

A46D

MANUFACTURE OF BRUSHES

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Tools, machines, blanks and methods for manufacturing brushes

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Bristles; Selection of materials for bristles (making artificial bristles D01D, D01F)

References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Making artificial bristles	D01D , D01F
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Glossary of terms

In this subclass/group, the following terms (or expressions) are used with the meaning indicated:

The term "Selection of materials for the bristles" refers to the material in which the bristle yarn is made.

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Preparing, [N: i.e. Manufacturing] brush bodies

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Methods and devices for making brushes.

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[N: by moulding or casting a body around bristles or tufts of bristles]

References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Injection moulding	B29C 45/14385
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[N: of the carousel or drum type (A46D3/067 takes precedence)]

References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Featuring simultaneous pivoting of bodies for drilling and filling	A46D 3/067
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A46D 3/065

[N: of the belt or chain type (A46D3/067 takes precedence)]

References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Featuring simultaneous pivoting of bodies for drilling and filling	A46D 3/067
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Devices for preparing quills for use as carriers for bristles

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Pressing devices for making brooms composed of brushwood or the like

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Tools or elements for pressing the bristles together generally on the anchoring side in the process of manufacturing/assembling a broom.

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Machines for finishing brushes [N: (A46D1/00 and A46D3/00 take precedence)]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Machines for finishing or testing completed brushes.

References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Bristles; Selection of materials for bristles	A46D 1/00 to A46D 1/10
Preparing, Manufacturing brush bodies	A46D 3/00

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Subject matter not provided for in other groups of this subclass