

## **CLASS 150, PURSES, WALLETS, AND PROTECTIVE COVERS**

### **SECTION I - CLASS DEFINITION**

This is the generic class for receptacles which are used to carry money, credit cards, or items of identification on the person. This is the residual class for protective covers for articles.

A protective cover for this class is (a) made of flaccid material, (b) supported by the article it covers, (c) configured to cover a specific article, and (d) removed before the article is used.

A protective cover may be secured and carried by an article while the article is being transported, but does not function to carry or support the article, as would an article carrier or receptacle. Rather, it functions to protect the covered article from its external environment, or to protect the environment from the article. See Lines with Other Classes, below, for similar structures made of flaccid material.

Most protective covers are classified in the same class as the article to be covered. (See Subclass References to This Class, below.)

### **SECTION II - LINES WITH OTHER CLASSES AND WITHIN THIS CLASS**

See the line notes to Class 52, Static Structures (e.g., Buildings); Class 135, Tent, Canopy, Umbrella, or Cane; Class 229, Envelopes, Wrappers, and Paperboard Boxes; Class 383, Flexible Bags; and Class 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles for structures made of flaccid material that are similar to the articles of this class.

The purses, handbags and wallets of this class (150) are distinguished from the suitcases and briefcases of Class 190 by both (a) the type of personal items they normally carry (e.g., money, credit cards, identification items versus clothes, books, papers) and (b) their proximity to the person (e.g., kept on or near the person versus left in the hotel or office room).

Class 206, Special Receptacle or Package, is the residual class for a packet, compact or case carried on the person of a user (e.g., a pocket carried receptacle). Class 206 is also the residual class for a receptacle which includes claimed specific retainer structure for

contents. Class 206 further provides for claimed disclosure of contents in a receptacle.

Class 383, Flexible Bags, is the residual class for a receptacle of general utility made of flaccid or flexible material.

An alphabetical index for Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered) is shown below. For numerical references to specific subject matter, see References to Other Classes, below. Additionally, see Subclass References to the Current Class, below.

Ampoule stem, Article carrier, Article carrier (Roof or trunk), Automobile, Automobile (Engine attached drip catcher type)

Ball hitch, Barrel, Baseball field, Bed (sheet, blanket, bedspread, etc.), Bed (Electric blanket type)

Beverage container, Beverage container (Insulating jacket type), Bicycle, Boat, Body entering conduit, Body treating insert, Boiler, Book, Book (Design of cover), Book (Indicia on cover), Boring bit (earth penetrating), Broom, Brush, Building (materials cover, ground anchored, etc.), Button

Camera, Can beverage, Can beverage (Insulating jacket type), Car, Christmas tree, Clothesline, Coffin, Corset, Corset (Design of cover), Cutlery, Cutting bit (earth penetrating), Cutting blade

Dentist's engine hand piece (during use)

Engine or motor, Engine attached drip catcher type

Filter type cover, Filter type cover (for liquid purification), Fishing rod or reel, Floor (carpet), Flower pot (decorative wrapper), Fluid handling device, Faucet, Furniture, Furniture (Armrest), Furniture (Bed (sheet, blanket, bedspread, etc.)), Furniture (Bed, Electric blanket type), Furniture (Chair or seat), Furniture (Design of cover), Furniture (Table)

Garment hanger, Golf bag or cart, Gun, Gun (Barrel), Gun (Sight), Gun (Stock)

Hand grip, Handle of operating mechanism, Handlebar, Hand tool, Headlight, Hinge, Hitch ball, Hot water bag, Hot water bag (Therapeutic structure), Hydrant

Ice bag, Ice skate, Ice skate (Boot attached cover), Ice skate (Scabbard)

Ironing board	Water heater (Tank), Water heater (Boiler structure), Water heater (Electrical)
Keyhole, Knob on a closure fastener	Window, Window (Rigid cover sections)
Lamp shade, Lock, Luggage	Windshield, Windshield (Rigid cover sections)
Machine mechanism guard type, Motor, Motor (Engine attached drip catcher type), Motorcycle	Wire coil
Paint mask type, Person (hat, coat, etc.), Person (Design of cover), Person (Knit wearing apparel type), Person (Leggings type), Person (Tent or canopy type), Piano, Pillow, Pipe end (conduit type), Plant, Plant (Cut or artificial plant), Playing field (baseball), Pool table, Purse (decorative cover)	Wooden container, Wooden container (Barrel), Wooden container (Coffin)
Racquet, Racquet (Including press), Radiator, Railcar step, Receptacle, Roller skate, Roller skate (Boot attached cover)	<b>SECTION III - SUBCLASS REFERENCES TO THE CURRENT CLASS</b>
Scabbard, Sap bucket, Saw, Saw (Rigid guard type), Sewing machine, Sewing machine (Design of cover), Sewing machine (Housing attached cover), Shelf (covering), Shoe (during manufacture), Shoe (Bag type), Shoe (Special receptacle type), Skate (roller or ice), Skate (Boot attached cover), Ski, Ski (Binding), Ski (Body supported), Ski (Vehicle supported), Ski (Attached clamp or tie)	SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS: 154, Notes and the Alphabetical Index following the notes, which contains an alphabetical listing of article covers.
Soap (porous cover), Sponge, Spoon, Steering wheel, Stirrer, Suitcase, Surgical device, Surgical device (Thermal probe), Swimming pool, Swimming pool (Building type), Switch actuator	<b>SECTION IV - REFERENCES TO OTHER CLASSES</b>
Table, Tarpaulin, Telephone, Tent or canopy, Thermal probe, Tire or inflated inner tube, Tire or inflated inner tube (Design of cover), Tire or inflated inner tube (Vehicle attached tire), Toilet (seat or tank) Toilet (Design of cover) Toilet (Seat), Trailer hitch ball, Tree, Trunk guard type, Trunk guard type (Christmas tree bag type), Typewriter, Typewriter (Design of cover), Typewriter (Housing attached cover)	SEE OR SEARCH CLASS: 2, Apparel, subclass 110 for corset. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 2, Apparel, various subclasses for person (hat, coat, etc.). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 4, Baths, Closets, Sinks, and Spittoons, subclasses 242+ for seat. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 4, Baths, Closets, Sinks, and Spittoons, subclass 661 for toilet (seat or tank). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 4, Baths, Closets, Sinks, and Spittoons, various subclasses for swimming pool. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 5, Beds, subclasses 482+ for bed (sheet, blanket, bedspread, etc.). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 5, Beds, subclass 490 for bed (Electric blanket type). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) 15, Brushing, Scrubbing, and General Cleaning, subclass 168 for window. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
Umbrella	
Vehicle, Vehicle (Body (while in operation; including a "bra")), Vehicle (Engine attached drip catcher type), Vehicle (Load), Vehicle (Design of cover), Vehicle (Motorcycle or bicycle), Vehicle (Roll up type), Vehicle (Tire), Vehicle (Design of cover), Vehicle attached tire, Vehicle combined	
Wall (wallpaper), Washing machine, Water heater,	

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| 15, | Brushing, Scrubbing, and General Cleaning, subclass 244 for sponge. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  | 38, | Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)<br>Textiles: Ironing or Smoothing, subclass 140 for ironing board. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 15, | Brushing, Scrubbing, and General Cleaning, subclass 247 for broom and for brush. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 40, | Card, Picture, or Sign Exhibiting, subclasses 2+ for a check, label or tag combined with means to attach it to an article; subclasses 124+ for a display type card holder (not pocket or purse type); subclass 625 for a permanent identification article with attaching means; and see the note to Class 283. |
| 16, | Miscellaneous Hardware (e.g., Bushing, Carpet Fastener, Caster, Door Closer, Panel Hanger, Attachable or Adjunct Handle, Hinge, Window Sash Balance, etc.), subclasses 110+ for a handle, per se.   | 42, | Firearms, subclass 74 for stock. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  |
| 16, | Miscellaneous Hardware (e.g., Bushing, Carpet Fastener, Caster, Door Closer, Panel Hanger, Attachable or Adjunct Handle, Hinge, Window Sash Balance, etc.), subclasses 250+ for hinge. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).) | 42, | Firearms, subclass 96 for barrel. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 16, | Miscellaneous Hardware (e.g., Bushing, Carpet Fastener, Caster, Door Closer, Panel Hanger, Attachable or Adjunct Handle, Hinge, Window Sash Balance, etc.), digest 12 for hand grip. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 42, | Firearms, subclass 143 for sight cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 24, | Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., appropriate subclasses for a fastener per se, particularly subclass 3 for an article holder, and subclasses 3 and 243+ for a money clip or clasp.   | 43, | Fishing, Trapping, and Vermin Destroying, subclass 26 for fishing rod or reel. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  |
| 24, | Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., subclass 113 for button. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 47, | Plant Husbandry, subclass 23.1 for tree. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Cov (by article to be covered).)   |
| 27, | Undertaking, subclass 19 for coffin. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 47, | Plant Husbandry, subclass 32.4 for trunk guard type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Pro Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 29, | Metal Working, appropriate subclasses for methods of assembly, in general.  | 47, | Plant Husbandry, subclass 54 for sap bucket. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  |
| 30, | Cutlery, subclass 326 for cutlery. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 47, | Plant Husbandry, subclass 72 for flower pot (decorative wrapper). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 30, | Cutlery, subclass 326 for spoon. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 47, | Plant Husbandry, subclasses 28+ for plant. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  |
| 30, | Cutlery, subclass 504 for cutting blade. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   | 52, | Static Structures e.g., Buildings), subclass 3 for tarpaulin. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 30, | Cutlery, subclass 504 for rigid guard type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  | 52, | Static Structures e.g., Buildings), subclass 3 for various. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 36, | Boots, Shoes, and Leggings, subclass 1.5 for leggings type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)  | 52, | Static Structures e.g., Buildings), various subclasses for building type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)   |
| 36, | Boots, Shoes, and Leggings, subclasses 72+ for shoe (during manufacture). (Alphabetical   |     |  |

- 55, Gas Separation, subclasses 490+ for filter type cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 66, Textiles: Knitting, subclasses 171+ for knit wearing apparel type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 68, Textiles: Fluid Treating Apparatus, subclass 196 for washing machine. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 70, Locks, appropriate subclasses for a lock of that class type (e.g., key combination, etc.), which may be claimed in combination with a diverse article, such as a purse, so long as the claimed article features are nominal or limited to those which cooperate with or accommodate the lock.
- 70, Locks, subclass 55 for lock. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 70, Locks, subclass 455 for keyhole. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 74, Machine Element or Mechanism, subclass 551.9 for handlebar. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 74, Machine Element or Mechanism, subclass 558 for steering wheel. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 74, Machine Element or Mechanism, subclass 558.5 for handle of operating mechanism. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 74, Machine Element or Mechanism, subclasses 608+ for machine mechanism guard type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 81, Tools, subclasses 3.4+ for ampoule stem. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 84, Music, subclass 177 for piano. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 105, Railway Rolling Stock, subclass 450 for railcar step. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 106, Composition: Coating or Plastic, appropriate subclasses for flexible material of that class type nominally claimed as a purse or wallet. This class (150) provides for specific material combined with significant container structure.
- 108, Horizontally Supported Planar Surfaces, subclass 90 for table. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 112, Sewing, subclasses 475.01+ for methods of stitching.
- 114, Ships, subclass 361 for boat. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 118, Coating Apparatus, subclasses 504+ for paint mask type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 122, Liquid Heaters and Vaporizers, subclass 494 for boiler. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 122, Liquid Heaters and Vaporizers, subclass 494 for boiler structure. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 128, Surgery, subclasses 132+ for surgical device. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 128, Surgery, subclass 403 for therapeutic structure. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 132, Toilet, subclasses 79+ for personal grooming toilet kits.
- 135, Tent, Canopy, Umbrella, or Cane, subclasses 33+ for umbrella. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 135, Tent, Canopy, Umbrella, or Cane, subclasses 87+ for tent or canopy type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 135, Tent, Canopy, Umbrella, or Cane, subclass 115 for tent or canopy. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 137, Fluid Handling, subclass 296 for hydrant. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 137, Fluid Handling, subclasses 377+ for fluid handling device. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 138, Pipes and Tubular Conduits, subclasses 96+ for pipe end (conduit type). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 105 for purse (decorative cover). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)

- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 154 for receptacle. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 154 for binding. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 156 for faucet. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 157 for engine or motor. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 157 for motor. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 158 for furniture. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 159 for golf bag or cart. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 161 for hand tool. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 161 for saw. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 163 for racquet. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 164 for sewing machine. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 165 for typewriter. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 166 for automobile. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 166 for headlight. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 166 for vehicle. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 167 for bicycle. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 167 for motorcycle. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 167 for motorcycle or bicycle. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclass 168 for windshield. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 156, Adhesive Bonding and Miscellaneous Chemical Manufacture, appropriate subclasses for adhesive bonding, in general.
- 160, Flexible or Portable Closure, Partition, or Panel, subclass 370.2 for rigid cover sections. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 175, Boring or Penetrating the Earth, subclass 307 for boring bit (earth penetrating). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 175, Boring or Penetrating the Earth, subclass 307 for cutting bit (earth penetrating). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 180, Motor Vehicles, subclass 69.1 for engine attached drip catcher type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 180, Motor Vehicles, subclass 69.1 for Engine attached drip catcher type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, appropriate subclasses for traveling containers of that class type, and see (1) Note under the class definition, above.
- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 26 for Luggage. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 26 for suitcase. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 200, Electricity: Circuit Makers and Breakers, subclass 333 for switch actuator. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, appropriate subclasses for a receptacle having specific retainer structure for contents (e.g., subclasses 0.8+ for coins and 37.1+ and 38.1 for key case), or for a receptacle intended to be carried in the pocket for a user (e.g., subclass 39 for a postage stamp holder, and see subclasses 0.8+, 37+, 38+, and the notes thereunder), or for a receptacle having contents therein (e.g., subclass 581 for cosmetic or toilet kits which include items in addition to the personal grooming type found in Class 132, subclasses 79+).
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclasses 304+ for tire. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclasses 278+ for special receptacle type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 303 for wire coil. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclasses 304+ for tire or inflated inner tube. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 315.1 for ice skate. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 315.1 for roller skate. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 315.1 for skate. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 315.1 for ski. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 316.2 for camera. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 317 for gun. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 423 for Christmas tree. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 423 for cut or artificial plant. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 423 for Christmas tree bag type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 210, Liquid Purification or Separation, subclasses 500.1+ for liquid purification (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 211, Supports: Racks, subclass 119.18 for clothesline (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 217, Wooden Receptacles, subclass 3 for wooden container. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 217, Wooden Receptacles, subclass 81 for Barrel. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 219, Electric Heating, subclass 212 for electric blanket type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 219, Electric Heating, various subclasses for electrical. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 220, Receptacles, subclass 903 for insulating jacket type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 220, Receptacles, various subclasses for tank. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 223, Apparel Apparatus, subclass 98 for garment hanger. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 224, Package and Article Carriers, subclass 42.2 for article carrier (vehicle attached). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 224, Package and Article Carriers, subclass 42.2 for vehicle attached tire. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 224, Package and Article Carriers, subclasses 191+ for body supported. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 224, Package and Article Carriers, particularly subclasses 202+, 217-222, 229, 252, and 253 for wrist wallets, money belts, wallet hoisters, and other body attached receptacles. This Class,

	150, includes purses having a shoulder strap or hand grip.	281,	Books, Strips, and Leaves, subclasses 29+ for book. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
224,	Package and Article Carriers, subclasses 309+ for vehicle supported. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	283,	Printed Matter, appropriate subclasses for an identification card, per se; and see the note to Class 40.
224,	Package and Article Carriers, subclass 328 for roof or trunk. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	283,	Printed Matter, subclass 64 for indicia on cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
229,	Envelopes, Wrappers, and Paperboard Boxes, appropriate subclasses for envelopes and other article receptacles of that class type.	292,	Closure Fasteners, digest 50 for purse clasps.
237,	Heating Systems, subclass 79 for radiator. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	292,	Closure Fasteners, digest 2 for knob on a closure fastener. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
252,	Compositions, appropriate subclasses for compositions of that class type nominally claimed as a purse, wallet, card holder, etc.	294,	Handling: Hand and Hoist-Line Implements, subclasses 137+ for hand carried article carriers which are not provided for in this class (purses, wallets, etc.) or another class. See the notes under Class 294 for a listing of related classes.
273,	Amusement Devices: Games, subclass 27 for baseball field. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	296,	Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclass 95.1 for vehicle combined. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
273,	Amusement Devices: Games, subclass 27 for playing field (baseball). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	296,	Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclass 98 for roll up type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
273,	Amusement Devices: Games, subclass 74 for devices including press. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	296,	Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclasses 100+ for load. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
280,	Land Vehicles, subclass 507 for ball hitch. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	297,	Chairs and Seats, subclasses 219+ for chair or seat. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
280,	Land Vehicles, subclass 507 for hitch ball. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	297,	Chairs and Seats, subclasses 227+ for armrest. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
280,	Land Vehicles, subclass 507 for trailer hitch ball. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	312,	Supports: Cabinet Structure, subclass 208 for housing attached cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
280,	Land Vehicles, subclass 811 for boot attached cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	362,	Illumination, subclasses 154+ for a wallet or purse combined with a light wherein the claimed disclosure is limited to nominal receptacle structure or structure specialized to the illumination, in combination with the illumination means.
280,	Land Vehicles, subclasses 814+ for attached clamp or tie. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	362,	Illumination, subclasses 351+ for lamp shade. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
280,	Land Vehicles, subclass 770 for body (while in operation; including a "bra"). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	366,	Agitating, subclass 349 for stirrer. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
280,	Land Vehicles, subclass 825 for scabbard. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)	374,	Thermal Measuring and Testing, subclass 209 for thermal probe. (Alphabetical Index - Flac-
281,	Books, Strips, and Leaves, appropriate subclasses for checkbooks and checkbook covers.		

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- 379, Telephonic Communications, subclasses 451+ for telephone. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 383, Flexible Bags, appropriate subclasses for a receptacle of general utility made of flaccid or flexible material.
- 383, Flexible Bags, subclass 901 for Hot water bag. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 383, Flexible Bags, subclass 901 for ice bag. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 383, Flexible Bags, various subclasses for bag type. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 401, Coating Implements With Material Supply, subclass 201 for soap (porous cover). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, appropriate subclasses, particularly subclass 52 for stock fabric from which a purse or wallet may be made.
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, subclasses 85+ for floor (carpet). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, various subclasses for beverage container. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, various subclasses for can beverage. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, subclass 904.4 for shelf (covering). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, subclass 904.4 for wall (wallpaper). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 433, Dentistry, subclass 116 for dentist's engine hand piece (during use). (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 453, Coin Handling, subclasses 18+ for coin deliverers.
- 473, Games Using Tangible Projectile, subclass 34 for billiard or pool table. (Alphabetical Index -
- Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 493, Manufacturing Container or Tube From Paper; or Other Manufacturing From a Sheet or Web, appropriate subclasses for a method or apparatus of that class type of making a purse or wallet. See the notes in Class 493 for other manufacturing classes.
- 604, Surgery, subclasses 192+ for body entering conduit. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- 604, Surgery, subclass 287 for body treating insert. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D2, Apparel and Haberdashery, subclass 122 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D2, Apparel and Haberdashery, various subclasses for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D3, Travel Goods and Personal Belongings, subclasses 42+ for purses and subclasses 56+ for wallets or card cases.
- D6, Furnishings, subclasses 617+ for design or cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D12, Transportation, subclass 156 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D12, Transportation, subclass 202 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D15, Machines Not Elsewhere Specified, subclass 75 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D18, Printing and Office Machinery, subclass 12 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D19, Office Supplies; Artists' and Teachers' Materials, subclass 26 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)
- D23, Environmental Heating and Cooling; Fluid Handling and Sanitary Equipment, subclass 311 for design of cover. (Alphabetical Index - Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered).)

## SUBCLASSES

- 100 PURSE OR HANDBAG TYPE:**  
This subclass is indented under the class definition. Subject matter comprising a receptacle which is configured to be carried by a shoulder strap or held in the hand.
- SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:  
131+, for subject matter which is of such a size that it can be carried in a person's pocket or purse.
- 101 With means to deter theft of contents (e.g., puzzling closure or secret compartment):**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes (a) closure structure which is intended to baffle an unauthorized individual to preclude him from opening it or (b) structure which precludes an unauthorized individual from discovering a content item.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 120 for hand luggage having means to prevent inadvertent or unauthorized opening of the luggage.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclass 5 for a flexible bag having means to indicate tampering.
- 102 Theft or loss resistant:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein means are provided to prevent or inhibit the receptacle from being separated from the person of a user.
- SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:  
134, for similar subject matter combined with a wallet or billfold.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
24, Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., subclass 3.1 for article retaining means, per se.  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 101 for similar subject matter combined with suitcase, briefcase, etc.  
224, Package and Article Carriers, particularly subclasses 202+, 217-222, 229, 252, and 253 for wrist wallets, money belts, wallet holsters, and other body attached receptacles. This Class, 150, includes purses having a shoulder strap or hand grip.
- 103 Changeable decorative appearance (e.g., color, etc.):**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means for altering its outwardly visible ornamental wall features.
- 104 Removable element:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 103. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes a part which may be dissociated (disunited) therefrom and replaced by the different part or reversed and reassociated (reunited) with the remainder of the receptacle.
- SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:  
103, for a purse or handbag which is reversible without the dissociation of parts.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 116 for an article of hand luggage having a detachable handle.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclass 13 for a flexible bag having a detachable handle and subclass 111 for a multilayer flexible bag having a removable ply.
- 105 Cover:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 104. Subject matter wherein the removable element is a layer of material which overlies substantially the entire receptacle exterior.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
383, Flexible Bags, subclass 111 for a multilayer flexible bag having a removable ply.
- 106 Combined:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter in combination with structure whose proximate function does not contribute to the holding or carrying function of the purse or handbag.

- SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:  
112+, for a purse or handbag which has two or more compartments.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 102 for an article of hand luggage having means for securing an accessory.  
362, Illumination, subclass 156 for a purse combined with a light, wherein the claim recites nominal receptacle structure or structure specialized to the illumination means or function.
- 107 With handle or carrying strap:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes an element which is to be grasped by the hand or placed over part of the user's body in order to lift, carry, or otherwise move it.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclasses 115+ for an article of hand luggage combined with a handle.  
224, Package and Article Carriers, particularly subclasses 202+, 217-222, 229, 252, and 253 for wrist wallets, money belts, wallet holsters, and other body attached receptacles. This Class, 150, includes purses having a shoulder strap or hand grip.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 6+ for a flexible bag combined with a handle.
- 108 Adjustable:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 107. Subject matter wherein the handle includes means for changing the length or configuration of that portion which is to be grasped by the hand or placed over part of the user's body.
- 109 Handle includes secondary receptacle:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 107. Subject matter wherein (a) the handle, itself, forms a container or (b) a container (other than the purse) is secured to the handle.
- 110 Single:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 107. Subject matter wherein the receptacle has only one handle.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 25+ for a flexible bag having a single handle element.
- 111 Plural:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter comprising two or more independently usable receptacles.
- SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:  
113, for a purse or handbag having a removable compartment or compartment forming member.  
115, for a purse or handbag having hinged mouth frame elements combined with an additional, nonremovable purse or handbag formed by an attached auxiliary frame element.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 108 for plural articles of hand luggage.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclass 37 for plural flexible bags.
- 112 Compartmented:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means for forming two or more content holding sections.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclasses 109+ for compartmented article of hand luggage.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 38+ for a compartmented flexible bag.
- 113 Removable (detachable) compartment or compartment-forming member:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 112. Subject matter wherein the means for forming the content-holding sections is either unattached or releasably secured to the receptacle so that it may be dissociated therefrom.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

105, for a purse with a removable cover.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 110 for an article of hand luggage having a removable compartment or compartment-forming member.

**114 Secondary compartment integral with purse-overlapping closure flap:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 112. Subject matter wherein the receptacle has an access opening which is closable by a piece of material which extends from one wall of the receptacle, across the access opening (when closed), and overlies a portion of the opposed receptacle wall, and an additional compartment is part of or attached to the piece of material.

- (1) Note. An "access opening" is an opening which is intended for the insertion or removal of contents into or out of the receptacle.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 84+ for a flexible bag having a closure flap and, in particular, subclasses 86+ for a bag having a reusable closure flap.

**115 Compartment mouth-frames hinged along common axis:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 112. Subject matter wherein at least two compartments have access openings surrounded by relatively rigid elements which are pivotally secured together, and the pivot axes of the compartment elements are the same.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

111, for two or more independently usable purses or handbags.  
120, for other purses or handbags having a hinged mouth frame.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclasses 121, 122, and 123 for articles of hand luggage having mouth frames.

383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 34+ for a flexible bag having hinged mouth stiffeners.

**116 Including means permitting limited movement of an interior compartment between storage and loading positions:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 112. Subject matter wherein a compartment normally stored inside the receptacle is attached to an element or mechanism which allows it to be moved from a storage to a loading/unloading position and back while still being attached to the receptacle.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

111, for two or more independently usable purses.

113, for a purse or handbag having a removable compartment or compartment forming member.

115, for a compartment having a mouth frame attached along the pivot axis of an encompassing enclosure, which compartment may inherently move to a loading/unloading position when the enclosure is opened.

**117 Independently closable compartments:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 112. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes at least two closure members, each of which can be used to open or close its associated compartment(s) without opening or closing the compartment that is associated with the other closure member.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 111 for an article of hand carried luggage having independently closable compartments.

**118 With closure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means for preventing insertion or removal of content through an access opening.

- (1) Note. An “accessing opening” is an opening which is intended for the insertion or removal of content into or out of the purse or handbag.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclasses 119+ for an item of hand luggage having fastening means.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 42+ for closures for flexible bags.

**119 Lid type:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 118. Subject matter wherein the access opening has an open mouth and the closure overlies and covers the open mouth.

**120 Hinged mouth-frame elements:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 118. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes two or more elongated relatively rigid elements (i.e., mouth-frames) pivotally secured together and extending along substantially the entire periphery of the receptacle access opening.

- (1) Note. A mouth-frame, per se, is proper for this and indented subclasses, if it is disclosed as being associated with a purse or handbag.

**SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:**

- 115, for a compartmented receptacle having mouth-frames hinged along a common axis.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclasses 121, 122, and 123 for articles of hand luggage having mouth frames.  
383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 34+ for a mouth-frame, per se, or a mouth frame combined with a flexible bag.

**121 Four or more hinged elements:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 120. Subject matter wherein there are four or more relatively rigid mouth-frame elements articulated at four or more joints.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 383, Flexible Bags, subclass 34.1 for a bag having four or more hinged mouth stiffeners.

**122 Six or more hinged elements:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 121. Subject matter wherein there are six or more relatively rigid mouth-frame elements articulated at six or more joints.

**123 Including means for releasably securing closed frame elements together:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 120. Subject matter wherein the frame elements include structure which permits them to be selectively fastened together or separated from one another.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 121 for an article of hand luggage having a mouth frame and a fastener.

**124 Including separate element for securing purse or handbag material to frame:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 120. Subject matter wherein there is included initially unattached means for attaching the receptacle body to the frame elements.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 123 for an article of hand luggage having means to facilitate attachment of a mouth frame.

**125 Insert for channeled frame element:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 124. Subject matter wherein a frame element has a generally U-shaped or groove-like depression for the reception of an element to which the receptacle body is attached.

**126 Channeled frame element:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 120. Subject matter wherein the mouth-frame element has a substantially U-shaped lateral cross section.

**127 Wall detail:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 100. Subject matter wherein the receptacle wall includes a specified feature.

## SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclasses 124+ for wall details of an article of hand luggage.
- 383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 105+ for wall details of flexible bags.
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, appropriate subclasses and, in particular, subclass 52 for stock fabric from which a purse may be made.

**128 Specified seam structure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 127. Subject matter including details of a joint which connects two parts of the receptacle material.

## SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 126 for an article of hand luggage having specified seam structure.
- 383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 107+ for a flexible bag having specified seam structure.

**129 Multilayer or ply:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 127. Subject matter wherein there is more than one layer of material over substantially the entire surface area of the receptacle.

## SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:

- 103+, for a receptacle having multilayers and in which one of the layers is used to modify the external appearance of the receptacle.

## SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

- 190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 125 for an article of hand luggage having multiple layers or plies.
- 383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 109+ for a flexible bag having multiple layers or plies.

**130 Reinforced:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 127. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means for strengthening it.

## SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

- 383, Flexible Bags, subclass 119 for a reinforced flexible bag.

**131 POCKET OR PURSE-CARRIED CONTAINER (E.G., WALLET, BILLFOLD, CARD OR COIN CONTAINER, ETC.):**

This subclass is indented under the class definition. Subject matter comprising a receptacle which is of such a size that it can be carried in one's pocket or purse and is intended for the reception of relatively small personal items such as money, credit cards, driver's license, etc.

## SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:

- 100+, for subject matter of the purse or handbag type or for a wallet combined with a purse.
- 132+, for a receptacle which is disclosed for carrying paper currency.

## SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

- 24, Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., subclasses 3.1 and 243+ for a money clip or clasp, per se.
- 132, Toilet, subclasses 286+ for a receptacle claimed in combination with a toilet article, particularly subclass 312 for those having flexible receptacles.
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, appropriate subclasses for a receptacle which includes claimed specific retainer structure for contents (e.g., subclasses 37.1+ and 38.1 for a key case), for a receptacle intended to be carried in the pocket of a user (e.g., subclass 39 for a postage stamp

holder, and see subclasses 0.8+, 37+, 38+, and the notes thereunder), or for a receptacle which includes claimed contents (e.g., package); and not provided for elsewhere.

- 281, Books, Strips, and Leaves, appropriate subclasses for checkbooks, per se, and checkbooks with covers.
- 401, Coating Implements With Material Supply, subclasses 118+ for a kit including a supply of coating material and an applicator removable therefrom for independent application to work (e.g., compact having face powder and pad).

**132 Paper money container (e.g., wallet, bill-fold):**

This subclass is indented under subclass 131. Subject matter wherein the receptacle is intended to hold paper currency (e.g., a paper money bill).

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 24, Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., subclasses 3.1 and 243+ for a money clip or clasp, per se.

**133 With means to deter theft of contents (e.g., secret compartment):**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes structure which precludes an unauthorized person from discovering or removing a content item.

**SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:**

- 101, for a purse or handbag having a secret compartment.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 383, Flexible Bags, subclass 5 for a flexible bag having means to indicate tampering.

**134 Theft or loss resistant:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein means are provided to prevent or retard the receptacle from being separated from the person of a user.

**SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:**

- 102, for similar subject matter combined with a purse or handbag.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 24, Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., subclass 3.1 for article retaining means, per se.
- 63, Jewelry, subclass 24 for means to prevent the loss of a watch from the pocket of a user.
- 224, Package and Article Carriers, particularly subclasses 202+, 217-222, 229, 252, and 253 for wrist wallets, money belts, wallet holsters, and other body attached receptacles.

**135 With means for holding a pad of checks:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle has means to secure a checkbook.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 281, Books, Strips, and Leaves, subclass 34 for a checkbook cover or checkbook, per se.

**136 Combined with coin receiver:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means for holding coins.

**SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:**

- 106, for a purse combined with a coin container.
- 150+, for a coin container, per se.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, appropriate subclasses for a receptacle which includes claimed retainer structure for contents (e.g., subclasses 37.1+ and 38.1 for key case), for a receptacle intended to be carried in the pocket of a user (e.g., subclass 39 for a postage stamp holder, and see subclasses 0.8+, 37+, 38+, and the notes thereunder), or for a receptacle which includes claimed contents (e.g., package); and not provided elsewhere.

**137 Including resilient or biased clip for retaining bills:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein resilient or spring biased structure is provided which aids in the securement of an item of paper money.

- (1) Note. A mere pocket or compartment is not considered to be a retaining element. However, in the case of a folded, bill-holding panel having a flap or strap which overlies a bill for the purpose of keeping it in position, the flap or strap is considered to be a retaining element.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:

- 143, for a closure which retains receptacle contents.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

- 24, Buckles, Buttons, Clasps, etc., subclasses 3.1 and 243+ for a money clip or clasp, per se.

**138 Including separable content-holding structure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes a content-holding portion or compartment which is either unattached or releasably secured to the remainder of the receptacle.

- (1) Note. The separable compartment may be for holding content other than paper money.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:

- 147+, for a card container which is intended for releasable securement within a wallet or billfold.  
148, for a card container having a removable compartment.

**139 Including content-holding section movable relative to paper money compartment:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes a content-holding portion or section which is slidable or pivotable relative to a billholding section.

- (1) Note. The unfolding of the paper money holding (billholding) section of the wallet does not constitute relative movement.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:

- 116, for a purse or handbag having an interior compartment movable between storage and loading positions.  
138, for a wallet or billfold having a relatively movable content-holding section which is separate or detachable from the remainder of the wallet or billfold.

**140 Including means for separating two or more paper money bills from one another:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein at least one divider is provided which functions to set apart at least two pieces (bills) of the paper currency.

**141 Including means permitting removal of paper money while folded:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle structure includes a modification which makes it possible to withdraw a folded paper bill without first unfolding the paper bill.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUBCLASS:

- 138, for a wallet or billfold having a separable content holding section.

**142 Including relatively slidable container wall sections to accommodate thicker contents or prevent buckling while folded:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein a wall of a paper money section of the receptacle includes portions which slide relative to each other to accommodate different thicknesses of contents or to prevent bulging or buckling when the receptacle is folded.

**143 With closure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means to maintain the receptacle in a folded configuration or for preventing insertion or

removal of a content item into or out of one or more compartments.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

118+, for a closure for a purse or handbag.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 42+ for closures for flexible bags.

**144 Including expandable pocket:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein a compartment of the receptacle has structure which permits enlargement of the compartment for accommodating bulky contents.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

142, for a wallet or billfold having a paper money section which is expandable because of relatively slidable portions.

**145 With transparent portion or window:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter wherein a part of the receptacle is cut away or is transparent to allow a portion of the contents to be seen.

**146 Joint or seam structure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 132. Subject matter including details of a permanent connection between two parts of the receptacle.

- (1) Note. Two parts are considered to be “permanently connected” when they are not intended to be separated during normal use of the receptacle, even if the connecting elements are capable of being separated (e.g., tongue and slot).

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

190, Trunks and Hand-Carried Luggage, subclass 126 for an article of hand luggage having specified seam structure.

383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 107+ for a flexible bag having specified seam structure.

**147 Card container (e.g., for credit or fare card, identification or driver’s license, etc.):**

This subclass is indented under subclass 131. Subject matter wherein the receptacle is intended to hold a flat, relatively stiff and usually small and rectangular piece of paper, thin paperboard, or plastic.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

132+, for a wallet or billfold having a pocket for holding a card.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

40, Card, Picture, or Sign Exhibiting, subclass 124.2 for a card rack which includes compartments for displaying cards, but which is not intended to be carried in a purse or pocket.

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclasses 37+ for similar subject matter combined with claimed specific content retainer structure.

**148 Removable compartment:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 147. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes a card-holding section which is releasably secured to the remainder of the receptacle.

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

138, for a wallet or billfold combined with a removable card container.

**149 With closure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 147. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes an element which prevents insertion or removal of a card into or out of one or more compartments.

**150 Coin container (i.e., for holding coins in bulk):**

This subclass is indented under subclass 131. Subject matter wherein the receptacle is intended for holding coins.

- (1) Note. A receptacle for coins and an additional, diverse article, not provided for elsewhere, is included here.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

296, Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclass 95.1 for a windshield cover permanently mounted to a vehicle or claimed in combination with vehicle structure, subclasses 98 and 100.01-100.18 for a vehicle load cover, and subclasses 136.01-136.13 for a dust cover for a convertible top.

**151 Having means permitting insertion of coin into closed container:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 150. Subject matter wherein the coin receptacle has a closable access opening and additional structure through which a coin can be placed in the receptacle while the access opening is closed.

**152 Flap-type closure:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 150. Subject matter wherein the receptacle has an access opening which is closable by a piece of material which extends from one side of the receptacle wall, across the access opening (when closed), and overlies a portion of the opposed receptacle wall.

- (1) Note. An “access opening” is an opening which is intended for the insertion or removal of contents into or out of the receptacle.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

383, Flexible Bags, subclasses 84+ for a flexible bag having a closure flap.

**153 Flap forms support for display and selection of coins:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 152. Subject matter wherein the piece of material (closure flap) includes means to temporarily restrain the coins in an exposed position which facilitates the viewing and/or removing of the coins.

**154 PROTECTIVE COVER MADE OF FLACCID MATERIAL:**

This subclass is indented under the class definition. Subject matter comprising supplementary material which is configured to cover and be supported by a specific type of article for the purpose of protecting it from its external environment, or protecting the environment from

the article, and which is intended to be removed before the article is used.

- (1) Note. Most protective covers are classified in the same class as the article to be covered. See the “SEARCH CLASS”, notes below and particularly the Alphabetical Index following the notes, which contains an alphabetical listing of article covers.
- (2) Note. A protective cover for this class is configured into a particular two-or-three dimensional shape to cover all or part of a specific article. See the line notes to classes for Static Structures (e.g., Buildings), and Stock Material and Miscellaneous Articles, below, for covers which are not configured for a specific article.
- (3) Note. A protective cover for this class must be supported by the article it covers, and may remain with the article while the article is being transported. However, it must be removed before the article is used, and may not function to carry or support the article. See the line notes to classes for Tent, Canopy, Umbrella, or Cane; Package and Article Carriers; Flexible Bags; and Special Receptacle or Package.
- (4) Note. A protective cover is distinguished from a wrapper provided for in the class for Envelopes, Wrappers, and Paperboard Boxes, in that a wrapper is a single-use paper-type covering for a mercantile unit, and is intended to be discarded when removed.
- (5) Note. For an alphabetical index for Flaccid Protective Covers (by article to be covered) see Lines With Other Classes and Within This Class, in the class definition of this class.

**SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:**

- 2, Apparel, appropriate subclasses for a hat, coat, etc. See Class 66, Textiles: Knitting, for knit wearing apparel.

- 4, Baths, Closets, Sinks, and Spittoons, various subclasses for a swimming pool cover, subclasses 245.1+ for a toilet seat cover, and subclass 901 for a toilet tank cover.
- 5, Beds, subclasses 482+ for a bed cover (e.g., sheet, blanket, bedspread, pillow case, etc.). See Class 219, Electric Heating, subclass 212 for an electric blanket.
- 15, Brushing, Scrubbing, and General Cleaning, subclasses 244.1+ and 247 for a cover for a device provided for in that class, (e.g., sponge, broom, brush, etc.).
- 16, Miscellaneous Hardware (e.g., Bushing, Carpet Fastener, Caster, Door Closer, Panel Hanger, Attachable or Adjunct Handle, Hinge, Window Sash Balance, etc.), subclass 250 for a hinge cover, and DIG 12 for a hand grip.
- 27, Undertaking, subclass 19 for a coffin cover.
- 30, Cutlery, subclass 326 for a spoon cover and subclass 504 for a rigid guard for a hand saw or blade.
- 36, Boots, Shoes, and Leggings, subclasses 72+ for a cover for protecting a shoe during manufacture and subclass 1.5 for a detachable cover for a leg.
- 38, Textiles: Ironing or Smoothing, subclass 140 for an ironing board cover.
- 42, Firearms, subclass 74 for a protective cover for a gun stock, subclass 96 for a gun barrel cover, and subclass 143 for a sight cover.
- 47, Plant Husbandry, subclasses 23.1 and 32.4 for a tree or trunk cover, subclasses 20.1 for a plant cover, subclass 54 for a sap bucket cover, and subclass 72 for a decorative flower pot cover.
- 52, Static Structures (e.g., Buildings), subclass 3 for an article or material supported cover which is not configured for a specific article and subclass 23 for a cover with an exterior hold-down. A tarpaulin is found in subclass 3 because it is used to cover a pile, bundle or plurality of articles whereas Class 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers provides for a flaccid cover configured for a specific article.
- 53, Package Making, appropriate subclasses for a method for applying a cover, particularly subclass 204 for an annular package.
- 66, Textiles: Knitting, subclass 170 for a knit cover and subclasses 171+ for knit wearing apparel.
- 68, Textiles: Fluid Treating Apparatus, subclass 196 for a washing machine cover.
- 70, Locks, subclass 55 for a cover for a lock.
- 74, Machine Element or Mechanism, subclass 551.9 for a handhold or grip for a handlebar, subclass 558 for a cover for a steering wheel, subclass 558.5 for a cover or protector for the operating end of a lever or handle for a mechanism, subclass 563 for a pedal cover, and subclasses 608+ for a machine mechanism guard.
- 105, Railway Rolling Stock, subclass 450 for a step cover for a railway car.
- 108, Horizontally Supported Planar Surfaces, subclass 90 for a table cover.
- 114, Ships, subclass 361 for a boat cover.
- 118, Coating Apparatus, subclasses 504+ for a paint mask which may be flaccid.
- 135, Tent, Canopy, Umbrella, or Cane, subclasses 87+ for a flaccid cover which is supported by means which is not part of or supported by the object which is to be protected (e.g., tent, canopy, etc.), subclasses 33+ for an umbrella cover, and subclass 119 for a device, attached to or formed in flaccid cover material, which facilitates securing the cover material in position.
- 137, Fluid Handling, subclass 296 for a hydrant cover and subclass 375 for a jacketed fluid handling device.
- 150, Purses, Wallets, and Protective Covers, subclasses 103+ for a decorative cover for a purse.
- 160, Flexible or Portable Closure, Partition, or Panel, subclasses 370.21+ for a windshield cover having structure (e.g., rigid section, roller curtains, etc.) beyond that provided for in this Class 150, Purses, Wallets, and Pro-

- protective Covers, subclass 168 (i.e., flaccid).
- 175, Boring or Penetrating the Earth, subclass 307 for a cutting edge cover for an earth boring or penetrating element.
- 180, Motor Vehicles, subclass 69.1 for an automobile diaper.
- 200, Electricity: Circuit Makers and Breakers, subclass 333 for a cover for a switch actuator.
- 206, Special Receptacle or Package, appropriate subclasses for a container (e.g., a flexible case) specifically adapted to contain a particular item. Note, in particular; subclass 5 for a container for eyeglasses; subclasses 278+ for a container for apparel; subclasses 301+ for a container for a time mechanism; subclasses 304+ for a container for a tire; subclass 306 for a container for a thermometer; subclasses 314+ for a container for a musical instrument; subclasses 315.1+ for a container for a sport implement; subclass 315.2 for a container for a golf club; subclasses 315.9+ for a container for a ball, subclass 315.91 for a container for a bowling ball, subclasses 316+ for a container for a camera or camera element; subclass 317 for a container for a weapon; subclass 319 for a container for a motor or engine; subclass 320 for a container for a household appliance (e.g., a radio, tape player, etc.); subclass 326 for a container for furniture; subclass 335 for a container for a vehicle; subclass 423 for a container for a potted, freshly cut, or artificial plant, flower or tree; and subclass 424 for a container for a book.
- 217, Wooden Receptacles, subclass 81 for a barrel cover, and subclass 3 for other wooden receptacle covers.
- 219, Electric Heating, subclass 212 for an electric bed covering (e.g., electric blanket).
- 223, Apparel Apparatus, subclass 98 for a garment hanger cover.
- 224, Package and Article Carriers, subclass 42.2 for a vehicle-attached cover or casing for a rim, tire or wheel; and subclass 328 for a vehicle-attached article carrier having an enclosure or cover.
- 229, Envelopes, Wrappers, and Paperboard Boxes, subclasses 87.01+ for a single use covering having a structural element (e.g., fastener, seal, etc.) or a specified shape adapting it for wrapping a mercantile unit, and being made of paper or paper-substitute material.
- 280, Land Vehicles, subclass 507 for a land vehicle train coupling member including a protector; subclasses 727+ for attachments for a general utility wheeled land vehicle, especially subclass 770 for a vehicle body protector; subclass 811 for a cover or protector for an ice or roller skate; or subclass 814 for skis having an attached clamp or tie which may include a cover.
- 281, Books, Strips, and Leaves, subclasses 4, 17, 19, and 29+ for a removable book cover.
- 283, Printed Matter, subclass 64 for a book cover.
- 292, Closure Fasteners, digest 2 for an auxiliary knob cover, digest 11 for a cover fastener, and digest 48 for a camera cover fastener.
- 294, Handling: Hand and Hoist-Line Implements, subclasses 137+ for an article carrier having structure specifically adapted to be grasped and supported by the hand of the bearer, particularly subclass 138 for a book or sheet cover having a carrying handle.
- 296, Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclass 95.1 for a windshield cover permanently mounted to a vehicle or claimed in combination with vehicle structure, subclasses 98 and 100.01-100.18 for a vehicle load cover, and subclasses 136.01-136.13 for a dust cover for a convertible top.
- 297, Chairs and Seats, subclasses 218.1+ for an upholstery cover detachably connected to a chair or seat frame and subclasses 219.1+ for a slip cover for a chair or seat.
- 312, Supports: Cabinet Structure, appropriate subclasses for covers attached to equipment housings, particularly subclasses 208.3 and 223.1+.

- 366, Agitating, subclass 349 for a protective cover for a stirrer when not in use.
- 374, Thermal Measuring and Testing, appropriate subclasses for thermal probe cover and subclasses 158 and 209 for a removable probe cover.
- 383, Flexible Bags, various subclasses for a receptacle made of flaccid material which may be similar in construction to a cover, particularly subclass 111 for a flexible bag having a removable ply. A receptacle for Class 383 functions to hold and support contents, whereas a flaccid cover for this class (150) is supported by the covered article.
- 414, Material or Article Handling, subclass 141 for a cover for a ship loading/unloading device.
- 424, Drug, Bio-Affecting and Body Treating Compositions, appropriate subclasses for a dosage unit having a soluble cover.
- 428, Stock Material and Miscellaneous Articles, various subclasses for sheet material which may be used as a cover, particularly subclass 33 for a cover comprising a plurality of pieces having complimentary connection areas, subclasses 99+ for sheet material including a fastener, subclasses 131+ for sheet material having an aperture, subclasses 192+ for sheet material having an edge feature, and cross-reference art collection 904.4 for wall and shelf coverings.
- 473, Games Using Tangible Projectile, subclass 504 for a cover for a playing field or court.
- 604, Surgery, subclasses 192+ and 263 for a cover or protector for a body entering conduit and subclass 287 for a soluble cover for a body inserted treating element. See Class 374, Thermal Measuring and Testing, for a thermal probe cover. See Class 424, Drug, Bio-Affecting and Body Treating, for a dosage unit having a soluble cover.
- D2, Apparel and Haberdashery, subclass 891 for a hat cover.
- D3, Travel Goods and Personal Belongings, subclasses 263+ for a photographic or optical equipment case
- (e.g., camera, projector, eyeglasses, etc.), and subclasses 254+ for a sports equipment cover.
- D6, Furnishings, subclasses 610+ for a furniture cover, subclasses 617+ for a table cover, and subclass 618 for a card table cover.
- D12, Transportation, subclasses 401+ for a load cover and subclass 202 for a tire cover.
- D15, Machines Not Elsewhere Specified, subclass 75 for a sewing machine cover.
- D18, Printing and Office Machinery, subclass 12 for an office machine cover (e.g., typewriter, adding machine, etc.).
- D19, Office Supplies; Artists' and Teachers' Materials, subclass 26 for a book cover.
- D23, Environmental Heating and Cooling; Fluid Handling and Sanitary Equipment, subclass 311 for a seat or cover for a commode and subclass 313 for a tank cover.
- D29, Equipment for Safety, Protection, and Rescue, subclasses 100+.
- D30, Animal Husbandry, subclasses 144+ for an animal body protective covering.
- 155 For a door knob or handle:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for a door handle which is grasped to open the door.
- 156 For a faucet:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for a valved outlet for liquid.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
137, Fluid Handling, subclass 375 for a jacketed fluid handling device.
- 157 For an engine or motor:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for an energy conversion mechanism (e.g., electrical to mechanical as an electric motor, mechanical to electrical as a generator, or heat to mechanical as a steam or gasoline engine).

SEE OR SEARCH THIS CLASS, SUB-CLASS:

901, for insulating covers.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 319 for a container for, or a package containing, an engine or motor.

**158 For furniture:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for (a) structure which supports the human body (e.g., chair, bed, stool) or (b) a movable article of convenience for living quarters (e.g., chair, bed, bureau, sideboard, etc.).

(1) Note. A protective cover for this class must be removed before the article is used.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

108, Horizontally Supported Planar Surfaces, subclass 90 for a table cover.

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 326 for a container for, or a package containing, furniture.

297, Chairs and Seats, subclasses 218.1+ for an upholstery cover detachably connected to a chair or seat frame and subclasses 219.1+ for a slip cover for a chair or seat.

**159 For a golf cart or bag:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for a wheeled vehicle which transports a golf bag or for a bag for carrying golf clubs.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclasses 315.3+ for a golf bag; and subclass 335 for a container for, or a package containing, a golf cart.

**160 For a golf club (e.g., head cover):**

This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for an instrument used to strike a golf ball.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 315.2 for a container for, or a package containing, a golf club; subclass 315.4 for a golf bag combined with a club head protector or cover; and subclass 315.6 for a golf bag combined with means for separating golf club shafts.

**161 For a hand tool:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for an instrument or implement which is used for performing work by hand.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

30, Cutlery, subclass 504 for a rigid guard for a hand saw.

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclasses 349+ for a container for, or a package containing, a tool.

**162 For a musical instrument:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for an implement used to produce music.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

84, Music, appropriate subclasses for a musical instrument, per se.

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 314 for a container for, or a package containing, a musical instrument.

224, Package and Article Carriers, subclass 910 for a cross-reference art collection of musical instrument carriers.

**163 For a racquet:**

This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for a hand-held implement having netting stretched across an open-frame head striking a ball in a game such as tennis.

SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:

206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 315.1 for a container for, or a package containing, a racquet.

- 473, Games Using Tangible Projectile, subclass 554 for a device which holds a tennis racquet and presses it to prevent warping.
- 164 For a sewing machine:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for a machine used for stitching material (e.g., cloth, leather, paper) and usually having a needle and shuttle to carry thread, and powered by a foot treadle or electricity.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
312, Supports: Cabinet Structure, subclasses 208.5 and 208.6 for a structure of that class type having means for housing or supporting a sewing machine.
- 165 For an appliance (household or office):**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for a mechanism, intended to be used in a home or business establishment, to enhance, sustain, or facilitate functions or operations therein.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
206, Special Receptacle or Package, subclass 320 for a container for, or a package containing, a household or office appliance.  
379, Telephonic Communications, subclasses 451+ for a protective cover for a telephone.
- 166 For a vehicle exterior:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 154. Subject matter wherein the cover is for the outside of a mechanical conveyance used for transporting one or more persons.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
114, Ships, subclass 361 for a protective cover for a boat.  
296, Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclasses 100.01+ for a cover for a vehicle load.
- 167 Motorcycle or bicycle:**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 166. Subject matter wherein the vehicle has two wheels, one behind the other, a steering handle and a seat.
- 168 Window (only):**  
This subclass is indented under subclass 166. Subject matter wherein the cover is only for one or more of the transparent glass screens of the passenger compartment of a vehicle.
- (1) Note. The cover may extend past the perimeter of a window for the purpose of securing it in position.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
160, Flexible or Portable Closure, Partition, or Panel, subclasses 370.21+ for a windshield cover having nonflaccid structure provided for in that class (e.g., rigid sections, roller curtains, etc.).  
296, Land Vehicles: Bodies and Tops, subclass 95.1 for a windshield cover permanently mounted to a vehicle or claimed in combination with vehicle structure and subclasses 136.01-136.13 for a dust cover for a convertible top.
- CROSS-REFERENCE ART COLLECTIONS
- 900 MEANS BIASING MOUTH IN OPEN OR CLOSED CONFIGURATION:**  
This subclass is indented under the class definition. Subject matter wherein the receptacle includes means which force the access opening to remain either open or closed.
- (1) Note. An "access opening" is an opening which is intended for the insertion or removal of contents into or out of the receptacle.  
(2) Note. The "means" may be an inherent resiliency of the receptacle material.
- 901 INSULATING FLACCID COVER:**  
This subclass is indented under the class definition. Subject matter wherein a cover is made of supple material which retards the transfer of heat through the cover.
- SEE OR SEARCH CLASS:  
122, Liquid Heaters and Vaporizers, subclass 494 for a nonelectric water heater having an insulating cover.

- 215, Bottles and Jars, subclass 12.1 for multilayer barrier structure for a bottle or jar which may retard the transfer of heat.
- 219, Electric Heating, subclasses 281+ for an electric water heater having an insulating cover.
- 220, Receptacles, subclasses 560.12+ and 592.01+ for a container having an insulated wall, 495.01+, 23.9, and 23.91 for a container having a lining or jacket which may be insulating, and subclass 903 for a cross-reference art collection of insulating jackets for beverage containers.
- 229, Envelopes, Wrappers, and Paperboard Boxes, subclass 103.11 for a thermally insulated paperboard box and subclass 164.1 for a paperboard box having a flexible or flaccid covering.
- 383, Flexible Bags, subclass 901 for a cross-reference art collection of hot water or ice bag covers.
- 428, Stock Material or Miscellaneous Articles, various subclasses for sheet material which may retard the transfer of heat.

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