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## Class 10

Surgical, medical, dental and veterinary apparatus and instruments; artificial limbs, eyes and teeth; orthopaedic articles; suture materials; therapeutic and assistive devices adapted for the disabled; massage apparatus; apparatus, devices and articles for nursing infants; sexual activity apparatus, devices and articles.

### Explanatory Note

Class 10 includes mainly surgical, medical, dental and veterinary apparatus, instruments and articles generally used for the diagnosis, treatment or improvement of function or condition of persons and animals.

This Class includes, in particular:

- supportive bandages and special clothing for medical purposes, for example, compression garments, stockings for varices, strait jackets, orthopaedic footwear;
- articles, instruments and devices for menstruation, contraception and childbirth, for example, menstrual cups, pessaries, condoms, childbirth mattresses, forceps;
- therapeutic and prosthetic articles and devices for implantation composed of artificial or synthetic materials, for example, surgical implants composed of artificial materials, artificial breasts, brain pacemakers, biodegradable bone fixation implants;
- furniture especially made for medical purposes, for example, armchairs for medical or dental purposes, air mattresses for medical purposes, operating tables.

This Class does not include, in particular:

- medical dressings and absorbent sanitary articles, for example, plasters, bandages and gauze for dressings, breast-nursing pads, babies' napkins and napkins for incontinents, tampons (Cl. 5);
- surgical implants comprised of living tissue (Cl. 5);
- tobacco-free cigarettes for medical purposes (Cl. 5) and electronic cigarettes (Cl. 34);
- wheelchairs and mobility scooters (Cl. 12);
- massage tables and hospital beds (Cl. 20).

Basic No.	Indication
100001	<b>abdominal</b> belts
100003	<b>abdominal</b> corsets
100098	<b>abdominal</b> pads
100228	apparatus for <b>acne</b> treatment
100199	<b>acupuncture</b> needles
100202	electric <b>acupuncture</b> instruments
100160	<b>aerosol</b> dispensers for medical purposes
100162	<b>air</b> cushions for medical purposes
100163	<b>air</b> mattresses for medical purposes
100161	<b>air</b> pillows for medical purposes
100037	<b>ambulance</b> stretchers
100057	<b>anaesthetic</b> apparatus

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100112	<b>anaesthetic</b> masks
100244	<b>analysers</b> for bacterial identification for medical purposes / <b>analyzers</b> for bacterial identification for medical purposes
100250	<b>anti-rheumatism</b> bracelets
100251	<b>anti-rheumatism</b> rings
100245	<b>apparatus</b> for DNA and RNA exams for medical purposes
100246	<b>apparatus</b> for the regeneration of stem cells for medical purposes
100040	<b>arch</b> supports for footwear
100088	<b>armchairs</b> for medical or dental purposes
100139	apparatus for <b>artificial</b> respiration
100141	<b>artificial</b> breasts
100159	<b>artificial</b> eyes
100111	<b>artificial</b> jaws
100117	<b>artificial</b> limbs
100125	<b>artificial</b> skin for surgical purposes
100052	<b>artificial</b> teeth
100127	<b>balling</b> guns / <b>bolus</b> guns
100020	<b>bandages</b> for joints, anatomical / <b>supportive</b> bandages
100022	<b>bandages</b> , elastic
100026	<b>basins</b> for medical purposes
100025	<b>bed</b> pans
100157	<b>bed</b> vibrators
100173	<b>beds</b> specially made for medical purposes
100045	<b>belts</b> for medical purposes
100175	<b>belts</b> , electric, for medical purposes
100237	<b>biodegradable</b> bone fixation implants
100191	<b>blankets</b> , electric, for medical purposes
100087	<b>blood</b> testing apparatus
100248	<b>body</b> composition monitors
100247	<b>body</b> fat monitors
100221	<b>body</b> rehabilitation apparatus for medical purposes

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100031	<b>boots</b> for medical purposes
100252	<b>bracelets</b> for medical purposes
100235	<b>brain</b> pacemakers
100107	<b>breast</b> pumps
100178	<b>brushes</b> for cleaning body cavities
100042	<b>cannulae</b>
100116	<b>cases</b> fitted for medical instruments
100055	instrument <b>cases</b> for use by doctors
100049	<b>castrating</b> pincers
100035	<b>catgut</b>
100015	<b>catheters</b>
100004	<b>childbirth</b> mattresses
100007	<b>clips</b> , surgical
100200	<b>clothing</b> especially for operating rooms
100210	<b>commode</b> chairs
100233	<b>compression</b> garments
100060	<b>compressors</b> [surgical]
100128	<b>condoms</b>
100216	<b>containers</b> especially made for medical waste
100184	<b>contraceptives</b> , non-chemical
100062	<b>corn</b> knives
100183	<b>corsets</b> for medical purposes
100168	<b>crutches</b>
100155	<b>cupping</b> glasses
100064	<b>cushions</b> for medical purposes
100211	<b>defibrillators</b>
100073	<b>dental</b> apparatus and instruments
100179	<b>dental</b> apparatus, electric
100072	<b>dental</b> burs
100048	<b>dentists'</b> armchairs
100076	<b>dentures</b> / <b>sets</b> of artificial teeth

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100201	<b>diagnostic</b> apparatus for medical purposes
100212	<b>dialyzers</b>
100218	<b>douche</b> bags
100081	<b>drainage</b> tubes for medical purposes
100013	<b>draw-sheets</b> for sick beds
100089	<b>dropper</b> bottles for medical purposes
100061	<b>droppers</b> for medical purposes
100145	<b>dummies</b> [teats] for babies / <b>babies'</b> pacifiers [teats] / <b>pacifiers</b> for babies / <b>teats</b>
100071	<b>ear</b> picks
100224	<b>ear</b> plugs [ <b>ear</b> protection devices]
100006	<b>ear</b> trumpets
100165	<b>elastic</b> stockings for surgical purposes / <b>elastic</b> stockings [surgery]
100084	<b>electrocardiographs</b>
100174	<b>electrodes</b> for medical use
100231	<b>endoscopy</b> cameras for medical purposes
100104	<b>enema</b> apparatus for medical purposes
100063	<b>esthetic</b> massage apparatus
100170	<b>feeding</b> bottle teats
100169	<b>feeding</b> bottle valves
100028	<b>feeding</b> bottles / <b>babies'</b> bottles
100181	<b>filters</b> for ultraviolet rays, for medical purposes
100079	<b>finger</b> guards for medical purposes
100090	<b>forceps</b>
100182	<b>fumigation</b> apparatus for medical purposes
100119	<b>furniture</b> especially made for medical purposes
100023	<b>galvanic</b> belts for medical purposes
100091	<b>galvanic</b> therapeutic appliances
100093	<b>gastroscopes</b>
100092	<b>gloves</b> for massage
100043	<b>gloves</b> for medical purposes
100095	<b>haemocytometers</b> / <b>hemocytometers</b>

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100192	<b>hair</b> prostheses
100005	<b>hearing</b> aids
100124	<b>hearing</b> protectors
100203	<b>heart</b> pacemakers
100232	<b>heart</b> rate monitoring apparatus
100050	<b>heating</b> cushions [pads], electric, for medical purposes / <b>heating</b> cushions, electric, for medical purposes / <b>heating</b> pads, electric, for medical purposes
100011	<b>hot</b> air therapeutic apparatus
100012	<b>hot</b> air vibrators for medical purposes
100096	<b>hydrostatic</b> [water] beds for medical purposes / <b>hydrostatic</b> beds for medical purposes / <b>water</b> beds for medical purposes
100097	<b>hypodermic</b> syringes
100002	<b>hypogastric</b> belts
100094	<b>ice</b> bags for medical purposes
100236	<b>implantable</b> subcutaneous drug delivery devices
100014	<b>incontinence</b> sheets
100177	<b>incubators</b> for babies
100067	<b>incubators</b> for medical purposes
100099	<b>inhalers</b>
100100	<b>injectors</b> for medical purposes
100103	<b>insufflators</b>
100204	<b>invalids'</b> hoists
100193	<b>knee</b> bandages, orthopaedic / <b>knee</b> bandages, orthopedic
100029	<b>knives</b> for surgical purposes
100108	<b>lamps</b> for medical purposes
100077	<b>lancets</b>
100106	<b>lasers</b> for medical purposes
100194	<b>lenses</b> [intraocular prostheses] for surgical implantation / <b>intraocular</b> prostheses [lenses] for surgical implantation
100229	<b>lice</b> combs
100219	<b>love</b> dolls [sex dolls]
100205	<b>masks</b> for use by medical personnel
100113	<b>massage</b> apparatus

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100046	<b>maternity</b> belts
100114	<b>medical</b> apparatus and instruments
100213	<b>medical</b> guidewires
100241	<b>menstrual</b> cups
100220	<b>microdermabrasion</b> apparatus
100078	<b>mirrors</b> for dentists
100118	<b>mirrors</b> for surgeons
100239	<b>nasal</b> aspirators
100008	<b>needles</b> for medical purposes
100016	<b>nursing</b> appliances
100120	<b>obstetric</b> apparatus
100027	<b>obstetric</b> apparatus for cattle
100150	<b>operating</b> tables
100122	<b>ophthalmometers</b>
100123	<b>ophthalmoscopes</b>
100214	<b>orthodontic</b> appliances
100243	<b>orthodontic</b> rubber bands
100047	<b>orthopaedic</b> belts / <b>orthopedic</b> belts
100051	<b>orthopaedic</b> footwear / <b>orthopedic</b> footwear
100171	<b>orthopaedic</b> soles / <b>orthopedic</b> soles
100038	<b>orthopedic</b> articles / <b>orthopaedic</b> articles
100195	<b>pads</b> [pouches] for preventing pressure sores on patient bodies
100010	<b>pessaries</b>
100176	<b>physical</b> exercise apparatus for medical purposes
100196	<b>physiotherapy</b> apparatus
100074	<b>pins</b> for artificial teeth
100206	<b>plaster</b> bandages for orthopaedic purposes / <b>plaster</b> bandages for orthopedic purposes
100085	<b>probes</b> for medical purposes
100137	<b>protection</b> devices against X-rays, for medical purposes
100222	<b>pulse</b> meters
100086	<b>pumps</b> for medical purposes

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100230	<b>quad</b> canes for medical purposes
100130	<b>quartz</b> lamps for medical purposes
100133	<b>radiological</b> apparatus for medical purposes
100083	<b>radiology</b> screens for medical purposes
100134	<b>radiotherapy</b> apparatus
100017	<b>radium</b> tubes for medical purposes
100115	<b>receptacles</b> for applying medicines
100138	<b>respirators</b> for artificial respiration
100242	<b>respiratory</b> masks for artificial respiration
100135	<b>resuscitation</b> apparatus
100140	<b>saws</b> for surgical purposes
100030	<b>scalpels</b>
100058	<b>scissors</b> for surgery
100234	<b>sex</b> toys
100217	<b>slings</b> [supporting bandages]
100101	<b>soporific</b> pillows for insomnia
100129	<b>sphygmotensimeters</b> / <b>arterial</b> blood pressure measuring apparatus / <b>sphygmomanometers</b>
100197	<b>spirometers</b> [medical apparatus]
100034	<b>spittoons</b> for medical purposes
100021	<b>splints</b> , surgical
100069	<b>spoons</b> for administering medicine
100223	<b>stents</b>
100172	<b>sterile</b> sheets, surgical
100144	<b>stethoscopes</b>
100166	<b>stockings</b> for varices
100041	<b>strait</b> jackets
100036	<b>stretchers</b> , wheeled / <b>gurneys</b> , wheeled
100146	<b>supports</b> for flat feet
100054	<b>surgical</b> apparatus and instruments
100033	<b>surgical</b> bougies
100065	<b>surgical</b> cutlery

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100207	<b>surgical</b> drapes
100208	<b>surgical</b> implants comprised of artificial materials
100053	<b>surgical</b> sponges
100148	<b>suspensory</b> bandages
100149	<b>suture</b> materials
100009	<b>suture</b> needles
100080	<b>syringes</b> for injections
100164	<b>syringes</b> for medical purposes
100240	<b>teeth</b> protectors for dental purposes
100018	<b>teething</b> rings
100225	<b>temperature</b> indicator labels for medical purposes
100180	<b>testing</b> apparatus for medical purposes / <b>apparatus</b> for use in medical analysis
100209	<b>thermal</b> packs for first aid purposes
100059	<b>thermo-electric</b> compresses [surgery]
100198	<b>thermometers</b> for medical purposes
100056	<b>thread</b> , surgical
100126	<b>tips</b> for crutches
100249	<b>toe</b> separators for orthopaedic purposes / <b>toe</b> separators for orthopedic purposes
100227	<b>tomographs</b> for medical purposes
100238	<b>tongue</b> depressors for medical purposes
100070	<b>tongue</b> scrapers
100215	<b>traction</b> apparatus for medical purposes
100147	apparatus for the <b>treatment</b> of deafness
100151	<b>trocars</b>
100039	<b>trusses</b> / <b>hernia</b> bandages
100105	<b>ultraviolet</b> ray lamps for medical purposes
100121	<b>umbilical</b> belts
100153	<b>urethral</b> probes
100154	<b>urethral</b> syringes
100110	<b>urinals</b> [vessels]
100102	<b>urological</b> apparatus and instruments



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100142	<b>uterine</b> syringes
100143	<b>vaginal</b> syringes
100109	<b>vaporizers</b> for medical purposes
100156	<b>veterinary</b> apparatus and instruments
100158	<b>vibromassage</b> apparatus
100226	<b>walking</b> frames for disabled persons
100044	appliances for <b>washing</b> body cavities
100082	<b>water</b> bags for medical purposes
100024	<b>X-ray</b> apparatus for medical purposes
100132	<b>X-ray</b> photographs for medical purposes
100136	<b>X-ray</b> tubes for medical purposes
100131	apparatus and installations for the production of <b>X-rays</b> , for medical purposes