

NICE CLASSIFICATION - 13th Edition, Version 2026

Class 4

Industrial oils and greases, wax; lubricants; dust absorbing, wetting and binding compositions; fuels and illuminants; candles and wicks for lighting.

Explanatory Note

Class 4 includes mainly industrial oils and greases, fuels and illuminants.

This Class includes, in particular:

- oils for the preservation of masonry or of leather;
- raw wax, industrial wax;
- electrical energy;
- motor fuels, biofuels;
- non-chemical additives for fuels;
- wood for use as fuel.

This Class does not include, in particular:

- certain special industrial oils and greases, for example, oils for tanning leather (Cl. 1), oils for the preservation of wood, anti-rust oils and greases (Cl. 2);
- certain special waxes, for example, grafting wax for trees (Cl. 1), tailors' wax, polishing wax, depilatory wax (Cl. 3), dental wax (Cl. 5), sealing wax (Cl. 16);
- massage candles for cosmetic purposes (Cl. 3) or for therapeutic purposes (Cl. 5);
- wicks adapted for oil stoves (Cl. 11) and for cigarette lighters (Cl. 34).

Basic No.	Indication
040085	additives, non-chemical, to motor fuel
040003	alcohol [fuel]
040008	anthracite
040116	beeswax for use in the manufacture of cosmetics
040001	beeswax*
040028	belting wax
040112	benzene fuel
040110	benzine
040111	biomass fuel
040067	bone oil for industrial purposes
040015	candles* / tapers
040081	carburants / motor fuel
040021	carnauba wax
040089	castor oil for industrial purposes

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040022	ceresine
040014	charcoal [fuel]
040023	coal
040016	coal briquettes
040072	coal dust [fuel]
040054	coal naphtha
040053	coal tar oil
040031	coke
040019	combustible briquettes
040101	cutting fluids
040122	dielectric oil for use in metalworking
040048	diesel oil / gas oil
040109	dust absorbing compositions
040012	dust binding compositions for sweeping
040079	dust laying compositions
040038	dust removing preparations
040106	electrical energy
040107	ethanol [fuel]
040007	firelighters
040013	firewood
040057	fish oil for industrial purposes
040049	fuel gas
040084	fuel oil / combustible oil
040004	fuel with an alcohol base
040025	fuel*
040040	gas for lighting
040118	gear oil
040011	grease for arms [weapons]
040033	grease for belts
040026	grease for footwear
040034	grease for leather

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040086	greases for the preservation of leather
040117	hookah charcoal
040123	hydrogen fuel
040035	industrial grease
040087	industrial oil
040030	industrial wax
040059	kerosene
040061	lamp wicks
040115	lanolin for use in the manufacture of cosmetics
040041	lighting fuel
040062	lignite
040045	ligroin
040063	lubricants
040052	lubricating graphite
040060	lubricating grease
040042	lubricating oil
040064	mazut
040002	methylated spirit
040032	mineral fuel
040056	moistening oil
040104	motor oil
040066	naphtha
040124	natural gas
040009	non-slipping preparations for belts
040050	oil-gas
040039	oils for lighting
040102	oils for paints
040036	oils for releasing form work [building]
040090	oils for the preservation of leather
040055	oils for the preservation of masonry
040068	oleine

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040069	ozokerite / ozocerite
040005	paper spills for lighting fires
040070	paraffin
040024	peat [fuel]
040017	peat briquettes [fuel]
040105	perfumed candles
040043	petrol / gasoline
040044	petroleum ether
040047	petroleum jelly for industrial purposes
040071	petroleum, raw or refined
040103	producer gas
040065	rape oil for industrial purposes / colza oil for industrial purposes
040088	solidified gases [fuel]
040121	soy candles
040058	soya bean oil preparations for non-stick treatment of cooking utensils
040073	stearine
040075	sunflower oil for industrial purposes
040037	tallow
040080	textile oil
040108	tinder
040020	vaporized fuel mixtures
040076	votive candles
040027	wax [raw material]
040029	wax for lighting
040114	wax for skis
040046	wicks for candles
040018	wood briquettes
040120	wood chips for smoking and flavouring foods / wood chips for smoking and flavoring foods
040119	wood chips for use as fuel
040006	wood shavings for lighting fires
040074	wool grease / lanolin

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040113	xylene fuel
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