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Class 17

Unprocessed and semi-processed rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos, mica and substitutes for all these materials; plastics and resins in extruded form for use in manufacture; packing, stopping and insulating materials; flexible pipes, tubes and hoses, not of metal.

Explanatory Note

Class 17 includes mainly electrical, thermal and acoustic insulating materials and plastics for use in manufacture in the form of sheets, blocks and rods, as well as certain goods made of rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos, mica or substitutes therefor.

This Class includes, in particular:

- rubber material for recapping tyres;
- floating anti-pollution barriers;
- adhesive tapes, other than stationery and not for medical or household purposes;
- plastic films, other than for wrapping and packaging, for example, anti-dazzle films for windows;
- elastic threads and threads of rubber or plastic, not for textile use;
- certain goods made of the materials in this class not otherwise classified by function or purpose, for example, foam supports for flower arrangements, padding and stuffing materials of rubber or plastics, rubber stoppers, shock-absorbing buffers of rubber, rubber bags or envelopes for packaging.

This Class does not include, in particular:

- fire hose (Cl. 9);
- pipes being parts of sanitary installations (Cl. 11) and rigid pipes of metal (Cl. 6) and not of metal (Cl. 19);
- insulating glass for building (Cl. 19);
- certain goods made of the materials in this class that are classified according to their function or purpose, for example, gum resins (Cl. 2), rubber for dental purposes (Cl. 5), asbestos screens for firefighters (Cl. 9), adhesive rubber patches for repairing inner tubes (Cl. 12), erasers (Cl. 16).

Basic No.	Indication
170135	acoustic insulating materials
170127	acrylic glass, semi-processed
170002	acrylic resins, semi-processed
170085	adhesive tapes, other than stationery and not for medical or household purposes
170115	anti-glare films for windows [tinted films] / anti-dazzle films for windows [tinted films]
170091	asbestos
170080	asbestos cloth
170078	asbestos coverings
170079	asbestos fabrics
170044	asbestos felt
170088	asbestos fibres / asbestos fibers
170087	asbestos millboards

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170081	asbestos packing
170071	asbestos paper
170003	asbestos safety curtains / safety curtains of asbestos
170035	asbestos sheets
170005	asbestos slate / slate asbestos
170077	bags [envelopes, pouches] of rubber, for packaging
170010	balata
170037	bark coverings for sound insulation
170026	boiler composition to prevent the radiation of heat
170048	brake lining materials, partly processed
170065	canvas hose pipes
170096	carbon fibres, other than for textile use / carbon fibers, other than for textile use
170040	caulking materials
170139	caulking putty
170001	cellulose acetate, semi-processed
170042	chemical compositions for sealing leaks
170019	clack valves of rubber
170039	clutch linings
170024	compositions to prevent the radiation of heat
170074	connecting hose for vehicle radiators
170031	cords of rubber
170032	cotton wool for packing [caulking]
170033	cylinder jointings
170034	dielectrics [insulators]
170123	dock bumpers of rubber
170119	door stops of rubber
170013	draught excluder strips / weatherstripping
170118	duct tapes
170036	ebonite
170100	ebonite moulds / ebonite molds
170038	elastic yarns, other than for textile use / elastic threads, other than for textile use

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170134	electromagnetic interference [EMI] shielding films
170137	electromagnetic wave absorbing sheets
170041	expansion joint fillers / fillers for expansion joints
170104	fibreglass fabrics for insulation / fiberglass fabrics for insulation
170103	fibreglass for insulation / fiberglass for insulation / glass fibers for insulation / glass fibres for insulation
170124	filtering materials of semi-processed films of plastic
170106	filtering materials of semi-processed foams of plastic
170086	fittings, not of metal, for compressed air lines
170121	fittings, not of metal, for flexible pipes
170122	fittings, not of metal, for rigid pipes
170022	flexible hoses, not of metal
170108	floating anti-pollution barriers
170112	foam supports for flower arrangements [semi-finished products]
170053	foil of regenerated cellulose, other than for wrapping / sheets of regenerated cellulose, other than for wrapping
170059	foils of metal for insulating / metal foil for insulation
170043	gaskets* / joint packings
170063	glass wool for insulation
170117	gum, raw or semi-worked
170050	gutta-percha
170138	hazard warning tapes, adhesive
170025	hoses of textile material
170056	insulating fabrics
170045	insulating felt
170133	insulating films
170126	insulating inks
170023	insulating materials
170051	insulating oil for transformers
170052	insulating oils
170060	insulating paints
170055	insulating paper
170110	insulating plaster

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170116	insulating refractory materials
170107	insulating tapes
170057	insulating varnish
170099	insulators
170094	insulators for cables
170098	insulators for electric mains
170084	insulators for railway tracks
170073	junctions, not of metal, for pipes
170064	latex [rubber]
170113	liquid rubber
170136	liquid sealants for transmissions
170066	lute
170070	mica, raw or partly processed
170062	mineral wool [insulator]
170016	non-conducting materials for retaining heat
170132	non-slip pads of rubber
170131	O-rings
170130	oil seals
170128	organic glass, semi-processed
170101	packing [cushioning, stuffing] materials of rubber or plastics
170014	padding materials of rubber or plastics / stuffing of rubber or plastics
170029	paper for electrical capacitors
170030	pipe gaskets / joint packings for pipes
170067	pipe muffs, not of metal / pipe jackets, not of metal
170102	plastic fibres, other than for textile use / plastic fibers, other than for textile use
170125	plastic filaments for 3D printing
170072	plastic film, other than for wrapping
170111	plastic sheeting for agricultural purposes
170097	plastic substances, semi-processed
170089	reinforcing materials, not of metal, for pipes
170004	rings of rubber

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170109	rubber material for recapping tyres / rubber material for recapping tires
170012	rubber seals for jars
170068	rubber sleeves for protecting parts of machines / sleeves of rubber for protecting parts of machines
170114	rubber solutions
170018	rubber stoppers
170017	rubber, raw or semi-worked
170069	sealant compounds for joints
170092	self-adhesive tapes, other than stationery and not for medical or household purposes
170129	sew-on tags of rubber for clothing
170021	shock-absorbing buffers of rubber
170061	slag wool [insulator]
170008	soundproofing materials
170093	stops of rubber
170058	substances for insulating buildings against moisture
170075	synthetic resins, semi-processed / artificial resins, semi-processed
170020	synthetic rubber
170047	threads of plastic for soldering / soldering threads of plastic
170105	threads of plastic materials, other than for textile use
170095	threads of rubber, other than for textile use
170082	valves of india-rubber or vulcanized fibre / valves of india-rubber or vulcanized fiber
170083	viscose sheets, other than for wrapping
170046	vulcanized fibre / vulcanized fiber
170076	washers of rubber or vulcanized fibre / washers of rubber or vulcanized fiber
170009	water-tight rings / stuffing rings
170006	watering hose
170011	waterproof packings
170015	weatherstripping compositions
170120	window stops of rubber