

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****A61Q****SPECIFIC USE OF COSMETICS OR SIMILAR TOILET PREPARATIONS****NOTE**

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. Since subclass **A61P** is not activated in ECLA, relevant IPC Note (2) is not applicable.

**WARNING**

The groups of subclass [A61Q](#) are incomplete. See provisionally also **[A61K7/00](#)** and subgroups

**A61Q 1/00****Make-up preparations; Body powders; Preparations for removing make-up**

## A61Q 1/02

- . Preparations containing skin colorants, e.g. pigments ([preparations in powder form A61Q 1/12](#))

## A61Q 1/025

- .. {Semi-permanent tattoos, stencils, e.g. "permanent make-up"}

## A61Q 1/04

- .. for lips

## A61Q 1/06

- ... Lipsticks

## A61Q 1/08

- .. for cheeks, e.g. rouge

## A61Q 1/10

- .. for eyes, e.g. eyeliner, mascara

## A61Q 1/12

- . Face or body powders for grooming, adorning or absorbing

## A61Q 1/14

- . Preparations for removing make-up

## A61Q 1/145

- .. {Tattoo removal}

**A61Q 3/00****Manicure or pedicure preparations**

## A61Q 3/02

- . Nail coatings

## A61Q 3/04

- . Nail coating removers

**A61Q 5/00****Preparations for care of the hair**

## A61Q 5/002

- . {Preparations for repairing the hair, e.g. hair cure}

## A61Q 5/004

- . {Preparations used to protect coloured hair}

## A61Q 5/006

- . {Antidandruff preparations}

## A61Q 5/008

- . {Preparations for oily hair}

## A61Q 5/02

- . Preparations for cleaning the hair

## A61Q 5/04

- . Preparations for permanent waving or straightening the hair

## A61Q 5/06

- . Preparations for styling the hair, e.g. by temporary shaping or colouring

## A61Q 5/065

- .. {Preparations for temporary colouring the hair, e.g. direct dyes}

## A61Q 5/08

- . Preparations for bleaching the hair

- A61Q 5/10 . Preparations for permanently dyeing the hair
- A61Q 5/12 . Preparations containing hair conditioners

**A61Q 7/00** **Preparations for affecting hair growth** (preparations with therapeutic activity [A61P17/14](#))

**NOTE**

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: Preparations with therapeutic activities [A61P 17/14](#)

- A61Q 7/02 . Preparations for inhibiting or slowing hair growth

**A61Q 9/00** **Preparations for removing hair or for aiding hair removal**

- A61Q 9/02 . Shaving preparations
- A61Q 9/04 . Depilatories

**A61Q 11/00** **Preparations for care of the teeth, of the oral cavity or of dentures; Dentifrices, e.g. toothpastes; Mouth rinses**

- A61Q 11/02 . Preparations for deodorising, bleaching or disinfecting dentures

**A61Q 13/00** **Formulations or additives for perfume preparations** (essential oils or perfumes per se [C11B 9/00](#))

**A61Q 15/00** **Anti-perspirants or body deodorants** (deodorisation of air [A61L 9/00](#))

**A61Q 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](#)) **Note: drugs for treating burns** [A61P17/02](#)

- A61Q 17/005 . {Antimicrobial preparations}
- A61Q 17/02 . Containing insect repellants

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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](#)

- A61Q 17/04 . Topical preparations for affording protection against sunlight or other radiation; Topical sun tanning preparations

**A61Q 19/00** **Preparations for care of the skin**

- A61Q 19/001 . {Preparations for care of the lips}
- A61Q 19/002 . {Aftershave preparations}
- A61Q 19/004 . {Aftersun preparations}
- A61Q 19/005 . {Preparations for sensitive skin}

- A61Q 19/007 . {Preparations for dry skin}
- A61Q 19/008 . {Preparations for oily skin}
- A61Q 19/02 . for chemically bleaching or whitening the skin
- A61Q 19/04 . for chemically tanning the skin (topical sun or radiation screening or tanning preparations [A61Q 17/04](#))
- A61Q 19/06 . for countering cellulitis
- A61Q 19/08 . Anti-ageing preparations
- A61Q 19/10 . Washing or bathing preparations
- A61Q 90/00** **Cosmetics or similar toilet preparations for specific uses not provided for in other groups of this subclass**