

# CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

**H03M CODING; DECODING; CODE CONVERSION IN GENERAL** (using fluidic means [F15C 4/00](#); optical analogue/digital converters [G02F 7/00](#); coding, decoding or code conversion, specially adapted for particular applications, [see the relevant subclasses, e.g. G01D, G01R, G06F, G06T, G09G, G10L, G11B, G11C, H04B, H04L, H04M, H04N](#); ciphering or deciphering for cryptography or other purposes involving the need for secrecy [G09C](#))

## **WARNING**

The following IPC groups are not used in the CPC scheme. Subject matter covered by these groups is classified in the following CPC groups:

<a href="#">H03M 7/32</a>	covered by	<a href="#">H03M 7/3004</a> , <a href="#">H03M 7/3048</a>
<a href="#">H03M 7/34</a>	covered by	<a href="#">H03M 7/3004</a> , <a href="#">H03M 7/3051</a>
<a href="#">H03M 7/36</a>	covered by	<a href="#">H03M 7/3004</a> , <a href="#">H03M 7/3044</a>
<a href="#">H03M 7/38</a>	covered by	<a href="#">H03M 7/3004</a> , <a href="#">H03M 7/3046</a>

<b>1/00</b>	<b>Analogue/digital conversion; Digital/analogue conversion</b> (conversion of analogue values to or from differential modulation <a href="#">H03M 3/00</a> )	1/0634	. . . {by averaging out the errors, e.g. using sliding scale}
1/001	. {Analogue/digital/analogue conversion}	1/0636	. . . . {in the amplitude domain}
1/002	. {with means for saving power}	1/0639	. . . . {using dither (for increasing resolution <a href="#">H03M 1/201</a> )}
1/004	. {Reconfigurable analogue/digital or digital/analogue converters ( <a href="#">H03M 1/02</a> takes precedence)}	1/0641	. . . . . {the dither being a random signal}
1/005	. . {among different converters types}	1/0643	. . . . {in the spatial domain}
1/007	. . {among different resolutions}	1/0646	. . . . . {by analogue redistribution among corresponding nodes of adjacent cells, e.g. using an impedance network connected among all comparator outputs in a flash converter}
1/008	. . {among different conversion characteristics, e.g. between mu-255 and a-laws}	1/0648	. . . . . {by arranging the quantisation value generators in a non-sequential pattern layout, e.g. symmetrical}
1/02	. Reversible analogue/digital converters	1/0651	. . . . . {by selecting the quantisation value generators in a non-sequential order, e.g. symmetrical}
1/04	. using stochastic techniques	1/0653	. . . . . {the order being based on measuring the error}
1/06	. Continuously compensating for, or preventing, undesired influence of physical parameters (periodically, {e.g. by using stored correction values,} <a href="#">H03M 1/10</a> )	1/0656	. . . . . {in the time domain}
1/0602	. . {of deviations from the desired transfer characteristic ( <a href="#">H03M 1/0617</a> takes precedence)}	1/0658	. . . . . {by calculating a running average of a number of subsequent samples}
1/0604	. . . {at one point, i.e. by adjusting a single reference value, e.g. bias or gain error (gain setting for range control <a href="#">H03M 1/18</a> )}	1/066	. . . . . {by continuously permuting the elements used, i.e. dynamic element matching}
1/0607	. . . . {Offset or drift compensation (removal of offset already present on the analogue input signal <a href="#">H03M 1/1295</a> )}	1/0663	. . . . . {using clocked averaging}
1/0609	. . . {at two points of the transfer characteristic, i.e. by adjusting two reference values, e.g. offset and gain error}	1/0665	. . . . . {using data dependent selection of the elements, e.g. data weighted averaging}
1/0612	. . . {over the full range of the converter, e.g. for correcting differential non-linearity}	1/0668	. . . . . . {the selection being based on the output of noise shaping circuits for each element}
1/0614	. . {of harmonic distortion ( <a href="#">H03M 1/0617</a> takes precedence)}	1/067	. . . . . . {using different permutation circuits for different parts of the digital signal}
1/0617	. . {characterised by the use of methods or means not specific to a particular type of detrimental influence}	1/0673	. . . . . . {using random selection of the elements (with data-controlled random generator <a href="#">H03M 1/0665</a> )}
1/0619	. . . {by dividing out the errors, i.e. using a ratiometric arrangement}	1/0675	. . . . {using redundancy}
1/0621	. . . . {with auxiliary conversion of a value corresponding to the physical parameter(s) to be compensated for}	1/0678	. . . . . {using additional components or elements, e.g. dummy components}
1/0624	. . . {by synchronisation}	1/068	. . . . . . {the original and additional components or elements being complementary to each other, e.g. CMOS}
1/0626	. . . {by filtering}	1/0682	. . . . . . {using a differential network structure, i.e. symmetrical with respect to ground}
1/0629	. . . . {Anti-aliasing}		
1/0631	. . . . {Smoothing}		

- 1/0685 . . . . . {using real and complementary patterns}
- 1/0687 . . . . {using fault-tolerant coding, e.g. parity check, error correcting codes ([H03M 1/069 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/069 . . . . {by range overlap between successive stages or steps}
- 1/0692 . . . . . {using a diminished radix representation, e.g. radix 1.95}
- 1/0695 . . . . . {using less than the maximum number of output states per stage, e.g. 1.5 bit per stage type}
- 1/0697 . . . . {in time, e.g. using additional comparison cycles}
- 1/08 . . . of noise {([H03M 1/0617 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/0809 . . . {of bubble errors, i.e. irregularities in thermometer codes}
- 1/0818 . . . {of clock feed-through}
- 1/0827 . . . {of electromagnetic or electrostatic field noise, e.g. by shielding, by optical isolation}
- 1/0836 . . . {of phase error, e.g. jitter}
- 1/0845 . . . {of power supply variations, e.g. ripple}
- 1/0854 . . . {of quantisation noise}
- 1/0863 . . . {of switching transients, e.g. glitches}
- 1/0872 . . . . {by disabling changes in the output during the transitions, e.g. by holding or latching}
- 1/0881 . . . . {by forcing a gradual change from one output level to the next, e.g. soft-start}
- 1/089 . . . {of temperature variations}
- 1/10 . . Calibration or testing
- 1/1004 . . {without interrupting normal operation, e.g. by providing an additional component for temporarily replacing components to be tested or calibrated ([H03M 1/1009](#), [H03M 1/1071 take precedence](#))}
- 1/1009 . . {Calibration}
- 1/1014 . . . {at one point of the transfer characteristic, i.e. by adjusting a single reference value, e.g. bias or gain error ([gain setting for range control H03M 1/18](#))}
- 1/1019 . . . . {by storing a corrected or correction value in a digital look-up table}
- 1/1023 . . . . {Offset correction ([H03M 1/1019 takes precedence](#); removal of offset already present on the analogue input signal [H03M 1/1295](#))}
- 1/1028 . . . {at two points of the transfer characteristic, i.e. by adjusting two reference values, e.g. offset and gain error ([gain setting for range control H03M 1/18](#))}
- 1/1033 . . . {over the full range of the converter, e.g. for correcting differential non-linearity}
- 1/1038 . . . . {by storing corrected or correction values in one or more digital look-up tables ([H03M 1/1057 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/1042 . . . . . {the look-up table containing corrected values for replacing the original digital values ([H03M 1/1052 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/1047 . . . . . {using an auxiliary digital/analogue converter for adding the correction values to the analogue signal ([H03M 1/1052 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/1052 . . . . . {using two or more look-up tables each corresponding to a different type of error, e.g. for offset, gain error and non-linearity error respectively}
- 1/1057 . . . . {by trimming, i.e. by individually adjusting at least part of the quantisation value generators or stages to their nominal values}
- 1/1061 . . . . . {using digitally programmable trimming circuits}
- 1/1066 . . {Mechanical or optical alignment}
- 1/1071 . . {Measuring or testing}
- 1/1076 . . . {Detection or location of converter hardware failure, e.g. power supply failure, open or short circuit}
- 1/108 . . . {Converters having special provisions for facilitating access for testing purposes}
- 1/1085 . . . {using domain transforms, e.g. Fast Fourier Transform}
- 1/109 . . . {for dc performance, i.e. static testing ([H03M 1/1085 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/1095 . . . {for ac performance, i.e. dynamic testing ([H03M 1/1085 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/12 . . Analogue/digital converters ([H03M 1/001 - H03M 1/004](#), [H03M 1/02 - H03M 1/10 take precedence](#))
- 1/1205 . . {Multiplexed conversion systems}
- 1/121 . . . {Interleaved, i.e. using multiple converters or converter parts for one channel}
- 1/1215 . . . . {using time-division multiplexing}
- 1/122 . . . {Shared, i.e. using a single converter for multiple channels}
- 1/1225 . . . . {using time-division multiplexing}
- 1/123 . . . {Simultaneous, i.e. using one converter per channel but with common control or reference circuits for multiple converters}
- 1/1235 . . {Non-linear conversion not otherwise provided for in subgroups of [H03M 1/12](#)}
- 1/124 . . {Sampling or signal conditioning arrangements specially adapted for A/D converters ([S/H circuits G11C 27/02](#); sample rate conversion [H03H 17/0416](#), [H03H 17/0621](#))}
- 1/1245 . . . {Details of sampling arrangements or methods}
- 1/125 . . . . {Asynchronous operation}
- 1/1255 . . . . {Synchronisation of the sampling frequency or phase to the input frequency or phase}
- 1/126 . . . . {Multi-rate systems, i.e. adaptive to different fixed sampling rates}
- 1/1265 . . . . {Non-uniform sampling}
- 1/127 . . . . . {at intervals varying with the rate of change of the input signal}
- 1/1275 . . . . . {at extreme values only}
- 1/128 . . . . . {at random intervals, e.g. digital alias free signal processing [DASP]}
- 1/1285 . . . . {Synchronous circular sampling, i.e. using undersampling of periodic input signals}
- 1/129 . . . {Means for adapting the input signal to the range the converter can handle, e.g. limiting, pre-scaling ([H03M 1/18 takes precedence](#)); Out-of-range indication}
- 1/1295 . . . . {Clamping, i.e. adjusting the DC level of the input signal to a predetermined value}
- 1/14 . . Conversion in steps with each step involving the same or a different conversion means and delivering more than one bit

- 1/141 . . . {in which at least one step is of the folding type; Folding stages therefore}
- 1/142 . . . {the reference generators for the steps being arranged in a common two-dimensional array}
- 1/143 . . . {in pattern-reading type converters, e.g. having both absolute and incremental tracks on one disc or strip ([H03M 1/16 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/144 . . . {the steps being performed sequentially in a single stage, i.e. recirculation type ([H03M 1/141](#), [H03M 1/143](#), [H03M 1/16 take precedence](#))}
- 1/145 . . . {the steps being performed sequentially in series-connected stages ([H03M 1/141](#), [H03M 1/143](#), [H03M 1/16 take precedence](#))}
- 1/146 . . . . {all stages being simultaneous converters}
- 1/147 . . . . {at least two of which share a common reference generator}
- 1/148 . . . . . {the reference generator being arranged in a two-dimensional array}
- 1/16 . . . with scale factor modification, i.e. by changing the amplification between the steps {([H03M 1/141 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/161 . . . . {in pattern-reading type converters, e.g. with gearings}
- 1/162 . . . . {the steps being performed sequentially in a single stage, i.e. recirculation type ([H03M 1/161 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/164 . . . . {the steps being performed sequentially in series-connected stages ([H03M 1/161 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/165 . . . . . {in which two or more residues with respect to different reference levels in a stage are used as input signals for the next stage, i.e. multi-residue type}
- 1/167 . . . . . {all stages comprising simultaneous converters ([H03M 1/165 takes precedence](#))}
- 1/168 . . . . . {and delivering the same number of bits}
- 1/18 . . Automatic control for modifying the range of signals the converter can handle, e.g. gain ranging
- 1/181 . . . {in feedback mode, i.e. by determining the range to be selected from one or more previous digital output values}
- 1/182 . . . . {the feedback signal controlling the reference levels of the analogue/digital converter}
- 1/183 . . . . {the feedback signal controlling the gain of an amplifier or attenuator preceding the analogue/digital converter}
- 1/185 . . . . . {the determination of the range being based on more than one digital output value, e.g. on a running average, a power estimation or the rate of change}
- 1/186 . . . {in feedforward mode, i.e. by determining the range to be selected directly from the input signal}
- 1/187 . . . . {using an auxiliary analogue/digital converter}
- 1/188 . . . {Multi-path, i.e. having a separate analogue/digital converter for each possible range}
- 1/20 . . Increasing resolution using an n bit system to obtain n + m bits
- 1/201 . . . {by dithering}
- 1/202 . . . {by interpolation}
- 1/203 . . . . {using an analogue interpolation circuit}
- 1/204 . . . . . {in which one or more virtual intermediate reference signals are generated between adjacent original reference signals, e.g. by connecting pre-amplifier outputs to multiple comparators}
- 1/205 . . . . . {using resistor strings for redistribution of the original reference signals or signals derived therefrom}
- 1/206 . . . . {using a logic interpolation circuit}
- 1/207 . . . . {using a digital interpolation circuit}
- 1/208 . . . {by prediction}
- 1/22 . . Pattern-reading type
- 1/24 . . . using relatively movable reader and disc or strip
- 1/245 . . . . {Constructional details of parts relevant to the encoding mechanism, e.g. pattern carriers, pattern sensors ([for details of other parts, e.g. housings, casings or the like, see the relevant application subclasses of G01, H01](#))}
- 1/26 . . . . with weighted coding, i.e. the weight given to a digit depends on the position of the digit within the block or code word, e.g. there is a given radix and the weights are powers of this radix
- 1/28 . . . . with non-weighted coding
- 1/282 . . . . . {of the pattern-shifting type, e.g. pseudo-random chain code}
- 1/285 . . . . . {of the unit Hamming distance type, e.g. Gray code}
- 1/287 . . . . . {using gradually changing slit width or pitch within one track; using plural tracks having slightly different pitches, e.g. of the Vernier or nonius type}
- 1/30 . . . . . incremental
- 1/301 . . . . . {Constructional details of parts relevant to the encoding mechanism, e.g. pattern carriers, pattern sensors ([details of housings, casings or the like, see the relevant application subclasses of G01, H01](#))}
- 1/303 . . . . . {Circuits or methods for processing the quadrature signals}
- 1/305 . . . . . . {for detecting the direction of movement}
- 1/306 . . . . . . {for waveshaping}
- 1/308 . . . . . {with additional pattern means for determining the absolute position, e.g. reference marks}
- 1/32 . . . using cathode-ray tubes {or analogous two-dimensional deflection systems}
- 1/34 . . Analogue value compared with reference values ([H03M 1/48 takes precedence](#))
- 1/345 . . . {for direct conversion to a residue number representation}
- 1/36 . . . simultaneously only, i.e. parallel type {([thermometer to binary encoders H03M 7/165](#))}
- 1/361 . . . . {having a separate comparator and reference value for each quantisation level, i.e. full flash converter type}
- 1/362 . . . . . {the reference values being generated by a resistive voltage divider}

1/363	. . . . . {the voltage divider taps being held in a floating state, e.g. by feeding the divider by current sources}	1/645	. . . {for position encoding, e.g. using resolvers or synchros ( <a href="#">H03M 1/485 takes precedence</a> )}
1/365	. . . . . {the voltage divider being a single resistor string}	1/66	. Digital/analogue converters ( <a href="#">H03M 1/001 - H03M 1/004</a> , <a href="#">H03M 1/02 - H03M 1/10 take precedence</a> )
1/366	. . . . . {using current mode circuits, i.e. circuits in which the information is represented by current values rather than by voltage values}	1/661	. . {Improving the reconstruction of the analogue output signal beyond the resolution of the digital input signal, e.g. by interpolation, by curve-fitting, by smoothing}
1/367	. . . . {Non-linear conversion}	1/662	. . {Multiplexed conversion systems}
1/368	. . . . {having a single comparator per bit, e.g. of the folding type}	1/664	. . {Non-linear conversion not otherwise provided for in subgroups of <a href="#">H03M 1/66</a> }
1/38	. . . sequentially only, e.g. successive approximation type ( <a href="#">converting more than one bit per step H03M 1/14</a> )	1/665	. . {with intermediate conversion to phase of sinusoidal or similar periodical signals}
1/40	. . . . recirculation type	1/667	. . {Recirculation type}
1/403	. . . . . {using switched capacitors}	1/668	. . {Servo-type converters}
1/406	. . . . . {using current mode circuits, i.e. circuits in which the information is represented by current values rather than by voltage values}	1/68	. . with conversions of different sensitivity, i.e. one conversion relating to the more significant digital bits and another conversion to the less significant bits
1/42	. . . . Sequential comparisons in series-connected stages with no change in value of analogue signal	1/682	. . . {both converters being of the unary decoded type}
1/44	. . . . Sequential comparisons in series-connected stages with change in value of analogue signal	1/685	. . . {the quantisation value generators of both converters being arranged in a common two-dimensional array}
1/442	. . . . . {using switched capacitors}	1/687	. . . {Segmented, i.e. the more significant bit converter being of the unary decoded type and the less significant bit converter being of the binary weighted type}
1/445	. . . . . {the stages being of the folding type}	1/70	. . Automatic control for modifying converter range
1/447	. . . . . {using current mode circuits, i.e. circuits in which the information is represented by current values rather than by voltage values}	1/72	. . Sequential conversion in series-connected stages ( <a href="#">H03M 1/68 takes precedence</a> )
1/46	. . . . with digital/analogue converter for supplying reference values to converter	1/74	. . Simultaneous conversion
1/462	. . . . . {Details of the control circuitry, e.g. of the successive approximation register}	1/742	. . . {using current sources as quantisation value generators}
1/464	. . . . . {Non-linear conversion}	1/745	. . . . {with weighted currents}
1/466	. . . . . {using switched capacitors}	1/747	. . . . {with equal currents which are switched by unary decoded digital signals}
1/468	. . . . . {in which the input S/H circuit is merged with the feedback DAC array}	1/76	. . . using switching tree
1/48	. . Servo-type converters	1/765	. . . . {using a single level of switches which are controlled by unary decoded digital signals}
1/485	. . . {for position encoding, e.g. using resolvers or synchros}	1/78	. . . using ladder network
1/50	. . with intermediate conversion to time interval ( <a href="#">H03M 1/64 takes precedence, time-to-digital converters G04F 10/005</a> )	1/785	. . . . {using resistors, i.e. R-2R ladders}
1/502	. . . {using tapped delay lines}	1/80	. . . using weighted impedances ( <a href="#">H03M 1/76 takes precedence</a> )
1/504	. . . {using pulse width modulation}	1/802	. . . . {using capacitors, e.g. neuron-mos transistors, charge coupled devices}
1/506	. . . . {the pulse width modulator being of the charge-balancing type}	1/804	. . . . . {with charge redistribution}
1/508	. . . . {the pulse width modulator being of the self-oscillating type}	1/806	. . . . . {with equally weighted capacitors which are switched by unary decoded digital signals}
1/52	. . . Input signal integrated with linear return to datum	1/808	. . . . {using resistors}
1/54	. . . Input signal sampled and held with linear return to datum	1/82	. . with intermediate conversion to time interval
1/56	. . . Input signal compared with linear ramp	1/822	. . . {using pulse width modulation}
1/58	. . . Non-linear conversion	1/825	. . . . {by comparing the input signal with a digital ramp signal}
1/60	. . with intermediate conversion to frequency of pulses	1/827	. . . . {in which the total pulse width is distributed over multiple shorter pulse widths}
1/62	. . . Non-linear conversion	1/84	. . . Non-linear conversion
1/64	. . with intermediate conversion to phase of sinusoidal {or similar periodical} signals	1/86	. . with intermediate conversion to frequency of pulses
		1/88	. . . Non-linear conversion



**3/00 Conversion of analogue values to or from differential modulation**

- 3/02 . Delta modulation, i.e. one-bit differential modulation {(H03M 3/30 takes precedence)}
- 3/022 . . {with adaptable step size, e.g. adaptive delta modulation [ADM]}
- 3/024 . . . {using syllabic companding, e.g. continuously variable slope delta modulation [CVSD]}
- 3/04 . Differential modulation with several bits, e.g. differential pulse code modulation [DPCM] {(H03M 3/30 takes precedence; voice coding G10L 19/00; image coding H04N 19/00)}
- 3/042 . . {with adaptable step size, e.g. adaptive differential pulse code modulation [ADPCM]}
- 3/30 . {Delta-sigma modulation}

**NOTE**

In this group branch, in the absence of an indication of the contrary, classification is made in the first appropriate place

- 3/32 . . {with special provisions or arrangements for power saving, e.g. by allowing a sleep mode, using lower supply voltage for downstream stages, using multiple clock domains, by selectively turning on stages when needed}
- 3/322 . . {Continuously compensating for, or preventing, undesired influence of physical parameters (periodically, e.g. by using stored correction values, H03M 3/378)}
- 3/324 . . . {characterised by means or methods for compensating or preventing more than one type of error at a time, e.g. by synchronisation or using a ratiometric arrangement}
  - 3/326 . . . . {by averaging out the errors}
  - 3/328 . . . . . {using dither}
  - 3/33 . . . . . {the dither being a random signal}
  - 3/332 . . . . . {in particular a pseudo-random signal}
  - 3/334 . . . . . {the dither being at least partially dependent on the input signal}
  - 3/336 . . . . . {the dither being in the time domain}
  - 3/338 . . . . . {by permutation in the time domain, e.g. dynamic element matching (in multiple bit sub-converters H03M 1/066)}
  - 3/34 . . . . . {by chopping}
  - 3/342 . . . . . {by double sampling, e.g. correlated double sampling}
  - 3/344 . . . . {by filtering other than the noise-shaping inherent to delta-sigma modulators, e.g. anti-aliasing}
  - 3/346 . . . . {by suppressing active signals at predetermined times, e.g. muting, using non-overlapping clock phases}
  - 3/348 . . . . . {using return-to-zero signals}
  - 3/35 . . . . {using redundancy}
  - 3/352 . . . {of deviations from the desired transfer characteristic}
  - 3/354 . . . . {at one point, i.e. by adjusting a single reference value, e.g. bias or gain error (gain setting for range control H03M 3/478)}
  - 3/356 . . . . . {Offset or drift compensation (removal of offset already present on the analogue input signal H03M 3/494)}

- 3/358 . . . {of non-linear distortion, e.g. instability (avoiding instability by structural design H03M 3/44)}
- 3/36 . . . . {by temporarily adapting the operation upon detection of instability conditions}
- 3/362 . . . . . {in feedback mode, e.g. by reducing the order of the modulator}
- 3/364 . . . . . {by resetting one or more loop filter stages}
- 3/366 . . . . . {in feed-forward mode, e.g. using look-ahead circuits}
- 3/368 . . . {of noise other than the quantisation noise already being shaped inherently by delta-sigma modulators}
- 3/37 . . . . {Compensation or reduction of delay or phase error}
- 3/372 . . . . . {Jitter reduction}
- 3/374 . . . . . {Relaxation of settling time constraints, e.g. slew rate enhancement}
- 3/376 . . . . {Prevention or reduction of switching transients, e.g. glitches}
- 3/378 . . {Testing}
- 3/38 . . {Calibration}
- 3/382 . . . {at one point of the transfer characteristic, i.e. by adjusting a single reference value, e.g. bias or gain error (gain setting for range control H03M 3/478)}
- 3/384 . . . . {Offset correction (removal of offset already present on the analogue input signal H03M 3/494)}
- 3/386 . . . {over the full range of the converter, e.g. for correcting differential non-linearity}
- 3/388 . . . . {by storing corrected or correction values in one or more digital look-up tables}
- 3/39 . . {Structural details of delta-sigma modulators, e.g. incremental delta-sigma modulators (of digital delta-sigma modulators H03M 7/3004)}
- 3/392 . . . {Arrangements for selecting among plural operation modes, e.g. for multi-standard operation}
- 3/394 . . . . {among different orders of the loop filter}
- 3/396 . . . . {among different frequency bands}
- 3/398 . . . . {among different converter types}
- 3/40 . . . {Arrangements for handling quadrature signals, e.g. complex modulators}
- 3/402 . . . {Arrangements specific to bandpass modulators}
- 3/404 . . . . {characterised by the type of bandpass filters used}
- 3/406 . . . . . {by the use of a pair of integrators forming a closed loop}
- 3/408 . . . . . {by the use of an LC circuit}
- 3/41 . . . . {combined with modulation to or demodulation from the carrier}
- 3/412 . . . {characterised by the number of quantisers and their type and resolution}
- 3/414 . . . . {having multiple quantisers arranged in cascaded loops, each of the second and further loops processing the quantisation error of the loop preceding it, i.e. multiple stage noise shaping [MASH] type}
- 3/416 . . . . . {all these quantisers being multiple bit quantisers}

3/418	. . . . . {all these quantisers being single bit quantisers}	3/468	. . . . . {Interleaved, i.e. using multiple converters or converter parts for one channel, e.g. using Hadamard codes, pi-delta-sigma converters}
3/42	. . . . . {having multiple quantisers arranged in parallel loops}	3/47	. . . . . {using time-division multiplexing}
3/422	. . . . . {having one quantiser only}	3/472	. . . . . {Shared, i.e. using a single converter for multiple channels}
3/424	. . . . . {the quantiser being a multiple bit one}	3/474	. . . . . {using time-division multiplexing}
3/426	. . . . . {the quantiser being a successive approximation type analogue/digital converter}	3/476	. . . {Non-linear conversion systems}
3/428	. . . . . {with lower resolution, e.g. single bit, feedback}	3/478	. . . {Means for controlling the correspondence between the range of the input signal and the range of signals the converter can handle; Means for out-of-range indication}
3/43	. . . . . {the quantiser being a single bit one}		
3/432	. . . . . {the quantiser being a pulse width modulation type analogue/digital converter, i.e. differential pulse width modulation}		
3/434	. . . . . {with multi-level feedback}		
3/436	. . . {characterised by the order of the loop filter, e.g. error feedback type}		
	<b>NOTE</b>		
	In this group branch the order of the loop filters is considered to be the number of integrators for a baseband modulator and the number of resonators for a bandpass modulator respectively		
3/438	. . . . . {the modulator having a higher order loop filter in the feedforward path}	3/48	. . . . . {characterised by the type of range control, e.g. limiting}
3/44	. . . . . {with provisions for rendering the modulator inherently stable}	3/482	. . . . . {by adapting the quantisation step size}
3/442	. . . . . {by restricting the swing within the loop, e.g. gain scaling}	3/484	. . . . . {by adapting the gain of the feedback signal, e.g. by adapting the reference values of the digital/analogue converter in the feedback path}
3/444	. . . . . {using non-linear elements, e.g. limiters}	3/486	. . . . . {by adapting the input gain}
3/446	. . . . . {by a particular choice of poles or zeroes in the z-plane, e.g. by positioning zeroes outside the unit circle, i.e. causing the modulator to operate in a chaotic regime}	3/488	. . . . . {using automatic control}
3/448	. . . . . {by removing part of the zeroes, e.g. using local feedback loops}	3/49	. . . . . {in feedback mode, i.e. by determining the range to be selected from one or more previous digital output values}
3/45	. . . . . {with distributed feedforward inputs, i.e. with forward paths from the modulator input to more than one filter stage}	3/492	. . . . . {in feed forward mode, i.e. by determining the range to be selected directly from the input signal}
3/452	. . . . . {with weighted feedforward summation, i.e. with feedforward paths from more than one filter stage to the quantiser input}	3/494	. . . {Sampling or signal conditioning arrangements specially adapted for delta-sigma type analogue/digital conversion systems ( <a href="#">sample/hold circuits G11C 27/02</a> ; <a href="#">sample rate conversion H03H 17/0416</a> , <a href="#">H03H 17/0621</a> )}
3/454	. . . . . {with distributed feedback, i.e. with feedback paths from the quantiser output to more than one filter stage}	3/496	. . . . . {Details of sampling arrangements or methods}
3/456	. . . . . {the modulator having a first order loop filter in the feedforward path}	3/498	. . . . . {Variable sample rate}
3/458	. . {Analogue/digital converters using delta-sigma modulation as an intermediate step}	3/50	. . {Digital/analogue converters using delta-sigma modulation as an intermediate step ( <a href="#">digital delta-sigma modulators per se H03M 7/3004</a> )}
3/46	. . . {using a combination of at least one delta-sigma modulator in series with at least one analogue/digital converter of a different type}	3/502	. . . {Details of the final digital/analogue conversion following the digital delta-sigma modulation}
3/462	. . . {Details relating to the decimation process ( <a href="#">decimation filters in general H03H 17/0416</a> , <a href="#">H03H 17/0621</a> )}	3/504	. . . . . {the final digital/analogue converter being constituted by a finite impulse response [FIR] filter, i.e. FIRDAC}
3/464	. . . {Details of the digital/analogue conversion in the feedback path}	3/506	. . . . . {the final digital/analogue converter being constituted by a pulse width modulator}
3/466	. . . {Multiplexed conversion systems}	3/508	. . . {Details relating to the interpolation process ( <a href="#">interpolation filters in general H03H 17/0416</a> , <a href="#">H03H 17/0621</a> )}
		3/51	. . . {Automatic control for modifying converter range}

**5/00 Conversion of the form of the representation of individual digits****NOTE**

In groups [H03M 5/02](#) - [H03M 5/22](#), in the absence of an indication to the contrary, an invention is classified in the last appropriate place.

- 5/02 . Conversion to or from representation by pulses
- 5/04 . . the pulses having two levels
- 5/06 . . . Code representation, e.g. transition, for a given bit cell depending only on the information in that bit cell
- 5/08 . . . . Code representation by pulse width
- 5/10 . . . . Code representation by pulse frequency
- 5/12 . . . . Biphase level code, e.g. split phase code, Manchester code; Biphase space or mark code, e.g. double frequency code
- 5/14 . . . Code representation, e.g. transition, for a given bit cell depending on the information in one or more adjacent bit cells, e.g. delay modulation code, double density code
- 5/145 . . . . {Conversion to or from block codes or representations thereof}
- 5/16 . . the pulses having three levels
- 5/18 . . . two levels being symmetrical with respect to the third level, i.e. balanced bipolar ternary code
- 5/20 . . the pulses having more than three levels
- 5/22 . Conversion to or from representation by sinusoidal signals

**7/00 Conversion of a code where information is represented by a given sequence or number of digits to a code where the same information {or similar information or a subset of information} is represented by a different sequence or number of digits**

- 7/001 . {characterised by the elements used}
- 7/002 . . {using thin film devices}
- 7/003 . . {using superconductive devices}
- 7/004 . . {using magnetic elements, e.g. transfluxors}
- 7/005 . . {using semiconductor devices ([H03M 7/006](#) takes precedence)}
- 7/006 . . {using diodes}
- 7/007 . . {using resistive or capacitive elements}
- 7/008 . . {using opto-electronic devices}

**NOTE**

In groups [H03M 7/02](#) - [H03M 7/50](#), in the absence of an indication to the contrary, an invention is classified in the last appropriate place.

- 7/02 . Conversion to or from weighted codes, i.e. the weight given to a digit depending on the position of the digit within the block or code word
- 7/04 . . the radix thereof being two
- 7/06 . . the radix thereof being a positive integer different from two
- 7/08 . . . the radix being ten, i.e. pure decimal code
- 7/10 . . the radix thereof being negative
- 7/12 . . having two radices, e.g. binary-coded-decimal code
- 7/14 . Conversion to or from non-weighted codes

- 7/16 . . Conversion to or from unit-distance codes, e.g. Gray code, reflected binary code
- 7/165 . . . {Conversion to or from thermometric code}
- 7/18 . . Conversion to or from residue codes
- 7/20 . . Conversion to or from n-out-of-m codes {([number-of-one counters G06F 7/607](#))}
- 7/22 . . . to or from one-out-of-m codes
- 7/24 . . Conversion to or from floating-point codes
- 7/26 . Conversion to or from stochastic codes
- 7/28 . Programmable structures, i.e. where the code converter contains apparatus which is operator-changeable to modify the conversion process
- 7/30 . Compression ([speech analysis-synthesis for redundancy reduction G10L 19/00](#); for image communication [H04N](#)); Expansion; Suppression of unnecessary data, e.g. redundancy reduction {([for data acquisition G06F 17/40](#); for image data processing [G06T 9/00](#); redundancy reduction in data recording [G11B 20/14](#); for transmission [H04B 1/66](#))}
- 7/3002 . . {Conversion to or from differential modulation}
- 7/3004 . . . {Digital delta-sigma modulation}
- 7/3006 . . . . {Compensating for, or preventing of, undesired influence of physical parameters}
- 7/3008 . . . . . {by averaging out the errors, e.g. using dither}
- 7/3011 . . . . . {of non-linear distortion, e.g. by temporarily adapting the operation upon detection of instability conditions ([avoiding instability by structural design H03M 7/3035](#))}
- 7/3013 . . . . {Non-linear modulators}
- 7/3015 . . . . {Structural details of digital delta-sigma modulators ([H03M 7/3006](#), [H03M 7/3013](#) take precedence)}
- 7/3017 . . . . . {Arrangements specific to bandpass modulators}
- 7/302 . . . . . {characterised by the number of quantisers and their type and resolution}
- 7/3022 . . . . . {having multiple quantisers arranged in cascaded loops, each of the second and further loops processing the quantisation error of the loop preceding it, i.e. multiple stage noise shaping [MASH] type}
- 7/3024 . . . . . {having one quantiser only}
- 7/3026 . . . . . {the quantiser being a multiple bit one}
- 7/3028 . . . . . {the quantiser being a single bit one}
- 7/3031 . . . . . {characterised by the order of the loop filter, e.g. having a first order loop filter in the feedforward path}

**NOTE**

In this group the order of the loop filters is considered to be the number of integrators for a baseband modulator and the number of resonators for a bandpass modulator respectively

- 7/3033 . . . . . {the modulator having a higher order loop filter in the feedforward path, e.g. with distributed feedforward inputs}

7/3035	. . . . .	{with provisions for rendering the modulator inherently stable, e.g. by restricting the swing within the loop, by removing part of the zeroes using local feedback loops, by positioning zeroes outside the unit circle causing the modulator to operate in a chaotic regime}	7/4018	. . . . .	{Context adaptive binary arithmetic codes [CABAC]}
7/3037	. . . . .	{with weighted feedforward summation, i.e. with feedforward paths from more than one filter stage to the quantiser input}	7/4025	. . .	{constant length to or from Morse code conversion}
7/304	. . . . .	{with distributed feedback, i.e. with feedback paths from the quantiser output to more than one filter stage}	7/4031	. . .	{Fixed length to variable length coding}
7/3042	. . . . .	{the modulator being of the error feedback type, i.e. having loop filter stages in the feedback path only}	7/4037	. . . . .	{Prefix coding}
7/3044	. . .	{Conversion to or from differential modulation with several bits only, i.e. the difference between successive samples being coded by more than one bit, e.g. differential pulse code modulation [DPCM] ( <a href="#">H03M 7/3004 takes precedence</a> ; <a href="#">voice coding G10L 19/00</a> ; <a href="#">image coding H04N 19/00</a> )}	7/4043	. . . . .	{Adaptive prefix coding}
7/3046	. . . .	{adaptive, e.g. adaptive differential pulse code modulation [ADPCM]}	7/405	. . . . .	{Tree adaptation}
7/3048	. . .	{Conversion to or from one-bit differential modulation only, e.g. delta modulation [DM] ( <a href="#">H03M 7/3004 takes precedence</a> )}	7/4056	. . . . .	{Coding table selection}
7/3051	. . . .	{adaptive, e.g. adaptive delta modulation [ADM]}	7/4062	. . . . .	{Coding table adaptation}
7/3053	. .	{Block-compounding PCM systems}	7/4068	. . . . .	{Parameterized codes}
7/3055	. .	{Conversion to or from Modulo-PCM}	7/4075	. . . . .	{Golomb codes}
7/3057	. .	{Distributed Source coding, e.g. Wyner-Ziv, Slepian Wolf}	7/4081	. . . . .	{Static prefix coding}
7/3059	. .	{Digital compression and data reduction techniques where the original information is represented by a subset or similar information, e.g. lossy compression}	7/4087	. . . . .	{Encoding of a tuple of symbols}
7/3062	. . .	{Compressive sampling or sensing}	7/4093	. . .	{Variable length to variable length coding}
7/3064	. . .	{Segmenting}	7/42	. . .	using table look-up for the coding or decoding process, e.g. using read-only memory ( <a href="#">H03M 7/4006 takes precedence</a> )}
7/3066	. .	{by means of a mask or a bit-map}	7/425	. . . . .	{for the decoding process only}
7/3068	. .	{Precoding preceding compression, e.g. Burrows-Wheeler transformation}	7/46	. .	Conversion to or from run-length codes, i.e. by representing the number of consecutive digits, or groups of digits, of the same kind by a code word and a digit indicative of that kind
7/3071	. . .	{Prediction}	7/48	. . .	alternating with other codes during the code conversion process, e.g. run-length coding being performed only as long as sufficiently long runs of digits of the same kind are present
7/3073	. . . .	{Time}	7/50	. .	Conversion to or from non-linear codes, e.g. companding
7/3075	. . . .	{Space}	7/55	. .	{Compression Theory, e.g. compression of random number, repeated compression}
7/3077	. . .	{Sorting}	7/60	. .	{General implementation details not specific to a particular type of compression}
7/3079	. . .	{Context modeling}	7/6005	. . .	{Decoder aspects}
7/3082	. .	{Vector coding ( <a href="#">for television signals, see H04N 19/94</a> )}	7/6011	. . .	{Encoder aspects}
7/3084	. .	{using adaptive string matching, e.g. the Lempel-Ziv method}	7/6017	. . .	{Methods or arrangements to increase the throughput}
7/3086	. . .	{employing a sliding window, e.g. LZ77}	7/6023	. . . .	{Parallelization}
7/3088	. . .	{employing the use of a dictionary, e.g. LZ78}	7/6029	. . . .	{Pipelining}
7/3091	. . .	{Data deduplication}	7/6035	. . .	{Handling of unknown probabilities}
7/3093	. . . .	{using fixed length segments}	7/6041	. . .	{Compression optimized for errors}
7/3095	. . . .	{using variable length segments}	7/6047	. . .	{Power optimization with respect to the encoder, decoder, storage or transmission}
7/3097	. . .	{Grammar codes}	7/6052	. . .	{Synchronisation of encoder and decoder}
7/40	. .	Conversion to or from variable length codes, e.g. Shannon-Fano code, Huffman code, Morse code	7/6058	. . .	{Saving memory space in the encoder or decoder}
7/4006	. . .	{Conversion to or from arithmetic code}	7/6064	. . .	{Selection of Compressor}
7/4012	. . . .	{Binary arithmetic codes}	7/607	. . . .	{Selection between different types of compressors}
			7/6076	. . . .	{Selection between compressors of the same type}
			7/6082	. . . .	{Selection strategies}
			7/6088	. . . . .	{according to the data type}
			7/6094	. . . . .	{according to reasons other than compression rate and data type}
			7/70	. .	{Type of the data to be coded, other than image and sound}
			7/702	. . .	{Software}
			7/705	. . .	{Unicode}
			7/707	. . .	{Structured documents, XML}



9/00	<b>Parallel/series conversion or vice versa</b> (digital stores in which the information is moved stepwise per se <a href="#">G11C 19/00</a> )	13/036	. . . {Heuristic code construction methods, i.e. code construction or code search based on using trial-and-error}
11/00	<b>Coding in connection with keyboards or like devices, i.e. coding of the position of operated keys</b> (keyboard switch arrangements, structural association of coders and keyboards <a href="#">H01H 13/70</a> , <a href="#">H03K 17/94</a> )	13/05	. . using block codes, i.e. a predetermined number of check bits joined to a predetermined number of information bits {( <a href="#">H03M 13/2906</a> takes precedence)}
11/003	. {Phantom keys detection and prevention}	13/07	. . . Arithmetic codes
11/006	. {Measures for preventing unauthorised decoding of keyboards}		<b>WARNING</b>
11/02	. Details		Not complete, see also <a href="#">G06F 11/104</a>
11/04	. . Coding of multifunction keys	13/09	. . . Error detection only, e.g. using cyclic redundancy check [CRC] codes or single parity bit {(error detection or correction by redundancy in data representation <a href="#">G06F 11/08</a> )}
11/06	. . . by operating the multifunction key itself in different ways		<b>WARNING</b>
11/08	. . . . by operating selected combinations of multifunction keys		Not complete, see also <b>G06F11/10B</b>
11/10	. . . . by methods based on duration or pressure detection of keystrokes	13/091	. . . . {Parallel or block-wise CRC computation}
11/12	. . . . by operating a key a selected number of consecutive times whereafter a separate enter key is used which marks the end of the series	13/093	. . . . {CRC update after modification of the information word}
11/14	. . . by using additional keys, e.g. shift keys, which determine the function performed by the multifunction key	13/095	. . . . {Error detection codes other than CRC and single parity bit codes}
11/16	. . . . wherein the shift keys are operated after the operation of the multifunction keys	13/096	. . . . . {Checksums}
11/18	. . . . wherein the shift keys are operated before the operation of the multifunction keys	13/098	. . . . . {using single parity bit}
11/20	. Dynamic coding, i.e. by key scanning ( <a href="#">H03M 11/26</a> takes precedence)	13/11	. . . using multiple parity bits
11/22	. Static coding ( <a href="#">H03M 11/26</a> takes precedence)	13/1102	. . . . {Codes on graphs and decoding on graphs, e.g. low-density parity check [LDPC] codes}
11/24	. . using analogue means	13/1105	. . . . . {Decoding}
11/26	. using opto-electronic means	13/1108	. . . . . {Hard decision decoding, e.g. bit flipping, modified or weighted bit flipping}
13/00	<b>Coding, decoding or code conversion, for error detection or error correction; Coding theory basic assumptions; Coding bounds; Error probability evaluation methods; Channel models; Simulation or testing of codes</b> (error detection or error correction for analogue/digital, digital/analogue or code conversion <a href="#">H03M 1/00</a> - <a href="#">H03M 11/00</a> ; specially adapted for digital computers <a href="#">G06F 11/08</a> , for information storage based on relative movement between record carrier and transducer <a href="#">G11B</a> , e.g. <a href="#">G11B 20/18</a> , for static stores <a href="#">G11C</a> ; {use of error detection or error correction in transmission systems <a href="#">H04L 1/004</a> , in television systems <a href="#">H04N 7/0357</a> })	13/1111	. . . . . {Soft-decision decoding, e.g. by means of message passing or belief propagation algorithms}
13/005	. {using punctured codes}	13/1114	. . . . . {Merged schedule message passing algorithm with storage of sums of check-to-bit node messages or sums of bit-to-check node messages, e.g. in order to increase the memory efficiency}
13/01	. Coding theory basic assumptions; Coding bounds; Error probability evaluation methods; Channel models; Simulation or testing of codes	13/1117	. . . . . {using approximations for check node processing, e.g. an outgoing message is depending on the signs and the minimum over the magnitudes of all incoming messages according to the min-sum rule}
13/015	. . {Simulation or testing of codes, e.g. bit error rate [BER] measurements}	13/112	. . . . . {with correction functions for the min-sum rule, e.g. using an offset or a scaling factor}
	<b>WARNING</b>	13/1122	. . . . . {storing only the first and second minimum values per check node}
	<a href="#">H03M 13/015</a> and <a href="#">H03M 13/036</a> are not complete, see provisionally also <a href="#">H03M 13/01</a>	13/1125	. . . . . {using different domains for check node and bit node processing, wherein the different domains include probabilities, likelihood ratios, likelihood differences, log-likelihood ratios or log-likelihood difference pairs}
13/03	. Error detection or forward error correction by redundancy in data representation, i.e. code words containing more digits than the source words	13/1128	. . . . . {Judging correct decoding and iterative stopping criteria other than syndrome check and upper limit for decoding iterations}
13/033	. . {Theoretical methods to calculate these checking codes}		

13/1131	. . . . .	{Scheduling of bit node or check node processing}	13/1191	. . . . .	{Codes on graphs other than LDPC codes}
13/1134	. . . . .	{Full parallel processing, i.e. all bit nodes or check nodes are processed in parallel}	13/1194	. . . . .	{Repeat-accumulate [RA] codes}
13/1137	. . . . .	{Partly parallel processing, i.e. sub-blocks or sub-groups of nodes being processed in parallel}	13/1197	. . . . .	{Irregular repeat-accumulate [IRA] codes}
13/114	. . . . .	{Shuffled, staggered, layered or turbo decoding schedules}	13/13	. . .	Linear codes
13/1142	. . . . .	{using trapping sets}	13/132	. . . .	{Algebraic geometric codes, e.g. Goppa codes}
13/1145	. . . . .	{Pipelined decoding at code word level, e.g. multiple code words being decoded simultaneously}	<b><u>WARNING</u></b>		
13/1148	. . . . .	{Structural properties of the code parity-check or generator matrix}	<a href="#">H03M 13/132</a> - <a href="#">H03M 13/138</a> are not complete, see provisionally also <a href="#">H03M 13/13</a>		
13/1151	. . . . .	{Algebraically constructed LDPC codes, e.g. LDPC codes derived from Euclidean geometries [EG-LDPC codes] ( <a href="#">H03M 13/116</a> , <a href="#">H03M 13/1174</a> take precedence)}	13/134	. . . .	{Non-binary linear block codes not provided for otherwise}
13/1154	. . . . .	{Low-density parity-check convolutional codes [LDPC-CC]}	13/136	. . . .	{Reed-Muller [RM] codes}
13/1157	. . . . .	{Low-density generator matrices [LDGM]}	13/138	. . . .	{Codes linear in a ring, e.g. Z4-linear codes or Nordstrom-Robinson codes}
13/116	. . . . .	{Quasi-cyclic LDPC [QC-LDPC] codes, i.e. the parity-check matrix being composed of permutation or circulant sub-matrices}	13/15	. . . .	Cyclic codes, i.e. cyclic shifts of codewords produce other codewords, e.g. codes defined by a generator polynomial, Bose-Chaudhuri-Hocquenghem [BCH] codes ( <a href="#">H03M 13/17</a> takes precedence)
13/1162	. . . . .	{Array based LDPC codes, e.g. array codes}	13/1505	. . . . .	{Golay Codes}
13/1165	. . . . .	{QC-LDPC codes as defined for the digital video broadcasting [DVB] specifications, e.g. DVB-Satellite [DVB-S2]}	<b><u>WARNING</u></b>		
13/1168	. . . . .	{wherein the sub-matrices have column and row weights greater than one, e.g. multi-diagonal sub-matrices}	<a href="#">H03M 13/1505</a> is not complete, see provisionally also <a href="#">H03M 13/15</a>		
13/1171	. . . . .	{Parity-check or generator matrices with non-binary elements, e.g. for non-binary LDPC codes}	13/151	. . . . .	{using error location or error correction polynomials}
13/1174	. . . . .	{Parity-check or generator matrices built from sub-matrices representing known block codes such as, e.g. Hamming codes, e.g. generalized LDPC codes}	13/1515	. . . . .	{Reed-Solomon codes}
13/1177	. . . . .	{Regular LDPC codes with parity-check matrices wherein all rows and columns have the same row weight and column weight, respectively}	<b><u>WARNING</u></b>		
13/118	. . . . .	{Parity check matrix structured for simplifying encoding, e.g. by having a triangular or an approximate triangular structure ( <a href="#">H03M 13/1165</a> takes precedence)}	<a href="#">H03M 13/1515</a> - <a href="#">H03M 13/1585</a> are not complete, see provisionally also <a href="#">H03M 13/15</a>		
13/1182	. . . . .	{wherein the structure of the parity-check matrix is obtained by reordering of a random parity-check matrix}	13/152	. . . . .	{Bose-Chaudhuri-Hocquenghem [BCH] codes}
13/1185	. . . . .	{wherein the parity-check matrix comprises a part with a double-diagonal}	13/1525	. . . . .	{Determination and particular use of error location polynomials}
13/1188	. . . . .	{wherein in the part with the double-diagonal at least one column has an odd column weight equal or greater than three}	13/153	. . . . .	{using the Berlekamp-Massey algorithm}
			13/1535	. . . . .	{using the Euclid algorithm}
			13/154	. . . . .	{Error and erasure correction, e.g. by using the error and erasure locator or Forney polynomial}
			13/1545	. . . . .	{Determination of error locations, e.g. Chien search or other methods or arrangements for the determination of the roots of the error locator polynomial}
			13/155	. . . . .	{Shortening or extension of codes}
			13/1555	. . . . .	{Pipelined decoder implementations}
			13/156	. . . . .	{Encoding or decoding using time-frequency transformations, e.g. fast Fourier transformation}
			13/1565	. . . . .	{Decoding beyond the bounded minimum distance [BMD]}
			13/157	. . . . .	{Polynomial evaluation, i.e. determination of a polynomial sum at a given value}

- 13/1575 . . . . . {Direct decoding, e.g. by a direct determination of the error locator polynomial from syndromes and subsequent analysis or by matrix operations involving syndromes, e.g. for codes with a small minimum Hamming distance}
- 13/158 . . . . . {Finite field arithmetic processing (methods or arrangements for finite field arithmetic [G06F 7/72](#))}
- 13/1585 . . . . . {Determination of error values}
- 13/159 . . . . . {Remainder calculation, e.g. for encoding and syndrome calculation}
- WARNING**
- [H03M 13/159](#) and [H03M 13/1595](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/15](#)
- 13/1595 . . . . . {Parallel or block-wise remainder calculation}
- 13/17 . . . . . Burst error correction, e.g. error trapping, Fire codes
- 13/175 . . . . . {Error trapping or Fire codes}
- WARNING**
- [H03M 13/175](#) is not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/17](#)
- 13/19 . . . . . Single error correction without using particular properties of the cyclic codes, e.g. Hamming codes, extended or generalised Hamming codes
- WARNING**
- Not complete, see also [G06F 11/1008](#)
- 13/21 . . . . . Non-linear codes, e.g. m-bit data word to n-bit code word (mBnB) conversion with error detection or error correction
- 13/23 . . . . . using convolutional codes, e.g. unit memory codes
- 13/235 . . . . . {Encoding of convolutional codes, e.g. methods or arrangements for parallel or block-wise encoding}
- WARNING**
- [H03M 13/235](#) is not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/23](#)
- 13/25 . . . . . Error detection or forward error correction by signal space coding, i.e. adding redundancy in the signal constellation, e.g. Trellis Coded Modulation [TCM] ([modulation codes H03M 13/31](#))
- 13/251 . . . . . {with block coding}
- 13/253 . . . . . {with concatenated codes}
- 13/255 . . . . . {with Low Density Parity Check [LDPC] codes}
- 13/256 . . . . . {with trellis coding, e.g. with convolutional codes and TCM}
- 13/258 . . . . . {with turbo codes, e.g. Turbo Trellis Coded Modulation [TTCM]}
- 13/27 . . . . . using interleaving techniques
- 13/2703 . . . . . {the interleaver involving at least two directions}
- 13/2707 . . . . . {Simple row-column interleaver, i.e. pure block interleaving}
- 13/271 . . . . . {Row-column interleaver with permutations, e.g. block interleaving with inter-row, inter-column, intra-row or intra-column permutations}
- 13/2714 . . . . . {Turbo interleaver for 3rd generation partnership project [3GPP] universal mobile telecommunications systems [UMTS], e.g. as defined in technical specification TS 25.212}
- 13/2717 . . . . . {the interleaver involves 3 or more directions}
- 13/2721 . . . . . {the interleaver involves a diagonal direction, e.g. by using an interleaving matrix with read-out in a diagonal direction}
- 13/2725 . . . . . {Turbo interleaver for 3rd generation partnership project 2 [3GPP2] mobile telecommunication systems, e.g. as defined in the 3GPP2 technical specifications C.S0002}
- 13/2728 . . . . . {Helical type interleaver}
- 13/2732 . . . . . {Convolutional interleaver; Interleavers using shift-registers or delay lines like, e.g. Ramsey type interleaver}
- 13/2735 . . . . . {Interleaver using powers of a primitive element, e.g. Galois field [GF] interleaver}
- 13/2739 . . . . . {Permutation polynomial interleaver, e.g. quadratic permutation polynomial [QPP] interleaver and quadratic congruence interleaver}
- 13/2742 . . . . . {Irregular interleaver wherein the permutation pattern is not obtained by a computation rule, e.g. interleaver based on random generators}
- 13/2746 . . . . . {S-random interleaver}
- 13/275 . . . . . {Interleaver wherein the permutation pattern is obtained using a congruential operation of the type  $y=ax+b$  modulo  $c$ }
- 13/2753 . . . . . {Almost regular permutation [ARP] interleaver}
- 13/2757 . . . . . {Interleaver with an interleaving rule not provided for in the subgroups [H03M 13/2703](#) - [H03M 13/2753](#)}
- 13/276 . . . . . {Interleaving address generation}
- 13/2764 . . . . . {Circuits therefore}
- 13/2767 . . . . . {Interleaver wherein the permutation pattern or a portion thereof is stored}
- 13/2771 . . . . . {Internal interleaver for turbo codes ([H03M 13/2714](#) and [H03M 13/2725](#) take precedence)}
- 13/2775 . . . . . {Contention or collision free turbo code internal interleaver}
- 13/2778 . . . . . {Interleaver using block-wise interleaving, e.g. the interleaving matrix is sub-divided into sub-matrices and the permutation is performed in blocks of sub-matrices}
- 13/2782 . . . . . {Interleaver implementations, which reduce the amount of required interleaving memory}
- 13/2785 . . . . . {Interleaver using in-place interleaving, i.e. writing to and reading from the memory is performed at the same memory location}
- 13/2789 . . . . . {Interleaver providing variable interleaving, e.g. variable block sizes}
- 13/2792 . . . . . {Interleaver wherein interleaving is performed jointly with another technique such as puncturing, multiplexing or routing}
- 13/2796 . . . . . {Two or more interleaving operations are performed jointly, e.g. the first and second interleaving operations defined for 3GPP UMTS are performed jointly in a single interleaving operation}

- 13/29 . . combining two or more codes or code structures, e.g. product codes, generalised product codes, concatenated codes, inner and outer codes
- 13/2903 . . {Methods and arrangements specifically for encoding, e.g. parallel encoding of a plurality of constituent codes}
- WARNING**  
[H03M 13/2903](#) is not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/29](#)
- 13/2906 . . {using block codes ([H03M 13/2957](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/2909 . . . {Product codes}
- WARNING**  
[H03M 13/2909](#) - [H03M 13/293](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/29](#)
- 13/2912 . . . . {omitting parity on parity}
- 13/2915 . . . . {with an error detection code in one dimension}
- 13/2918 . . . {with error correction codes in three or more dimensions, e.g. 3-dimensional product code where the bits are arranged in a cube}
- 13/2921 . . . {wherein error correction coding involves a diagonal direction}
- 13/2924 . . . . {Cross interleaved Reed-Solomon codes [CIRC]}
- 13/2927 . . . {Decoding strategies}
- 13/293 . . . . {with erasure setting}
- 13/2933 . . {using a block and a convolutional code ([H03M 13/2957](#) takes precedence)}
- WARNING**  
[H03M 13/2933](#) - [H03M 13/2954](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/29](#)
- 13/2936 . . . {comprising an outer Reed-Solomon code and an inner convolutional code}
- 13/2939 . . {using convolutional codes ([H03M 13/2957](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/2942 . . {wherein a block of parity bits is computed only from combined information bits or only from parity bits, e.g. a second block of parity bits is computed from a first block of parity bits obtained by systematic encoding of a block of information bits, or a block of parity bits is obtained by an XOR combination of sub-blocks of information bits}
- 13/2945 . . {using at least three error correction codes ([H03M 13/2957](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/2948 . . {Iterative decoding ([H03M 13/2957](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/2951 . . . {using iteration stopping criteria}
- 13/2954 . . {using Picket codes or other codes providing error burst detection capabilities, e.g. burst indicator codes and long distance codes [LDC]}
- 13/2957 . . {Turbo codes and decoding}
- NOTE**  
This group covers also aspects when a component code is replaced by a non-coded constraint, e.g. like in joint turbo decoding and detection

- 13/296 . . . {Particular turbo code structure}
- NOTE**  
this group covers hybrid parallel and serial concatenated turbo code structures and other unusual code structures that do not fit into [H03M 13/2963](#) - [H03M 13/2972](#)
- 13/2963 . . . . {Turbo-block codes, i.e. turbo codes based on block codes, e.g. turbo decoding of product codes}
- 13/2966 . . . . {Turbo codes concatenated with another code, e.g. an outer block code}
- 13/2969 . . . . {Non-binary turbo codes}
- 13/2972 . . . . {Serial concatenation using convolutional component codes}
- 13/2975 . . . {Judging correct decoding, e.g. iteration stopping criteria ([stopping criteria for iterative decoding, see also H04L 1/0051](#))}
- 13/2978 . . . {Particular arrangement of the component decoders}
- 13/2981 . . . . {using as many component decoders as component codes}
- 13/2984 . . . . {using less component decoders than component codes, e.g. multiplexed decoders and scheduling thereof}
- 13/2987 . . . . {using more component decoders than component codes, e.g. pipelined turbo iterations}
- 13/299 . . . {Turbo codes with short blocks}
- 13/2993 . . . {Implementing the return to a predetermined state, i.e. trellis termination}
- 13/2996 . . . {Tail biting}
- 13/31 . . combining coding for error detection or correction and efficient use of the spectrum ([without error detection or correction H03M 5/14, {H03M 5/145}](#))
- 13/33 . . Synchronisation based on error coding or decoding ([for transmission H04L 7/048](#))
- WARNING**  
Groups [H03M 13/333](#) - [H03M 13/336](#) are not complete pending reclassification; see also this group
- 13/333 . . {Synchronisation on a multi-bit block basis, e.g. frame synchronisation}
- WARNING**  
[H03M 13/333](#) - [H03M 13/336](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/33](#)
- 13/336 . . {Phase recovery}
- 13/35 . . Unequal or adaptive error protection, e.g. by providing a different level of protection according to significance of source information or by adapting the coding according to the change of transmission channel characteristics
- 13/353 . . {Adaptation to the channel}
- WARNING**  
[H03M 13/353](#) and [H03M 13/356](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/35](#)
- 13/356 . . {Unequal error protection [UEP]}
- 13/37 . . Decoding methods or techniques, not specific to the particular type of coding provided for in groups [H03M 13/03](#) - [H03M 13/35](#)



- 13/3707 . . . {Adaptive decoding and hybrid decoding, e.g. decoding methods or techniques providing more than one decoding algorithm for one code}
- WARNING**
- [H03M 13/3707](#) - [H03M 13/3792](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/37](#)
- 13/3715 . . . {Adaptation to the number of estimated errors or to the channel state}
- 13/3723 . . . {using means or methods for the initialisation of the decoder}
- 13/373 . . . {with erasure correction and erasure determination, e.g. for packet loss recovery or setting of erasures for the decoding of Reed-Solomon codes}
- 13/3738 . . . {with judging correct decoding}
- 13/3746 . . . {with iterative decoding}
- 13/3753 . . . {using iteration stopping criteria}
- 13/3761 . . . {using code combining, i.e. using combining of codeword portions which may have been transmitted separately, e.g. Digital Fountain codes, Raptor codes or Luby Transform [LT] codes}
- 13/3769 . . . {using symbol combining, e.g. Chase combining of symbols received twice or more}
- 13/3776 . . . {using a re-encoding step during the decoding process}
- 13/3784 . . . {for soft-output decoding of block codes}
- 13/3792 . . . {for decoding of real number codes}
- 13/39 . . . Sequence estimation, i.e. using statistical methods for the reconstruction of the original codes
- 13/3905 . . . {Maximum a posteriori probability [MAP] decoding and approximations thereof based on trellis or lattice decoding, e.g. forward-backward algorithm, log-MAP decoding, max-log-MAP decoding; MAP decoding also to be found in [H04L 1/0055](#)}
- 13/3911 . . . . {Correction factor, e.g. approximations of the  $\exp(1+x)$  function}
- 13/3916 . . . . {for block codes using a trellis or lattice}
- 13/3922 . . . . {Add-Compare-Select [ACS] operation in forward or backward recursions}
- 13/3927 . . . . {Log-Likelihood Ratio [LLR] computation by combination of forward and backward metrics into LLRs}
- 13/3933 . . . . {Decoding in probability domain}
- 13/3938 . . . . {Tail-biting ([H03M 13/2996](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/3944 . . . {for block codes, especially trellis or lattice decoding thereof}
- WARNING**
- [H03M 13/3944](#) - [H03M 13/3994](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/39](#)
- 13/395 . . . {using a collapsed trellis, e.g. M-step algorithm, radix-n architectures with  $n>2$ }
- 13/3955 . . . {using a trellis with a reduced state space complexity, e.g. M-algorithm or T-algorithm}
- 13/3961 . . . {Arrangements of methods for branch or transition metric calculation}
- 13/3966 . . . . {based on architectures providing a highly parallelized implementation, e.g. based on systolic arrays}
- 13/3972 . . . . {using sliding window techniques or parallel windows}
- 13/3977 . . . . {using sequential decoding, e.g. the Fano or stack algorithms}
- 13/3983 . . . . {for non-binary convolutional codes}
- 13/3988 . . . . {for rate  $k/n$  convolutional codes, with  $k>1$ , obtained by convolutional encoders with  $k$  inputs and  $n$  outputs}
- 13/3994 . . . . {using state pinning or decision forcing, i.e. the decoded sequence is forced through a particular trellis state or a particular set of trellis states or a particular decoded symbol}
- 13/41 . . . . using the Viterbi algorithm or Viterbi processors
- 13/4107 . . . . {implementing add, compare, select [ACS] operations}
- 13/4115 . . . . . {list output Viterbi decoding}
- 13/4123 . . . . . {implementing the return to a predetermined state}
- 13/413 . . . . . {tail biting Viterbi decoding}
- 13/4138 . . . . . {soft-output Viterbi algorithm based decoding, i.e. Viterbi decoding with weighted decisions}
- 13/4146 . . . . . {soft-output Viterbi decoding according to Battail and Hagenauer in which the soft-output is determined using path metric differences along the maximum-likelihood path, i.e. "SOVA" decoding}
- 13/4153 . . . . . {two-step SOVA decoding, i.e. the soft-output is determined by a second traceback operation after the determination of the hard decision like in the Berrou decoder}
- 13/4161 . . . . . {implementing path management}
- 13/4169 . . . . . {using traceback ([H03M 13/4192](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/4176 . . . . . {using a plurality of RAMs, e.g. for carrying out a plurality of traceback implementations simultaneously}
- 13/4184 . . . . . {using register-exchange ([H03M 13/4192](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/4192 . . . . . {using combined traceback and register-exchange}
- 13/42 . . . . {MAP decoding or approximations thereof based on trellis or lattice decoding, e.g. forward-backward algorithm, log-MAP decoding, max-log-MAP decoding ([see also H04L 1/0055](#))}
- 13/43 . . . Majority logic or threshold decoding
- 13/45 . . . Soft decoding, i.e. using symbol reliability information ([H03M 13/41](#) takes precedence)
- 13/451 . . . . {using a set of candidate code words, e.g. ordered statistics decoding [OSD]}
- WARNING**
- [H03M 13/451](#) - [H03M 13/458](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/45](#)
- 13/453 . . . . . {wherein the candidate code words are obtained by an algebraic decoder, e.g. Chase decoding}

- 13/455 . . . . {using a set of erasure patterns or successive erasure decoding, e.g. generalized minimum distance [GMD] decoding}
- 13/456 . . . . {wherein all the code words of the code or its dual code are tested, e.g. brute force decoding}
- 13/458 . . . {by updating bit probabilities or hard decisions in an iterative fashion for convergence to a final decoding result}
- 13/47 . Error detection, forward error correction or error protection, not provided for in groups [H03M 13/01](#) - [H03M 13/37](#)
- 13/49 . . Unidirectional error detection or correction
- 13/51 . . Constant weight codes; n-out-of-m codes; Berger codes
- 13/53 . . Codes using Fibonacci numbers series
- 13/61 . {Aspects and characteristics of methods and arrangements for error correction or error detection, not provided for otherwise}
- WARNING**  
[H03M 13/61](#) - [H03M 13/6597](#) are not complete, see provisionally also [H03M 13/61](#), [H03M 13/63](#) and [H03M 13/65](#)
- 13/611 . . {Specific encoding aspects, e.g. encoding by means of decoding}
- 13/612 . . {Aspects specific to channel or signal-to-noise ratio estimation ([H03M 13/63](#) takes precedence)}
- 13/613 . . {Use of the dual code}
- 13/615 . . {Use of computational or mathematical techniques}
- 13/616 . . . {Matrix operations, especially for generator matrices or check matrices, e.g. column or row permutations}
- 13/617 . . . {Polynomial operations, e.g. operations related to generator polynomials or parity-check polynomials}
- 13/618 . . {Shortening and extension of codes}
- 13/63 . {Joint error correction and other techniques ([H03M 13/31](#) and [H03M 13/33](#) take precedence)}
- 13/6306 . . {Error control coding in combination with Automatic Repeat reQuest [ARQ] and diversity transmission, e.g. coding schemes for the multiple transmission of the same information or the transmission of incremental redundancy ([H03M 13/3761](#), [H03M 13/3769](#) and [H03M 13/635](#) take precedence; ARQ schemes in general [H04L 1/18](#))}
- 13/6312 . . {Error control coding in combination with data compression}
- 13/6318 . . . {using variable length codes}
- 13/6325 . . {Error control coding in combination with demodulation}
- 13/6331 . . {Error control coding in combination with equalisation}
- 13/6337 . . {Error control coding in combination with channel estimation}
- 13/6343 . . {Error control coding in combination with techniques for partial response channels, e.g. recording}
- 13/635 . . {Error control coding in combination with rate matching}
- 13/6356 . . . {by repetition or insertion of dummy data, i.e. rate reduction}
- 13/6362 . . . {by puncturing}
- 13/6368 . . . . {using rate compatible puncturing or complementary puncturing}
- 13/6375 . . . . . {Rate compatible punctured convolutional [RCPC] codes}
- 13/6381 . . . . . {Rate compatible punctured turbo [RCPT] codes}
- 13/6387 . . . . . {Complementary punctured convolutional [CPC] codes}
- 13/6393 . . . . . {Rate compatible low-density parity check [LDPC] codes}
- 13/65 . {Purpose and implementation aspects}
- 13/6502 . . {Reduction of hardware complexity or efficient processing}
- 13/6505 . . . {Memory efficient implementations}
- 13/6508 . . {Flexibility, adaptability, parametrability and configurability of the implementation}
- 13/6511 . . . {Support of multiple decoding rules, e.g. combined MAP and Viterbi decoding}
- 13/6513 . . . {Support of multiple code types, e.g. unified decoder for LDPC and turbo codes}
- 13/6516 . . . {Support of multiple code parameters, e.g. generalized Reed-Solomon decoder for a variety of generator polynomials or Galois fields}
- 13/6519 . . . {Support of multiple transmission or communication standards}
- 13/6522 . . {Intended application, e.g. transmission or communication standard}
- 13/6525 . . . {3GPP LTE including E-UTRA}
- 13/6527 . . . {IEEE 802.11 [WLAN]}
- 13/653 . . . {3GPP HSDPA, e.g. HS-SCCH or DS-SSCH related}
- 13/6533 . . . {ITU 992.X [ADSL]}
- 13/6536 . . . {GSM GPRS}
- 13/6538 . . . {ATSC VBS systems}
- 13/6541 . . . {DVB-H and DVB-M}
- 13/6544 . . . {IEEE 802.16 (WIMAX and broadband wireless access)}
- 13/6547 . . . {TCP, UDP, IP and associated protocols, e.g. RTP}
- 13/655 . . . {UWB OFDM}
- 13/6552 . . . {DVB-T2}
- 13/6555 . . . {DVB-C2}
- 13/6558 . . . {3GPP2}
- 13/6561 . . {Parallelized implementations}
- 13/6563 . . {Implementations using multi-port memories}
- 13/6566 . . {Implementations concerning memory access contentions}
- 13/6569 . . {Implementation on processors, e.g. DSPs, or software implementations}
- 13/6572 . . {Implementations using a tree structure, e.g. implementations in which the complexity is reduced by a tree structure from O(n) to O(log(n))}
- 13/6575 . . {Implementations based on combinatorial logic, e.g. boolean circuits}
- 13/6577 . . {Representation or format of variables, register sizes or word-lengths and quantization}
- 13/658 . . . {Scaling by multiplication or division}

13/6583	. . . {Normalization other than scaling, e.g. by subtraction}
13/6586	. . . . {Modulo/modular normalization, e.g. 2's complement modulo implementations}
13/6588	. . . {Compression or short representation of variables}
13/6591	. . . {Truncation, saturation and clamping}
13/6594	. . . {Non-linear quantization}
13/6597	. . {Implementations using analogue techniques for coding or decoding, e.g. analogue Viterbi decoder}
<b>99/00</b>	<b>Subject matter not provided for in other groups of this subclass</b>
<b>2201/00</b>	<b>Indexing scheme relating to A/D or D/A conversion</b>
<b>NOTE</b>	
As this scheme is obtained by conversion from the former deep indexing system RM03 it reflects the several editions of that system in the following way:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>code symbols added at subsequent editions are indicated by numbers [2] or [3] in square brackets, the code symbols present from the first edition on having no indication;</li> <li>headers which did not have a code symbol in the RM03 system and thus could not be assigned to documents, but which need a code symbol in the ICO system for the purpose of a correct hierarchical order, are indicated by the symbol [H];</li> <li>the edition according to which a document has been indexed is indicated by the assignment of one of code symbols <a href="#">H03M 2201/01</a> through <a href="#">H03M 2201/03</a> to that document. In principle, therefore, a search should include a separate combination of appropriate code symbols for each edition, each combination including one of codes <a href="#">H03M 2201/01</a> through <a href="#">H03M 2201/03</a>. On an incidental base, however, code symbols from later editions have been assigned to documents indexed according to an earlier edition.</li> </ul>	
<b>WARNING</b>	
The use of this indexing scheme has been discontinued for all documents published later than 1989.	
2201/01	. First edition
2201/02	. Second edition
2201/03	. Third edition
2201/10	. Conversion systems
2201/11	. . A/D conversion systems
2201/1109	. . . Servo-systems for A/D conversion
2201/1118	. . . . without D/A converter in feedback [3]
2201/1127	. . . . in which the digital generator is adjusted in a predetermined direction regardless of the sign of the error
2201/1136	. . . . with auxiliary A/D conversion of the error signal
2201/1145	. . . . with intermediate conversion of the error to frequency [2]
2201/1154	. . . . using a counter as digital generator
2201/1163	. . . . . the counter being a reversible one
2201/1172	. . . . Subranging, i.e. conversion in steps each delivering plural digits of the output signal [2]
2201/1181	. . . . with scaling between the steps [2]
2201/119	. . . . using an auxiliary D/A converter [2]
2201/12	. . D/A conversion systems
2201/122	. . . Servo-systems for D/A conversion
2201/124	. . . . in which the analogue generator is adjusted in a predetermined direction regardless of the sign of the error
2201/126	. . . . with auxiliary D/A conversion of the error signal
2201/128	. . . . using a servomotor as analogue generator
2201/13	. . A/D convertible into D/A
2201/14	. . Scale factor modification
2201/145	. . . using an auxiliary D/A or A/D converter [2]
2201/16	. . Coarse and fine conversions
2201/162	. . . by interpolation other than subranging [2]
2201/165	. . . . Vernier or Nonius type interpolation [3]
2201/167	. . . with overlapping ranges
2201/17	. . Multiplexing
2201/173	. . . Timesharing, i.e. using a single converter or part for multiple channels [3]
2201/176	. . . Interleaving, i.e. using multiple converters or parts for one channel [3]
2201/19	. . Applications [H]
2201/192	. . . Measuring systems
2201/194	. . . Control systems
2201/196	. . . Communications systems
2201/198	. . . Computing systems
2201/20	. A/D converters
2201/21	. . Digital pattern reading type
2201/2103	. . . Characteristics of the coding [H]
2201/2107	. . . . Providing an absolute position [3]
2201/2111	. . . . . using a pure representation
2201/2114	. . . . . with denominational arrangement
2201/2118	. . . . . on one track [3]
2201/2122	. . . . . with plural readers per track [2]
2201/2125	. . . . Providing an incremental position
2201/2129	. . . . . with additional synchronisation marks
2201/2133	. . . . . with directional discrimination
2201/2137	. . . . Providing real and complementary signals
2201/214	. . . . Anti-ambiguity arrangements
2201/2144	. . . . . V-arrangement of readers [2]
2201/2148	. . . Characteristics of the pattern carriers of readers [H]
2201/2151	. . . . Type of pattern carrier or reader means
2201/2155	. . . . . Mechanical
2201/2159	. . . . . Switches; commutators
2201/2162	. . . . . formed by a printed circuit pattern
2201/2166	. . . . . Cathodes ray tubes
2201/217	. . . . . Capacitive
2201/2174	. . . . . Magnetic
2201/2177	. . . . . using a recorded pattern
2201/2181	. . . . . using variable reluctance
2201/2185	. . . . . Photoelectric
2201/2188	. . . . . by generating an interference pattern [2]
2201/2192	. . . . . Radiation other than visible light
2201/2196	. . . . Constructional details
2201/22	. . Analogue comparing type
2201/2208	. . . with separate comparison for each quantization level
2201/2216	. . . . with parallel operation, i.e. flash type [2]

2201/2225	. . . with separate comparison for each denomination [3]	2201/3121	. . . . the values having different weights [3]
2201/2233	. . . . with serial operation, i.e. successive approximation type	2201/3126	. . . . the values having equal weights [3]
2201/2241	. . . . . using a single stage	2201/3131	. . . Direct selection from all possible values
2201/225	. . . . . using plural stages	2201/3136	. . . Specific network arrangement
2201/2258	. . . . . with free-running operation [2]	2201/3142	. . . . Series network
2201/2266	. . . . . in which the reference is modified at each step or stage	2201/3147	. . . . Parallel network [3]
2201/2275	. . . . . in which the input is modified at each step or stage	2201/3152	. . . . Comb network, e.g. R-2R ladder [3]
2201/2283	. . . . . with scaling between the steps or stages	2201/3157	. . . Specific kinds of quantisation values
2201/2291	. . . . . with auxiliary D/A converter	2201/3163	. . . . Impedances [H]
2201/23	. . Intermediate conversion to time interval type	2201/3168	. . . . . Resistors
2201/2305	. . . in which a reference signal sweeps through the range of possible values	2201/3173	. . . . . Inductors
2201/2311	. . . . using a continuously varying analogue reference signal, e.g. a sawtooth signal	2201/3178	. . . . . Capacitors
2201/2316	. . . . . in which the digital signal is produced from the reference signal by an auxiliary A/D converter	2201/3184	. . . . . Phase shifters
2201/2322	. . . . using a stepwise varying analogue reference signal, e.g. a staircase signal	2201/3189	. . . . Voltage sources [3]
2201/2327	. . . . . in which the reference signal is produced by stepwise charging or discharging a capacitor	2201/3194	. . . . Current sources [3]
2201/2333	. . . . . in which the reference signal is produced from the digital generator using an auxiliary D/A converter	2201/32	. . Intermediate conversion to time interval type
2201/2338	. . . in which the input signal or a signal derived therefrom is reduced or increased until a predetermined reference value is reached	2201/322	. . . characterised by the way in which the time interval is generated [H]
2201/2344	. . . . the input signal or its derivative varying continuously	2201/324	. . . . using a digital comparator for generating the time interval [2]
2201/235	. . . . . Single slope type [3]	2201/326	. . . . Time interval generation without counting [2]
2201/2355	. . . . . Dual slope type, i.e. charge balancing type [3]	2201/328	. . . . the time interval consisting of multiple subintervals [2]
2201/2361	. . . . the input signal or its derivative varying stepwise	2201/33	. . Intermediate conversion to pulse frequency type [2]
2201/2366	. . . with intermediate conversion to pulse width [3]	2201/40	. Information representation [H]
2201/2372	. . . with intermediate conversion to phase or time of phase reversal	2201/41	. . Analogue signals
2201/2377	. . . Input sampling without holding [3]	2201/4105	. . . Positive/negative indication
2201/2383	. . . Input sampling combined with integration [2]	2201/411	. . . Ensemble of signals belonging together [3]
2201/2388	. . . the time interval consisting of multiple subintervals [2]	2201/4115	. . . Position signals
2201/2394	. . . Interval or phase digitising without counting [2]	2201/412	. . . . representing linear position
2201/24	. . Intermediate conversion to pulse frequency type	2201/4125	. . . . representing angular position
2201/241	. . . using a free running oscillator [2]	2201/413	. . . Electrical signals
2201/243	. . . using a reset integrator [2]	2201/4135	. . . . Momentary value
2201/245	. . . using a unit discharge integrator, i.e. charge balancing type [2]	2201/414	. . . . . Random pulses [2]
2201/246	. . . using a clock operated generator [2]	2201/4145	. . . . Modulated carrier [H]
2201/248	. . . using a reversible counter [2]	2201/415	. . . . . Amplitude modulated carrier
2201/30	. D/A converters	2201/4155	. . . . . Phase modulated carrier
2201/31	. . Selection, addition or subtraction of quantisation values	2201/416	. . . . . Frequency modulated carrier
2201/3105	. . . Successive addition or subtraction of selected values	2201/4165	. . . . Modulated pulses [H]
2201/311	. . . . with plural stages	2201/417	. . . . . Amplitude modulated pulses
2201/3115	. . . Simultaneous addition or subtraction of selected values	2201/4175	. . . . . Time modulated pulses
		2201/418	. . . . . Width modulated pulses
		2201/4185	. . . . . Frequency modulated pulses
		2201/419	. . . Light signals [2]
		2201/4195	. . . Temperature signals [2]
		2201/42	. . Digital signals [H]
		2201/4204	. . . positive/negative indication
		2201/4208	. . . Temporal or spatial distribution [H]
		2201/4212	. . . . Serial
		2201/4216	. . . . Serial-parallel
		2201/422	. . . . Parallel-serial
		2201/4225	. . . . Parallel
		2201/4229	. . . Elementary signals [H]
		2201/4233	. . . . Bivalued
		2201/4237	. . . . Multivalued
		2201/4241	. . . . other than amplitude, e.g. frequency, phase [2]
		2201/4245	. . . Denominational arrangements [H]
		2201/425	. . . . Non-denominational
		2201/4254	. . . . . One-bit information [2]



2201/4258	. . . . Denominational	2201/625	. . . Resolution enhancement [3]
2201/4262	. . . . Binary radix	2201/627	. . . . using an n-bit converter for obtaining a resolution of more than n bits [3]
2201/4266	. . . . Decimal radix	2201/63	. . Calibration; Deviation correction [2]
2201/427	. . . . Floating-point representation [2]	2201/6309	. . . Timing [H]
2201/4275	. . . Coding [H]	2201/6318	. . . . in-between normal conversions [3]
2201/4279	. . . . Pure	2201/6327	. . . . during normal conversions [3]
2201/4283	. . . . x-out-of-n code, i.e. value x, x=0,...,n, is represented by x bits being ONE within a total of n bits [2]	2201/6336	. . . . . periodically [3]
2201/4287	. . . . Combination code other than those forming a straight power series	2201/6345	. . . Type of correction [H]
2201/4291	. . . . . Unit distance code	2201/6354	. . . . Component mismatch correction [3]
2201/4295	. . . . . Pattern shifting code	2201/6363	. . . . Mechanical alignment [3]
2201/50	. Additional conversions [H]	2201/6372	. . . . Linearisation of non-linear characteristic [3]
2201/51	. . Analogue conversions	2201/6381	. . . . Gain, i.e. slope deviation correction [3]
2201/512	. . . Mechanical/electrical	2201/639	. . . . Offset or drift correction (for the second edition, see provisionally <a href="#">H03M 2201/64</a> )[3]
2201/514	. . . Electrical/other electrical	2201/64	. . Noise reduction [2]
2201/516	. . . . Impedance/voltage or current [2]	2201/641	. . . Type of noise [H]
2201/518	. . . with analogue feedback	2201/642	. . . . Quantisation noise [3]
2201/52	. . Digital conversions	2201/643	. . . . Power supply variations, e.g. ripple [3]
2201/521	. . . Bivalued/multivalued	2201/644	. . . . Switching transients, e.g. glitches [3]
2201/522	. . . Non-denominational/denominational; Pure/combination code	2201/645	. . . Method [3]
2201/523	. . . between different combination codes; between different radices	2201/646	. . . . Filtering [H]
2201/524	. . . . Binary/decimal	2201/647	. . . . . on input [3]
2201/525	. . . . Normal/reflected	2201/648	. . . . . Output smoothing
2201/526	. . . Parallel/serial	2201/65	. . Error detection or correction [2]
2201/527	. . . Rounding	2201/652	. . . out-of-range indication [3]
2201/528	. . . Complementing or inverting [3]	2201/655	. . . Power failure [3]
2201/53	. . Non-linear conversions	2201/657	. . . Testing [3]
2201/531	. . . outside the actual A/D or D/A [2]	2201/70	. Additional functions
2201/532	. . . Specific type of non-linearity	2201/71	. . Sampling; Holding [3]
2201/533	. . . . Goniometric	2201/711	. . . Place [H]
2201/534	. . . . Logarithmic, exponential	2201/712	. . . . at input
2201/535	. . . . Maximum, minimum	2201/713	. . . . at output [2]
2201/536	. . . . Average	2201/714	. . . Means [H]
2201/537	. . . . Integration	2201/715	. . . . Electrical
2201/538	. . . . Differentiation	2201/716	. . . . Mechanical
2201/539	. . . . Hyperbolic	2201/717	. . . . Optical [3]
2201/60	. Fidelity improvement	2201/718	. . . . Digital latching, e.g. of bits applied to a D/A converter [3]
2201/61	. . Adjustment or control means [H]	2201/72	. . Computing
2201/6107	. . . Operation method [H]	2201/721	. . . Multiplying, e.g. MDAC [3]
2201/6114	. . . . Manual	2201/722	. . . Dividing, e.g. ratiometric [3]
2201/6121	. . . . Automatic	2201/723	. . . Pre- or post-treatment [3]
2201/6128	. . . . in feedforward mode [3]	2201/725	. . . . Numerical [3]
2201/6135	. . . . in feedback mode [3]	2201/726	. . . . Analogue [3]
2201/6142	. . . Means used [H]	2201/727	. . . Computer as part of converter [3]
2201/615	. . . . Compensation [3]	2201/728	. . . . Conversion partially by software [3]
2201/6157	. . . . . with auxiliary D/A or A/D conversion [2]	2201/73	. . Accelerated conversion [2]
2201/6164	. . . . . using stored correction values (for previous editions, see provisionally <a href="#">H03M 2201/72</a> )[3]	2201/75	. . Synchronisation [3]
2201/6171	. . . . . using a computer for more than just storing (for previous editions, see provisionally <a href="#">H03M 2201/72</a> )[3]	2201/76	. . Pipelining [3]
2201/6178	. . . . Dither [3]	2201/77	. . Feedback means not provided for elsewhere [3]
2201/6185	. . . . Interpolation (for fine conversions <a href="#">H03M 2201/1172</a> , <a href="#">H03M 2201/162</a> )[3]	2201/78	. . Prediction [3]
2201/6192	. . . . Redundancy [3]	2201/79	. . Time recording
2201/62	. . Precision improvement; Layout optimisation [2]	2201/80	. Components, circuits or devices used with or within A/D or D/A converters but not disclosed in detail and not provided for elsewhere [H]
2201/622	. . . Accuracy improvement [3]		

**NOTE**

The codes of this subgroup should be assigned only insofar as the component, circuit or device concerned is not usual for the type of converter concerned, e.g. an intermediate time interval

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type A/D converter usually has a counter which therefore need not be indexed in this subgroup.

2201/81 . . Electrical components  
2201/8104 . . . Discharge tubes  
2201/8108 . . . . Vacuum tubes  
2201/8112 . . . . Gaseous tubes  
2201/8116 . . . . Counting tubes; Beam switching tubes  
2201/812 . . . . Cathode ray tubes  
2201/8124 . . . Semiconductor devices  
2201/8128 . . . . Diodes  
2201/8132 . . . . Transistors  
2201/8136 . . . . . bipolar [3]  
2201/814 . . . . . FET ([varistors H03M 2201/8156](#))[2]  
2201/8144 . . . . Zener diodes  
2201/8148 . . . . Tunnel diodes  
2201/8152 . . . Capacitive devices [H]  
2201/8156 . . . . Varistors  
2201/816 . . . . Ferro-electric capacitors  
2201/8164 . . . . Switched capacitors [3]  
2201/8168 . . . . Charge-coupled devices [3]  
2201/8172 . . . Magnetic devices [H]  
2201/8176 . . . . Magnetic cores  
2201/818 . . . . Magnetic film devices [2]  
2201/8184 . . . . Hall effect devices  
2201/8188 . . . . Parametrons  
2201/8192 . . . Photoelectric devices  
2201/8196 . . . Superconductive devices  
2201/82 . . Basic electrical circuits [H]  
2201/822 . . . Bridge circuits [3]  
2201/825 . . . Delay lines [2]  
2201/827 . . . . Travelling-wave guides [3]  
2201/83 . . Basic logic components [H]  
2201/831 . . . Counters [2]  
2201/832 . . . . bidirectional [2]  
2201/834 . . . Look-up tables, e.g. ROM [2]  
2201/835 . . . (Pseudo-)random generators [2]  
2201/837 . . . Shift registers [2]  
2201/838 . . . Microprocessors ([as an application system H03M 2201/198](#), for fidelity improvement [H03M 2201/6171](#), for computing as part of the conversion process [H03M 2201/72](#), for testing [H03M 2201/657](#) [3])  
2201/84 . . Electro-mechanical components [H]  
2201/841 . . . Dynamo-electric machines  
2201/842 . . . . Synchro  
2201/843 . . . . Resolvers  
2201/844 . . . . Servomotors  
2201/845 . . . . Stepping motors [3]  
2201/846 . . . Switching circuits [H]  
2201/847 . . . . Switches  
2201/848 . . . . Relays  
2201/849 . . . . Choppers  
2201/85 . . Mechanical components [H]  
2201/853 . . . Reduction gearings  
2201/856 . . . Shaft couplings  
2201/90 . . Miscellaneous [H]  
2201/91 . . Theory  
2201/915 . . . Code theory  
2201/93 . . Constructional details  
2201/931 . . . Symmetrical configuration [2]  
2201/932 . . . of electrical parts or components [3]

2201/933 . . . . Processing circuitry [3]  
2201/934 . . . . . on one chip, e.g. A/D and muP [3]  
2201/935 . . . . Battery powered [3]  
2201/936 . . . of mechanical parts or components [3]  
2201/937 . . . . Housing [3]  
2201/938 . . . of optical parts or components [3]