

6.1.2 Code for designating types of packagings

6.1.2.1 The code consists of:

- .1 an Arabic numeral indicating the kind of packaging, such as drum, jerrican, etc., followed by
- .2 one or more capital letters in Latin characters indicating the nature of the material, such as steel, wood, etc., followed where necessary by
- .3 an Arabic numeral indicating the category of packaging within the type to which the packaging belongs.

6.1.2.2 In the case of composite packagings, two capital letters in Latin characters shall be used in sequence in the second position of the code. The first indicates the material of the inner receptacle and the second that of the outer packaging.

6.1.2.3 In the case of combination packagings, only the code number for the outer packaging shall be used.

6.1.2.4 The letters 'T', 'V' or 'W' may follow the packaging code. The letter 'T' signifies a salvage packaging conforming to the provisions of 6.1.5.1.11. The letter 'V' signifies a special packaging conforming to the provisions of 6.1.5.1.7. The letter 'W' signifies that the packaging, although of the same type as that indicated by the code, is manufactured to a specification different to that in 6.1.4 but is considered equivalent under the provisions of 6.1.1.2.

6.1.2.5 The following numerals shall be used for the kinds of packaging:

- 1 Drum
- 2 [Reserved]
- 3 Jerrican
- 4 Box
- 5 Bag
- 6 Composite packaging

6.1.2.6 The following capital letters shall be used for the types of material:

- A Steel (all types and surface treatments)
- B Aluminium
- C Natural wood
- D Plywood
- F Reconstituted wood
- G Fibreboard
- H Plastics material
- L Textile
- M Paper, multiwall
- N Metal (other than steel or aluminium)
- P Glass, porcelain or stoneware

Note: "Plastics material" is taken to include other polymeric materials such as rubber.

6.1.2.7 The following table indicates the codes to be used for designating types of packagings depending on the kind of packagings, the material used for their construction and their category; it also refers to the paragraphs to be consulted for the appropriate provisions:

Kind	Material	Category	Code	Paragraph
1 Drums	A Steel	non-removable head	1A1	6.1.4.1
		removable head	1A2	
	B Aluminium	non-removable head	1B1	6.1.4.2
		removable head	1B2	
	D Plywood	-	1D	6.1.4.5
	G Fibre	-	1G	6.1.4.7
	H Plastics	non-removable head	1H1	6.1.4.8
		removable head	1H2	
	N Metal, other than steel or aluminium	non-removable head	1N1	6.1.4.3
		removable head	1N2	
2 [Reserved]				

Kind	Material	Category	Code	Paragraph	
3 Jerricans	A Steel	non-removable head	3A1	6.1.4.4	
		removable head	3A2		
	B Aluminium	non-removable head	3B1	6.1.4.4	
		removable head	3B2		
	H Plastics	non-removable head	3H1	6.1.4.8	
		removable head	3H2		
4 Boxes	A Steel	-	4A	6.1.4.14	
	B Aluminium	-	4B	6.1.4.14	
	C Natural wood	ordinary	4C1	6.1.4.9	
		with sift-proof walls	4C2		
	D Plywood	-	4D	6.1.4.10	
	F Reconstituted wood	-	4F	6.1.4.11	
	G Fibreboard	-	4G	6.1.4.12	
	H Plastics	expanded	4H1	6.1.4.13	
solid		4H2			
5 Bags	H Woven plastics	without inner lining or coating	5H1	6.1.4.16	
		sift-proof	5H2		
		water-resistant	5H3		
	H Plastics film	-	5H4	6.1.4.17	
	L Textile	without inner lining or coating	5L1	6.1.4.15	
		sift-proof	5L2		
		water-resistant	5L3		
	M Paper	multiwall	5M1	6.1.4.18	
		multiwall, water-resistant	5M2		
	6 Composite packagings	H Plastics receptacle	in steel drum	6HA1	6.1.4.19
in steel crate or box			6HA2	6.1.4.19	
in aluminium drum			6HB1	6.1.4.19	
in aluminium crate or box			6HB2	6.1.4.19	
in wooden box			6HC	6.1.4.19	
in plywood drum			6HD1	6.1.4.19	
in plywood box			6HD2	6.1.4.19	
in fibre drum			6HG1	6.1.4.19	
in fibreboard box			6HG2	6.1.4.19	
in plastics drum			6HH1	6.1.4.19	
in solid plastics box			6HH2	6.1.4.19	
P Glass, porcelain or stoneware receptacle			in steel drum	6PA1	6.1.4.20
			in steel crate or box	6PA2	6.1.4.20
			in aluminium drum	6PB1	6.1.4.20
		in aluminium crate or box	6PB2	6.1.4.20	
		in wooden box	6PC	6.1.4.20	
		in plywood drum	6PD1	6.1.4.20	
in wickerwork hamper		6PD2	6.1.4.20		
in fibre drum		6PG1	6.1.4.20		
in fibreboard box		6PG2	6.1.4.20		
in expanded plastics packaging	6PH1	6.1.4.20			
in solid plastics packaging	6PH2	6.1.4.20			