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| <b>Coverage</b>          | Chemical and chemically related patents are covered from 1950 to the present. Mechanical and electrical patents from 1963 to the present. Design patents are covered from 1980 to the present. U.S. applications published since March 15, 2001, are also included.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |  |  |
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| Abstract *                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | /AB             | S MODEL?/AB<br>S ?ACTION?/AB                                                                                                                                            | AB                                    |
| Accession Number (1)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | /AN             | S 2758301/AN                                                                                                                                                            | AN                                    |
| Agent (Legal Representative)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | /AG (or /LREP)  | S SPENCER & FRANK/AG                                                                                                                                                    | AG                                    |
| Application Country (2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | /AC             | S US/AC AND 2000/AY<br>S WO/AC                                                                                                                                          | AI                                    |
| Application Date (1,2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | /AD             | S 19770603/AD<br>S JUN 3 1997/AD                                                                                                                                        | AI                                    |
| Application Number (2,3)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | /AP             | S US199-609476/AP<br>S 1996US-609476/AP<br>S WO1991-AU272/AP                                                                                                            | AI                                    |
| Series Code of associated Application Number                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | /AP.SC          | S 13/AP.SC or S D/AP.SC                                                                                                                                                 | AI                                    |
| Application Year (1,2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | /AY             | S 1999/AY                                                                                                                                                               | AI                                    |
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| Entry Date (1)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | /ED             | S L1 AND ED>=20020700                                                                                                                                                   | ED                                    |
| Examiner Name                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | /EXNAM          | S ROBERTS?/EXNAM                                                                                                                                                        | EXNAM                                 |
| Examiner's Field of Search                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | /EXF            | S 430123000/EXF                                                                                                                                                         | EXF                                   |
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| Number of Patents Citing This Patent                                      | /PNC.G          | S PNC.G>5                                                                  | PI                 |
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| Patent Assignee (Probable)                                                | /PPA            | S ABBOTT/PPA                                                               | PPA                |
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| Priority Year <b>(1)</b>                                                  | /PRY            | S 1995-2000/PRY                                                            | PRAI               |
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| CODE              | Classification Code (SELF, CODE)                                     | E A01B0079-00+CODE/CPC  |
| DEF               | Definition (SELF, DEF)                                               | E A01B0079-00+DEF/CPC   |
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| Format         | Content                                             | Examples      |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| AB             | Abstract                                            | D 1-3 AB      |
| AG (LREP)      | Agent (Legal Representative)                        | D 4 9 AG      |
| AI (AP) (1)    | Application Information                             | D L3 5-7 AI   |
| AN (2)         | Accession Number                                    | D L3 AN 1-5   |
| ARTU (2)       | Art Unit                                            | D ARTU L8     |
| BOTI           | Botanical Information                               | D BOTI        |
| CDAT           | Correction Date                                     | D CDAT        |
| CLMI (2)       | Independent Claim Numbers                           | D 6 CLMI      |
| CLMN (2)       | Number of Claims                                    | D 4 CLMN EXF  |
| CPC            | Cooperative Patent Classification                   | D CPC         |
| CPCI           | CPC Initial Classification                          | D CPCI        |
| CPCR           | CPC Reclassification                                | D CPCR        |
| CT (2)         | Controlled Term                                     | D 1-3 CT L4   |
| DCD            | Disclaimer Date                                     | D L3 6,8 DCD  |
| DT (TC)        | Document Type                                       | D 1-4 DT      |
| ECLM           | Exemplary Claim                                     | D L9 ECLM 3-6 |
| ED (UP)        | Entry Date (includes Update date)                   | D ED          |
| EXF (2)        | Examiner's Field of Search                          | D EXF 2,6-10  |
| EXNAM          | Examiner Name                                       | D 7 L3 EXNAM  |
| FG (2)         | Fragment Code                                       | D 3-10 FG     |
| FI (FN) (1)    | Family Information                                  | D 1-5, 10 FI  |
| FS             | File Segment                                        | D 1,5,8 FS    |
| GI             | Graphics Information                                | D GI 4-8,11   |
| GOVI           | Government Interest                                 | D L14 GOVI    |
| ICM (2)        | IPC, Main                                           | D 1-4 L2 ICM  |
| ICS (2)        | IPC, Secondary                                      | D 5-6 L1 ICS  |
| IN (AU)        | Inventor (INF, IN)                                  | D L4 1-6 IN   |
| INCLM (2)      | Issue Main National Patent Classification Code      | D INCLM       |
| INCLS (2)      | Issue Secondary National Patent Classification Code | D INCLS       |
| IPC.HIT (2)    | HIT IPC codes                                       | D IPC.HIT     |
| IPC.UNIQ (2)   | Unique IPC codes in record                          | D IPC.UNIQ    |
| IPCI           | IPC Initial                                         | D IPCI        |
| IPCR           | IPC Reclassified                                    | D IPCR        |
| MFN (3)        | Microfilm Frame Number (includes MRN)               | D MFN         |
| MRN (3)        | Microfilm Reel Number (includes MFN)                | D MRN         |
| NCLM (2)       | Main National Patent Classification Code            | D L5 1-4 NCLM |
| NCLS (2)       | Secondary National Patent Classification Code       | D 1,5 L4 NCLS |
| NTE            | Note                                                | D NTE         |
| OS             | Other Source                                        | D 2,5 OS      |
| PA (CS)        | Patent Assignee (PAF, PA)                           | D L2 1-3 PA   |
| PARN           | Parent Case Data                                    | D 1-3 PARN    |
| PI (PN) (1)    | Patent Information                                  | D 1,5,10 PI   |
| PNK            | Patent Number/Kind Code                             | D PNK         |
| PPA            | Patent Assignee (Probable)                          | D PPA         |
| PRAI (PRN) (1) | Priority Information                                | D PRAI        |
| PTERM          | Term of Patent                                      | D PTERM 5     |
| REN            | Reference Non-Patent Information                    | D 2 7 REN     |
| REP (RPN) (1)  | Reference Patent Information                        | D 6,12 L1 REP |
| RLI (RLN) (1)  | Related Application Information                     | D 1-2 RLI     |
| RN (2)         | CAS Registry Number                                 | D 1-5 RN      |
| TI (2)         | Title                                               | D TI          |
| UN (2)         | Uniterm                                             | D UN          |
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| ALLTX (1,3)                | ALL, including text for UN and FG                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | D ALLTX 3-5    |
| APPS (1)                   | AI, RLI, PRAI                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | D APPS         |
| BIB (1,3)                  | AN, TI, INF, IN, PAF, PA, PPA, EXNAM, AG, PI, AI, PTERM, DCD, XPD, RLI, PRAI, FI, DT, CDAT, FS, OS, ED, GOVI, PARN, MRN, MFN, NTE, BOTI, CLMN                                                                                                                                   | D 1,4-6 BIB    |
| CBIB (1,3)                 | AN, Compressed Bibliographic Data                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | D CBIB         |
| CLM                        | Claims (ECLM, ACLM)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | D CLM          |
| CPC                        | CPCI, CPCR for the basic patent and patent family members                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | D CPC          |
| CPC.TAB                    | CPC, CPC.KW, CPC.ACD, CPC.VER in tabular format                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | D CPC.TAB      |
| CPC.UNIQ                   | Deduplicated list of CPC codes for the patent family                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | D CPC.UNIQ     |
| DALL (1,3)                 | ALL, delimited for post processing                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | D DALL         |
| IABS (1,3)                 | ABS, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D 5 IABS       |
| IALL (1,3)                 | ALL, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D IALL 5       |
| IBIB (1,3)                 | BIB, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D CLM IBIB     |
| IC (2)                     | International Patent Classification (ICM, ICS)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D 3,5,7 IC     |
| ICLM                       | CLM with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | D ICLM TI 4    |
| IIND (2)                   | IND, indented with text labels, including text for UN                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | D 1,6 IIND IRE |
| INCL                       | Issue National Patent Classification Code (INCLM, INCLS)                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | D INCL         |
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| INDTX (2)                  | IND, including text for UN and FG                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | D L3 4 INDTX   |
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| IPC.TAB (2)                | IPC in Tabular Format                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | D IPC.TAB      |
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| ISBIB (1,3)                | SBIB, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | D L3 ISBIB     |
| ISTD (1,3)                 | STD, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D ISTD         |
| ISTDN (1,3)                | STDN, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | D ISTDN        |
| ITRIAL (2)                 | TRIAL, indented with text labels                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | D TRIAL        |
| NCL (2)                    | National Patent Classification Code (NCLM, NCLS)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | D NCL          |
| PASS                       | PAF, PA, PPA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | D PASS         |
| PATS (1)                   | PI, RLI, FI, REP                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | D PATS         |
| RE (1)                     | REP, REN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | D RE 8,11      |
| SBIB (1,3)                 | AN, TI, IN, PA, PPA, PI, AI, RLI, PRAI, FI, DT, CDAT, FS, OS, ED, BOTI, MRN, MFN, CLMN (SBIB is the default)                                                                                                                                                                    | D SBIB 3 L2    |
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| STD (1,3)                  | AN, TI, IN, PA, PPA, PI, AI, RLI, PRAI, FI, DT, CDAT, FS, OS, ED, MRN, MFN, INCL (INCLM, INCLS), NCL (NCLM, NCLS), CPC (CPCI, CPCR), IPC (ICM, ICS, IPCI, IPCR)                                                                                                                 | D STD          |
| STDN (1,3)                 | AN, TI, IN, PA, PPA, PI, AI, RLI, PRAI, FI, DT, CDAT, FS, OS, ED, MRN, MFN, AB, NTE, BOTI, CLMN, ECLM, INCL (INCLM, INCLS), NCL (NCLM, NCLS), CPC (CPCI, CPCR), IPC (ICM, ICS, IPCI, IPCR)                                                                                      | D L2 STDN 1-4  |
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| FP (1)                     | Front page format for PI, TI, INF, PAF, AI, PTERM, DCD, RLI, PRAI, REP, REN, EXNAM, AG, GOVI, PARN, AB, CLMN, GI                                                                                                                                                                | D L3 FP 12     |
| FPALL (1)                  | Front page format for PI, TI, INF, PAF, AI, PTERM, DCD, RLI, PRAI, IPC (ICM, ICS, IPCI, IPCR), NCL (NCLM, NCLS), CPC (CPCI, CPCR), EXF, REP, REN, EXNAM, AG, GOVI, PARN, AB, CLMN, GI, ECLM, ACLM                                                                               | D 1 4 FPALL    |
| FPBIB (1)                  | Front page format for PI, TI, INF, PAF, AI, PTERM, DCD, RLI, EXNAM, AG, PRAI, GOVI, PARN, CLMN                                                                                                                                                                                  | D FPBIB 6      |

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| FPSTDN (1) | Front page format for PI, TI, INF, PAF, AI, PTERM, DCD, RLI, PRAI, REP, REN, EXNAM, AG, GOVI, PARN, AB, CLMN, ECLM, NCL (NCLM, NCLS), CPC (CPCI, CPCR), IPC (ICM, ICS, IPCI, IPCR) | D FPSTDN L8 |
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| Agent (Legal Representative)                        | AG               | Y (3)                 | Y    |
| Application Country                                 | AC               | Y (4)                 | Y    |
| Application Date                                    | AD               | Y (4)                 | Y    |
| Application Information                             | AI               | Y (4,5,6)             | Y    |
| Application Number                                  | AP               | Y (4,6)               | Y    |
| Application Number Group                            | APPS             | Y (4,6,7)             | N    |
| Application Year                                    | AY               | Y (4)                 | N    |
| Art Unit                                            | ARTU             | N                     | Y    |
| Author (Inventor)                                   | AU               | Y                     | Y    |
| Botanical Information                               | BOTI             | Y (2)                 | N    |
| CAS Registry Number                                 | RN               | Y                     | N    |
| Controlled Term                                     | CT               | Y                     | N    |
| Cooperative Patent Classification (CPC)             | CPC              | Y (19)                | N    |
| CPC, Initial                                        | CPCI             | Y (20)                | N    |
| CPC, Reclassified                                   | CPCR             | Y (20)                | N    |
| CPC Hit Display                                     | CPC.HIT (HITCPC) | Y                     | Y    |
| CPC Codes Deduplicated for patent family            | CPC.UNIQ         | Y                     | Y    |
| Disclaimer Date                                     | DCD              | Y                     | Y    |
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| Entry Date                                          | ED               | Y                     | Y    |
| Examiner Name                                       | EXNAM            | Y                     | N    |
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| Family Member Year                                  | FY               | Y (4)                 | N    |
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| Inventor                                            | IN               | Y                     | Y    |
| Inventor in Nonstandard Format                      | INF              | Y                     | N    |
| International Patent Classification (IPC)           | IPC              | Y (9)                 | N    |
|                                                     | IC               | Y (10)                | Y    |
| IPC Hit IPC codes                                   | IPC.HIT          | Y (9)                 | Y    |
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| IPC, Initial                                        | IPCI             | Y (9)                 | N    |
| IPC, Main                                           | ICM              | Y                     | Y    |
| IPC, Reclassified                                   | IPCR             | Y (9)                 | N    |
| IPC, Secondary                                      | ICS              | Y                     | Y    |
| Issue National Patent Classification Code           | INCL             | Y                     | Y    |
| Issue Main National Patent Classification Code      | INCLM            | Y                     | Y    |
| Issue Secondary National Patent Classification Code | INCLS            | Y                     | N    |
| Legal Representative (Agent)                        | LREP             | Y                     | Y    |
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| Patent Assignee (Corporate Source)            | PA (CS)    | Y                     | Y    |
| Patent Assignee (Nonstandard Format)          | PAF        | Y                     | N    |
| Patent Assignee (Probable)                    | PPA        | Y                     | Y    |
| Patent Case Data                              | PARN       | Y (2)                 | N    |
| Patent Countries Group                        | PCS        | Y (4,13)              | N    |
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| Priority Year                                 | PRY        | Y (4)                 | N    |
| Publication Date                              | PD         | Y (4)                 | Y    |
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| Reference Patent Information                  | REP        | Y (4,6,16)            | N    |
| Reference Patent Inventor                     | RPIN       | Y (4)                 | N    |
| Reference Patent Number                       | RPN        | Y (4,6)               | N    |
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| Related Application Information               | RLI        | Y (4,6,17)            | N    |
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| Related Application Year                      | RLY        | Y (4)                 | N    |
| Related Patent Number                         | RLPN       | Y (4)                 | N    |
| Secondary National Patent Classification Code | NCLS       | Y                     | N    |
| Term of Patent                                | PTERM      | N                     | Y    |
| Title                                         | TI         | Y (default)           | Y    |
| Treatment Code                                | TC         | Y (18)                | Y    |
| Uniterm                                       | UN         | Y (4)                 | N    |
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| Update Date                                   | UP         | Y                     | Y    |

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## Sample Records

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IN      Iimura Yosuke; Katayama Yoshihiro
PA      Agency of Industrial Science & Technology JP
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        Last Updated on STN: Jan 2011
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#### ABSTRACT

A protective sports glove including a contoured wrist cuff that substantially shields a gap defined between adjacent portions of the protective sports glove, such as hand and cuff portions. The contoured wrist cuff can include a leading edge that contours forwardly adjacent a thumb portion of the contoured wrist cuff and rearwardly across a portion of the radial side of a wearer's hand when the glove is on the wearer's hand. This can allow protection of the wearer's wrist in flexion without also impairing movement of the wearer's wrist.

12 Claim(s), 4 Drawing Sheet(s), 7 Figure(s).

# DESCRIPTION OF FIGURES

FIG. 1 is a top view of a current embodiment of the glove including a contoured wrist guard;  
 FIG. 2 is a bottom view of the glove;  
 FIG. 3 is a first side view of the glove;  
 FIG. 4 is a top view of the contoured wrist guard, removed from the glove, in an extended configuration.  
 FIG. 5 is a top perspective view of the glove;  
 FIG. 6 is a top view illustration of movement of a wearer's hand; and  
 FIG. 7 is a side view illustration of movement of a wearer's hand.

## EXEMPLARY CLAIM

### D R A W I N G

1. A protective sports glove, comprising: a hand portion including a hand palmar portion and an opposing hand dorsal portion; a finger portion joined with and extending from the hand portion; a thumb portion joined with and extending from the hand portion; a cuff portion joined with the hand portion at a junction; and a contoured wrist cuff including a leading edge generally facing the finger and thumb portions, the leading edge contoured rearwardly across a dorsal side of a wearer's hand from an ulnar side of the wearer's hand to a radial side of the wearer's hand when the glove is on a wearer's hand, the leading edge contoured forwardly adjacent the thumb portion, the leading edge being contoured rearwardly across at least a portion of a radial side of a wearer's hand when the glove is on the wearer's hand; wherein the contoured wrist cuff substantially conceals the junction between the cuff portion and the hand portion without impairing at least one of radial deviation and extension of the wearer's wrist, wherein the leading edge forms a forwardmost portion adjacent the thumb, distal from the dorsal side.

## NON-EXEMPLARY CLAIMS

2. The protective sports glove of claim 1 wherein the contoured wrist cuff includes a trailing edge rearwardly distal from the leading edge, the trailing edge being contoured rearwardly across the dorsal side of at least one of a wearer's hand and wrist when the glove is on a wearer's hand, the trailing edge being contoured forwardly adjacent the thumb portion, the trailing edge being contoured rearwardly across at least a portion of a radial side of a wearer's hand.  
 3. The protective sports glove of claim 1, wherein the contoured wrist cuff is joined to at least one of the hand portion, the thumb portion, and the cuff portion.  
 4. The protective sports glove of claim 1, wherein the cuff portion includes a first area and a second area, the first area of the cuff portion configured to overlie the second area of the cuff portion.  
 5. The protective sports glove of claim 1, further including a floating subcuff portion flexibly joined with the cuff portion and extending circumferentially around at least a portion of the wearer's wrist.  
 6. The protective sports glove of claim 1, wherein the leading edge is contoured rearwardly in the form of a curve that opens toward the finger portions across the dorsal side.  
 7. The protective sports glove of claim 6, wherein the leading edge generally forms at least one of an "S" shape and a reversed "S" shape as the leading edge transitions from a first end to a second end of the contoured cuff.  
 8. The protective sports glove of claim 1 wherein the contoured wrist cuff includes a longitudinal axis, wherein the contoured wrist cuff defines a first distance between the leading edge and the longitudinal axis in the dorsal portion, wherein the contoured wrist cuff defines a second distance between the leading edge and the longitudinal axis adjacent the thumb portion, wherein the second distance is greater than the first distance.  
 9. A protective sports glove, comprising: a hand portion including a hand palmar portion and an opposing hand dorsal portion; a finger portion joined with and extending from the hand portion; a thumb portion joined with and extending from the hand portion; a cuff portion joined with the hand portion at a junction; and a contoured wrist cuff including a leading edge facing the

finger and thumb portions, the contoured wrist cuff including a longitudinal axis, the leading edge generally aligned in parallel with the longitudinal axis from a first end of the contoured cuff to a second end of the contoured cuff, the contoured cuff including a trailing edge distal from and rearwardly displaced from the leading edge, the trailing edge being aligned with the longitudinal axis across the hand dorsal portion, the trailing edge extending rearwardly and away from the longitudinal axis adjacent a radial side of the wearer's hand, wherein the contoured wrist cuff is joined with at least one of the hand portion and the cuff portion.

10. The protective sports glove of claim 9 comprising a floating subcuff portion attached to at least one of the hand portion and the cuff portion, the floating subcuff located inwardly from the cuff portion.

11. The protective sports glove of claim 9 wherein the floating subcuff is flexibly joined to the at least one of the hand portion and the cuff portion with an elastic member.

12. The protective sports glove of claim 10 wherein the floating subcuff circumferentially encloses a user's wrist and includes opposing ends that are joined with one another.

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#### ABSTRACT:

A drink container holding device for permitting articles and a beverage to be stored on a music stand includes a frame. At least one mounting assembly is coupled to the frame. The mounting assembly engages the stand to mount the frame to a stand. A sleeve is coupled to the frame. The sleeve has a beverage aperture extending therein through an upper end of the sleeve. The beverage aperture receives a drink container to allow the sleeve to support the drink container adjacent to the stand when the frame is mounted on the stand.

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#### DESCRIPTION OF FIGURES:

FIG. 1 is a right side view of a drink container holding device according to the present invention shown mounted to a stand.  
FIG. 2 is a front view of the present invention.  
FIG. 3 is a left side view of the present invention.  
FIG. 4 is a top view of the present invention.

FIG. 5 is a cross-sectional view of the present invention taken along line 5-5 of FIG. 3.  
FIG. 6 is a front view of the present invention shown in place on X-shaped stand.  
FIG. 7 is a top view of an embodiment of the mounting assemblies of the present invention.  
FIG. 8 is a top view of an embodiment of the mounting assemblies of the present invention.  
FIG. 9 is a top view of an embodiment of the mounting assemblies of the present invention.  
FIG. 10 is a top view of an embodiment of the mounting assemblies of the present invention.  
FIG. 11 is a cross-sectional view of an embodiment of the present invention as shown in FIG. 5.  
FIG. 12 is a side view of the present invention shown in FIG. 6.  
FIG. 13 is a side view of the accessory bar of the present invention.  
FIG. 14 is a rear view of the accessory bar of the present invention.  
FIG. 15 depicts the drink container holding device of FIG. 1, with the sleeve removed.  
FIG. 16 depicts a view of the drink container holding device depicted in FIG. 2, with the sleeve removed.  
FIG. 17 depicts a top view of the drink container holding device depicted in FIG. 4, with the sleeve removed.

EXEMPLARY CLAIM(S):

D R A W I N G

1. A drink container holding system for holding a beverage container comprising: a frame; at least one mounting assembly; and a sleeve coupled to said frame, said sleeve having a beverage aperture extending therein through an upper end of said sleeve, wherein said sleeve is configured such that it is capable of receiving a drink container in said beverage aperture to allow said sleeve to support a drink container substantially adjacent to a stand when said frame is mounted to the stand; wherein at least one mounting assembly couples the sleeve to said frame, and wherein at least one mounting assembly is configured such that the mounting assembly may be engaged with a stand to mount said frame to the stand, and comprises: a plurality of clamping arms, each of said clamping arms being extendable around a portion of the stand; a securing portion being coupled to at least one of said clamping arms and selectively engaging at least one other one of said clamping arms for forcing said clamping arms against the stand to secure said clamping arms to the stand; a base portion extending toward the stand when said frame is mounted to the stand; and a neck portion coupled to at least one of said clamping arms, said neck portion being rotatably coupled to said base portion, said neck portion being rotatable from 0 to 360 degrees with respect to said base portion to adjust an angle of said clamping arms with respect to said frame to maintain said frame in a desired orientation when mounted to the stand; wherein said neck portion comprises a plurality of indexing pins outwardly extending from said neck portion, each of said indexing pins being inserted into one of a plurality of indexing slots in said base portion to permit orientation of said neck portion and said clamping arms at desired angles with respect to each other and with respect to said frame.

NON-EXEMPLARY CLAIM(S):

2. The system according to claim 1, wherein said frame comprises a stanchion portion extending substantially parallel to the stand when said frame is mounted to the stand, said at least one mounting assembly coupled to said frame being positioned on said stanchion portion of said frame.  
3. The system according to claim 2, wherein said frame comprises a lateral portion being coupled to a bottom end of said stanchion portion and extending substantially orthogonally to said stanchion portion, said lateral portion extending away from the stand when said stanchion portion is mounted to the stand.  
4. The system according to claim 3, wherein said frame comprises a handle loop being coupled to said stanchion portion opposite said lateral portion, said

handle loop being graspable to facilitate lifting of said frame.

5. The system according to claim 1, wherein said at least one mounting assembly configured such that it may be engaged with a stand comprises a threaded fastener slidably extending through said neck portion and threadably engaging said base portion to secure said neck portion to said base portion.

6. The system according to claim 1, further comprising at least one pocket coupled to an exterior surface of said sleeve, wherein said pocket is configured to be capable of receiving at least a portion of at least one article to be supported by said sleeve.

7. The system according to claim 1, further comprising at least one slit extending into said sleeve through an exterior surface of said sleeve, wherein said at least one slit is configured to be capable of receiving at least a portion of at least one article to be supported by said sleeve.

8. The system according to claim 1, further comprising at least one ring coupled to an exterior surface of said sleeve, and extending outwardly from said sleeve, wherein said at least one ring is configured to be capable of receiving at least a portion of at least one article to be supported by said sleeve.

9. The system according to claim 1, further comprising at least one hook outwardly extending from said sleeve, at least one hook being coupled to and extending outwardly from said frame, wherein at least one hook engages at least one article to be supported by said frame.

10. The drink container holding system of claim 1, wherein said sleeve comprises an insulating material.

11. A stand accessory holding system comprising: a frame; a sleeve coupled to said frame, said sleeve having a beverage aperture extending therein through an upper end of said sleeve, wherein said sleeve is configured such that it is capable of receiving a drink container in said beverage aperture to allow said sleeve to support a drink container substantially adjacent to a stand when said frame is mounted to the stand; and a plurality of mounting assemblies coupled to said frame and configured such that the plurality of mounting assemblies may be engaged with the stand to mount said frame to the stand, such that the plurality of mounting assemblies are capable of supporting weight of at least one of a drink container and accessory received in said sleeve; wherein said stand to which said frame may be mounted, comprises at least one pair of legs at two or more different angles, and wherein said plurality of mounting assemblies are configured for adjustable attachment to said legs at a desired height with respect to said stand, the plurality of mounting assemblies are configured such that angles of the plurality of mounting assemblies are adjustable with respect to the stand from 0-360 degrees to simultaneously mount said mounting assemblies to each leg of said stand at desired angles, to be able to maintain said drink container holding system level with respect to the ground when the drink container holding system is mounted to the legs of the stand.

12. A drink container holding system for holding a beverage container comprising: a frame; at least one mounting assembly; and a sleeve coupled to said frame, said sleeve having a beverage aperture extending therein through an upper end of said sleeve, wherein said sleeve is configured such that it is capable of receiving a drink container in said beverage aperture to allow said sleeve to support a drink container substantially adjacent to a stand when said frame is mounted to the stand; wherein at least one mounting assembly couples the sleeve to said frame, and wherein at least one mounting assembly is configured such that the mounting assembly may be engaged with a stand to mount said frame to the stand, and comprises: a plurality of clamping arms, each of said clamping arms being extendable around a portion of the stand; a securing portion being coupled to at least one of said clamping arms and selectively engaging at least one other one of said clamping arms for forcing said clamping arms against the stand to secure said clamping arms to the stand; a base portion extending toward the stand when said frame is mounted to the stand; and a neck portion coupled to at least one of said clamping arms, said neck portion being rotatably coupled to said base portion, said neck portion being rotatable from 0 to 360 degrees with respect to said base portion to adjust an angle of said clamping arms with respect to said frame to maintain said frame in a desired orientation when mounted to the stand; wherein said neck portion comprises a bearing to permit orientation of said neck portion and said clamping arms at desired angles with respect to each other and with respect to said frame.

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