

A47K

SANITARY EQUIPMENT NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR (connecting to water supply or waste pipe, sinks [E03C](#); water-closets [E03D](#)); TOILET ACCESSORIES (cosmetic equipment [A45D](#))

Definition statement

This place covers:

Sanitary equipment for bathrooms and their accessories, e.g.:

- Wash-stands; Baths; Showers, sinks, wash-basins, closets, or urinals;
- Holders or dispensers for soap, toothpaste, or the like;
- Body washing or cleaning implements;
- Body-drying implements; Toilet paper; Holders therefor;
- Chamber pots; Chairs with toilet conveniences or specially adapted for use with toilets;
- Seats or covers for all kinds of closets.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Cosmetic Equipment	A45D
Curtains	A47H
Wash stands for curative purposes	A61H ; A61M
Nozzles; Spray heads	B05B
Wash stands for automobiles	B60R
Wash stands for railway cars	B61D
Wash stands for ships	B63D
Wash stands for aircrafts	B64D
Connections to water supply or waste pipe	E03C
Water-closets	E03D

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Wash-stands; Appurtenances therefor (devices for washing the hair or scalp [A45D 19/00](#); basins used in manual washing or cleaning of crockery, table-ware, cooking-ware, or the like [A47L 17/02](#); with appurtenances for curative purposes [A61H](#))

Definition statement

This place covers:

Wash-stands for personal hygiene and their appurtenances, e.g. holding devices or accessories.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Devices for washing hair or scalp	A45D 19/00
Washing basins for the kitchen	A47L 17/02
Wash stands for curative purposes	A61H
Wash-basins connected to the waste pipe	E03C

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Connection of bathroom accessories to the wall	A47K 2201/00
Combinations of water tabs, soap dispensers and hand dryers	A47K 2210/00

A47K 3/00

Baths; Douches; Appurtenances therefor (for curative purposes [A61H](#), [A61M](#), e.g. bathing devices for special therapeutic or hygienic purposes [A61H 33/00](#); {spray heads [B05B](#); devices for suspending or supporting the supply pipe or supply hose of a shower bath [E03C 1/06](#); heated bath tubs [F24H 1/0072](#)})

Definition statement

This place covers:

Bath tubs standing alone or built in, showers and shower cabins or screens; Accessories for bath tubs and showers.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Bathes for curative purposes	A61H , A61M
Bathing devices for special therapeutic or hygienic purposes	A61H 33/00
Shower heads	B05B
Suspending the sully pipe	E03C 1/06
Heated bathes	F24H 1/0072

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Details of shower partitions	A47K 3/00
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A47K 4/00

Combinations of baths, douches, sinks, wash-basins, closets, or urinals, not covered by a single other group of this subclass {(such combinations when connected to water supply or waste pipe [E03C 1/01](#))}

Definition statement

This place covers:

Combinations of different sanitary appliances.

References**Limiting references**

This place does not cover:

Combinations describing also the connection to the waste pipe	E03C 1/01
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Holders or dispensers for soap, toothpaste, or the like (specially adapted for shaving soap or cosmetics [A45D 33/00](#) - [A45D 40/00](#))

Definition statement

This place covers:

Holders or dispensers for solid powdered and liquid soap; Toothpaste; Foam or lather making devices for soap.

References**Limiting references**

This place does not cover:

Shaving soap or cosmetics	A45D 33/00 - A45D 40/00
Pliable containers with auxiliary devices for expelling the contents	B65D 35/28

A47K 7/00

Body washing or cleaning implements (bathing devices for special therapeutic or hygienic purposes [A61H 33/00](#); baths for specific parts of the body [A61H 35/00](#))

Definition statement

This place covers:

Devices for cleaning the human body, with or without containing soap; mechanically driven devices; Devices used by hand or fixed to the wall or bathtub.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Bathtubs or showers per se	A47K 3/00
Bathing devices for special therapeutic or hygienic purposes	A61H 33/00

A47K 10/00

Body-drying implements; Toilet paper; Holders therefor

Definition statement

This place covers:

Body-drying implements like towels, from fabric or paper and their dispensers, hand or mechanically driven; Toilet paper and its holders and dispensers, hand or mechanically driven; Drying the body by hot air.

Relationships with other classification places

Reusable packages or containers are classified in [A47K](#), not reusable packages or containers are classified in [B65D](#).

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Hair drying	A45D 20/00
Curative hot-air baths	A61H 33/06
Sheet or web dispensers in general	B65H
Electric heating elements	H05B

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Details of dispensers	A47K 10/32
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A47K 11/00

Closets without flushing (closets with recirculation of bowl-cleaning fluid [E03D 5/016](#)); Urinals without flushing (for vehicles in general [B60R](#); closets for railway-cars [B61D](#); for ships [B63B](#); for aircraft [B64D](#); urinals with flushing arrangements [E03D 13/00](#)); Chamber pots; Chairs with toilet conveniences or specially adapted for use with toilets

Definition statement

This place covers:

Closets and urinals not connected to the water supply line or the sewerage; Chamber pots and chairs with toilet arrangements; Cleaning tools for the toilet bowl.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Portable urinating aids	A61F 5/455
Closets or urinals for vehicles	B60R
Closets or urinals for railway cars	B61D
Closets or urinals for ships	B63B
Closets or urinals for aircraft	B64D
Closets or urinals connected to the water supply line and the sewerage	E03D
Closets with recirculation of bowl-cleaning fluid	E03D 5/016
Devices for emptying or cleaning chamber-pots, bed-pans or the like	E03D 11/025
Urinals with flushing arrangements	E03D 13/00

A47K 11/023

{Incinerator closets}

Definition statement

This place covers:

Toilets provided with any devices for directly consuming, e.g. by burning excreta, i.e. urine and faeces and/or deodorize relative emissions, irrespective of the type of heating means used.

Accessories, e.g. pre-treatment devices, specially adapted or arranged to these toilets.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Incinerators specially adapted for consuming animal litter	F23G 7/00
Sewage, sludge or waste products from water treatment installations	F23G 7/001

Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Incinerators having supplementary heating, e.g. electric	F23G 5/08
Control systems for incinerators	F23G 5/50

A47K 13/00

Seats or covers for all kinds of closets {(dog or cat toilets adapted to fit on conventional toilets [A01K 1/0121](#))}

Definition statement

This place covers:

Toilet seats and covers and all accessories therefore, e.g. mounting, cleaning devices, heating, ventilating devices, user protections.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Dog or cat toilets	A01K 1/0121
Controlling the flushing valve while raising or lowering the seat	E03D 5/04
Cleaning devices with flushing for the toilet bowl	E03D 9/00

Special rules of classification

Devices for cleaning, heating and ventilating are classified here only if incorporated in the seat but not in the bowl.

A47K 17/00

Other equipment {, e.g. separate apparatus for deodorising, disinfecting or cleaning devices without flushing for toilet bowls, seats or covers; Holders for toilet brushes} ({portable urinating aids [A61F 5/4556](#);} devices for receiving spittle [A61J 19/00](#) {; disinfecting apparatus for medical, surgical or hygienic purposes [A61L](#); cleaning devices with flushing for toilet bowls, seats or covers [E03D 9/00](#); for emptying or cleaning chamber-pots, bed pans, bed urinals or the like [E03D 11/025](#)})

Definition statement

This place covers:

Other equipment concerning the sanitary devices not otherwise provided in [A47K](#); Body supports which are no seats; Separate apparatus for deodorising, disinfecting or cleaning devices without flushing for toilet bowls, seats or covers; Holders for toilet brushes.

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Portable urinating aids	A61F 5/4556
Devices for receiving spittle	A61J 19/00
Disinfecting apparatus for medical, surgical or hygienic purposes	A61L
Cleaning devices with flushing for toilet bowls, seats or covers	E03D 9/00
Devices for emptying or cleaning chamber-pots, bed pans, bed urinals	E03D 11/025