

Class 17

Class 17 is one of the classes that includes unworked or semi-worked materials, namely, rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos and mica, as well as plastics and resins in extruded form for use in manufacture. It also includes finished goods that are classified according to material composition. In the Nice Classification, finished goods are in principle classified according to function or purpose. Goods that cannot be classified in this way are classified according to other criteria, like the material of which the goods are made (see [General Remark \(a\) for Goods](#)) and if they are made of rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos or mica, they belong in this class. For example, window stops do not correspond to the functions or purposes listed in any of the Class Headings of the Classification and are thus classified in the corresponding "materials classes", namely, [Classes 6](#) or [17](#) if they are made, respectively, of metal or rubber, and [Class 20](#) if they are made of any other material.

第 17 類是包括未加工或半加工材料的類別之一；含橡膠、馬來樹膠、樹膠、石棉和雲母，以及生產時使用擠壓成型的塑膠和樹脂。本類亦包括依材料成分予以分類的成品。在尼斯分類中，原則上「成品」是依功能或用途予以分類。不能依此方法分類的商品，則依其他準則予以分類；例如依製成商品的材料分類（參照商品一般性說明(a)）。所以，商品是由橡膠、馬來樹膠、樹膠、石棉或雲母製成，則屬於本類；例如，「窗檔」與尼斯分類的類別標題中任一項商品的功能或用途都不符，因此，應歸類於相對應的「材料類別」；由金屬或橡膠製成，則分別屬於第 6 類或第 17 類；由任何其他材料製成，則歸屬於第 20 類。

Also, goods that provide insulation are in Class 17 even if they would be in other classes if not specified as being for insulation

purposes. Examples of this are insulating paint, fabric and paper, which are all in Class 17 rather than the typical classes for those goods, namely, [Classes 2](#), [24](#) and [16](#), respectively.

商品作為絕緣用歸屬於第 17 類，縱使未明確說明是提供絕緣用時，應該歸屬於別類；如絕緣塗料、絕緣織物和絕緣紙屬於第 17 類，而不歸屬於該等商品典型分類的第 2、24 類和第 16 類。

Finally, flexible pipes, tubes and hoses that are not made of metal are in Class 17, such as connecting hoses for vehicle radiators and watering hoses. Rigid pipes, not of metal, for building are in [Class 19](#).

最後，非金屬製可彎曲的輸送管、管及軟管屬於第 17 類；如車輛散熱器用連接軟管和灑水軟管。非金屬製建築用硬管屬於第 19 類。