

Title (en)

Brush body and toothbrush including brush body

Title (de)

Bürstenkörper und Zahnbürste mit diesem Bürstenkörper

Title (fr)

Corps de brosse et brosse à dents comportant ce corps de brosse

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP2394530A2] A brush body (20) of a toothbrush (1) includes bristle bundles (30), each formed by a plurality of filaments (40). Each filament includes a core (41), which contains a conductive material, and an insulative sheath (42), which covers a side of the core. Each bristle bundle includes a basal portion at which basal ends of the cores are fused, solidified, and integrated with one another. The bristle bundle also includes a distal portion, which is formed by a distal end of each core. A ratio of the conductive material at the basal portion is equal to a ratio of the conductive material at the distal portion.

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