

CPC**COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****F23K**

FEEDING FUEL TO COMBUSTION APPARATUS (fuel feeders specially adapted for fluidised-bed combustion apparatus [F23C 10/22](#); regulating or controlling combustion [F23N](#))

F23K 1/00

Preparation of lump or pulverulent fuel in readiness for delivery to combustion apparatus (filtration [B01D](#); mixing [B01F](#); pulverising [B02C](#); drying [F26B](#))

[F23K 1/02](#)

- . Mixing solid fuel with a liquid, e.g. preparing slurries

[F23K 1/04](#)

- . Heating fuel prior to delivery to combustion apparatus

F23K 3/00

Feeding or distributing of lump or pulverulent fuel to combustion apparatus (conveying in general [B65G](#))

[F23K 3/02](#)

- . Pneumatic feeding arrangements, i.e. by air blast

[F23K 3/04](#)

- . for locomotive boiler furnaces

[F23K 3/06](#)

- . for shaft-type furnaces

[F23K 3/08](#)

- . for furnaces having movable grate bars

[F23K 3/10](#)

- . Under-feed arrangements

[F23K 3/12](#)

- .. feeding by piston

[F23K 3/14](#)

- .. feeding by screw

[F23K 3/16](#)

- . Over-feed arrangements

[F23K 3/18](#)

- .. Spreader stokers

[F23K 3/20](#)

- ... with moving hoppers

[F23K 3/22](#)

- . Controlling thickness of fuel bed

F23K 5/00

Feeding or distributing other fuel to combustion apparatus

[F23K 5/002](#)

- . {Gaseous fuel}

[F23K 5/005](#)

- .. {from a central source to a plurality of burners}

[F23K 5/007](#)

- .. {Details}

[F23K 5/02](#)

- . Liquid fuel

[F23K 5/04](#)

- .. Feeding or distributing systems using pumps ([F23K 5/06](#) takes precedence)

[F23K 5/06](#)

- .. from a central source to a plurality of burners

[F23K 5/08](#)

- .. Preparation of fuel

[F23K 5/10](#)

- ... Mixing with other fluids

[F23K 5/12](#)

- Preparing emulsions (spraying an emulsion of water and fuel into the combustion space of burners [F23D 11/16](#))

[F23K 5/14](#)

- .. Details thereof

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- ... {Fuel pumps (pumps in general [F04](#))}

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- {combined with fans}

[F23K 5/147](#)

- ... {Valves}

[F23K 5/16](#)

- ... Safety devices ([F23K 5/18](#) takes precedence; safety arrangements for combustion chambers [F23M 11/00](#))

- F23K 5/18 . . . Cleaning or purging devices, e.g. filters
- F23K 5/20 . . . Preheating devices (in burners using a direct spraying action of liquid droplets or vaporised liquid into the combustion space [F23D 11/44](#))
- F23K 5/22 . . . Vaporising devices (in burners using a direct spraying action of liquid droplets or vaporised liquid into the combustion space [F23D 11/44](#))

F23K 2200/00**Pretreatment and supply of solid fuel****F23K 2201/00****Pretreatment of solid fuel**

- F23K 2201/10 . Pulverizing
- F23K 2201/1003 .. Processes to make pulverulent fuels
- F23K 2201/1006 .. Mills adapted for use with furnaces
- F23K 2201/101 .. to a specific particle size
- F23K 2201/103 .. with hot gas supply
- F23K 2201/20 . Drying
- F23K 2201/30 . Separating
- F23K 2201/50 . Blending
- F23K 2201/501 .. with other fuels or combustible waste
- F23K 2201/503 .. with non-combustible liquids to prepare slurries
- F23K 2201/505 .. with additives

F23K 2203/00**Feeding arrangements**

- F23K 2203/002 . Feeding devices for steam boilers, e.g. in locomotives
- F23K 2203/004 . Feeding devices with reciprocating members
- F23K 2203/006 . Fuel distribution and transport systems for pulverulent fuel
- F23K 2203/008 . Feeding devices for pulverulent fuel
- F23K 2203/10 . Supply line fittings
- F23K 2203/101 .. Wear protection devices
- F23K 2203/102 .. Flashback safety, e.g. inertizing devices
- F23K 2203/103 .. Storage devices
- F23K 2203/104 .. Metering devices
- F23K 2203/105 .. Flow splitting devices to feed a plurality of burners
- F23K 2203/20 . Feeding/conveying devices
- F23K 2203/201 .. using pneumatic means
- F23K 2203/202 .. using screws
- F23K 2203/203 .. using pistons or rams

F23K 2300/00**Pretreatment and supply of liquid fuel**

- F23K 2301/10 . Pretreatment
- F23K 2301/101 .. Application of magnetism or electricity
- F23K 2301/103 .. Mixing with other fluids
- F23K 2301/20 . Supply line arrangements

F23K 2301/201	.. Pumps
F23K 2301/202	.. Filtering
F23K 2301/203	.. Purging
F23K 2301/204	.. Preheating
F23K 2301/205	.. Vaporising
F23K 2301/206	.. Control devices

F23K 2400/00 Pretreatment and supply of gaseous fuel

F23K 2401/10	. Pretreatment
F23K 2401/20	. Supply line arrangements
F23K 2401/201	.. Control devices

F23K 2900/00 Special features of, or arrangements for fuel supplies

F23K 2900/00001	. Treating the fuel, either liquid or gaseous, with sound waves to enhance fuel properties
F23K 2900/00002	. Treating the fuel, either liquid or gaseous, with far-infrared radiations (FIR) to enhance fuel properties
F23K 2900/01001	. Cleaning solid fuel before combustion to achieve reduced emissions
F23K 2900/01002	. Treating solid fuel with electromagnetic fields before combustion
F23K 2900/01003	. Pulverizing solid fuel in vacuum or a reduced pressure environment
F23K 2900/01041	. Heating by using exhaust gas heat
F23K 2900/03001	. Airlock sections in solid fuel supply lines
F23K 2900/05001	. Control or safety devices in gaseous or liquid fuel supply lines
F23K 2900/05002	. Valves for gaseous fuel supply lines
F23K 2900/05003	. Non-continuous fluid fuel supply
F23K 2900/05004	. Mixing two or more fluid fuels
F23K 2900/05081	. Treating the fuel with catalyst to enhance combustion
F23K 2900/05082	. Removing gaseous substances from liquid fuel line, e.g. oxygen
F23K 2900/05083	. Separating watery fractions from liquid fuel
F23K 2900/05084	. Creating a combustible foam of liquid fuels and air
F23K 2900/05141	. Control or safety devices in liquid fuel supply line
F23K 2900/05142	. Special materials for liquid fuel supply lines