

## SECTION F — MECHANICAL ENGINEERING; LIGHTING; HEATING; WEAPONS; BLASTING

### F01 MACHINES OR ENGINES IN GENERAL; ENGINE PLANTS IN GENERAL; STEAM ENGINES

**F01B MACHINES OR ENGINES, IN GENERAL OR OF POSITIVE-DISPLACEMENT TYPE, e.g. STEAM ENGINES** (of rotary-piston or oscillating-piston type F01C; of non-positive-displacement type F01D; combustion engines F02; internal-combustion aspects of reciprocating-piston engines F02B 57/00, F02B 59/00; machines for liquids F03, F04; crankshafts, crossheads, connecting-rods F16C; flywheels F16F; gearings for interconverting rotary motion and reciprocating motion in general F16H; pistons, piston-rods, cylinders, for engines in general F16J)

#### Note(s)

- This subclass covers, with the exception of the matter provided for in subclasses F01C-F01P:
  - engines for elastic fluids, e.g. steam engines;
  - engines for liquids and elastic fluids;
  - machines for elastic fluids;
  - machines for liquids and elastic fluids.
- Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards the definitions of "steam" and "special vapour".

#### Subclass index

##### MACHINES OR ENGINES

With reciprocating pistons characterised by

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With positive displacement of flexible-wall type.....

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REGULATING, CONTROLLING, SAFETY MEANS; STARTING.....	25/00, 27/00
OTHER CHARACTERISTICS; DETAILS, ACCESSORIES.....	29/00, 31/00

<b>1/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines characterised by number or relative disposition of cylinders or by being built-up from separate cylinder-crankcase elements (F01B 3/00, F01B 5/00 take precedence) [1, 2, 2006.01]</b>	3/04	• the piston motion being transmitted by curved surfaces [1, 2006.01]
1/01 • with one single cylinder [2, 2006.01]	3/06	• • by multi-turn helical surfaces and automatic reversal [1, 2006.01]
1/02 • with cylinders all in one line [1, 2006.01]	3/08	• • • the helices being arranged on the pistons [1, 2006.01]
1/04 • with cylinders in V-arrangement [1, 2006.01]	3/10	• Control of working-fluid admission or discharge peculiar thereto (suitable for more general application F01L) [1, 2006.01]
1/06 • with cylinders in star or fan arrangement [1, 2006.01]		
1/08 • with cylinders arranged oppositely relative to main shaft and of "flat" type [1, 2006.01]	5/00	<b>Reciprocating-piston machines or engines with cylinder axes arranged substantially tangentially to a circle centred on main shaft axis [1, 2006.01]</b>
1/10 • with more than one main shaft, e.g. coupled to common output shaft (combinations of two or more machines or engines F01B 21/00) [1, 2006.01]	7/00	<b>Machines or engines with two or more pistons reciprocating within same cylinder or within essentially coaxial cylinders (in opposite arrangement relative to main shaft F01B 1/08) [1, 2006.01]</b>
1/12 • Separate cylinder-crankcase elements coupled together to form a unit [1, 2006.01]	7/02	• with oppositely reciprocating pistons [1, 2006.01]
<b>3/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines with cylinder axes coaxial with, or parallel or inclined to, main shaft axis [1, 2006.01]</b>	7/04	• • acting on same main shaft [1, 2006.01]
3/02 • with wobble-plate [1, 2006.01]		

- 7/06 • • • using only connecting-rods for conversion of reciprocatory into rotary motion or vice versa [1, 2006.01]
- 7/08 • • • • with side rods [1, 2006.01]
- 7/10 • • • • having piston-rod of one piston passed through other piston [1, 2006.01]
- 7/12 • • • using rockers and connecting-rods [1, 2006.01]
- 7/14 • • acting on different main shafts [1, 2006.01]
- 7/16 • with pistons synchronously moving in tandem arrangement [1, 2006.01]
- 7/18 • with differential piston (F01B 7/20 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/20 • with two or more pistons reciprocating one within another, e.g. one piston forming cylinder of the other [1, 2006.01]
- 9/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines characterised by connections between pistons and main shafts and not specific to groups F01B 1/00-F01B 7/00 (connections disengageable during idling F01B 31/24) [1, 2006.01]**
- 9/02 • with crankshaft [1, 2006.01]
- 9/04 • with rotary main shaft other than crankshaft [1, 2006.01]
- 9/06 • • the piston motion being transmitted by curved surfaces [1, 2006.01]
- 9/08 • • with ratchet and pawl [1, 2006.01]
- 11/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines without rotary main shaft, e.g. of free-piston type [1, 2006.01]**
- 11/02 • Equalising or cushioning devices [1, 2006.01]
- 11/04 • Engines combined with reciprocatory driven devices, e.g. hammers (with pumps F01B 23/08; predominating aspects of driven devices, see the relevant classes for the devices) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/06 • • for generating vibration only [1, 2006.01]
- 11/08 • with direct fluid transmission link (F01B 11/02 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 13/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines with rotating cylinders in order to obtain the reciprocating-piston motion (machines or engines of flexible-wall type F01B 19/00) [1, 2, 2006.01]**
- 13/02 • with one cylinder only [1, 2006.01]
- 13/04 • with more than one cylinder [1, 2006.01]
- 13/06 • • in star arrangement [1, 2006.01]
- 15/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines with movable cylinders other than provided for in group F01B 13/00 (with movable cylinder sleeves for working-fluid control F01L) [1, 2006.01]**
- 15/02 • with reciprocating cylinders (with one piston within another F01B 7/20) [1, 2006.01]
- 15/04 • with oscillating cylinder [1, 2006.01]
- 15/06 • • Control of working-fluid admission or discharge peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 17/00 Reciprocating-piston machines or engines characterised by use of uniflow principle [1, 2006.01]**
- 17/02 • Engines [1, 2006.01]
- 17/04 • • Steam engines [1, 2006.01]
- 19/00 Positive-displacement machines or engines of flexible-wall type [1, 2006.01]**
- 19/02 • with plate-like flexible members [1, 2006.01]
- 19/04 • with tubular flexible members [1, 2006.01]
- 21/00 Combinations of two or more machines or engines** (F01B 23/00 takes precedence; combinations of two or more pumps F04; fluid gearing F16H; regulating or controlling, see the relevant groups) [1, 2006.01]
- 21/02 • the machines or engines being all of reciprocating-piston type [1, 2006.01]
- 21/04 • the machines or engines being not all of reciprocating-piston type, e.g. of reciprocating steam engine with steam turbine [1, 2006.01]
- 23/00 Adaptations of machines or engines for special use; Combinations of engines with devices driven thereby** (F01B 11/00 takes precedence; fluid gearing F16H; aspects predominantly concerning driven devices, see the relevant classes for these devices; regulating or controlling, see the relevant groups) [1, 2006.01]
- 23/02 • Adaptations for driving vehicles, e.g. locomotives (arrangements in vehicles, see the relevant classes for vehicles) [1, 2006.01]
- 23/04 • • the vehicles being waterborne vessels [1, 2006.01]
- 23/06 • Adaptations for driving, or combinations with, hand-held tools or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 23/08 • Adaptations for driving, or combinations with, pumps [1, 2006.01]
- 23/10 • Adaptations for driving, or combinations with, electric generators [1, 2006.01]
- 23/12 • Adaptations for driving rolling mills or other heavy reversing machinery [1, 2006.01]
- 25/00 Regulating, controlling, or safety means** (regulating or controlling in general G05) [1, 2006.01]
- 25/02 • Regulating or controlling by varying working-fluid admission or exhaust, e.g. by varying pressure or quantity (distributing or expansion valve gear F01L) [1, 2006.01]
- 25/04 • • Sensing elements [1, 2006.01]
- 25/06 • • • responsive to speed [1, 2006.01]
- 25/08 • • Final actuators [1, 2006.01]
- 25/10 • • • Arrangements or adaptations of working-fluid admission or discharge valves (valves in general F16K) [1, 2006.01]
- 25/12 • • Devices dealing with sensing elements or final actuators or transmitting means between them, e.g. power-assisted (sensing elements alone F01B 25/04; final actuators alone F01B 25/08) [1, 2006.01]
- 25/14 • • peculiar to particular kinds of machines or engines [1, 2006.01]
- 25/16 • Safety means responsive to specific conditions (against water hammer or the like in steam engines F01B 31/34) [1, 2006.01]
- 25/18 • • preventing rotation in wrong direction [1, 2006.01]
- 25/20 • Checking operation of safety devices [1, 2006.01]
- 25/22 • Braking by redirecting working fluid [1, 2006.01]
- 25/24 • • thereby regenerating energy [1, 2006.01]
- 25/26 • Warning devices [1, 2006.01]
- 27/00 Starting of machines or engines** (starting combustion engines F02N) [1, 2006.01]
- 27/02 • of reciprocating-piston engines [1, 2006.01]
- 27/04 • • by directing working-fluid supply, e.g. by aid of by-pass steam conduits [1, 2006.01]
- 27/06 • • • specially for compound engines [1, 2006.01]
- 27/08 • • Means for moving crank off dead-centre (turning-gear in general F16H) [1, 2006.01]

<p><b>29/00</b> <b>Machines or engines with pertinent characteristics other than those provided for in main groups F01B 1/00-F01B 27/00 [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>29/02 • Atmospheric engines, i.e. atmosphere acting against vacuum [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>29/04 • characterised by means for converting from one type to a different one [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>29/06 • • from steam engine into combustion engine [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>29/08 • Reciprocating-piston machines or engines not otherwise provided for [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>29/10 • • Engines (refrigeration machines F25B) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>29/12 • • • Steam engines (toy steam engines A63H 25/00) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p><b>31/00</b> <b>Component parts, details, or accessories not provided for in, or of interest apart from, other groups (machine or engine casings, other than those peculiar to steam engines, F16M) [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>31/02 • De-icing means for engines having icing phenomena [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/04 • Means for equalising torque in reciprocating-piston machines or engines (compensation of inertial forces, suppression of vibration in systems F16F) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/06 • Means for compensating relative expansion of component parts [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/08 • Cooling of steam engines (cooling of fluid machines or engines in general F01P); Heating; Heat insulation (heat insulation in general F16L 59/00) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p><b>F01C</b> <b>ROTARY-PISTON OR OSCILLATING-PISTON MACHINES OR ENGINES (combustion engines F02; internal-combustion aspects F02B 53/00, F02B 55/00; machines for liquids F03, F04)</b></p>	<p>31/10 • Lubricating arrangements of steam engines (of fluid machines or engines in general F01M) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/12 • Arrangements of measuring or indicating devices (warning apparatus F01B 25/26; measuring instruments or the like <i>per se</i> G01) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/14 • Changing of compression ratio [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/16 • Silencers specially adapted for steam engines (arrangements of exhaust pipes or tubes on steam engines F01B 31/30; gas-flow silencers or exhaust silencers for machines or engines in general F01N) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/18 • Draining [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/20 • • of cylinders [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/22 • Idling devices, e.g. having by-passing valves [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/24 • • Disengagement of connections between pistons and main shafts [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/26 • Other component parts, details, or accessories, peculiar to steam engines [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/28 • • Cylinders or cylinder covers [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/30 • • Arrangements of steam conduits [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/32 • • Arrangements or adaptations of vacuum breakers [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/34 • • Safety means against water hammer or against the penetration of water (steam traps F16T) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>31/36 • • • automatically cutting-off steam supply [1, 2006.01]</p>
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**Note(s)**

1. This subclass covers:
  - rotary-piston or oscillating-piston engines for elastic fluids, e.g. steam;
  - rotary-piston or oscillating-piston engines for liquids and elastic fluids;
  - rotary-piston or oscillating-piston machines for elastic fluids;
  - rotary-piston or oscillating-piston machines for liquids and elastic fluids.
2. In this subclass, the following expression is used with the meaning indicated:
  - "rotary-piston machine" includes the German expressions "Drehkolbenmaschinen", "Kreiskolbenmaschinen", and "Umlaufkolbenmaschinen".
3. Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards the definitions of "rotary-piston machine", "oscillating-piston machine", "rotary piston", "co-operating members", "movement of co-operating members", "teeth or tooth-equivalents" and "internal-axis".

**Subclass index****MACHINES OR ENGINES**

With rotary pistons.....1/00-7/00

With oscillating pistons.....9/00

Control; monitoring; safety arrangements.....20/00

COMBINATIONS OR ADAPTATIONS OF MACHINES OR ENGINES.....11/00, 13/00

DRIVE OF CO-OPERATING MEMBERS; SEALING ARRANGEMENTS.....17/00, 19/00

OTHER DETAILS OR ACCESSORIES.....21/00

**1/00** **Rotary-piston machines or engines** (with axes of co-operating members non-parallel F01C 3/00; with the working-chamber walls at least partly resiliently deformable F01C 5/00; with fluid ring or the like F01C 7/00; rotary-piston machines or engines in which the working fluid is exclusively displaced by, or

exclusively displaces, one or more reciprocating pistons F01B 13/00) [1, 2006.01]

**Note(s)**

Group F01C 1/30 takes precedence over groups F01C 1/02-F01C 1/24.

- 1/02 • of arcuate-engagement type, i.e. with circular translatory movement of co-operating members, each member having the same number of teeth or tooth-equivalents [1, 2006.01]
- 1/04 • • of internal-axis type [1, 2006.01]
- 1/06 • • of other than internal-axis type (F01C 1/063 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/063 • • with coaxially-mounted members having continuously-changing circumferential spacing between them [3, 2006.01]
- 1/067 • • • having cam-and-follower type drive [3, 2006.01]
- 1/07 • • • having crankshaft-and-connecting-rod type drive [3, 2006.01]
- 1/073 • • • having pawl-and-ratchet type drive [3, 2006.01]
- 1/077 • • • having toothed-gearing type drive [3, 2006.01]
- 1/08 • of intermeshing-engagement type, i.e. with engagement of co-operating members similar to that of toothed gearing [1, 2006.01]
- 1/10 • • of internal-axis type with the outer member having more teeth or tooth-equivalents, e.g. rollers, than the inner member [1, 2006.01]
- 1/107 • • • with helical teeth [3, 2006.01]
- 1/113 • • • the inner member carrying rollers intermeshing with the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/12 • • of other than internal-axis type [1, 2006.01]
- 1/14 • • • with toothed rotary pistons [1, 2006.01]
- 1/16 • • • • with helical teeth, e.g. chevron-shaped, screw type [1, 2006.01]
- 1/18 • • • • with similar tooth forms (F01C 1/16 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/20 • • • • with dissimilar tooth forms (F01C 1/16 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/22 • of internal-axis type with equidirectional movement of co-operating members at the points of engagement, or with one of the co-operating members being stationary, the inner member having more teeth or tooth-equivalents than the outer member [1, 2006.01]
- 1/24 • of counter-engagement type, i.e. the movement of co-operating members at the points of engagement being in opposite directions [1, 2006.01]
- 1/26 • • of internal-axis type [1, 2006.01]
- 1/28 • • of other than internal-axis type [1, 2006.01]
- 1/30 • having the characteristics covered by two or more of groups F01C 1/02, F01C 1/08, F01C 1/22, F01C 1/24 or having the characteristics covered by one of these groups together with some other type of movement between co-operating members [1, 2006.01]
- 1/32 • • having both the movement defined in group F01C 1/02 and relative reciprocation between the co-operating members [1, 2006.01]
- 1/324 • • • with vanes hinged to the inner member and reciprocating with respect to the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/328 • • • and hinged to the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/332 • • • with vanes hinged to the outer member and reciprocating with respect to the inner member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/336 • • • • and hinged to the inner member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/34 • • having the movement defined in group F01C 1/08 or F01C 1/22 and relative reciprocation between the co-operating members [1, 2006.01]
- 1/344 • • • with vanes reciprocating with respect to the inner member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/348 • • • • the vanes positively engaging, with circumferential play, an outer rotatable member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/352 • • • • the vanes being pivoted on the axis of the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/356 • • • with vanes reciprocating with respect to the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/36 • • having both the movements defined in groups F01C 1/22 and F01C 1/24 [1, 2006.01]
- 1/38 • • having the movement defined in group F01C 1/02 and having a hinged member (F01C 1/32 takes precedence) [1, 3, 2006.01]
- 1/39 • • • with vanes hinged to the inner as well as to the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/40 • • having the movement defined in group F01C 1/08 or F01C 1/22 and having a hinged member [1, 2006.01]
- 1/44 • • • with vanes hinged to the inner member [3, 2006.01]
- 1/46 • • • with vanes hinged to the outer member [3, 2006.01]
- 3/00 Rotary-piston machines or engines with non-parallel axes of movement of co-operating members** (with the working-chamber walls being at least partly resiliently deformable F01C 5/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/02 • the axes being arranged at an angle of 90° [1, 2006.01]
- 3/04 • • with axially-sliding vanes [1, 2006.01]
- 3/06 • the axes being arranged otherwise than at an angle of 90° [1, 2006.01]
- 3/08 • • of intermeshing-engagement type, i.e. with engagement of co-operating members similar to that of toothed gearing [1, 2006.01]
- 5/00 Rotary-piston machines or engines with the working-chamber walls at least partly resiliently deformable** [1, 2006.01]
- 5/02 • the resiliently-deformable wall being part of the inner member, e.g. of a rotary piston [1, 2006.01]
- 5/04 • the resiliently-deformable wall being part of the outer member, e.g. of a housing [1, 2006.01]
- 5/06 • the resiliently-deformable wall being a separate member [1, 2006.01]
- 5/08 • • of tubular form, e.g. hose [1, 2006.01]
- 7/00 Rotary-piston machines or engines with fluid ring or the like** [1, 2006.01]
- 9/00 Oscillating-piston machines or engines** [1, 2006.01]
- 11/00 Combinations of two or more machines or engines, each being of rotary-piston or oscillating-piston type** (F01C 13/00 takes precedence; combinations of two or more pumps F04; fluid gearing F16H) [1, 2006.01]
- 13/00 Adaptations of machines or engines for special use; Combinations of engines with devices driven thereby** (aspects predominantly concerning driven devices, see the relevant classes for these devices) [1, 2006.01]
- 13/02 • for driving hand-held tools or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 13/04 • for driving pumps or compressors [1, 2006.01]
- 17/00 Arrangements for drive of co-operating members, e.g. for rotary piston and casing** [1, 2006.01]
- 17/02 • of toothed-gearing type (F01C 1/077 takes precedence) [1, 3, 2006.01]
- 17/04 • of cam-and-follower type (F01C 1/067 takes precedence) [1, 3, 2006.01]

17/06	• using cranks, universal joints, or similar elements (F01C 1/07 takes precedence) [1, 3, 2006.01]	20/18	• characterised by varying the volume of the working chamber (by changing the positions of inlet or outlet openings F01C 20/10) [2006.01]
<b>19/00</b>	<b>Sealing arrangements in rotary-piston machines or engines</b> (sealings in general F16J) [1, 2006.01]	20/20	• • by changing the form of the inner or outer contour of the working chamber [2006.01]
19/02	• Radially-movable sealings for working fluids [1, 2006.01]	20/22	• • by changing the eccentricity between cooperating members [2006.01]
19/04	• • of rigid material [1, 2006.01]	20/24	• characterised by using valves regulating pressure or flow rate, e.g. discharge valves (F01C 20/10 takes precedence) [2006.01]
19/06	• • of resilient material [1, 2006.01]	20/26	• • using bypass channels [2006.01]
19/08	• Axially-movable sealings for working fluids [1, 2006.01]	20/28	• Safety arrangements; Monitoring [2006.01]
19/10	• Sealings for working fluids between radially and axially movable parts [1, 2006.01]	<b>21/00</b>	<b>Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in groups F01C 1/00-F01C 20/00 [1, 2006.01]</b>
19/12	• for other than working fluid [1, 2006.01]	21/02	• Arrangements of bearings (bearing constructions F16C) [1, 2006.01]
<b>20/00</b>	<b>Control of, monitoring of, or safety arrangements for, machines or engines [2006.01]</b>	21/04	• Lubrication (of machines or engines in general F01M) [1, 2006.01]
20/02	• specially adapted for several machines or engines connected in series or in parallel [2006.01]	21/06	• Heating; Cooling (of machines or engines in general F01P); Heat insulation (heat insulation in general F16L) [1, 2006.01]
20/04	• specially adapted for reversible machines or engines [2006.01]	21/08	• Rotary pistons (reciprocating pistons in general F16J) [1, 2006.01]
20/06	• specially adapted for stopping, starting, idling or no-load operation [2006.01]	21/10	• Outer members for co-operation with rotary pistons; Casings (casings for rotary engines or machines in general F16M) [1, 2006.01]
20/08	• characterised by varying the rotational speed [2006.01]	21/18	• Arrangements for admission or discharge of the working fluid, e.g. constructional features of the inlet or outlet [2006.01]
20/10	• characterised by changing the positions of the inlet or outlet openings with respect to the working chamber [2006.01]		
20/12	• • using sliding valves [2006.01]		
20/14	• • using rotating valves [2006.01]		
20/16	• • using lift valves [2006.01]		
<b>F01D</b>	<b>NON-POSITIVE-DISPLACEMENT MACHINES OR ENGINES, e.g. STEAM TURBINES</b> (combustion engines F02; machines or engines for liquids F03, F04; non-positive-displacement pumps F04D)		

**Note(s)**

- This subclass covers:
  - non-positive-displacement engines for elastic fluids, e.g. steam turbines;
  - non-positive-displacement engines for liquids and elastic fluids;
  - non-positive-displacement machines for elastic fluids;
  - non-positive-displacement machines for liquids and elastic fluids.
- Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards the definitions of "reaction type", e.g. with airfoil-like blades, and "impulse type", e.g. bucket turbines.

**Subclass index**

## NON-POSITIVE-DISPLACEMENT MACHINES OR ENGINES

General characteristics; with axial-thrust balancing; with other than pure rotation.....	1/00, 3/00, 23/00
Component parts	
blades and carrying members, protection thereof; rotors with adjustable blades; stators.....	5/00, 7/00, 9/00
means against internal leakage.....	11/00
COMBINATIONS OR ADAPTATIONS OF MACHINES OR ENGINES.....	13/00, 15/00
REGULATION, CONTROLLING, SAFETY MEANS.....	17/00, 19/00, 21/00
STARTING; SHUTTING-DOWN.....	19/00, 21/00
OTHER DETAILS AND ACCESSORIES.....	25/00

<b>1/00</b>	<b>Non-positive-displacement machines or engines, e.g. steam turbines</b> (with working-fluid flows in opposite axial directions for balancing axial thrust F01D 3/02; with other than pure rotation F01D 23/00; turbines characterised by their use in special steam systems, cycles, or processes, regulating devices therefor F01K) [1, 2006.01]	1/02	• with stationary working-fluid guiding means and bladed or like rotor (F01D 1/24 takes precedence; without working-fluid guiding means F01D 1/18) [1, 5, 2006.01]
		1/04	• • traversed by the working-fluid substantially axially [1, 2006.01]

## F01D

- 1/06 • • traversed by the working-fluid substantially radially [1, 2006.01]
- 1/08 • • • having inward flow [1, 2006.01]
- 1/10 • • having two or more stages subjected to working-fluid flow without essential intermediate pressure change, i.e. with velocity stages (F01D 1/12 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/12 • • with repeated action on same blade ring [1, 2006.01]
- 1/14 • • traversed by the working-fluid substantially radially [1, 2006.01]
- 1/16 • • characterised by having both reaction stages and impulse stages [1, 2006.01]
- 1/18 • without working-fluid guiding means (F01D 1/24, F01D 1/32, F01D 1/34 take precedence) [1, 5, 2006.01]
- 1/20 • • traversed by the working-fluid substantially axially [1, 2006.01]
- 1/22 • • traversed by the working-fluid substantially radially [1, 2006.01]
- 1/24 • characterised by counter-rotating rotors subjected to same working-fluid stream without intermediate stator blades or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 1/26 • • traversed by the working-fluid substantially axially [1, 2006.01]
- 1/28 • • traversed by the working-fluid substantially radially [1, 2006.01]
- 1/30 • characterised by having a single rotor operable in either direction of rotation, e.g. by reversing of blades (combinations of machines or engines F01D 13/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/32 • with pressure/velocity transformation exclusively in rotor, e.g. the rotor rotating under the influence of jets issuing from the rotor [1, 2006.01]
- 1/34 • characterised by non-bladed rotor, e.g. with drilled holes (F01D 1/32 takes precedence; sirens G10K 7/00) [1, 5, 2006.01]
- 1/36 • • using fluid friction [1, 2006.01]
- 1/38 • • of the screw type [5, 2006.01]
- 3/00 Machines or engines with axial-thrust balancing effected by working fluid [1, 2006.01]**
- 3/02 • characterised by having one fluid flow in one axial direction and another fluid flow in the opposite direction [1, 2006.01]
- 3/04 • axial thrust being compensated by thrust-balancing dummy piston or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 5/00 Blades; Blade-carrying members (nozzle boxes F01D 9/02); Heating, heat-insulating, cooling, or antivibration means on the blades or the members [1, 2006.01]**
- 5/02 • Blade-carrying members, e.g. rotors (rotors of non-bladed type F01D 1/34; stators F01D 9/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/03 • • Annular blade-carrying members having blades on the inner periphery of the annulus and extending inwardly radially, i.e. inverted rotors [6, 2006.01]
- 5/04 • • for radial-flow machines or engines [1, 2006.01]
- 5/06 • • Rotors for more than one axial stage, e.g. of drum or multiple-disc type; Details thereof, e.g. shafts, shaft connections [1, 2006.01]
- 5/08 • • Heating, heat-insulating, or cooling means [1, 2006.01]
- 5/10 • • Antivibration means [1, 2006.01]
- 5/12 • Blades (blade roots F01D 5/30; rotors with blades adjustable in operation F01D 7/00; stator blades F01D 9/02) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/14 • • Form or construction (selecting particular materials, measures against erosion or corrosion F01D 5/28) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/16 • • • for counteracting blade vibration [1, 2006.01]
- 5/18 • • • Hollow blades; Heating, heat-insulating, or cooling means on blades [1, 2006.01]
- 5/20 • • • Specially-shaped blade tips to seal space between tips and stator [1, 2006.01]
- 5/22 • • Blade-to-blade connections, e.g. by shrouding [1, 2006.01]
- 5/24 • • • using wire or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 5/26 • • Antivibration means not restricted to blade form or construction or to blade-to-blade connections [1, 2006.01]
- 5/28 • • Selecting particular materials; Measures against erosion or corrosion [1, 2006.01]
- 5/30 • Fixing blades to rotors; Blade roots [1, 2006.01]
- 5/32 • • Locking, e.g. by final locking-blades or keys [1, 2006.01]
- 5/34 • Rotor-blade aggregates of unitary construction [1, 2006.01]
- 7/00 Rotors with blades adjustable in operation; Control thereof (for reversing F01D 1/30) [1, 2006.01]**
- 7/02 • having adjustment responsive to speed [1, 2006.01]
- 9/00 Stators (non-fluid guiding aspects of casings, regulating, controlling, or safety aspects, see the relevant groups) [1, 2006.01]**
- 9/02 • Nozzles; Nozzle boxes; Stator blades; Guide conduits [1, 2006.01]
- 9/04 • • forming ring or sector [1, 2006.01]
- 9/06 • Fluid supply conduits to nozzles or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 11/00 Preventing or minimising internal leakage of working fluid, e.g. between stages (sealings in general F16J) [1, 2006.01]**
- 11/02 • by non-contact sealings, e.g. of labyrinth type (for sealing space between rotor blade tips and stator F01D 11/08) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/04 • • using sealing fluid, e.g. steam [1, 2006.01]
- 11/06 • • • Control thereof [1, 2006.01]
- 11/08 • for sealing space between rotor blade tips and stator (specially-shaped blade tips therefor F01D 5/20) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/10 • • using sealing fluid, e.g. steam [1, 2006.01]
- 11/12 • • using a rubstrip, e.g. erodible, deformable or resiliently biased part [6, 2006.01]
- 11/14 • • Adjusting or regulating tip-clearance, i.e. distance between rotor-blade tips and stator casing (rotors with blades adjustable in operation F01D 7/00) [6, 2006.01]
- 11/16 • • • by self-adjusting means (F01D 11/12 takes precedence) [6, 2006.01]
- 11/18 • • • • using stator or rotor components with predetermined thermal response, e.g. selective insulation, thermal inertia, differential expansion [6, 2006.01]
- 11/20 • • • Actively adjusting tip-clearance [6, 2006.01]
- 11/22 • • • • by mechanically actuating the stator or rotor components, e.g. moving shroud sections relative to the rotor [6, 2006.01]
- 11/24 • • • • by selectively cooling or heating stator or rotor components [6, 2006.01]

- 13/00 Combinations of two or more machines or engines** (F01D 15/00 takes precedence; combinations of two or more pumps F04; fluid gearing F16H; regulating or controlling, see the relevant groups) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 13/02 • Working-fluid interconnection of machines or engines **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/00 Adaptations of machines or engines for special use; Combinations of engines with devices driven thereby** (regulating or controlling, see the relevant groups; aspects predominantly concerning driven devices, see the relevant classes for the devices) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/02 • Adaptations for driving vehicles, e.g. locomotives (arrangement in vehicles, see the relevant vehicle classes) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/04 • • the vehicles being waterborne vessels **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/06 • Adaptations for driving, or combinations with, hand-held tools or the like **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/08 • Adaptations for driving, or combinations with, pumps **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/10 • Adaptations for driving, or combinations with, electric generators **[1, 2006.01]**
- 15/12 • Combinations with mechanical gearing (driven by multiple engines F01D 13/00) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/00 Regulating or controlling by varying flow** (for reversing F01D 1/30; by varying rotor blade position F01D 7/00; specially for starting F01D 19/00; shutting-down F01D 21/00; regulating or controlling in general G05) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/02 • Arrangement of sensing elements (sensing elements per se, see the relevant subclasses) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/04 • • responsive to load **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/06 • • responsive to speed **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/08 • • responsive to condition of working fluid, e.g. pressure **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/10 • Final actuators (valves in general F16K) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/12 • • arranged in stator parts **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/14 • • • varying effective cross-sectional area of nozzles or guide conduits **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/16 • • • • by means of nozzle vanes **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/18 • • • varying effective number of nozzles or guide conduits **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/20 • Devices dealing with sensing elements or final actuators or transmitting means between them, e.g. power-assisted (sensing elements alone F01D 17/02; final actuators alone F01D 17/10) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/22 • • the operation or power assistance being predominantly non-mechanical **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/24 • • • electrical **[1, 2006.01]**
- 17/26 • • • fluid, e.g. hydraulic **[1, 2006.01]**
- 19/00 Starting of machines or engines; Regulating, controlling, or safety means in connection therewith** (warming-up before starting F01D 25/10; turning or inching gear F01D 25/34) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 19/02 • dependent on temperature of component parts, e.g. of turbine casing **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/00 Shutting-down of machines or engines, e.g. in emergency; Regulating, controlling, or safety means not otherwise provided for** **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/02 • Shutting-down responsive to overspeed **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/04 • responsive to undesired position of rotor relative to stator, e.g. indicating such position **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/06 • • Shutting-down **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/08 • • Restoring position **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/10 • responsive to unwanted deposits on blades, in working-fluid conduits, or the like **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/12 • responsive to temperature **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/14 • responsive to other specific conditions **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/16 • Trip gear **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/18 • • involving hydraulic means **[1, 2006.01]**
- 21/20 • Checking operation of shut-down devices **[1, 2006.01]**
- 23/00 Non-positive-displacement machines or engines with movement other than pure rotation, e.g. of endless-chain type** **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/00 Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in, or of interest apart from, other groups** **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/02 • De-icing means for engines having icing phenomena **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/04 • Antivibration arrangements **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/06 • • for preventing blade vibration (means on blade-carrying members or blades F01D 5/00) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/08 • Cooling (of machines or engines in general F01P); Heating; Heat insulation (of blade-carrying members, of blades F01D 5/00) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/10 • • Heating, e.g. warming-up before starting **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/12 • • Cooling **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/14 • • Casings modified therefor (double casings F01D 25/26) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/16 • Arrangement of bearings; Supporting or mounting bearings in casings (bearings per se F16C) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/18 • Lubricating arrangements (of machines or engines in general F01M) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/20 • • using lubrication pumps **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/22 • • using working fluid or other gaseous fluid as lubricant **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/24 • Casings (modified for heating or cooling F01D 25/14); Casing parts, e.g. diaphragms, casing fastenings (casings for rotary machines or engines in general F16M) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/26 • • Double casings; Measures against temperature strain in casings **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/28 • Supporting or mounting arrangements, e.g. for turbine casing **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/30 • Exhaust heads, chambers, or the like **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/32 • Collecting of condensation water; Drainage **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/34 • Turning or inching gear **[1, 2006.01]**
- 25/36 • • using electric motors **[1, 2006.01]**

**F01D**

**F01K STEAM ENGINE PLANTS; STEAM ACCUMULATORS; ENGINE PLANTS NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR; ENGINES USING SPECIAL WORKING FLUIDS OR CYCLES** (gas-turbine or jet-propulsion plants F02; steam generation F22; nuclear power plants, engine arrangements therein G21D)

**Note(s)**

Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards the definitions of "steam" and "special vapour".

**Subclass index**

**STEAM ENGINE PLANTS**

Characterised by the use of

- accumulators or heaters; storing means in alkali; specific types of engines.....3/00, 5/00, 7/00
- special steam systems, cycles, or processes.....7/00

Characterised by the disposition of

- condenser; structural combination of engine and boiler or condenser.....9/00, 11/00
- Not otherwise provided for.....21/00

General layout or operation; adaptations for special use.....13/00, 15/00

Utilisation of steam

- for feed-water heating; in the regeneration or other treating; for other purposes.....7/34, 19/00, 17/00

**ENGINE PLANTS NOT RESTRICTED TO STEAM UTILISATION**

With several engines driven by different fluids.....23/00

Not otherwise provided for, other types with special working fluids or working with enclosed cycles.....25/00, 27/00

**STEAM ACCUMULATORS**.....1/00

**SPECIAL TYPES OF ENGINES**

Steam engines.....7/00

Other than steam.....25/00

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| <p><b>1/00 Steam accumulators</b> (use of accumulators in steam engine plants F01K 3/00) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/02 • for storing steam otherwise than in a liquid <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/04 • for storing steam in a liquid, e.g. Ruth type (in alkali to increase steam pressure F22B 1/20) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/06 • • Internal fittings facilitating steam distribution, steam formation, or circulation (acting during charging or discharging F01K 1/08; fittings facilitating circulation through multiple accumulators F01K 1/14) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/08 • Charging or discharging of accumulators with steam (peculiar to multiple accumulators F01K 1/12) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/10 • specially adapted for superheated steam <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/12 • Multiple accumulators; Charging, discharging, or regulating peculiar thereto <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/14 • • Circulation <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/16 • Other safety or regulating means <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/18 • • for steam pressure <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/20 • Other steam-accumulator parts, details, or accessories <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> | <p>3/10 • • for vehicle drive, e.g. for accumulator locomotives <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/12 • having two or more accumulators <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/14 • having both steam accumulator and heater, e.g. superheating accumulator (steam superheaters <i>per se</i> F22G) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/16 • • Mutual arrangement of accumulator and heater <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/18 • having heaters (having both steam accumulator and heater F01K 3/14; steam heaters <i>per se</i> F22) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/20 • with heating by combustion gases of main boiler <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/22 • • • Controlling, e.g. starting, stopping <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/24 • • with heating by separately-fired heaters <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>3/26 • • with heating by steam <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p><b>5/00 Plants characterised by use of means for storing steam in an alkali to increase steam pressure, e.g. of Honigmann or Koenemann type [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>5/02 • used in regenerative installation <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p><b>7/00 Steam engine plants characterised by the use of specific types of engine</b> (F01K 3/02 takes precedence); <b>Plants or engines characterised by their use of special steam systems, cycles, or processes</b> (reciprocating-piston engines using uniflow principle F01B 17/04); <b>Regulating means peculiar to such systems, cycles, or processes; Use of withdrawn or exhaust steam for feed-water heating [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>7/02 • the engines being of multiple-expansion type (the engines being only of turbine type F01K 7/16; the engines using steam of critical or over-critical pressure F01K 7/32; the engines being of extraction or non-condensing type F01K 7/34) <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>7/04 • • Regulating means peculiar thereto <b>[1, 2006.01]</b></p> |
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**Steam engine plants**

- 3/00 Plants characterised by the use of steam or heat accumulators, or intermediate steam heaters, therein** (regenerating exhaust steam F01K 19/00) **[1, 2006.01]**
- 3/02 • Use of accumulators and specific engine types; Regulating thereof **[1, 2006.01]**
- 3/04 • • the engine being of multiple-inlet-pressure type **[1, 2006.01]**
- 3/06 • • the engine being of extraction or non-condensing type **[1, 2006.01]**
- 3/08 • Use of accumulators, the plant being specially adapted for a specific use **[1, 2006.01]**



- 7/06 • the engines being of multiple-inlet-pressure type (F01K 7/02 takes precedence; the engines being only of turbine type F01K 7/16; the engines using steam of critical or over-critical pressure F01K 7/32; the engines being of extraction or non-condensing type F01K 7/34) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/08 • • Regulating means peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 7/10 • characterised by the engine exhaust pressure (the engines being only of turbine type F01K 7/16; the engines using steam of critical or over-critical pressure F01K 7/32; the engines being of extraction or non-condensing type F01K 7/34) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/12 • • of condensing type [1, 2006.01]
- 7/14 • • • Regulating means peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 7/16 • the engines being only of turbine type (the engines using steam of critical or over-critical pressure F01K 7/32; the engines being of extraction or non-condensing type F01K 7/34) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/18 • • the turbine being of multiple-inlet-pressure type [1, 2006.01]
- 7/20 • • • Regulating means peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 7/22 • • the turbines having inter-stage steam heating [1, 2006.01]
- 7/24 • • • Regulating or safety means peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 7/26 • • the turbines having inter-stage steam accumulation [1, 2006.01]
- 7/28 • • • Regulating means peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 7/30 • • the turbines using exhaust steam only [1, 2006.01]
- 7/32 • the engines using steam of critical or over-critical pressure [1, 2006.01]
- 7/34 • the engines being of extraction or non-condensing type; Use of steam for feed-water heating (feed-water heaters in general F22D) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/36 • • the engines being of positive-displacement type [1, 2006.01]
- 7/38 • • the engines being of turbine type [1, 2006.01]
- 7/40 • • Use of two or more feed-water heaters in series [1, 2006.01]
- 7/42 • • Use of desuperheaters for feed-water heating [1, 2006.01]
- 7/44 • • Use of steam for feed-water heating and another purpose [1, 2006.01]
- 9/00 Steam engine plants characterised by condensers arranged or modified to co-operate with the engines** (by condensers structurally combined with engines F01K 11/00; steam condensers *per se* F28B) [1, 2006.01]
- 9/02 • Arrangements or modifications of condensate or air pumps [1, 2006.01]
- 9/04 • with dump valves to by-pass stages [1, 2006.01]
- 11/00 Steam engine plants characterised by the engines being structurally combined with boilers or condensers** [1, 2006.01]
- 11/02 • the engines being turbines [1, 2006.01]
- 11/04 • the boilers or condensers being rotated in use [1, 2006.01]
- 13/00 General layout or general methods of operation, of complete steam engine plants** [1, 2006.01]
- 13/02 • Regulating, e.g. stopping or starting [1, 2006.01]
- 15/00 Adaptations of steam engine plants for special use** [1, 2006.01]
- 15/02 • for driving vehicles, e.g. locomotives (arrangements in vehicles, *see* the relevant vehicle classes) [1, 2006.01]
- 15/04 • • the vehicles being waterborne vessels [1, 2006.01]
- 17/00 Use of steam or condensate extracted or exhausted from steam engine plant** (for heating feed-water F01K 7/34; returning condensate to boiler F22D) [1, 2006.01]
- 17/02 • for heating purposes, e.g. industrial, domestic (F01K 17/06 takes precedence; domestic- or space-heating systems, e.g. central-heating systems, in general F24D 1/00, F24D 3/00, F24D 9/00) [1, 3, 2006.01]
- 17/04 • for specific purposes other than heating (F01K 17/06 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 17/06 • Returning energy of steam, in exchanged form, to process, e.g. use of exhaust steam for drying solid fuel of plant [1, 2006.01]
- 19/00 Regenerating or otherwise treating steam exhaust from steam engine plant** (plants characterised by use of means for storing steam in an alkali to increase steam pressure F01K 5/00; returning condensate to boiler F22D) [1, 2006.01]
- 19/02 • Regenerating by compression [1, 2006.01]
- 19/04 • • in combination with cooling or heating [1, 2006.01]
- 19/06 • • in engine cylinder [1, 2006.01]
- 19/08 • • compression done by injection apparatus, jet blower, or the like [1, 2006.01]
- 19/10 • Cooling exhaust steam other than by condenser; Rendering exhaust steam invisible [1, 2006.01]
- 21/00 Steam engine plants not otherwise provided for** [1, 2006.01]
- 21/02 • with steam generation in engine cylinders [1, 2006.01]
- 21/04 • using mixtures of steam and gas; Plants generating or heating steam by bringing water or steam into direct contact with hot gas (direct-contact steam generators in general F22B) [1, 2006.01]
- 21/06 • Treating live steam, other than thermodynamically, e.g. for fighting deposits in engine [1, 2006.01]
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- 23/00 Plants characterised by more than one engine delivering power external to the plant, the engines being driven by different fluids** [1, 2006.01]
- 23/02 • the engine cycles being thermally coupled [1, 2006.01]
- 23/04 • • condensation heat from one cycle heating the fluid in another cycle [1, 2006.01]
- 23/06 • • combustion heat from one cycle heating the fluid in another cycle [1, 2006.01]
- 23/08 • • • with working fluid of one cycle heating the fluid in another cycle [1, 2006.01]
- 23/10 • • • with exhaust fluid of one cycle heating the fluid in another cycle [1, 2006.01]
- 23/12 • the engines being mechanically coupled (F01K 23/02 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 23/14 • • including at least one combustion engine [1, 2006.01]
- 23/16 • • all the engines being turbines (F01K 23/14 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 23/18 • characterised by adaptation for specific use [1, 2006.01]

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| <p>25/00 <b>Plants or engines characterised by use of special working fluids, not otherwise provided for; Plants operating in closed cycles and not otherwise provided for [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>25/02 • the fluid remaining in the liquid phase [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>25/04 • the fluid being in different phases, e.g. foamed [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>25/06 • using mixtures of different fluids (plants using mixtures of steam and gas F01K 21/04) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>25/08 • using special vapours [1, 2006.01]</p> | <p>25/10 • • the vapours being cold, e.g. ammonia, carbon dioxide, ether [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>25/12 • • the vapours being metallic, e.g. mercury [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>25/14 • • using industrial or other waste gases [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>27/00 <b>Plants for converting heat or fluid energy into mechanical energy, not otherwise provided for [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>27/02 • Plants modified to use their waste heat, other than that of exhaust, e.g. engine-friction heat [1, 2006.01]</p> |
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**F01L CYCLICALLY OPERATING VALVES FOR MACHINES OR ENGINES (valves in general F16K)**

**Note(s) [2009.01]**

1. Groups F01L 1/00-F01L 13/00 cover only valve-gear or valve arrangements without provision for variable fluid distribution.
2. Valve gear or valve arrangements specially adapted for steam engines are covered by groups F01L 15/00-F01L 35/00.
3. Valve-gear or valve arrangements specially adapted for machines or engines with variable working-fluid distribution are covered by groups F01L 15/00-F01L 35/00.
4. Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially Note (3).
5. As regards the above-mentioned Note (3), attention is drawn to F01B 3/10, F01B 15/06, F01C 20/20, F01C 21/18, F02B 53/06, F03C 1/08, F04B 1/18, F04B 7/00, F04B 39/08, F04B 39/10, F04C 14/00, F04C 15/06, F04C 28/00 and F04C 29/12.

**Subclass index**

**VALVE-GEAR OR VALVE ARRANGEMENTS IN GENERAL**

General features.....	1/00
Operation	
mechanical.....	1/00
non-mechanical.....	9/00
Lift valves.....	3/00
Slide valves.....	5/00, 7/00
Arrangements in piston or piston-rod.....	11/00
Modified to facilitate engine operations.....	13/00

**VALVE-GEAR OR VALVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR VARIABLE WORKING-FLUID DISTRIBUTION**

General features.....	1/00
With slide valves	
surrounding cylinder or piston.....	17/00
with rotary or oscillatory motion; combined.....	33/00, 19/00
other features.....	15/00
With lift valves.....	35/00
Arrangements with particular characteristics; reversing gear.....	21/00-27/00, 29/00
Other valve-gear or valve arrangements.....	15/00
Drive, control, or adjustment.....	25/00, 31/00

**Valve-gear or valve arrangements for positive-displacement machines or engines other than steam engines, e.g. for internal-combustion piston engines, without provision for variable fluid distribution**

<p><b>1/00 Valve-gear or valve arrangements, e.g. lift-valve gear (lift valve and valve seat assemblies <i>per se</i> F01L 3/00; slide-valve gear F01L 5/00; actuated non-mechanically F01L 9/00; valve arrangements in working piston or piston-rod F01L 11/00; modifications of valve-gear to facilitate reversing, braking, starting, changing compression ratio, or other specific operations F01L 13/00) [1, 2006.01]</b></p> <p>1/02 • Valve drive (transmitting-gear between valve drive and valve F01L 1/12) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/04 • • by means of cams, camshafts, cam discs, eccentrics, or the like (F01L 1/10 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]</p>	<p>1/047 • • • Camshafts [6, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/053 • • • overhead type [6, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/06 • • • the cams, or the like, rotating at a higher speed than that corresponding to the valve cycle, e.g. operating four-stroke engine valves directly from crankshaft [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/08 • • • Shape of cams [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/10 • • by means of crank- or eccentric-driven rods [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/12 • Transmitting-gear between valve drive and valve (simultaneously operating two or more valves F01L 1/26) [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/14 • • Tappets; Push-rods [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/16 • • • Silencing impact; Reducing wear [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/18 • • Rocking arms or levers [1, 2006.01]</p> <p>1/20 • Adjusting or compensating clearance, i.e. lash adjustment [1, 2006.01]</p>
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- 1/22 • • automatically [1, 2006.01]
- 1/24 • • • by fluid means, e.g. hydraulically [1, 2006.01]
- 1/245 • • • • Hydraulic tappets [6, 2006.01]
- 1/25 • • • • • between cam and valve stem [6, 2006.01]
- 1/255 • • • • • between cam and rocker arm [6, 2006.01]
- 1/26 • characterised by the provision of two or more valves operated simultaneously by same transmitting-gear; peculiar to machines or engines with more than two lift valves per cylinder (with coaxial valves F01L 1/28) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/28 • characterised by the provision of coaxial valves; characterised by the provision of valves co-operating with both intake and exhaust ports [1, 2006.01]
- 1/30 • characterised by the provision of positively opened and closed valves, i.e. desmodromic valves [1, 2006.01]
- 1/32 • characterised by the provision of means for rotating lift valves, e.g. to diminish wear [1, 2006.01]
- 1/34 • characterised by the provision of means for changing the timing of the valves without changing the duration of opening [1, 2006.01]
- 1/344 • • changing the angular relationship between crankshaft and camshaft, e.g. using helicoidal gear [6, 2006.01]
- 1/348 • • • by means acting on timing belts or chains [6, 2006.01]
- 1/352 • • • using bevel or epicyclic gear [6, 2006.01]
- 1/356 • • • making the angular relationship oscillate [6, 2006.01]
- 1/36 • peculiar to machines or engines of specific type other than four-stroke cycle [1, 2006.01]
- 1/38 • • for engines with other than four-stroke cycle, e.g. with two-stroke cycle (F01L 1/26, F01L 1/28 take precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/40 • • for engines with scavenging charge near top dead-centre position, e.g. by overlapping inlet and exhaust time (scavenging aspects F02B) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/42 • • for machines or engines characterised by cylinder arrangement, e.g. star or fan [1, 2006.01]
- 1/44 • Multiple-valve gear or arrangements, not provided for in preceding subgroups, e.g. with lift and different valves [1, 2006.01]
- 1/46 • Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in preceding subgroups [1, 2006.01]
- 3/00 Lift valves, i.e. cut-off apparatus with closure members having at least a component of their opening and closing motion perpendicular to the closing faces; Parts or accessories thereof [1, 2006.01]**
- 3/02 • Selecting particular materials for valve members or valve seats; Valve members or valve seats composed of two or more materials [1, 2006.01]
- 3/04 • • Coated valve members or valve seats [1, 2006.01]
- 3/06 • Valve members or valve seats with means for guiding or deflecting the medium controlled thereby, e.g. producing a rotary motion of the drawn-in cylinder charge (for rotating lift valves F01L 1/32) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/08 • Valve guides; Sealing of valve stem, e.g. sealing by lubricant [1, 2006.01]
- 3/10 • Connecting springs to valve members [1, 2006.01]
- 3/12 • Cooling of valves [1, 2006.01]
- 3/14 • • by means of a liquid or solid coolant, e.g. sodium, in a closed chamber in a valve [1, 2006.01]
- 3/16 • • by means of a fluid flowing through or along valve, e.g. air (for sealing only F01L 3/08) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/18 • • • Liquid cooling of valve [1, 2006.01]
- 3/20 • Shapes or constructions of valve members, not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group [1, 2006.01]
- 3/22 • Valve seats not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group; Fixing of valve seats [1, 2006.01]
- 3/24 • Safety means or accessories, not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group [1, 2006.01]
- 5/00 Slide-valve gear or valve arrangements (with pure rotary or oscillatory movement F01L 7/00) [1, 2006.01]**
- 5/02 • with other than cylindrical, sleeve, or part-annularly-shaped valves, e.g. with flat-type valves [1, 2006.01]
- 5/04 • with cylindrical, sleeve, or part-annularly-shaped valves [1, 2006.01]
- 5/06 • • surrounding working cylinder or piston [1, 2006.01]
- 5/08 • • • Arrangements with several movements or several valves, e.g. one valve inside the other (with part-annularly-shaped valves F01L 5/12) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/10 • • • • with reciprocating and other movement of same valve [1, 2006.01]
- 5/12 • • • Arrangements with part-annularly-shaped valves [1, 2006.01]
- 5/14 • characterised by the provision of valves with reciprocating and other movements (surrounding working cylinder or piston F01L 5/06) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/16 • • with reciprocating and other movement of same valve, e.g. longitudinally and in cross direction of working cylinder [1, 2006.01]
- 5/18 • • with reciprocating valve and other slide valve [1, 2006.01]
- 5/20 • specially for two-stroke engines (F01L 5/06, F01L 5/14 take precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/22 • Multiple-valve arrangements (with valves surrounding working cylinder or piston F01L 5/06; with reciprocating and other slide valves F01L 5/18; specially for two-stroke engines F01L 5/20) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/24 • Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group [1, 2006.01]
- 7/00 Rotary or oscillatory slide-valve gear or valve arrangements (slide valves with combined rotary and non-rotary movements, combinations of rotary and non-rotary slide valves F01L 5/00) [1, 2006.01]**
- 7/02 • with cylindrical, sleeve, or part-annularly-shaped valves (of disc type F01L 7/06; of conical type F01L 7/08) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/04 • • surrounding working cylinder or piston [1, 2006.01]
- 7/06 • with disc-type valves [1, 2006.01]
- 7/08 • with conically- or frusto-conically-shaped valves [1, 2006.01]
- 7/10 • with valves of other specific shape, e.g. spherical [1, 2006.01]
- 7/12 • specially for two-stroke engines (F01L 7/04 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 7/14 • Multiple-valve arrangements (with valves surrounding working cylinder or piston F01L 7/04; specially for two-stroke engines F01L 7/12) [1, 2006.01]

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- 7/16 • Sealing or packing arrangements specially therefor [1, 2006.01]
- 7/18 • Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group [1, 2006.01]
- 9/00 Valve-gear or valve arrangements actuated non-mechanically [1, 2006.01]**
- 9/02 • by fluid means, e.g. hydraulic [1, 2006.01]
- 9/04 • by electric means [1, 2006.01]
- 11/00 Valve arrangements in working piston or piston-rod [1, 2006.01]**
- 11/02 • in piston [1, 2006.01]
- 11/04 • • operated by movement of connecting-rod [1, 2006.01]
- 11/06 • • • operating oscillatory valve [1, 2006.01]
- 13/00 Modifications of valve-gear to facilitate reversing, braking, starting, changing compression ratio, or other specific operations [1, 2006.01]**
- 13/02 • for reversing [1, 2006.01]
- 13/04 • for starting by means of fluid pressure [1, 2006.01]
- 13/06 • for braking [1, 2006.01]
- 13/08 • for decompression, e.g. during starting; for changing compression ratio [1, 2006.01]

### Valve-gear or valve arrangements specially adapted for steam engines, or specially adapted for other positive-displacement machines or engines with variable working-fluid distribution

#### Note(s)

1. Groups F01L 15/00-F01L 31/00cover:
  - valve drive or means external to valves for adjustment during operation;
  - tripping-gear;
  - reversing-gear;
  - use of pistons or piston-rods as valves or as valve-supporting elements;
  - valve-gear or valve arrangements peculiar to free-piston machines or engines.
2. Groups F01L 15/00-F01L 31/00do not fully cover subject matter restricted to rotary, oscillatory, or lift-valve gear or valve arrangements, which is covered by group F01L 33/00 or F01L 35/00.

- 15/00 Valve-gear or valve arrangements, e.g. with reciprocatory slide valves, other than provided for in groups F01L 17/00-F01L 29/00** (valve drive or external valve-adjustment during operation, see the relevant groups, e.g. F01L 31/00; tripping-gear or tripping of valves F01L 31/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 15/02 • with valves other than cylindrical, sleeve, or part-annularly-shaped, e.g. flat D-valves [1, 2006.01]
- 15/04 • • main valve being combined with auxiliary valve (of drag-valve type F01L 15/10) [1, 2006.01]
- 15/06 • • • of Meyer or Rider type, i.e. in which the expansion is varied at the expansion valve itself [1, 2006.01]
- 15/08 • with cylindrical, sleeve, or part-annularly-shaped valves; Such main valves combined with auxiliary valves [1, 2006.01]
- 15/10 • with main slide valve and auxiliary valve dragged thereby [1, 2006.01]
- 15/12 • characterised by having means for effecting pressure equilibrium between two different cylinder spaces at idling [1, 2006.01]

- 15/14 • Arrangements with several co-operating main valves, e.g. reciprocatory and rotary [1, 2006.01]
- 15/16 • • with reciprocatory slide valves only [1, 2006.01]
- 15/18 • Valve arrangements not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group [1, 2006.01]
- 15/20 • Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in preceding subgroups of this group [1, 2006.01]
- 17/00 Slide-valve gear or valve arrangements with cylindrical, sleeve, or part-annularly-shaped valves surrounding working cylinder or piston [1, 2006.01]**
- 17/02 • Drive, or adjustment during operation, peculiar thereto, e.g. for reciprocating and oscillating movements or for several valves one inside the other [1, 2006.01]
- 19/00 Slide-valve gear or valve arrangements with reciprocatory and other movement of same valve, other than provided for in group F01L 17/00, e.g. longitudinally and in cross direction of working cylinder [1, 2006.01]**
- 19/02 • Drive, or adjustment during operation, peculiar thereto [1, 2006.01]
- 21/00 Use of working pistons or piston-rods as fluid-distributing valves or as valve-supporting elements, e.g. in free-piston machines [1, 2006.01]**
- 21/02 • Piston or piston-rod used as valve member [1, 2006.01]
- 21/04 • Valves arranged in or on piston or piston-rod [1, 2006.01]
- 23/00 Valves controlled by impact of piston, e.g. in free-piston machines [1, 2006.01]**
- 25/00 Drive, or adjustment during operation, of distribution or expansion valves by non-mechanical means [1, 2006.01]**
- 25/02 • by fluid means [1, 2006.01]
- 25/04 • • by working fluid of machine or engine, e.g. free-piston machine [1, 2006.01]
- 25/06 • • • Arrangements with main and auxiliary valves, at least one of them being fluid-driven [1, 2006.01]
- 25/08 • by electric or magnetic means [1, 2006.01]
- 27/00 Distribution or expansion-valve gear peculiar to free-piston machines or engines and not provided for in groups F01L 21/00-F01L 25/00 [1, 2006.01]**
- 27/02 • the machine or engine having rotary or oscillatory valves [1, 2006.01]
- 27/04 • Delayed-action controls, e.g. of cataract- or dash-pot-type [1, 2006.01]
- 29/00 Reversing-gear** (equally usable for control of degree of working fluid admission, and reversing being of secondary importance F01L 31/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 29/02 • by displacing eccentric [1, 2006.01]
- 29/04 • by links or guide rods [1, 2006.01]
- 29/06 • by interchanging inlet and exhaust ports [1, 2006.01]
- 29/08 • specially for rotary or oscillatory valves [1, 2006.01]
- 29/10 • Details, e.g. drive [1, 2006.01]
- 29/12 • • Powered reverse gear [1, 2006.01]

- 31/00 Valve drive, valve adjustment during operation, or other valve control, not provided for in groups F01L 15/00-F01L 29/00** (sensing elements measuring the variable or condition to be controlled or regulated F01B) [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/02 • with tripping-gear (for oscillatory valves F01L 31/06); Tripping of valves [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/04 • • with positively-driven trip levers [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/06 • with tripping-gear specially for oscillatory valves; Oscillatory tripping-valves, e.g. of Corliss type [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/08 • Valve drive or valve adjustment, apart from tripping aspects; Positively-driven gear [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/10 • • the drive being effected by eccentrics (F01L 31/14 takes precedence) [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/12 • • • Valve adjustment by displacing eccentric [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/14 • • Valve adjustment by links or guide rods, e.g. in valve-gears with eccentric drive [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/16 • • the drive being effected by specific means other than eccentric, e.g. cams; Valve adjustment in connection with such drives [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/18 • • specially for rotary or oscillatory valves [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/20 • • • Valve adjustment [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/22 • • specially for lift valves [**1, 2006.01**]
- 31/24 • • • Valve adjustment [**1, 2006.01**]

**Rotary or oscillatory slide-valve gear or lift-valve gear or such valve arrangements specially adapted for steam engines, or specially adapted for other positive-displacement machines or engines with variable working-fluid distribution**

- 33/00 Rotary or oscillatory slide-valve gear or valve arrangements, specially adapted for machines or engines with variable fluid distribution** (drive, adjustment during operation, tripping-gear, reversing-gear, use of working pistons or piston-rods as valves or as valve-supporting elements, valve-gear or valve arrangements peculiar to free-piston machines or engines F01L 15/00-F01L 31/00) [**1, 2006.01**]
- 33/02 • rotary [**1, 2006.01**]
- 33/04 • oscillatory [**1, 2006.01**]
- 35/00 Lift-valve gear or valve arrangements specially adapted for machines or engines with variable fluid distribution** (drive, adjustment during operation, tripping-gear, reversing-gear, use of working pistons or piston-rods as valves or as valve-supporting elements, valve-gear or valve arrangements peculiar to free-piston machines or engines F01L 15/00-F01L 31/00) [**1, 2006.01**]
- 35/02 • Valves [**1, 2006.01**]
- 35/04 • Arrangements of valves in the machine or engine, e.g. relative to working cylinder [**1, 2006.01**]

**F01M LUBRICATING OF MACHINES OR ENGINES IN GENERAL; LUBRICATING INTERNAL-COMBUSTION ENGINES; CRANKCASE VENTILATING [2]**

**Note(s) [2006.01]**

- Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards Note (3).
- Attention is drawn to the following places, which cover lubrication of specific machines or engines:
  - F01B 31/10.....Steam engines
  - F01C 21/04.....Rotary-piston or oscillating-piston machines or engines
  - F01D 25/18.....Non-positive-displacement machines
  - F02C 7/06.....Gas-turbine plants
  - F02F 1/20.....Cylinders of combustion engines
  - F04B 39/02.....Pumps for elastic fluids
  - F04C 29/02.....Rotary-piston or oscillating-piston pumps for liquids
  - F04D 29/04.....Non-positive-displacement pumps

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- 1/00 Pressure lubrication [1, 2006.01]**
- 1/02 • using lubricating pumps [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/04 • using pressure in working cylinder or crankcase to operate lubricant-feeding devices [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/06 • Lubricating systems characterised by the provision therein of crankshafts or connecting-rods with lubricant passageways, e.g. bores [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/08 • Lubricating systems characterised by the provision therein of lubricant-jetting means [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/10 • Lubricating systems characterised by the provision therein of lubricant venting or purifying means, e.g. of filters (mounting of, connecting of, or constructional details of lubricant purifying means F01M 11/03) [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/12 • Closed-circuit lubricating systems not provided for in groups F01M 1/02-F01M 1/10 [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/14 • Timed lubrication (F01M 1/08 takes precedence) [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/16 • Controlling lubricant pressure or quantity [**1, 2006.01**]
- 1/18 • Indicating or safety devices (concerning lubricant level F01M 11/06, F01M 11/12) [**1, 2006.01**]

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- 1/20 • • concerning lubricant pressure [1, 2006.01]
- 1/22 • • • rendering machines or engines inoperative or idling on pressure failure [1, 2006.01]
- 1/24 • • • • acting on engine fuel system [1, 2006.01]
- 1/26 • • • • acting on engine ignition system [1, 2006.01]
- 1/28 • • • • acting on engine combustion-air supply [1, 2006.01]
  
- 3/00 **Lubrication specially adapted for engines with crankcase compression of fuel-air mixture, or for other engines in which lubricant is contained in fuel, combustion air, or fuel-air mixture** (separating lubricant from air or fuel-air mixture before entry into cylinder F01M 11/08) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/02 • with variable proportion of lubricant to fuel, lubricant to air, or lubricant to fuel-air mixture [1, 2006.01]
- 3/04 • for upper cylinder lubrication only [1, 2006.01]
  
- 5/00 **Heating, cooling, or controlling temperature of lubricant** (arrangement of lubricant coolers in engine cooling system F01P 11/08); **Lubrication means facilitating engine starting** [1, 2006.01]
- 5/02 • Conditioning lubricant for aiding engine starting, e.g. heating [1, 2006.01]
- 5/04 • • Diluting, e.g. with fuel [1, 2006.01]
  
- 7/00 **Lubrication means specially adapted for machine or engine running-in** [1, 2006.01]
  
- 9/00 **Lubrication means having pertinent characteristics not provided for in, or of interest apart from, groups F01M 1/00-F01M 7/00** [1, 2006.01]
  
- 9/02 • having means for introducing additives to lubricant [1, 2006.01]
- 9/04 • Use of fuel as lubricant [1, 2006.01]
- 9/06 • Dip or splash lubrication [1, 2006.01]
- 9/08 • Drip lubrication [1, 2006.01]
- 9/10 • Lubrication of valve gear or auxiliaries [1, 2006.01]
- 9/12 • Non-pressurised lubrication, or non-closed-circuit lubrication, not otherwise provided for [1, 2006.01]
  
- 11/00 **Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in, or of interest apart from, groups F01M 1/00-F01M 9/00** [1, 2006.01]
- 11/02 • Arrangements of lubricant conduits [1, 2006.01]
- 11/03 • Mounting or connecting of lubricant purifying means relative to the machine or engine; Details of lubricant purifying means [3, 2006.01]
- 11/04 • Filling or draining lubricant of or from machines or engines [1, 2006.01]
- 11/06 • Means for keeping lubricant level constant or for accommodating movement or position of machines or engines [1, 2006.01]
- 11/08 • Separating lubricant from air or fuel-air mixture before entry into cylinder [1, 2006.01]
- 11/10 • Indicating devices; Other safety devices [1, 2006.01]
- 11/12 • • concerning lubricant level [1, 2006.01]
  
- 13/00 **Crankcase ventilating or breathing** [2, 2006.01]
- 13/02 • by means of additional source of positive or negative pressure [2, 2006.01]
- 13/04 • having means for purifying air before leaving crankcase, e.g. removing oil [2, 2006.01]
- 13/06 • specially adapted for submersible engines, e.g. of armoured vehicles [2, 2006.01]

**F01N GAS-FLOW SILENCERS OR EXHAUST APPARATUS FOR MACHINES OR ENGINES IN GENERAL; GAS-FLOW SILENCERS OR EXHAUST APPARATUS FOR INTERNAL-COMBUSTION ENGINES** (arrangements in connection with gas exhaust of propulsion units in vehicles B60K 13/00; combustion-air intake silencers specially adapted for, or arranged on, internal-combustion engines F02M 35/00; protecting against, or damping, noise in general G10K 11/16)

## Note(s)

Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards Note (3).

- 1/00 **Silencing apparatus characterised by method of silencing** [1, 2006.01]
- 1/02 • by using resonance [1, 2006.01]
- 1/04 • • having sound-absorbing materials in resonance chambers [1, 2006.01]
- 1/06 • by using interference effect [1, 2006.01]
- 1/08 • by reducing exhaust energy by throttling or whirling [1, 2006.01]
- 1/10 • • in combination with sound-absorbing materials [1, 2006.01]
- 1/12 • • using spirally- or helically-shaped channels (F01N 1/10 takes precedence; cyclones B04C) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/14 • by adding air to exhaust gases [1, 2006.01]
- 1/16 • by using movable parts [1, 2006.01]
- 1/18 • • having rotary movement [1, 2006.01]
- 1/20 • • having oscillating or vibrating movement (the parts being resilient walls F01N 1/22) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/22 • • the parts being resilient walls [1, 2006.01]
- 1/24 • by using sound-absorbing materials (F01N 1/04, F01N 1/06, F01N 1/10, F01N 1/14, F01N 1/16 take precedence) [1, 2006.01]
  
- 3/00 **Exhaust or silencing apparatus having means for purifying, rendering innocuous, or otherwise treating exhaust** (electric control F01N 9/00; monitoring or diagnostic devices for exhaust-gas treatment apparatus F01N 11/00) [1, 4, 2006.01]
- 3/01 • by means of electric or electrostatic separators [7, 2006.01]
- 3/02 • for cooling, or for removing solid constituents of, exhaust (by means of electric or electrostatic separators F01N 3/01) [1, 7, 2006.01]
- 3/021 • • by means of filters [7, 2006.01]
- 3/022 • • • characterised by specially adapted filtering structure, e.g. honeycomb, mesh or fibrous [7, 2006.01]
- 3/023 • • • using means for regenerating the filters, e.g. by burning trapped particles [7, 2006.01]
- 3/025 • • • using fuel burner or by adding fuel to exhaust [7, 2006.01]
- 3/027 • • • • using electric or magnetic heating [7, 2006.01]
- 3/028 • • • • using microwaves [7, 2006.01]

- 3/029 • • • • by adding non-fuel substances to exhaust [7, 2006.01]
- 3/031 • • • • having means for by-passing filters, e.g. when clogged or during cold engine start [7, 2006.01]
- 3/032 • • • • during filter regeneration only [7, 2006.01]
- 3/033 • • • • in combination with other devices [7, 2006.01]
- 3/035 • • • • with catalytic reactors [7, 2006.01]
- 3/037 • • • • by means of inertial or centrifugal separators, e.g. associated with agglomerators [7, 2006.01]
- 3/038 • • • • by means of perforated plates defining expansion chambers associated with condensation and collection chambers [7, 2006.01]
- 3/04 • • • • by means of liquids [1, 2006.01]
- 3/05 • • • • by means of air, e.g. by mixing exhaust with air (silencers working by addition of air to exhaust F01N 1/14; arrangements for the supply of additional air for the thermal or catalytic conversion of noxious components of exhaust F01N 3/30) [7, 2006.01]
- 3/06 • • • • for extinguishing sparks [1, 2006.01]
- 3/08 • • • • for rendering innocuous (using electric or electrostatic separators F01N 3/01; chemical aspects B01D 53/92) [1, 7, 2006.01]
- 3/10 • • • • by thermal or catalytic conversion of noxious components of exhaust [1, 3, 2006.01]
- 3/18 • • • • characterised by methods of operation; Regulation [3, 2006.01]
- 3/20 • • • • specially adapted for catalytic conversion (F01N 3/22 takes precedence) [3, 2006.01]
- 3/22 • • • • Regulation of additional air supply only, e.g. using by-passes or variable air pump drives [3, 2006.01]
- 3/24 • • • • characterised by constructional aspects of converting apparatus (filtering in combination with catalytic reactors F01N 3/035) [3, 7, 2006.01]
- 3/26 • • • • Construction of thermal reactors [3, 2006.01]
- 3/28 • • • • Construction of catalytic reactors [3, 2006.01]
- 3/30 • • • • Arrangements for supply of additional air (regulation, e.g. using by-passes or variable air pump drives, F01N 3/22) [3, 2006.01]
- 3/32 • • • • using air pumps (using jet air pumps F01N 3/34; pumps in general F04) [3, 2006.01]
- 3/34 • • • • using air conduits or jet air pumps, e.g. near the engine exhaust port [3, 2006.01]
- 3/36 • • • • Arrangements for supply of additional fuel [3, 2006.01]
- 3/38 • • • • Arrangements for igniting [3, 2006.01]
- 5/00 **Exhaust or silencing apparatus combined or associated with devices profiting by exhaust energy** (using kinetic or wave energy of exhaust gases in exhaust systems for charging F02B; predominant aspects of such devices, see the relevant classes for the devices) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/02 • • • • the devices using heat [1, 2006.01]
- 5/04 • • • • the devices using kinetic energy [1, 2006.01]
- 9/00 **Electrical control of exhaust gas treating apparatus** (monitoring or diagnostic devices for exhaust-gas treatment apparatus F01N 11/00; conjoint electrical control of two or more combustion engine functions F02D 43/00) [4, 2006.01]
- 11/00 **Monitoring or diagnostic devices for exhaust-gas treatment apparatus** [7, 2006.01]
- 13/00 **Exhaust or silencing apparatus characterised by constructional features** [2010.01]
- 13/02 • • • • having two or more separate silencers in series [2010.01]
- 13/04 • • • • having two or more silencers in parallel, e.g. having interconnections for multi-cylinder engines [2010.01]
- 13/06 • • • • specially adapted for star-arrangement of cylinders, e.g. exhaust manifolds [2010.01]
- 13/08 • • • • Other arrangements or adaptations of exhaust conduits [2010.01]
- 13/10 • • • • of exhaust manifolds [2010.01]
- 13/12 • • • • specially adapted for submerged exhausting [2010.01]
- 13/14 • • • • having thermal insulation [2010.01]
- 13/16 • • • • Selection of particular materials [2010.01]
- 13/18 • • • • Construction facilitating manufacture, assembly or disassembly [2010.01]
- 13/20 • • • • having flared outlets, e.g. of fish-tail shape [2010.01]
- 99/00 **Subject matter not provided for in other groups of this subclass** [2010.01]

**F01P COOLING OF MACHINES OR ENGINES IN GENERAL; COOLING OF INTERNAL-COMBUSTION ENGINES** (arrangements in connection with cooling of propulsion units in vehicles B60K 11/00; heat-transfer, heat-exchange or heat-storage materials C09K 5/00; heat-exchange in general, radiators F28)

#### Note(s)

- In this subclass, the following terms or expressions are used with the meanings indicated:
  - "air" also includes other gaseous cooling fluids;
  - "liquid cooling" also includes cooling where liquid is used as the heat-transferring fluid between parts to be cooled and the air, e.g. using radiators;
  - "air cooling" means direct air cooling and thus excludes indirect air cooling occurring in liquid cooling systems as explained under liquid cooling above;
  - "cooling-air" includes directly- or indirectly-acting cooling-air.
- Attention is drawn to the Notes preceding class F01, especially as regards Note (3).
- Cooling by lubricant is classified in subclass F01M when the lubrication aspect predominates, and in subclass F01P when the cooling aspect predominates.

**Air cooling; Liquid cooling**

- 1/00 Air cooling** (propelling cooling-air or liquid coolants F01P 5/00; controlling supply or circulation of coolants F01P 7/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 1/02 • Arrangements for cooling cylinders or cylinder heads, e.g. ducting cooling-air from its pressure source to cylinders or along cylinders [1, 2006.01]
- 1/04 • Arrangements for cooling pistons [1, 2006.01]
- 1/06 • Arrangements for cooling other engine or machine parts [1, 2006.01]
- 1/08 • • for cooling intake or exhaust valves [1, 2006.01]
- 1/10 • • for cooling fuel injectors or sparking-plugs [1, 2006.01]
- 3/00 Liquid cooling** (propelling cooling-air or liquid coolants F01P 5/00; controlling supply or circulation of coolants F01P 7/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/02 • Arrangements for cooling cylinders or cylinder heads [1, 2006.01]
- 3/04 • • Liquid-to-air heat-exchangers combined with, or arranged on, cylinders or cylinder heads [1, 2006.01]
- 3/06 • Arrangements for cooling pistons [1, 2006.01]
- 3/08 • • Cooling of piston exterior only, e.g. by jets [1, 2006.01]
- 3/10 • • Cooling by flow of coolant through pistons [1, 2006.01]
- 3/12 • Arrangements for cooling other engine or machine parts [1, 2006.01]
- 3/14 • • for cooling intake or exhaust valves [1, 2006.01]
- 3/16 • • for cooling fuel injectors or sparking-plugs [1, 2006.01]
- 3/18 • Arrangement or mounting of liquid-to-air heat-exchangers (such arrangements on cylinders or cylinder heads F01P 3/04; relative to vehicles B60K 11/04) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/20 • Cooling circuits not specific to a single part of engine or machine (F01P 3/22 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 3/22 • characterised by evaporation and condensation of coolant in closed cycles (other cooling by evaporation F01P 9/02); characterised by the coolant reaching higher temperatures than normal atmospheric boiling-point [1, 2006.01]

**Pumping cooling-air or liquid coolants; Controlling circulation or supply of coolants**

- 5/00 Pumping cooling-air or liquid coolants** (controlling circulation or supply of coolants by influencing drive of pumps F01P 7/00) [1, 2006.01]
- 5/02 • Pumping cooling-air; Arrangements of cooling-air pumps, e.g. fans or blowers [1, 2006.01]
- 5/04 • • Pump-driving arrangements [1, 2006.01]
- 5/06 • • Guiding or ducting air to or from ducted fans [1, 2006.01]

- 5/08 • • Use of engine exhaust gases for pumping cooling-air [1, 2006.01]
- 5/10 • Pumping liquid coolant; Arrangements of coolant pumps [1, 2006.01]
- 5/12 • • Pump-driving arrangements [1, 2006.01]
- 5/14 • Safety means against, or active at, failure of coolant-pump drives, e.g. shutting engine down; Means for indicating functioning of coolant pumps [1, 2006.01]
- 7/00 Controlling of coolant flow** [1, 2006.01]
- 7/02 • the coolant being cooling-air [1, 2006.01]
- 7/04 • • by varying pump speed, e.g. by changing pump-drive gear ratio [1, 2006.01]
- 7/06 • • by varying blade pitch [1, 2006.01]
- 7/08 • • by cutting in or out of pumps [1, 2006.01]
- 7/10 • • by throttling amount of air flowing through liquid-to-air heat-exchangers [1, 2006.01]
- 7/12 • • • by thermostatic control [1, 2006.01]
- 7/14 • the coolant being liquid [1, 2006.01]
- 7/16 • • by thermostatic control [1, 2006.01]

**9/00 Cooling having pertinent characteristics not provided for in, or of interest apart from, groups F01P 1/00-F01P 7/00** (profiting from waste heat of combustion-engine cooling F02G 5/00) [1, 2006.01]

- 9/02 • Cooling by evaporation, e.g. by spraying water on to cylinders (evaporation and condensation of liquid coolant in closed cycles F01P 3/22) [1, 2006.01]
- 9/04 • by simultaneous or alternative use of direct air cooling and liquid cooling (F01P 9/02 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 9/06 • by use of refrigerating apparatus, e.g. of compressor or absorber type [1, 2006.01]

**11/00 Component parts, details, or accessories, not provided for in, or of interest apart from, groups F01P 1/00-F01P 9/00** [1, 2006.01]

- 11/02 • Liquid-coolant overflow, venting, or draining devices (automatic draining during freezing conditions F01P 11/20) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/04 • Arrangements of liquid pipes or hoses [1, 2006.01]
- 11/06 • Cleaning (in general B08B); Combating corrosion (in general C23F) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/08 • Arrangements of lubricant coolers (in lubrication apparatus F01M) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/10 • Guiding or ducting cooling-air to or from liquid-to-air heat-exchangers [1, 2006.01]
- 11/12 • Filtering, cooling, or silencing cooling-air [1, 2006.01]
- 11/14 • Indicating devices; Other safety devices [1, 2006.01]
- 11/16 • • concerning coolant temperature (F01P 11/20 takes precedence) [1, 2006.01]
- 11/18 • • concerning coolant pressure, coolant flow, or liquid-coolant level [1, 2006.01]
- 11/20 • • concerning atmospheric freezing conditions, e.g. automatically draining or heating during frosty weather [1, 2006.01]