

List of building types

A **list of structural structure types and forms of architecture**.

For individual buildings, see List of buildings and structures. For other types of structures see nonbuilding structure.

1 Agricultural buildings

- Abattoir
- Barn
- Chicken coop or chickenhouse
- Cow-shed
- Farmhouse
- Granary, Hórreo
- Greenhouse
- Hayloft
- Pigpen or sty
- Root cellar
- Shed
- Silo
- Slaughterhouse
- Stable
- Storm cellar
- Well house

2 Commercial buildings

- Automobile repair shop
- Car wash
- Convention center
- Drugstore
- Filling station
- Forum

- Hotel
- Internet cafe
- Market
- Market house
- Pharmacy
- Skyscraper
- Shop
- Shopping mall
- Supermarket
- Warehouse
- Restaurant
- Office

3 Residential buildings

- Apartment block
- Block of flats
- Bungalow
- Condominium
- Dormitory
- Duplex
- House - see List of house types
- Townhouse
- Unit
- Villa

4 Medical buildings

- Psychiatric Hospital
- Hospital
- Nursing Home
- Quarantine
- Asylum

See also: List of human habitation forms

5 Educational buildings

- Archive
- College
- School
- Library
- Museum
 - Art gallery
- Theater (building)
 - Amphitheater
 - Concert hall
 - Cinema
 - Opera house
- Boarding schools

6 Government buildings

- City hall
- Consulate
- Courthouse
- Embassy
- Fire station
- Meeting house
- Moot hall
- Parliament
- Police station
- Post office
- Prison

7 Industrial buildings

- Brewery
- Factory
- Foundry
- Power plant
- Winery
- Mill
- Water Tower

8 Military buildings

- Arsenal
- Barracks
- Bunker
- Blockhouse
- Citadel

9 Parking structures and storage

- Boathouse
- Garage
- Hangar, of aircraft or spacecraft
- Storage silo

10 Religious buildings

- Church
 - Basilica
 - Cathedral
 - Duomo
 - Chapel
 - Oratory
 - Martyrium
- Mosque
 - Mihrab
 - Surau
- Imambargah
- Monastery
- Mithraeum
- Fire temple
- Shrine
- Synagogue
- Temple
- Pagoda
- Gurdwara
- Hindu temples

11 Transport buildings

- Airport terminal
- Bus station
- Metro (subway, underground) station
- Taxi station
- Railway station (or, primarily in US, Railroad station)
 - Signal box
- Lighthouse
- Parking garage

12 Non-buildings

- Bridges
- Arenas
- Amusement Parks

13 Infrastructure

- Data centre

14 Power Providers

- Fossil-fuel power station
- Nuclear power plant
- Geothermal power
- Biomass-fuelled power plant
- Waste heat power plant
- Renewable energy power station

15 Others

- Bakery
- Beauty salon
- Bookstore or bookshop
- Clinic
- Community hall
- Department store
- Eatery

- Fast-food restaurant
- Film studio
- Floristry
- Folly
- Food court
- Gym
- Hospice
- Hospital
- Hypermarket
- Mini market
- Office building
- Pizzeria
- Plant nursery
- Pub
- Bathhouse
- Skyscraper
- Stall
- Sport club
- Wet market
- Workshop
- Game Store

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