

ABSTRACT

The invention provides a container closure (1) moulded from plastics material and comprising a crown (2), an annular skirt (3) depending from the crown and formed with a screw thread (4) on its internal surface; and a tamper evident ring (6) connected to the end of the skirt remote from the crown by a series of frangible bridges (5) extending across an axial gap between the ring and the skirt, or by a band of the material with a circumferential line of weakening therein; said ring (6) having spaced along its inner surface a plurality of radially inwardly projecting protrusions (11) each having an abutment surface (12) generally facing the crown, but having a slight inclination away from the crown in the radially inward direction, and an inwardly facing cam surface (9a) inclined away from the crown; wherein the inwardly facing cam surface has a compound curve (9a.9b) tapering downwardly from the crown (2) and towards the screwing-on direction, thereby to assist capping.

Fig.1

