E03C

DOMESTIC PLUMBING INSTALLATIONS FOR FRESH WATER OR WASTE WATER (not connected to either water-supply main or to waste pipe A47K; devices of the kind used in the ground E03B, E03F); SINKS

E03C 1/00

Domestic plumbing installations for fresh water or waste water; Sinks {(work tops A47B 77/022)}

Definition statement

This place covers:

Water dispensing devices for bathroom and kitchen; constructional features of wash basins and sinks; draining devices for wash basins and sinks

References

Limiting references

This place does not cover:

Wash-stands without connection to either water supply or waste pipe	A47K 1/00
Plugs for wash basins	A47K 1/14
Constructional features of shower bases and bath tubs	A47K 3/00
Bathing devices for therapeutic purposes; constructional features of nozzles for whirlpools	A61H 33/00
Mechanical filtering devices	B01D
Disintegrating in general	B02C
Nozzles and liquid spraying devices in general	B05B
Roses; Shower heads	B05B 1/18
Fountains in general	B05B 17/08
Cleaning of pipes in general	B08B
Beverages on draught with tap	B67D 1/00
Local water supply pipe systems	E03B
De-clogging devices specially adapted for toilets	E03D 9/00
Devices in the toilet bowl producing upwardly directed sprays	E03D 9/08
Building parts characterised by incorporated canalisations	E04B 1/0023
Fixing elements in general	F16B
Valves, taps and stopcocks in general	F16K
Water conduits and pipes in general	F16L
Lighting devices	F21V
Domestic hot water supply systems	F24D
Constructional features of different sensor types used for control of taps	G01
Control of flow rate in general	G05D 7/00

Control of temperature in general	G05D 23/00

Application-oriented references

Examples of places where the subject matter of this place is covered when specially adapted, used for a particular purpose, or incorporated in a larger system:

Sanitary equipment in rail vehicles	B61D 35/00
Sanitary facilities specially adapted for use in ships	B63B 29/14
Sanitary equipment in aircrafts	B64D 11/02
Cleaning or other treatment of water	C02F
Hand-held spray heads for washing of buttocks	E03D 9/08

Informative references

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

Filters mounted on faucet or tap	B01D 35/04
Combinations of wash basins with toilet bowl or toilet cistern	E03D
Odour seals for floor drains or level access showers	E03F 5/04
Adjusting tools for anchoring of elements in building walls	E04G 21/185

Special rules of classification

Water monitoring or leakage prevention for domestic plumbing installations are classified in E03C 1/00.

Built-in wall boxes for taps are classified in E03C 1/021.

Combined water inlet and overflow for bathtubs are classified in E03C 1/04, E03C 1/24 and indexing code E03C 2201/80.

Documents for E03C 1/10 having an air gap device (E03C 1/102) in combination with one or more valves (E03C 1/104, E03C 1/106, E03C 1/108) are to be classified in the two subgroups concerned.

Connecting supplementary waste water sources to waste pipe are classified in E03C 1/184.

Tub boxes for collecting leakage water are classified in E03C 1/20.

E03C 2201/90 applies to documents which are not to be classified in E03C 1/324.

Devices for cleaning domestic waste pipes which can also be used in sewage pipes are classified in E03F 9/00.

Documents for E03C 1/281 concerning urinals are also classified in the corresponding subgroup in E03D 13/00.

The subgroups below E03C 2201/00 are given to documents showing sufficient information of the respective feature to be used for a future search, without this feature forming the invention.