

Symbol	Typ	Titel
<b>B</b>	<b>Sektion</b>	<b>PERFORMING OPERATIONS; TRANSPORTING</b>
<b>B07</b>	<b>Klasse</b>	<b>SEPARATING SOLIDS FROM SOLIDS; SORTING (separation in general B01D; wet separating processes, sorting by processes using fluent material in the same way as liquid B03; using liquids B03B , B03D; sorting by magnetic or electrostatic separation of solid materials from solid materials or fluids, separation by high voltage electric fields B03C; centrifuges or vortex apparatus for carrying out physical processes B04; sorting peculiar to particular materials or articles and provided for in other classes, see the relevant classes)</b>
<b>B07C</b>	<b>Unterklasse</b>	<b>POSTAL SORTING; SORTING INDIVIDUAL ARTICLES, OR BULK MATERIAL FIT TO BE SORTED PIECE-MEAL, e.g. BY PICKING (specially adapted for a specific purpose covered by another class, see the relevant place, e.g. A43D 33/06 , B23Q 7/12)</b> <b><u>Postal sorting; Similar sorting of documents, e.g. cheques (tube mail systems B65G 51/04; sorting information records, e.g. punched cards, G06F 7/10)</u></b>
<b>B07C 1/00</b>	<b>Hauptgruppe</b>	<b>Measures preceding sorting according to destination</b>
B07C 1/02	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Forming articles into a stream; Arranging articles in a stream, e.g. spacing, orientating
B07C 1/04	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Forming a stream from a bulk; Regulating the stream, e.g. spacing the articles
B07C 1/06	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Orientating; Aligning
B07C 1/10	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Sorting according to size or flexibility
B07C 1/12	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Separating letters from parcels
B07C 1/14	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Sorting according to length or width
B07C 1/16	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Sorting according to thickness or stiffness
B07C 1/18	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Orientating articles other than in a stream
B07C 1/20	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Sorting according to orientation, e.g. according to position of stamp
<b>B07C 3/00</b>	<b>Hauptgruppe</b>	<b>Sorting according to destination</b>
B07C 3/02	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Apparatus characterised by the means used for distribution
B07C 3/04	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Drum-type sorting machines
B07C 3/06	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Linear sorting machines in which articles are removed from a stream at selected points
B07C 3/08	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using arrangements of conveyers
B07C 3/10	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Apparatus characterised by the means used for detection of the destination (methods or arrangements for reading and recognising printed or written characters or geometric figures G06K 9/00)
B07C 3/12	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using electric or electronic detecting means (B07C 3/14 takes precedence)
B07C 3/14	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using light-responsive detecting means
B07C 3/16	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using magnetic detecting means
B07C 3/18	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Devices or arrangements for indicating destination, e.g. by code marks
B07C 3/20	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Arrangements for facilitating the visual reading of addresses, e.g. display arrangements
<b>B07C 5/00</b>	<b>Hauptgruppe</b>	<b>Sorting according to a characteristic or feature of the articles or material being sorted, e.g. by control effected by devices which detect or measure such characteristic or feature; Sorting by</b>

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		<b>manually actuated devices, e.g. switches (sorting by hand only B07C 7/00; separating solids from solids by sieving, screening, or sifting or by using gas currents or other separating by dry methods applicable to bulk material B07B; sorting of coins G07D) [3]</b>
B07C 5/02	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Measures preceding sorting, e.g. arranging articles in a stream, orientating
B07C 5/04	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Sorting according to size
B07C 5/06	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . measured mechanically
B07C 5/07	3-Punkt Untergruppe	. . . by calipering using relatively moving article-engaging means, e.g. clamps [2]
B07C 5/08	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . measured electrically or electronically (B07C 5/10 takes precedence)
B07C 5/10	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . measured by light-responsive means
B07C 5/12	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . characterised by the application to particular articles, not otherwise provided for (sorting eggs A01K 43/00)
B07C 5/14	3-Punkt Untergruppe	. . . Sorting timber or logs
B07C 5/16	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Sorting according to weight (sorting eggs A01K 43/00; weighing apparatus per se G01G)
B07C 5/18	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using a single stationary weighing mechanism
B07C 5/20	3-Punkt Untergruppe	. . . for separating articles of less than a predetermined weight from those of more than that weight
B07C 5/22	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using a plurality of stationary weighing mechanisms
B07C 5/24	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using moving weighing mechanisms, e.g. moving along a circular path
B07C 5/26	3-Punkt Untergruppe	. . . wherein the counterbalancing effect of the weighing mechanisms is varied during such movement
B07C 5/28	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . using electrical control means
B07C 5/30	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . with associated counting means
B07C 5/32	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . with associated check-weighing means
B07C 5/34	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Sorting according to other particular properties
B07C 5/342	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . according to optical properties, e.g. colour
B07C 5/344	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . according to electric or electromagnetic properties
B07C 5/346	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . according to radioactive properties
B07C 5/36	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Sorting apparatus characterised by the means used for distribution
B07C 5/38	2-Punkt Untergruppe	. . Collecting or arranging articles in groups
<b>B07C 7/00</b>	<b>Hauptgruppe</b>	<b>Sorting by hand only</b>
B07C 7/02	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Compartmented furniture, e.g. pigeon-holes (storage racks B65G)
B07C 7/04	1-Punkt Untergruppe	. Apparatus or accessories for hand picking
<b>B07C 9/00</b>	<b>Hauptgruppe</b>	<b>Sorting, with or without orientating, not otherwise provided for</b>