

Title (en)  
Panel interlocking means for wrap-around cartons

Title (de)  
Verriegelungssystem für Wandungen von Kartonumhüllungen

Title (fr)  
Moyens de verrouillage de volets pour cartons enveloppants

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Abstract (en)  
Panel interlocking means comprising a pair of male tabs (M1,M2) formed from, and foldably connected to, a first panel (P1) to define at least in part a single aperture (S) in the first panel, and a locking aperture (L) defined in a second panel (P2) to receive and engage the male tabs (M1,M2), further comprising a female tab (F) formed from, and foldably or removably connected to, the second panel (P2) to define at least in part the locking aperture (L), and a provisional locking tab (A1) formed from at least one of the male tabs (M1,M2) to engage the female tab (F). A pack, carton or wraparound incorporating such panel-interlocking means is also provided, together with a blank thereof and in assembled form including an array of a plurality of containers particularly suited for retention within a star crate. <IMAGE>

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