

CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

A HUMAN NECESSITIES

HEALTH; AMUSEMENT

A61 MEDICAL OR VETERINARY SCIENCE; HYGIENE

A61Q SPECIFIC USE OF COSMETICS OR SIMILAR TOILET PREPARATIONS

NOTES

1. This subclass covers the use of cosmetics or similar toilet preparations already classified as such in main group [A61K 8/00](#) or in addition thereto in subclasses [C11D](#) and [C12N](#) or in classes [C01](#), [C07](#) and [C08](#).
2. When classifying this subclass, subclass [A61P](#) {is for secondary classification and} covers therapeutic activity of chemical compounds or medicinal preparations.

WARNING

In this subclass non-limiting references (in the sense of paragraph 39 of the Guide to the IPC) may still be displayed in the scheme.

1/00	Make-up preparations; Body powders; Preparations for removing make-up	9/04	. Depilatories
1/02	. Preparations containing skin colorants, e.g. pigments (preparations in powder form A61Q 1/12)	11/00	Preparations for care of the teeth, of the oral cavity or of dentures; Dentifrices, e.g. toothpastes; Mouth rinses
1/025	. . {Semi-permanent tattoos, stencils, e.g. "permanent make-up"}	11/02	. Preparations for deodorising, bleaching or disinfecting dentures
1/04	. . for lips	13/00	Formulations or additives for perfume preparations (essential oils or perfumes per se C11B 9/00)
1/06	. . . Lipsticks	15/00	Anti-perspirants or body deodorants (deodorisation of air A61L 9/00)
1/08	. . for cheeks, e.g. rouge	17/00	Barrier preparations; Preparations brought into direct contact with the skin for affording protection against external influences, e.g. sunlight, X-rays or other harmful rays, corrosive materials, bacteria or insect stings (chemical means for combating harmful chemical agents A62D 3/00)
1/10	. . for eyes, e.g. eyeliner, mascara	17/005	. {Antimicrobial preparations}
1/12	. Face or body powders for grooming, adorning or absorbing	17/02	. containing insect repellants
1/14	. Preparations for removing make-up		NOTE
1/145	. . {Tattoo removal}		References listed below indicate IPC places which could also be of interest when carrying out a search in respect of the subject-matter covered by the preceding group: Pest repellants A01N
3/00	Manicure or pedicure preparations	17/04	. Topical preparations for affording protection against sunlight or other radiation; Topical sun tanning preparations
3/02	. Nail coatings	19/00	Preparations for care of the skin
3/04	. Nail coating removers	19/001	. {Preparations for care of the lips}
5/00	Preparations for care of the hair	19/002	. {Aftershave preparations}
5/002	. {Preparations for repairing the hair, e.g. hair cure}	19/004	. {Aftersun preparations}
5/004	. {Preparations used to protect coloured hair}	19/005	. {Preparations for sensitive skin}
5/006	. {Antidandruff preparations}	19/007	. {Preparations for dry skin}
5/008	. {Preparations for oily hair}	19/008	. {Preparations for oily skin}
5/02	. Preparations for cleaning the hair	19/02	. for chemically bleaching or whitening the skin
5/04	. Preparations for permanent waving or straightening the hair		
5/06	. Preparations for styling the hair, e.g. by temporary shaping or colouring		
5/065	. . {Preparations for temporary colouring the hair, e.g. direct dyes}		
5/08	. Preparations for bleaching the hair		
5/10	. Preparations for permanently dyeing the hair		
5/12	. Preparations containing hair conditioners		
7/00	Preparations for affecting hair growth		
7/02	. Preparations for inhibiting or slowing hair growth		
9/00	Preparations for removing hair or for aiding hair removal		
9/02	. Shaving preparations		

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- 19/04 . for chemically tanning the skin ([topical sun or radiation screening or tanning preparations A61Q 17/04](#))
- 19/06 . for countering cellulitis
- 19/08 . Anti-ageing preparations
- 19/10 . Washing or bathing preparations
- 90/00 Cosmetics or similar toilet preparations for specific uses not provided for in other groups of this subclass**