

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****H05H**

**PLASMA TECHNIQUE** (fusion reactors [G21B](#) ; ion-beam tubes [H01J 27/00](#); magnetohydrodynamic generators [H02K 44/08](#); producing X-rays involving plasma generation [H05G 2/00](#)) ; **PRODUCTION OF ACCELERATED ELECTRICALLY-CHARGED PARTICLES OR OF NEUTRONS** (obtaining neutrons from radioactive sources [G21](#) , e.g. [G21B](#) , [G21C](#) , [G21G](#) ) ; **PRODUCTION OR ACCELERATION OF NEUTRAL MOLECULAR OR ATOMIC BEAMS** (atomic clocks [G04F 5/14](#); devices using stimulated emission [H01S](#) ; frequency regulation by comparison with a reference frequency determined by energy levels of molecules, atoms, or subatomic particles [H03L 7/26](#))

**H05H 1/00****Generating plasma; Handling plasma**

- H05H 1/0006 . {Investigating plasma, e.g. degree of ionisation (electron temperature) }
- H05H 1/0012 .. {by using radiation }
- H05H 1/0018 ... {Details }
- H05H 1/0025 ... {by using photoelectric means ([H05H 1/0031](#) to [H05H 1/0043](#) take precedence) }
- H05H 1/0031 ... {by interferrometry }
- H05H 1/0037 ... {by spectrometry (see [G01N 3/00](#)) }
- H05H 1/0043 ... {by using infra-red or ultra-violet radiation }
- H05H 1/005 ... {by using X-rays or alpha rays (see [G01N 23/00](#)) }
- H05H 1/0056 ... {by using neutrons (see [G01N 23/00](#)) }
- H05H 1/0062 ... {by using microwaves (see [G01N 23/34](#)) }
- H05H 1/0068 .. {by thermal means (see [G01N 25/00](#)) }
- H05H 1/0075 ... {Langmuir probes }
- H05H 1/0081 .. {by electric means (see [G01N 27/00](#), [G01R](#) ) }
- H05H 1/0087 .. {by magnetic means (see [G01N 27/00](#), [G01R](#) ) }
- H05H 1/0093 .. {by acoustic, e.g. ultrasonic means (see [G01N 29/02](#)) }
- H05H 1/02 . Arrangements for confining plasma by electric or magnetic fields; Arrangements for heating plasma ( { [G21B 1/00](#) takes precedence; } [electron optics H01J](#) )
- H05H 1/03 .. using electrostatic fields
- H05H 1/04 .. using magnetic fields substantially generated by the discharge in the plasma
- H05H 1/06 ... longitudinal pinch devices
- H05H 1/08 ... Theta pinch devices {e.g. SCYLLA }
- H05H 1/10 .. using externally-applied magnetic field only {e.g. Q-machines, Yin-Yang, base-ball }
- H05H 1/105 ... {using magnetic pumping }
- H05H 1/11 ... using cusp configuration ([H05H 1/14](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 1/12 ... wherein the containment vessel forms a closed or nearly closed loop { ([G21B 1/05](#) takes precedence) }
- H05H 1/14 ... wherein the containment vessel is straight and has magnetic mirrors {electron

- mirrors [G21K 1/08B](#) }
- H05H 1/16 . . using externally-applied electric and magnetic field
- H05H 1/18 . . . wherein the field oscillate at very high frequency, e.g. in the microwave range {e.g. using cyclotron resonance }
- H05H 1/20 . . Ohmic heating
- H05H 1/22 . . for injection heating { ([G21B 1/15](#) takes precedence) }
- H05H 1/24 . Generating plasma { (gas-filled discharge reactors [H01J 37/32](#); nuclear fusion reactors [G21B 1/00](#); ohmic heating [H05H 1/20](#); injection heating [H05H 1/22](#)) }
- H05H 1/2406 . . { Dielectric barrier discharges }
- H05H 1/2475 . . { Acoustic pressure discharge }
- H05H 1/26 . . Plasma torches { (metal working with constricted arc [B23K 10/00](#), [H05H 10/02](#); metal spraying [B05B 7/18](#), [B05B 7/20](#)) }
- H05H 1/28 . . . Cooling arrangements
- H05H 1/30 . . . using applied electromagnetic fields, e.g. high frequency or microwave energy ([H05H 1/28](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 1/32 . . . using an arc ([H05H 1/28](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 1/34 . . . . Details, e.g. electrodes, nozzles {cf. [B23K 9/24](#) }
- H05H 1/3405 . . . . {Arc stabilising or constricting arrangements, e.g. by an additional gas flow (by externally applied magnetic field [H05H 1/40](#); by using powders or liquids [H05H 1/42](#); using coaxial protecting fluid [H05H 1/341](#)) }
- H05H 1/341 . . . . {using coaxial protecting fluid (arc stabilising or constricting arrangements [H05H 1/3405](#); introducing materials into the plasma [H05H 1/42](#)) }
- H05H 1/36 . . . . Circuit arrangements ([H05H 1/38](#), [H05H 1/40](#) take precedence)
- H05H 1/38 . . . . Guiding or centering of electrodes
- H05H 1/40 . . . . using applied magnetic fields, e.g. for focusing or rotating the arc {cf. [B23K 9/08](#), [B23K 9/06C5](#) }
- H05H 1/42 . . . with provision for introducing materials into the plasma, e.g. powder, liquid (electrostatic spraying, spraying apparatus with means for charging the spray electrically [B05B 5/00](#)) {cf. [B23K 9/324](#), [B05B 7/22](#); arc stabilising or constricting arrangements [H05H 1/3405](#); coaxial protecting fluids [H05H 1/341](#) }
- H05H 1/44 . . . . using more than one torch
- H05H 1/46 . . using applied electromagnetic fields, e.g. high frequency or microwave energy ([H05H 1/26](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 1/48 . . using an arc ([H05H 1/26](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 1/50 . . and using applied magnetic fields, e.g. for focusing or rotating the arc
- H05H 1/52 . . using exploding wires or spark gaps ([H05H 1/26](#) takes precedence; spark gaps in general [H01T](#) )
- H05H 1/54 . Plasma accelerators
- H05H 3/00 Production or acceleration of neutral particle beams, e.g. molecular or atomic beams**
- H05H 3/02 . Molecular or atomic beam generation { (charge exchange devices [G21K 1/14](#); polarising devices [G21K 1/16](#); using resonance or molecular beams for analysing or investigating materials [G01N 24/002](#); atomic clock [G04F 5/14](#); beam masers

[1/06](#) }

H05H 3/04

- Acceleration by electromagnetic wave pressure

H05H 3/06

- Generating neutron beams ([targets for producing nuclear reactions H05H 6/00](#); [neutron sources G21G 4/02](#))

**H05H 5/00**

**Direct voltage accelerators; Accelerators using single pulses** ([H05H 3/06](#) takes precedence)

H05H 5/02

- Details ([targets for producing nuclear reactions H05H 6/00](#))

H05H 5/03

- Accelerating tubes (vessels or containers of electric discharge tubes with improved potential distribution over surface of vessel [H01J 5/06](#); shields of X-ray tubes associated with vessels or containers [H01J 35/16](#))

H05H 5/04

- { energised by electrostatic generators }

H05H 5/042

- { of the van de Graaf type }

H05H 5/045

- { High voltage cascades, e.g. Greinacher cascade }

H05H 5/047

- { Pulsed generators }

H05H 5/06

- { Multistage accelerators }

H05H 5/063

- { Tandems }

H05H 5/066

- { Onion-like structures }

H05H 5/08

- Particle accelerators using step-up transformers, e.g. resonance transformers

**H05H 6/00**

**Targets for producing nuclear reactions** ([supports for targets or objects to be irradiated G21K 5/08](#)) {[preparation of tritium C01B 4/00](#) }; {[targets, e.g. pellets for fusion reactions by laser or charged particles beam injection H05H 1/22](#) }

H05H 6/005

- {[Polarised targets](#) ([polarising devices, e.g. for obtaining a polarised ion beam G21K 1/16](#)) }

**H05H 7/00**

**Details of devices of the types covered by groups [H05H 9/00](#), [H05H 11/00](#), [H05H 13/00](#)**

H05H 7/001

- { [Arrangements for beam delivery or irradiation](#) ([irradiation systems per se G21K 5/00](#)) }

H05H 7/02

- Circuits or systems for supplying or feeding radio-frequency energy ([radio-frequency generators H03B](#) )

H05H 7/04

- Magnet systems {[e.g. undulators, wigglers](#) ([free-electron laser H01S 3/0903](#)) }; Energisation thereof

H05H 7/06

- Two-beam arrangements; Multi-beam arrangements {[storage rings](#) }; Electron rings

H05H 7/08

- Arrangements for injecting particles into orbits

H05H 7/10

- Arrangements for ejecting particles from orbits

- H05H 7/12 . Arrangements for varying final energy of beam
- H05H 7/14 . Vacuum chambers ([H05H 5/03](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 7/16 . . of the waveguide type
- H05H 7/18 . . Cavities; Resonators { (travelling-wave tubes [H01J 23/18](#); hyperfrequency cavities in general [H01P 7/04](#), [H01P 7/06](#) ) }
- H05H 7/20 . . . with superconductive walls
- H05H 7/22 . Details of linear accelerators, e.g. drift tubes ([H05H 7/02](#) to [H05H 7/20](#) take precedence)

**H05H 9/00****Linear accelerators**

- H05H 9/005 . { Dielectric wall accelerators }
- H05H 9/02 . Travelling-wave linear accelerators {travelling-wave tubes [H01J 25/34](#) }
- H05H 9/04 . Standing-wave linear accelerators
- H05H 9/041 . . { Hadron LINACS }
- H05H 9/042 . . . { Drift tube LINACS }
- H05H 9/044 . . . { Coupling cavity LINACS, e.g. side coupled }
- H05H 9/045 . . . { Radio frequency quadrupoles }
- H05H 9/047 . . . { Hybrid systems }
- H05H 9/048 . . { Lepton LINACS }

**H05H 11/00****Magnetic induction accelerators, e.g. betatrons**

- H05H 11/02 . Air-cored betatrons
- H05H 11/04 . Biased betatrons

**H05H 13/00****Magnetic resonance accelerators; Cyclotrons { (strophotrons, turbine tubes [H01J 25/62](#) ) }**

- H05H 13/005 . { Cyclotrons }
- H05H 13/02 . Synchrocyclotrons, i.e. frequency modulated cyclotrons
- H05H 13/04 . Synchrotrons
- H05H 13/06 . Air-cored magnetic resonance accelerators
- H05H 13/08 . Alternating-gradient magnetic resonance accelerators
- H05H 13/085 . . { Fixed-field alternating gradient accelerators [FFAG] }
- H05H 13/10 . Accelerators comprising one or more linear accelerating sections and bending magnets or the like to return the charged particles in a trajectory parallel to the first accelerating section, e.g. microtrons

## **H05H 15/00**      **Methods or devices for acceleration of charged particles not otherwise provided for**

### **H05H 2001/00**      **Generating plasma; Handling plasma**

- H05H 2001/24      .      Generating plasma { (gas-filled discharge reactors [H01J 37/32](#); nuclear fusion reactors [G21B 1/00](#); ohmic heating [H05H 1/20](#); injection heating [H05H 1/22](#)) }
- H05H 2001/2406      ..      { Dielectric barrier discharges }
- [H05H 2001/2412](#)      ...      the dielectric being interposed between the electrodes
- [H05H 2001/2418](#)      ...      the electrodes being embedded in the dielectric
- [H05H 2001/2425](#)      ...      the electrodes being flush with the dielectric
- [H05H 2001/2431](#)      ...      Cylindrical electrodes
- [H05H 2001/2437](#)      ...      Multilayer systems
- [H05H 2001/2443](#)      ...      Flow through, i.e. the plasma fluid flowing in a dielectric tube
- [H05H 2001/245](#)      ....      Internal electrodes
- [H05H 2001/2456](#)      ....      External electrodes
- [H05H 2001/2462](#)      ....      Ring electrodes
- [H05H 2001/2468](#)      ....      Spiral electrodes
- H05H 2001/2475      ..      { Acoustic pressure discharge }
- [H05H 2001/2481](#)      ...      Piezoelectric actuators
- [H05H 2001/2487](#)      ...      Mechanical actuators
- [H05H 2001/2493](#)      ...      Horns
- H05H 2001/26      ..      Plasma torches { (metal working with constricted arc [B23K 10/00](#), [H05H 10/02](#); metal spraying [B05B 7/18](#), [B05B 7/20](#)) }
- H05H 2001/32      ...      using an arc ([H05H 1/28](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 2001/34      ....      Details, e.g. electrodes, nozzles {cf. [B23K 9/24](#) }
- [H05H 2001/3415](#)      .....      indexing scheme associated with 1/34
- [H05H 2001/3421](#)      .....      transferred arc mode
- [H05H 2001/3426](#)      .....      pilot arc
- [H05H 2001/3431](#)      .....      coaxial cylindrical electrodes
- [H05H 2001/3436](#)      .....      hollow cathode with internal coolant flow
- [H05H 2001/3442](#)      .....      cathode with inserted tip
- [H05H 2001/3447](#)      .....      rod-like cathode
- [H05H 2001/3452](#)      .....      supplementary electrodes between cathode and anode, e.g. cascade
- [H05H 2001/3457](#)      .....      nozzle protection devices
- [H05H 2001/3463](#)      .....      oblique nozzle
- [H05H 2001/3468](#)      .....      vortex generator
- [H05H 2001/3473](#)      .....      safety means
- [H05H 2001/3478](#)      .....      geometrical details
- [H05H 2001/3484](#)      .....      convergent/divergent nozzle
- [H05H 2001/3489](#)      .....      contact starting
- [H05H 2001/3494](#)      .....      discharge parameter control

- H05H 2001/46 .. using applied electromagnetic fields, e.g. high frequency or microwave energy ([H05H 1/26 takes precedence](#))
- H05H 2001/4607 ... Microwave discharges
- H05H 2001/4615 .... Surface waves
- H05H 2001/4622 .... Waveguides
- H05H 2001/463 .... Antennas or applicators
- H05H 2001/4637 .... Cables
- H05H 2001/4645 ... Radiofrequency discharges
- H05H 2001/4652 .... Inductively coupled
- H05H 2001/466 ..... Electrodes
- H05H 2001/4667 ..... Coiled antennas
- H05H 2001/4675 .... Capacitively coupled
- H05H 2001/4682 .... Associated power generators, e. G. Circuits, matching networks
- H05H 2001/469 ... Flow through, i.e the plasma fluid flowing in a non-dielectric vessel
- H05H 2001/4692 .... dielectric barrier discharge ([H05H 1/2406 takes precedence](#))
- H05H 2001/4695 .... Arc discharge
- H05H 2001/4697 .... Glow discharge
- H05H 2001/48 .. using an arc ([H05H 1/26 takes precedence](#))
- H05H 2001/481 ... Corona discharges
- H05H 2001/483 .... Pointed electrodes
- H05H 2001/485 .... Cylindrical electrodes, e.g. Rotary drums electrodes
- H05H 2001/486 .... Filamentary electrodes
- H05H 2001/488 .... Segmented electrodes
  
- H05H 2006/00** **Targets for producing nuclear reactions** (supports for targets or objects to be irradiated [G21K 5/08](#)) {preparation of tritium [C01B 4/00](#) }; {targets, e.g. pellets for fusion reactions by laser or charged particles beam injection [H05H 1/22](#) }
  
- H05H 2006/002 . Windows
- H05H 2006/007 . Radiation protection arrangements , e.g. screens
  
- H05H 2007/00** **Details of devices of the types covered by groups [H05H 9/00](#), [H05H 11/00](#), [H05H 13/00](#)**
  
- H05H 2007/001 . { Arrangements for beam delivery or irradiation (irradiation systems per se [G21K 5/00](#)) }
- H05H 2007/002 .. for modifying beam trajectory , e.g. gantries
- H05H 2007/004 .. for modifying beam energy, e.g. spread out Bragg peak devices
- H05H 2007/005 .. for modifying beam emittance , e.g. stochastic cooling devices, stripper foils
- H05H 2007/007 .. for focusing the beam to irradiation target
- H05H 2007/008 .. for measuring beam parameters
  
- H05H 2007/02 . Circuits or systems for supplying or feeding radio-frequency energy (radio-frequency generators [H03B](#) )

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| H05H 2007/022       | .. Pulsed systems  |
| H05H 2007/025       | .. Radiofrequency systems  |
| H05H 2007/027       | .. Microwave systems   |
| H05H 2007/04        | . Magnet systems {e.g. undulators, wigglers (free-electron laser <a href="#">H01S 3/0903</a> ) };<br>Energisation thereof    |
| H05H 2007/041       | .. for beam bunching , e.g. undulators   |
| H05H 2007/043       | .. for beam focusing   |
| H05H 2007/045       | .. for beam bending  |
| H05H 2007/046       | .. for beam deflection   |
| H05H 2007/048       | .. for modifying beam trajectory , e.g. gantry systems   |
| H05H 2007/06        | . Two-beam arrangements; Multi-beam arrangements {storage rings }; Electron rings  |
| H05H 2007/065       | .. Multi-beam merging , e.g. funneling   |
| H05H 2007/08        | . Arrangements for injecting particles into orbits   |
| H05H 2007/081       | .. Sources   |
| H05H 2007/082       | ... Ion sources, e.g. ECR, duoplasmatron, PIG, laser sources   |
| H05H 2007/084       | ... Electron sources   |
| H05H 2007/085       | .. by electrostatic means  |
| H05H 2007/087       | .. by magnetic means   |
| H05H 2007/088       | .. by mechanical means, e.g. stripping foils   |
| H05H 2007/12        | . Arrangements for varying final energy of beam  |
| H05H 2007/122       | .. by electromagnetic means , e.g. RF cavities   |
| H05H 2007/125       | .. by mechanical means , e.g. stripping foils  |
| H05H 2007/127       | .. by emittance variation , e.g. stochastic cooling  |
| H05H 2007/22        | . Details of linear accelerators, e.g. drift tubes ( <a href="#">H05H 7/02</a> to <a href="#">H05H 7/20</a> take precedence) |
| H05H 2007/222       | .. drift tubes   |
| H05H 2007/225       | .. coupled cavities arrangements   |
| H05H 2007/227       | .. power coupling , e.g. coupling loops  |
| <b>H05H 2240/00</b> | <b>Test</b>  |
| H05H 2240/10        | . at atmospheric pressure  |
| H05H 2240/20        | . Non-thermal plasma   |
| <b>H05H 2242/00</b> | <b>Auxiliary systems</b>   |
| H05H 2242/10        | . Cooling arrangements   |
| H05H 2242/1005      | .. Power supply other than for plasma torches  |
| <b>H05H 2245/00</b> | <b>test</b>  |

- H05H 2245/104 . spiral electrodes
- H05H 2245/12 . Applications
  - H05H 2245/121 . . treatment of exhaust gas, e.g. Ambient air, ozonizers
  - H05H 2245/1215 . . . Exhaust gas
  - H05H 2245/122 . . medical applications { e.g. plasma scalpels, blades, bistouri }
  - H05H 2245/1225 . . . Sterilization of objects
  - H05H 2245/123 . . surface treatments
  - H05H 2245/1235 . . . coating of large volume items
  - H05H 2245/124 . . production of nanostructures
  - H05H 2245/125 . . portable devices
- H05H 2277/00 Applications**
  - H05H 2277/10 . Medical devices
    - H05H 2277/11 . . Radiotherapy
    - H05H 2277/113 . . . Diagnostic systems
    - H05H 2277/116 . . . Isotope production
  - H05H 2277/12 . Ion implantation
  - H05H 2277/13 . High energy applications , e.g. fusion
  - H05H 2277/14 . Portable devices
    - H05H 2277/1405 . . Detection systems