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Appliances — Specification  
Part 3 Specific Requirements of  
Squatting Pans  
(Sixth Revision)

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## FOREWORD

This Indian Standard (Part 3) (Sixth Revision) was adopted by the Bureau of Indian Standards, after the draft finalized by the Sanitary Appliances and Water Fittings Sectional Committee had been approved by the Civil Engineering Divisional Council.

This standard was first published in 1963 and thereafter revised in 1967, 1973, 1981, 1994 and 2004 respectively. In the last 2004 revision, saw dust and splash test were included. In this revision, the standard has been brought out in the latest style and format and following major modifications have been done:

- a) The main title of the standard has been modified from 'Vitreous sanitary appliances (vitreous China)' to 'Vitreous China sanitary appliances';
- b) Additional requirements for water efficiency and labelling of water closets have been incorporated through reference to the concerned Indian Standard; and
- c) Other changes, keeping in view the manufacturing practices prevalent in the country, have also been made.

This standard has been published in several parts. Other parts in this series are:

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| Part 1  | General requirements  |
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| Part 4  | Specific requirements of wash basins  |
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| Part 15 | Specific requirements of universal water closets  |
| Part 16 | Specific requirements of washdown wall mounted water closets                                      |
| Part 17 | Specific requirements of wall mounted bidets  |

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SDG 6: Clean water and sanitation

SDG 11: Sustainable cities and communities

SDG 12: Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns

The composition of the Committee responsible for the formulation of this standard is given in [Annex A](#).

For the purpose of deciding whether a particular requirement of this standard is complied with, the final value, observed or calculated, expressing the result of a test or analysis, shall be rounded off in accordance with IS 2 : 2022 'Rules for rounding off numerical values (*second revision*)'. The number of significant places retained in the rounded off value should be the same as that of the specified value in this standard.

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SPECIFICATION

## PART 3 SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS OF SQUATTING PANS

*( Sixth Revision )***1 SCOPE**

This standard (Part 3) covers the requirements for patterns, sizes, construction, dimensions, finish, flushing tests, inspection and marking for vitreous China squatting pans.

**2 REFERENCES**

The standards given below contain provisions which through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this standard. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision and parties to agreements based on this standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent edition of these standards:

<i>IS No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
IS 774 : 2021	Ceramic (vitreous China) flushing cisterns for water closets and urinals — Specification ( <i>sixth revision</i> )
IS 2556	Vitreous China sanitary appliances — Specification:
(Part 1) : 2021	General requirements ( <i>fourth revision</i> )
(Part 7) : 1995	Specific requirements of accessories for sanitary appliances ( <i>third revision</i> )
IS 9140 : 1996	Method for sampling of vitreous and fire clay sanitary appliances ( <i>second revision</i> )
IS 17650 (Part 1) : 2021	Water efficient plumbing products — Requirements: Part 1 Sanitaryware

**3 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

The general requirements relating to terminology, material and manufacture, glazing, defects, minimum thickness, tolerances, performance and methods of tests shall conform to IS 2556 (Part 1).

**4 PATTERNS AND SIZES**

4.1 Squatting pans shall be made in any of the following patterns and sizes:

<i>Sl No.</i>	<i>Pattern</i>	<i>Size, mm</i>	<i>Ref to Figure</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
i)	Long	580 and 630	<a href="#">Fig. 1A</a> and <a href="#">Fig. 1B</a>
ii)	Orissa	580 × 440 and 630 × 450	<a href="#">Fig. 2</a>
iii)	Rural	480	<a href="#">Fig. 3</a>

4.2 The squatting pan may also be made in other patterns and/or sizes where so agreed between the manufacturer and the purchaser. However, except for functional dimensions all other requirements as laid down in this standard shall be complied with.

**5 CONSTRUCTIONS**

5.1 Each pan shall have an integral flushing rim of suitable type. Rural pattern, however, shall have no integral flushing rim.

Squatting pan, both long and Orissa pattern, of 630 mm size shall be of the box rim type. Squatting pan of sizes smaller than 630 mm may be made either box rim or open rim type. In case of pans with box rim construction, number of holes shall be provided in the rim to satisfy requirements of flushing tests given in 8. The flushing rim shall have an inlet or supply horn for connecting the flush pipe. The flushing rim and inlet shall be of self-draining type. A weephole shall be provided at the flushing inlet of the pan. The flushing inlet, for the long pattern pan, may be located either at the narrow end or broad end or at both the ends as stipulated by the purchaser.

5.2 The inside of the bottom of the pan shall have sufficient slope from the front towards the outlet to enable easy and quick disposal while flushing. The exterior surface shall not be glazed, and this surface

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shall be sufficiently rough or scored or grooved at right angles to the axis of the outlet.

5.3 Each pan shall be provided with a trap where so specified by the purchaser. The trap for long and Orissa pattern pan shall have either 'P' or 'S' outlet with or without inspection vent as specified by the purchaser and the trap shall conform to the requirements given in IS 2556 (Part 7). The trap for rural pattern pan shall conform to the dimensions specified in Fig. 3B of IS 2556 (Part 7). The trap shall be glazed inside.

## 6 DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES

6.1 The functional and connecting dimensions of long and Orissa pattern pans shall conform to those given in Table 1 and Table 2 respectively read with Fig. 1A, Fig. 1B and Fig. 2. The dimensions of rural pattern shall be as shown in Fig. 3.

6.2 The top surface, in the case of long pattern shall not at any point vary from its design plane or contour by more than 6 mm for size 580 mm and by more than 10 mm for size 630 mm; the variation shall not exceed 10 mm in the case of Orissa pattern.

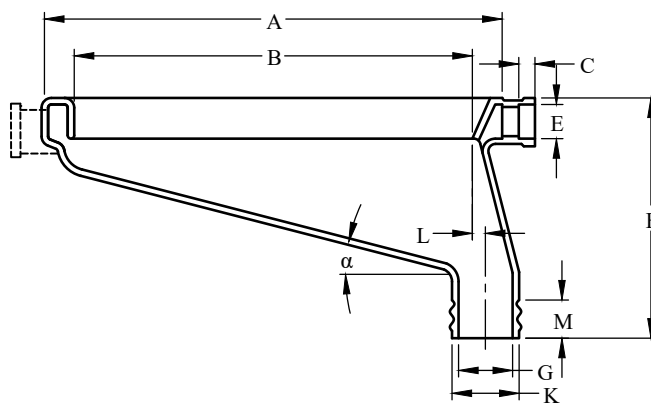
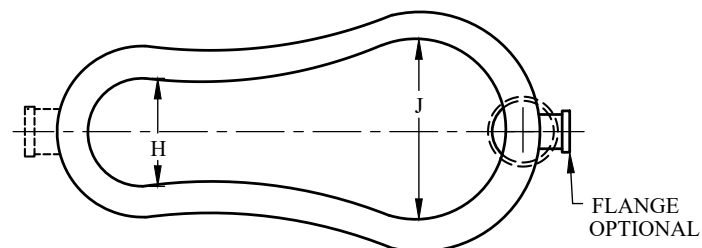
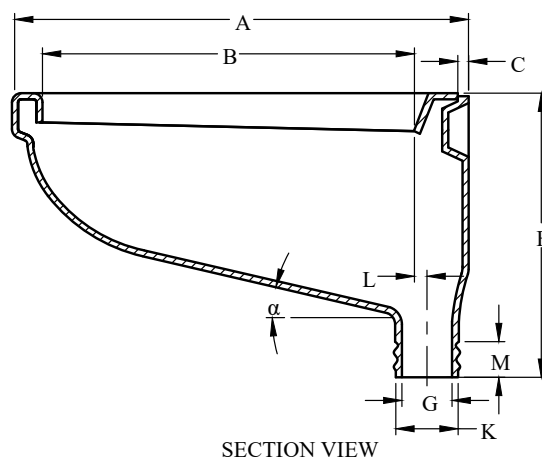
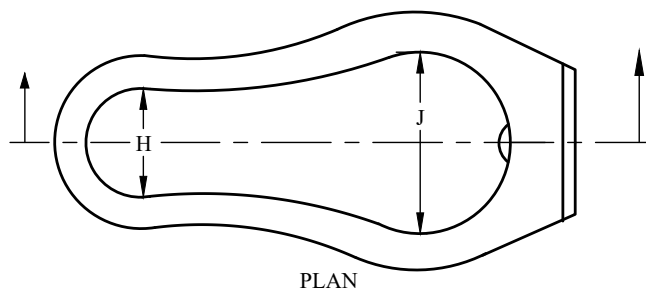


Fig. 1A TYPE I



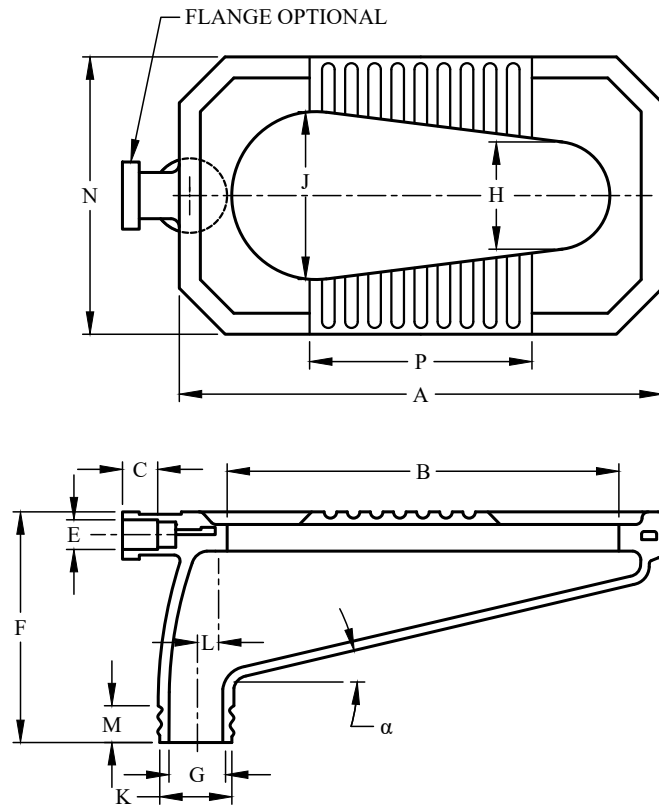
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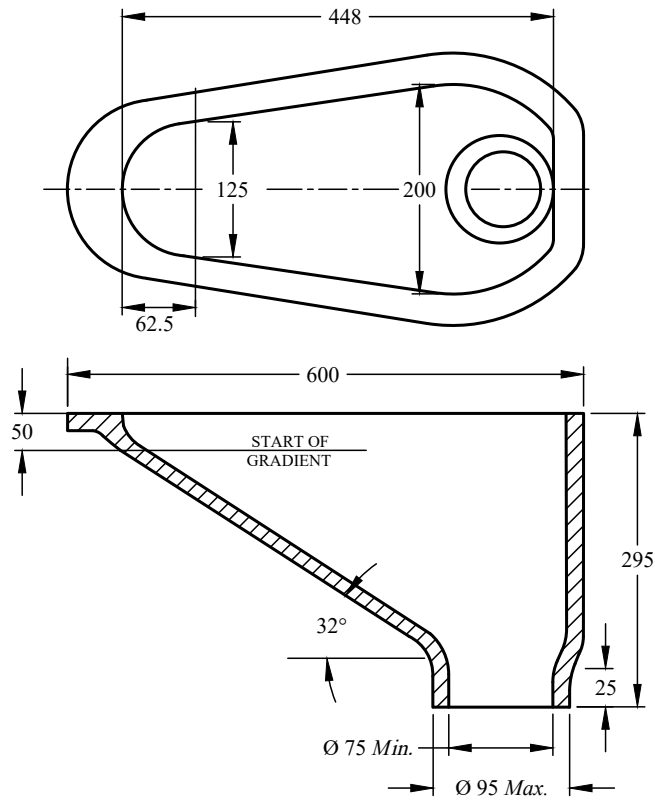
Fig. 1B TYPE II

FIG. 1 LONG PATTERN SQUATTING PAN



NOTE — Footrest may be flushed or raised, clearance permissible between raised footrest and rim opening.

FIG. 2 ORISSA PATTERN SQUATTING PAN



All dimensions in millimetres.

FIG. 3 RURAL PATTERN SQUATTING PAN

**Table 1 Functional Dimensions of Long and Orissa Pattern Squatting Pan**

(Clause 6.1)

All dimensions are in millimetres.

SI No.	Description	Ref in <a href="#">Fig. 1A</a> , <a href="#">Fig. 1B</a> and <a href="#">Fig. 2</a>	Long Pattern of Size		Orissa Pattern of Size	
			(Type I) 580	(Type II) 630	580 × 440	630 × 450
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
i)	Length	A	580	630	580	630
ii)	Length of opening, <i>Min</i>	B	480	530	470	500
iii)	Height	F	300 ± 10	320 ± 10	300 ± 10	320 ± 10
iv)	Width of opening, small end <sup>1)</sup>	H	170 ± 10	170 ± 10	180 ± 10	180 ± 10
v)	Width of opening, wide end <sup>2)</sup>	J	260 ± 10	260 ± 10	210 ± 10	220 ± 10
vi)	Slope of bottom of pan	$\alpha$	15°	15°	15°	15°
vii)	Distance between the centre of outlet to the inside face of flushing rim at the back, <i>Max</i>	L	70	70	70	70
viii)	Width	N	–	–	440	450
ix)	Length of footrest	P	–	–	310 ± 10	310 ± 10

NOTE — Tolerances where not specified shall conform to IS 2556 (Part 1).

**Table 2 Connecting Dimensions of Squatting Pans**

(Clause 6.1)

All dimensions in millimetres.

SI No.	Description	Ref in <a href="#">Fig. 1A</a> , <a href="#">Fig. 1B</a> and <a href="#">Fig. 2</a>	Long Pattern of Size		Orissa Pattern of Size	
			(Type I) 580	(Type II) 630	580 × 440	630 × 450
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
i)	Depth of flush inlet socket, <i>Min</i>	C	25	25	25	25
iii)	Internal diameter of flush inlet socket	E <sup>3)</sup>	50 ± 3	50 ± 3	50 ± 3	50 ± 3
iv)	Diameter of outlet, internal, <i>Min</i>	G <sup>4)</sup>	80	80	80	80
v)	Diameter of outlet, external	K	102 ± 5	102 ± 5	102 ± 5	102 ± 5
vi)	Length of serrated part of outlet, <i>Min</i>	M	40	40	40	40

<sup>1)</sup> Width of the opening should be measured from the bottom rim of the smaller area (small end).<sup>2)</sup> Width of the opening should be measured from the maximum area at the bottom rim (wide end).<sup>3)</sup> Ovality is permissible within the variation allowed for the dimension.<sup>4)</sup> Ovality is permissible within the dimensions for inlet and outlet diameters.

## 7 FINISH

The inside of the pan shall be glazed uniform and smooth in order to ensure an efficient flush.

## 8 FLUSHING TESTS

**8.1** The long and Orissa patterns fitted with the trap with which it purports to form a suite, shall satisfy the tests given in [8.2](#), [8.3](#), [8.4](#) and [8.5](#). For carrying out these tests, a flushing cistern conforming to IS 774 shall be fixed such that the height between the top of closet pan and bottom of the cistern is 1 250 mm, minimum for high level and 700 mm, minimum for low level and the closet pan is connected with cistern by a 40 mm outer diameter pipe. These tests shall be carried out by using the flushing cistern of the capacity with which the appliance is to be used.

### 8.2 Toilet Paper Test

The pan shall be filled with water to its nominal water seal level and charged with six pieces of usual toilet paper or polythene sheet of thickness 0.05 mm approximately 150 mm × 115 mm in size and loosely crumpled. It shall then be flushed. This test shall be repeated four times, and the pan shall discharge the full charge of the paper at least three out of four times.

### 8.3 Smudge Test

The whole of the interior surface of the pan to 40 mm below the flushing rim shall be smudged with quartz power of contrasting colour passing through 1.18 mm IS sieve and shall then be flushed, carefully observing the surface of the pan during the flushing. Immediately after the flushing, there shall be no smudge left on the pan.

### 8.4 Water Holding Capacity Test

The pan, when sealed at the outlet and vent (if fitted) with water-tight seal, shall be capable of holding not less than 10 litre of water between the normal water-level and the highest possible water-level of the pan as installed.

### 8.5 Saw Dust Test

#### 8.5.1 Specification of the Saw Dust

20 g of dry saw dust test sifted through 2 mm sieve.

#### 8.5.2 Procedure

Set up the pan, cistern or flush valve and flush pipe (if required) as specified by the manufacturer. Charge the pan with water to its designed water seal

level. Fully wet the entire internal surface of the pan below the rim. Sprinkle 20 g of fine dry saw dust of above specification on the inside of the pan between the normal water level and the flushing rim as completely and evenly as possible. Then flush the pan. The sprinkle saw dust should be cleaned below 40 mm of rim of pan.

### 8.6 Splash Test

#### 8.6.1 Procedure

Set up pan, cistern or flush valve and flush pipe (if required) as specified by the manufacturer. Charge the pan with coloured water to its design water seal level. Ensure that the floor area is cleaned and dry where the splash test to be carried out. Activate the flush valve or cistern to discharge the squatting pan. Observe and record whether flushing water splashed over rim onto the floor. Repeat the test 5 times. Record whether the flushing water splash over the rim onto the floor. Isolated droplets up to 10 numbers shall not be the cause for rejection.

## 9 SAMPLING, PROCESS INSPECTION AND LOT INSPECTION

The recommended method of sampling, process inspection and lot inspection shall be as given in IS 9140.

## 10 ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR WATER EFFICIENCY

For water efficiency rating and labelling of squatting pans, the requirements given in IS 17650 (Part 1) shall be complied with.

NOTE — To achieve overall sustainability, it is strongly recommended that users opt for star rated squatting pans. Manufacturers in turn are encouraged to commit to the cause by manufacturing only water efficient squatting pans.

## 11 MARKING

**11.1** Each piece of squatting pan shall be clearly and indelibly marked at a suitable place with the following:

- a) Name or trademark of the manufacturer;
- b) Batch/lot number; and
- c) Date (week/month/year).

### 11.2 BIS Certification Marking

The product(s) conforming to the requirements of this standard may be certified as per the conformity assessment schemes under the provisions of the *Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016* and the Rules and Regulations framed thereunder, and the products may be marked with the Standard Mark.

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*(Foreword)*

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