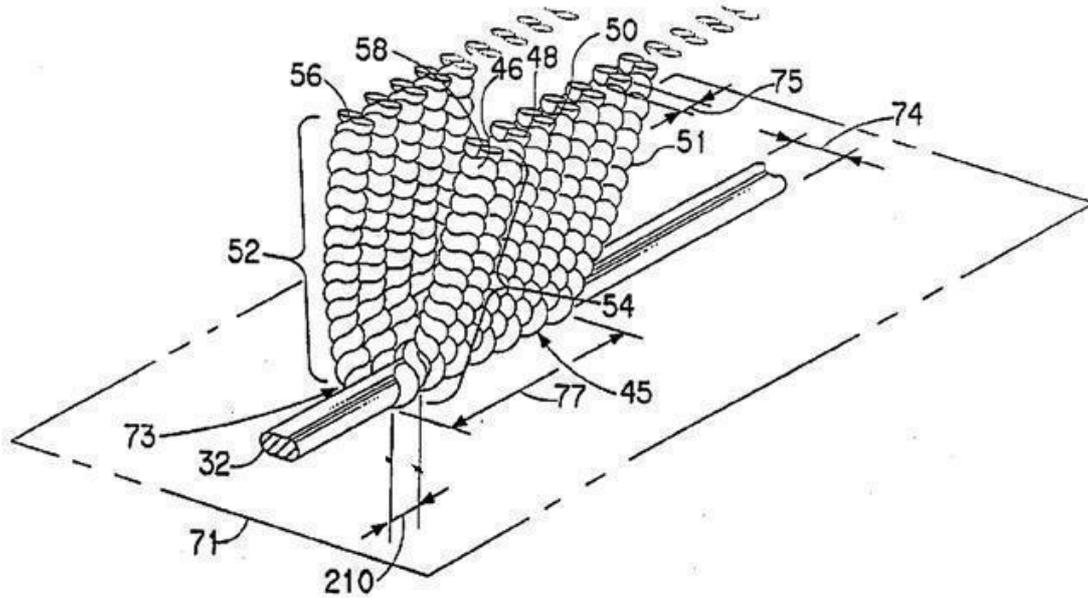
Chenille trimmings (chenille yarns D02G; making chenille trimmings by weaving D03D)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

elongated articles including transversely oriented fibrous material, e.g. pile yarns, not strictly limited to a decorative purpose.





Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Processes and machines for making chenille trimmings not provided for under D03, D04B , D04C or D05C	D04D 11/00
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Synonyms and Keywords

In this group, or in the patent documents classified in this group, the following synonyms are often used: "pile element" or "tuftstring".

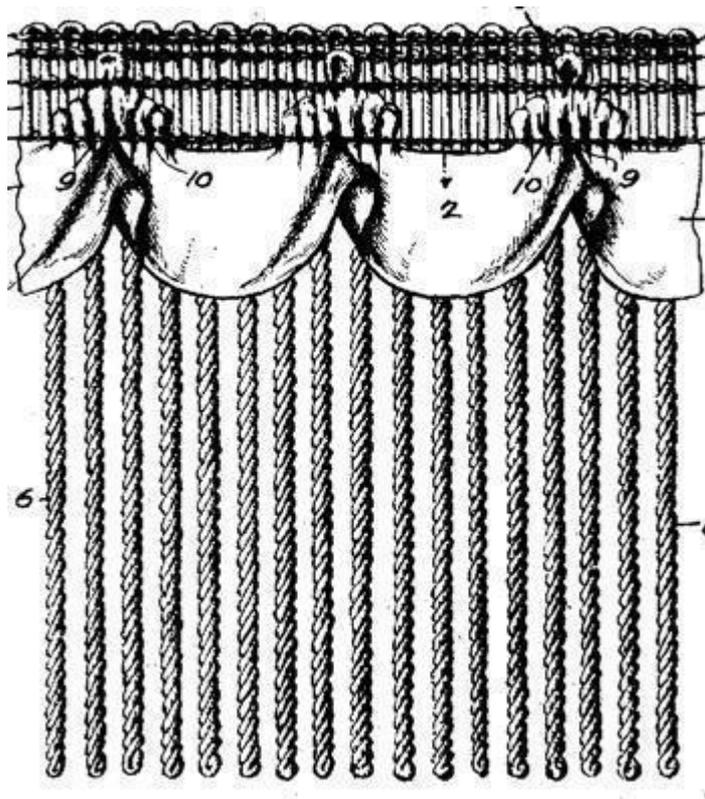
D04D 5/00

Fringes (tasseled D04D7/08)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

ribbons including transversely oriented non pile-forming material, e.g. strips, bands or cords.



References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Chenille fringes	D04D 3/00
Tasselled fringes	D04D 7/08

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Processes and machines for making chenille trimmings not provided for under D03, D04B , D04C or D05C	D04D 11/00
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Synonyms and Keywords

In this group, or in the patent documents classified in this group, the following synonyms are often used: "fringe", "valance", "festoon".

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Decorative or ornamental textile articles

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

decorative textile articles, processes of making same and devices for performing said processes.

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Garment accessories	A41D
Undergarments	A41B 9/00

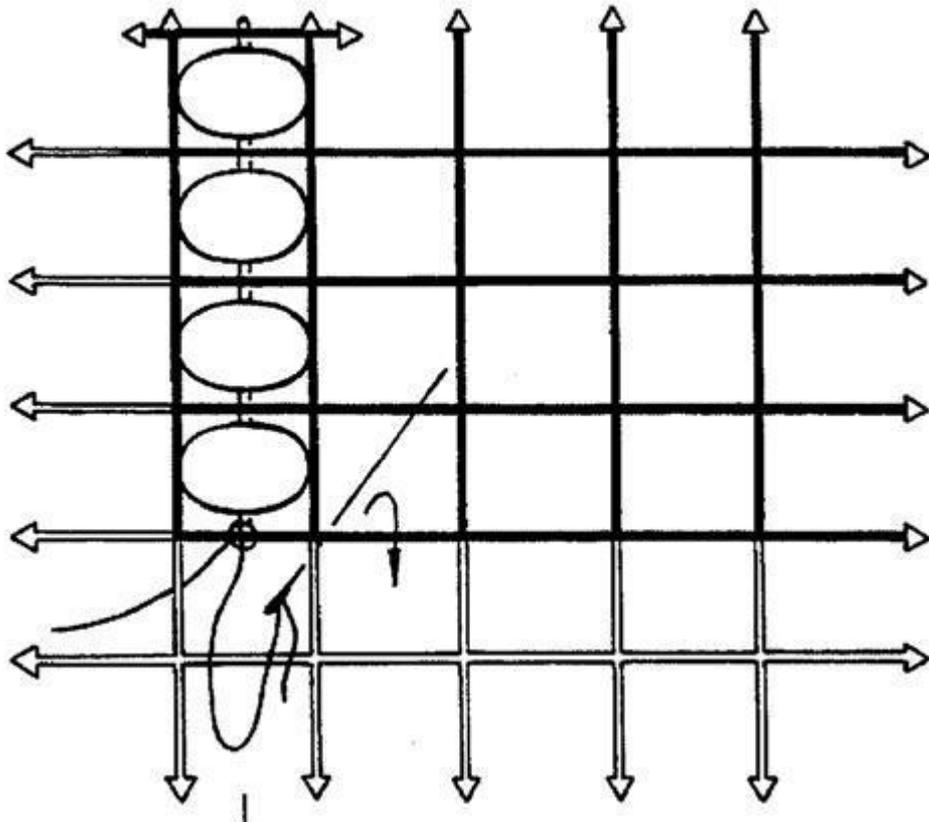
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Flat articles

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

flat structures assembled from elongated textile decorative articles, e.g. beaded strings.



References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Fabrics with embellishments incorporated by weaving	D03D
Fabrics with embellishments incorporated by knitting	D04B
Fabrics with embellishments attached after the fabric forming process, e.g. by sewing or gluing	A41D 27/08
Fabrics with embellishments applied by embroiding	D05C 17/00
Fabrics with embellishments made by altering locally the surface material	B44C 1/005
Making patterns or designs on fabrics	D06C 23/00

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Three-dimensional articles (ornamental buttons A44B1/04)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

three dimensional decorative structures composed of one or more elongated textile articles.



Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Elongated flexible Christmas tree decoration, e.g. tinsels, garlands, chains	A47G 33/0863
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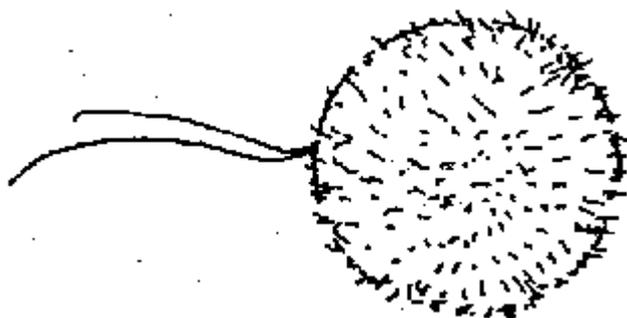
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Ball-like tufts, e.g. pompons

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Decorative articles with pile fibres, filaments, tapes or yarns arranged in an approximately spherical three-dimensional configuration.



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Tassels or tasselled fringes

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

decorative rope or strip bundles combined at one end or united at an intermediate portion.



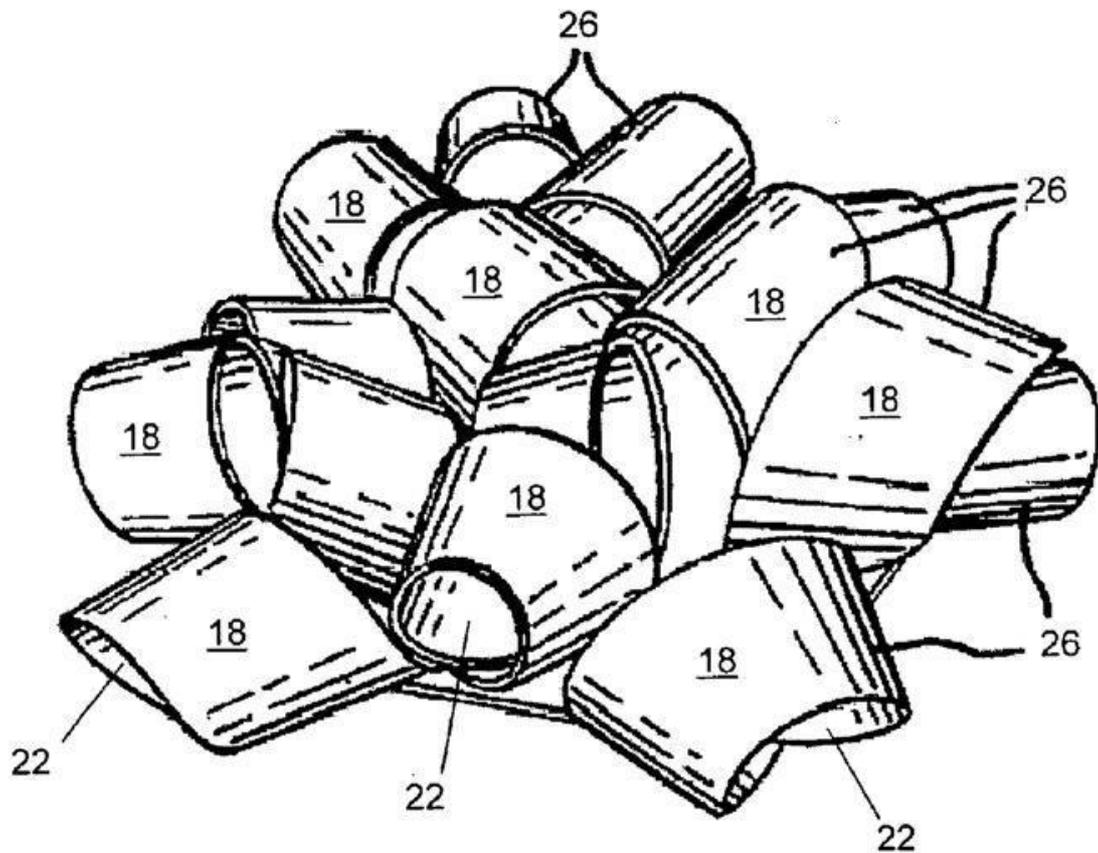


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Decorative bow structures (neckties with ready-made knots or bows A41D25/02)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:
three dimensional adornments including bunching tapes.



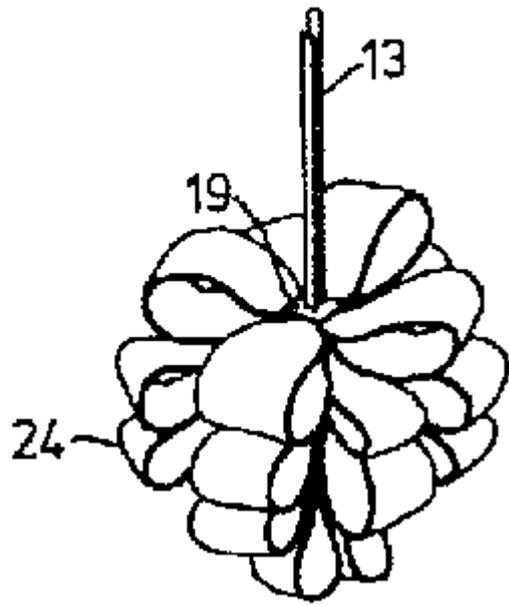
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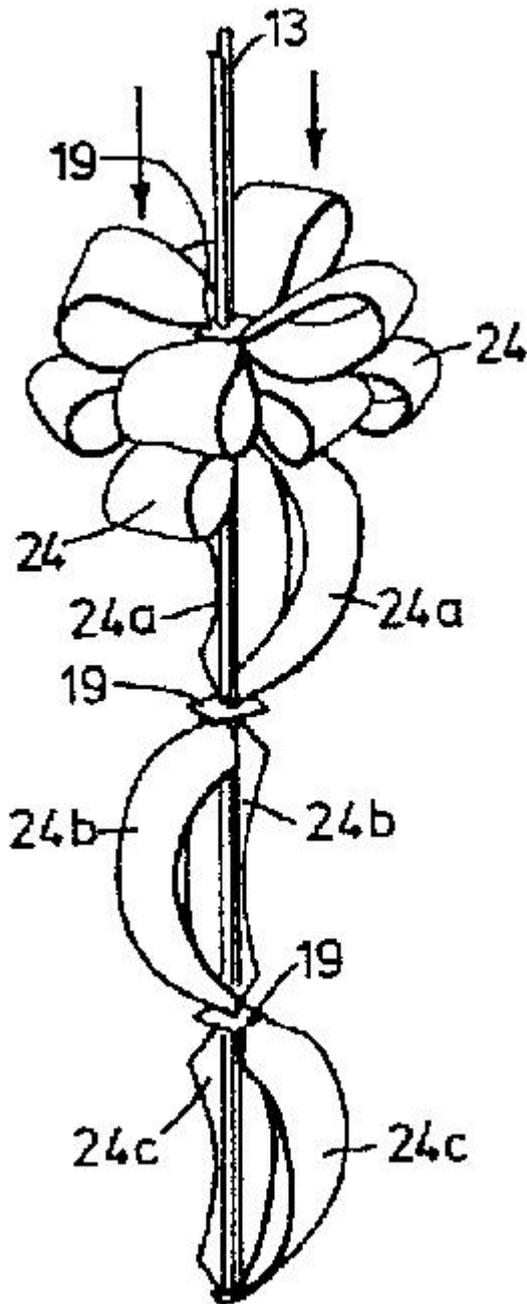
[N: made by means of a drawstring or drawstrip]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

decorative bow structures formed or shaped by pulling one or more of the constituents.





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Ribbons, tapes, welts, bands, beadings, or other decorative or ornamental strips, not otherwise provided for (made by laminating B32B; binders for packaging purposes B65D; adhesive tape C09J7/02; made by weaving D03; made by braiding D04C)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

decorative or ornamental textile strips not provided for in one of the

subclasses, and textile processes of making same.

References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Woven curtain heading tapes	D03D 1/06
Woven tapes	D03D 3/005
Knitted or crocheted tapes	D04B 1/22 , D04B 21/20
Braided tapes	D04C 1/00
Adhesive tapes	C09J 7/02
Laminated tapes	B32B
Flexible elongated elements, e.g. straps, for bundling or supporting articles	B65D 63/00

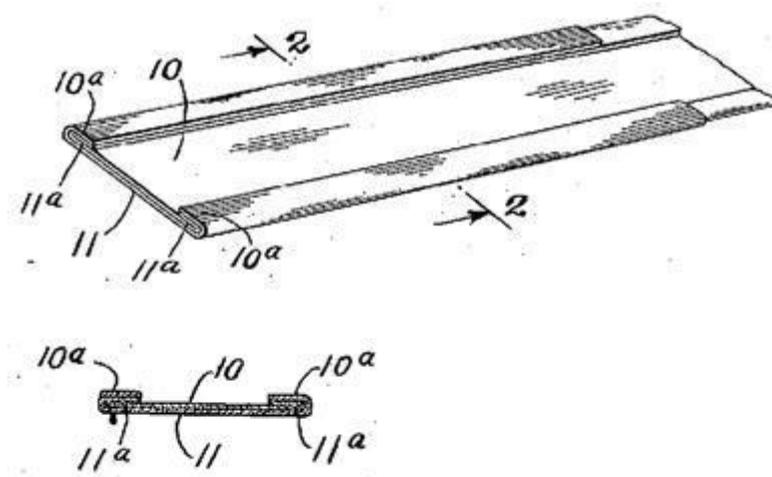
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made by lengthwise folding of fabric strip

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

longitudinally folded or pleated decorative tapes.

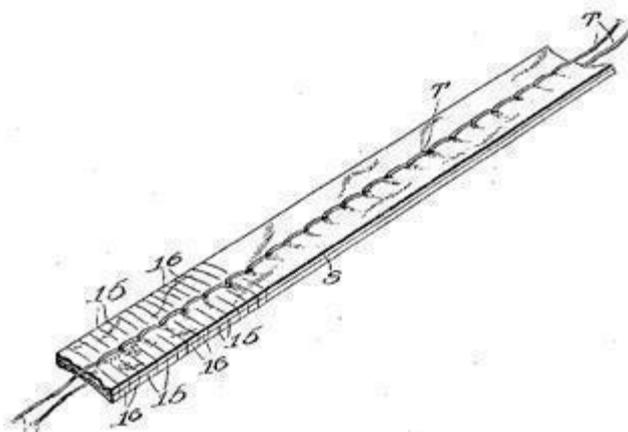
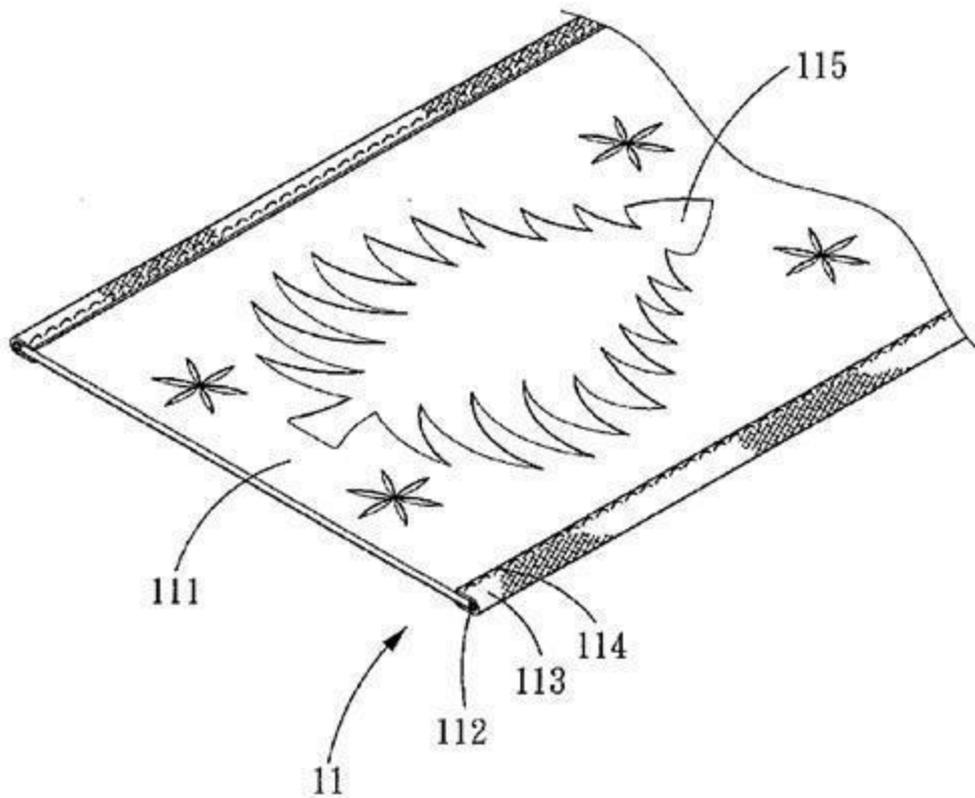


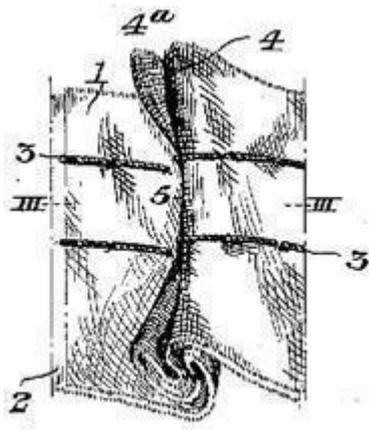
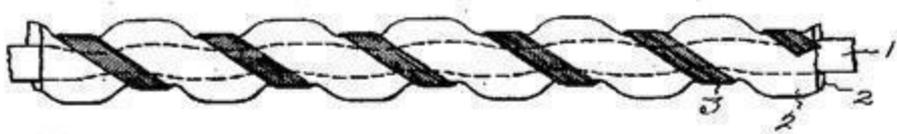
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built-up from several strips or elements

Definition statement

*This subclass/group covers:
assembled decorative tapes.*





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made by working plastics

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:
decorative foil strips.



D04D 11/00

Ribbon-threading apparatus or devices (needles D05B)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:
tools and machines for making decorative rope or ribbon articles.

