

CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

F MECHANICAL ENGINEERING; LIGHTING; HEATING; WEAPONS; BLASTING (NOTE omitted)

ENGINEERING IN GENERAL

F16 ENGINEERING ELEMENTS AND UNITS; GENERAL MEASURES FOR PRODUCING AND MAINTAINING EFFECTIVE FUNCTIONING OF MACHINES OR INSTALLATIONS; THERMAL INSULATION IN GENERAL

F16C SHAFTS; FLEXIBLE SHAFTS; ELEMENTS OR CRANKSHAFT MECHANISMS; ROTARY BODIES OTHER THAN GEARING ELEMENTS; BEARINGS

NOTES

- In this subclass the following expression is used with the meaning indicated:
 - "rotary bodies other than gearing elements" covers any element which rotates so far as its features are affected only by the fact that it rotates.
- Attention is drawn to the following places:

A01B 71/04	Bearings for agricultural machines
B21B 31/07	Adaptation of roll bearings for metal-rolling mills
B61C 17/10	Connecting-rods, bearings for driving wheels of railway locomotives
B61F 15/00	Axle-boxes for railway vehicles
B62K 21/06	Bearings for steering heads
E06B 9/174 , E06B 9/50	Bearings specially adapted for roller shutters or for roller blinds
E21B 10/22	Bearings for drill bits
F01C 21/02	Arrangement of bearings in rotary-piston machines or engines
F01D 25/16	Arrangement of bearings in non-positive displacement machines or engines
F02C 7/06	Arrangement of bearings in gas-turbine plants
G01C 19/16	Bearings for gyroscopes
G01D 11/02	Bearings or suspensions for moving parts of measuring instruments
G01G 21/02	Arrangements of bearings in weighing apparatus
G01R 1/10	Arrangements of bearings in instruments for measuring electric variables
G01R 11/12	Arrangements of bearings for apparatus for measuring time integral of electric power or current
G02C 5/22	Hinges for spectacles
G04B 31/00	Bearings for clockwork
H02N 15/00	Magnetic levitation devices.

1/00	Flexible shafts (flexible shafts in dental machines for boring or cutting A61C 1/18); Mechanical means for transmitting movement in a flexible sheathing	1/108	. . {Reducing or controlling of vibrations, e.g. by resilient damping of noise}
1/02	. for conveying rotary movements	1/12	. . Arrangements for transmitting movement to or from the flexible member
1/04	. . Articulated shafts	1/14	. . . Construction of the end-piece of the flexible member; Attachment thereof to the flexible member
1/06	. . with guiding sheathing, tube or box (F16C 1/04 takes precedence; guiding sheathings F16C 1/26)	1/145	. . . . {Attachment of the end-piece to the flexible member}
1/08	. . End connections	1/16	. . . in which the end-piece is guided rectilinearly
1/10	. Means for transmitting linear movement in a flexible sheathing, e.g. "Bowden-mechanisms" (guiding-sheathings F16C 1/26)	1/18	. . . in which the end portion of the flexible member is laid along a curved surface of a pivoted member
1/101	. . {Intermediate connectors for joining portions of split flexible shafts and/or sheathings}	1/20	. . Construction of flexible members moved to and fro in the sheathing
1/102	. . {Arrangements to mount end fittings of the sheathings to support walls or brackets}	1/205	. . . {Details of the outer surface of the flexible member, e.g. coatings}
1/103	. . . {to a hole in the wall or bracket}	1/22	. . Adjusting; Compensating length
1/105	. . . {to a slot in the bracket}	1/223	. . . {by adjusting the effective length of the flexible member}
1/106	. . {Plurality of transmitting means, e.g. two or more parallel "Bowden cables"}		
1/107	. . {Sealing details}		

1/226	. . . {by adjusting the effective length of the sheathing}	9/00	Bearings for crankshafts or connecting-rods; Attachment of connecting-rods (lubrication of connecting-rods in connection with crankshafts F16C 3/14 ; connections to crossheads F16C 5/00 ; to pistons F16J 1/14)
1/24	. Lubrication; Lubricating equipment	9/02	. Crankshaft bearings
1/26	. Construction of guiding-sheathings or guiding-tubes	9/03	. . Arrangements for adjusting play
1/262	. . {End fittings; Attachment thereof to the sheathing or tube}	9/04	. Connecting-rod bearings; Attachments thereof
1/265	. . . {with a swivel tube connected to the end-fitting of a sheathing, e.g. with a spherical joint}	9/045	. . {the bearing cap of the connecting rod being split by fracturing}
1/267	. . {Details of the inner surface of the sheathing or tube, e.g. coatings}	9/06	. . Arrangements for adjusting play in bearings, operating either automatically or not
1/28	. . with built in bearings {, e.g. sheathing with rolling elements between the sheathing and the core element}		
3/00	Shafts (flexible shafts F16C 1/00 ; marine propeller shafts, paddle wheel shafts B63H 23/34); Axles; Cranks; Eccentrics	11/00	Pivots; Pivotal connections (arrangements of steering linkage connections B62D 7/16)
3/02	. Shafts; Axles	11/02	. Trunnions; Crank-pins (fastening crank-pins to webs, crank-pins integral with cranks F16C 3/06 , F16C 3/22)
3/023	. . {made of several parts, e.g. by welding}	11/04	. Pivotal connections (hinges for doors, windows or wings E05D)
3/026	. . {Shafts made of fibre reinforced resin}	11/045	. . {with at least a pair of arms pivoting relatively to at least one other arm, all arms being mounted on one pin (crank-pins F16C 11/02)}
3/03	. . telescopic (axially displaceable couplings F16D 3/06)	11/06	. . Ball-joints; Other joints having more than one degree of angular freedom, i.e. universal joints (universal joints in which flexibility is produced by means of pivots or sliding or rolling connecting parts F16D 3/16)
3/035	. . . with built-in bearings	11/0604	. . . {Construction of the male part}
3/04	. Crankshafts, eccentric-shafts; Cranks, eccentrics	11/0609	. . . . {made from two or more parts}
3/06	. . Crankshafts	11/0614	. . . {the female part of the joint being open on two sides}
3/08	. . . made in one piece (features relating to lubrication F16C 3/14 , to cooling F16C 3/16)	11/0619	. . . {the female part comprising a blind socket receiving the male part}
3/10	. . . assembled of several parts, e.g. by welding {by crimping}	11/0623	. . . . {Construction or details of the socket member}
3/12	. . . . releasably connected	11/0628	. . . . . {with linings}
3/14	. . . Features relating to lubrication	11/0633	. . . . . {the linings being made of plastics}
3/16	. . . Features relating to cooling	11/0638	. . . . . {characterised by geometrical details}
3/18	. . Eccentric-shafts	11/0642	. . . . . {Special features of the plug or cover on the blind end of the socket}
3/20	. . Shape of crankshafts or eccentric-shafts having regard to balancing	11/0647	. . . . . {Special features relating to adjustment for wear or play; Wear indicators}
3/22	. . Cranks; Eccentrics (constructional features of crank-pins F16C 11/02)	11/0652	. . . . . {combined with a damper other than elastic linings}
3/24	. . . with return cranks, i.e. a second crank carried by the crank-pin	11/0657	. . . . . {the socket member being mainly made of plastics}
3/26	. . . Elastic crank-webs; Resiliently-mounted crank-pins	11/0661	. . . {the two co-operative parts each having both convex and concave interfaces}
3/28	. . . Adjustable cranks or eccentrics	11/0666	. . . {Sealing means between the socket and the inner member shaft}
3/30	. . . with arrangements for overcoming dead-centres	11/0671	. . . . {allowing operative relative movement of joint parts due to flexing of the sealing means}
5/00	Crossheads; Constructions of connecting-rod heads or piston-rod connections rigid with crossheads (piston-rods, i.e. rods rigidly connected to the piston, F16J 7/00)	11/0676	. . . . {allowing operational relative movement of joint parts due to sliding between parts of the sealing means}
7/00	Connecting-rods or like links pivoted at both ends (coupling-rods for locomotive driving-wheels B61C 17/10); Construction of connecting-rod heads (heads rigid with crossheads F16C 5/00)	11/068	. . . {Special features relating to lubrication}
7/02	. Constructions of connecting-rods with constant length	11/0685	. . . {Manufacture of ball-joints and parts thereof, e.g. assembly of ball-joints}
7/023	. . {for piston engines, pumps or the like}	11/069	. . . . {with at least one separate part to retain the ball member in the socket; Quick-release systems}
7/026	. . {made of fibre reinforced resin}		
7/04	. with elastic intermediate part of fluid cushion		
7/06	. Adjustable connecting-rods		
7/08	. made from sheet metal		

11/0695	. . . {Mounting of ball-joints, e.g. fixing them to a connecting rod}	17/03	. . with tiltably-supported segments, e.g. Michell bearings {(hydrostatic bearings with tiltably supported bearing pads F16C 32/0666 ; made from a plurality of rods F16C 33/26 ; with flexible leaves F16C 17/024 ; hydrodynamic bearings with chambers F16C 33/1075)}
11/08	. . . with resilient bearings	17/035	. . . {the segments being integrally formed with, or rigidly fixed to, a support-element}
11/083	. . . . {by means of parts of rubber or like materials}	17/04	. for axial load only
11/086	. . . . . {with an elastomeric member in the blind end of a socket}	17/042	. . {with flexible leaves to create hydrodynamic wedge, e.g. axial foil bearings}
11/10	. . Arrangements for locking	17/045	. . {with grooves in the bearing surface to generate hydrodynamic pressure, e.g. spiral groove thrust bearings}
11/103	. . . {frictionally clamped}	17/047	. . {with fixed wedges to generate hydrodynamic pressure}
11/106	. . . . {for ball joints}	17/06	. . with tiltably-supported segments, e.g. Michell bearings {(with flexible leaves F16C 17/042 ; hydrostatic F16C 32/0666)}
11/12	. . incorporating flexible connections, e.g. leaf springs	17/065	. . . {the segments being integrally formed with, or rigidly fixed to, a support-element}
13/00	Rolls, drums, discs, or the like (guide rollers in feeding webs B65H 27/00 ; calender rolls, bearings therefor D21G 1/02 ; rotary drums or rollers for heat-exchange or heat-transfer apparatus F28F 5/02 ; special adaptations, see the relevant classes); Bearings or mountings therefor	17/08	. . for supporting the end face of a shaft or other member, e.g. footstep bearings
13/003	. {Bowed or curved rolls (rollers with a bowed axis as tentering devices for tensioning, smoothing or guiding webs B65H 23/0258)}	17/10	. for both radial and axial load
13/006	. {Guiding rollers, wheels or the like, formed by or on the outer element of a single bearing or bearing unit, e.g. two adjacent bearings, whose ratio of length to diameter is generally less than one}	17/102	. . {with grooves in the bearing surface to generate hydrodynamic pressure}
13/02	. Bearings	17/105	. . . {with at least one bearing surface providing angular contact, e.g. conical or spherical bearing surfaces}
13/022	. . {supporting a hollow roll mantle rotating with respect to a yoke or axle}	17/107	. . . {with at least one surface for radial load and at least one surface for axial load}
13/024	. . . {adjustable for positioning, e.g. radial movable bearings for controlling the deflection along the length of the roll mantle}	17/12	. characterised by features not related to the direction of the load
13/026	. . . . {by fluid pressure}	17/14	. . specially adapted for operating in water
13/028	. . . . . {with a plurality of supports along the length of the roll mantle, e.g. hydraulic jacks}	17/18	. . with floating brasses or brushing, rotatable at a reduced speed {(F16C 17/03 , F16C 17/06 take precedence)}
13/04	. . Bearings with only partial enclosure of the member to be borne; Bearings with local support at two or more points	17/20	. . with emergency supports or bearings
13/06	. . self-adjusting	17/22	. . with arrangements compensating for thermal expansion
15/00	Construction of rotary bodies to resist centrifugal force (flywheels, correction weights F16F 15/30 , F16F 15/32)	17/24	. . with devices affected by abnormal or undesired positions, e.g. for preventing overheating, for safety
Bearings for rotary parts (F16C 9/00 , F16C 13/02 take precedence; allowing for linear movement also F16C 31/00)		17/243	. . . {related to temperature and heat, e.g. for preventing overheating}
17/00	Sliding-contact bearings for exclusively rotary movement (F16C 32/06 takes precedence; adjustable bearings F16C 23/00 , F16C 25/00)	17/246	. . . {related to wear, e.g. sensors for measuring wear}
17/02	. for radial load only	17/26	. Systems consisting of a plurality of sliding-contact bearings
17/022	. . {with a pair of essentially semicircular bearing sleeves}	19/00	Bearings with rolling contact, for exclusively rotary movement (adjustable bearings F16C 23/00 , F16C 25/00 ; electrically insulating bearings H02K 5/173)
17/024	. . {with flexible leaves to create hydrodynamic wedge, e.g. radial foil bearings}	19/02	. with bearing balls essentially of the same size in one or more circular rows
17/026	. . {with helical grooves in the bearing surface to generate hydrodynamic pressure, e.g. herringbone grooves}	19/04	. . for radial load mainly
17/028	. . {with fixed wedges to generate hydrodynamic pressure, e.g. multi-lobe bearings}	19/06	. . . with a single row or balls
		19/08	. . . with two or more rows of balls
		19/10	. . for axial load mainly
		19/12	. . . for supporting the end face of a shaft or other member, e.g. footstep bearings
		19/14	. . for both radial and axial load
		19/16	. . . with a single row of balls

19/163	. . . . {with angular contact}	19/502	. . {with rolling elements in rows not forming a full circle}
19/166	. . . . . {Four-point-contact ball bearings}	19/505	. . {with the diameter of the rolling elements of one row differing from the diameter of those of another row}
19/18	. . . with two or more rows of balls	19/507	. . {with rolling elements journaled in one of the moving parts, e.g. stationary rollers to support a rotating part}
19/181	. . . . {with angular contact}	19/52	. with devices affected by abnormal or undesired conditions
19/182	. . . . . {in tandem arrangement}	19/522	. . {related to load on the bearing, e.g. bearings with load sensors or means to protect the bearing against overload}
19/183	. . . . . {with two rows at opposite angles}	19/525	. . {related to temperature and heat, e.g. insulation}
19/184	. . . . . {in O-arrangement}	19/527	. . {related to vibration and noise}
19/185	. . . . . {with two raceways provided integrally on a part other than a race ring, e.g. a shaft or housing}	19/54	. Systems consisting of a plurality of bearings with rolling friction (spindle bearings F16C 35/08)
19/186	. . . . . {with three raceways provided integrally on parts other than race rings, e.g. third generation hubs}	19/541	. . {Systems consisting of juxtaposed rolling bearings including at least one angular contact bearing}
19/187	. . . . . {with all four raceways integrated on parts other than race rings, e.g. fourth generation hubs}	19/542	. . . {with two rolling bearings with angular contact}
19/188	. . . . {with at least one row for radial load in combination with at least one row for axial load}	19/543	. . . . {in O-arrangement}
19/20	. . with loose spacing bodies, e.g. balls, between the bearing balls	19/545	. . {Systems comprising at least one rolling bearing for radial load in combination with at least one rolling bearing for axial load}
19/22	. with bearing rollers essentially of the same size in one or more circular rows, e.g. needle bearings	19/546	. . {Systems with spaced apart rolling bearings including at least one angular contact bearing}
19/225	. . {Details of the ribs supporting the end of the rollers}	19/547	. . . {with two angular contact rolling bearings}
19/24	. . for radial load mainly	19/548	. . . . {in O-arrangement}
19/26	. . . with a single row of rollers	19/55	. . with intermediate floating {or independently-driven} rings rotating at reduced speed {or with other differential ball or roller bearings}
19/28	. . . with two or more rows of rollers	19/56	. . in which the rolling bodies of one bearing differ in diameter from those of another
19/30	. . for axial load mainly	21/00	Combinations of sliding-contact bearings with ball or roller bearings, for exclusively rotary movement (F16C 17/24, F16C 19/52 take precedence)
19/305	. . . {consisting of rollers held in a cage}	21/005	. {the external zone of a bearing with rolling members, e.g. needles, being cup-shaped, with or without a separate thrust-bearing disc or ring, e.g. for universal joints (seals F16C 33/72 , F16D 3/38)}
19/32	. . . for supporting the end face of a shaft or other member, e.g. footstep bearings	23/00	Bearings for exclusively rotary movement adjustable for aligning or positioning (F16C 27/00 takes precedence; hydrostatic bearings F16C 32/067)
19/34	. . for both radial and axial load	23/02	. Sliding-contact bearings
19/36	. . . with a single row of rollers	23/04	. . self-adjusting
19/361	. . . . {with cylindrical rollers}	23/041	. . . {with edge relief}
19/362	. . . . . {the rollers being crossed within the single row}	23/043	. . . {with spherical surfaces, e.g. spherical plain bearings}
19/364	. . . . {with tapered rollers, i.e. rollers having essentially the shape of a truncated cone}	23/045	. . . . {for radial load mainly, e.g. radial spherical plain bearings}
19/38	. . . with two or more rows of rollers	23/046	. . . . . {with split outer rings}
19/381	. . . . {with at least one row for radial load in combination with at least one row for axial load}	23/048	. . . . . {for axial load mainly}
19/383	. . . . {with tapered rollers, i.e. rollers having essentially the shape of a truncated cone}	23/06	. Ball or roller bearings
19/385	. . . . . {with two rows, i.e. double-row tapered roller bearings}	23/08	. . self-adjusting
19/386	. . . . . {in O-arrangement}	23/082	. . . {by means of at least one substantially spherical surface}
19/388	. . . . . {with four rows, i.e. four row tapered roller bearings}	23/084	. . . . {sliding on a complementary spherical surface}
19/40	. . with loose spacing bodies between the rollers	23/086	. . . . {forming a track for rolling elements}
19/44	. . Needle bearings	23/088	. . . {by means of crowning}
19/46	. . . with one row or needles		
19/463	. . . . {consisting of needle rollers held in a cage, i.e. subunit without race rings}		
19/466	. . . . {comprising needle rollers and an outer ring, i.e. subunit without inner ring}		
19/48	. . . with two or more rows of needles		
19/49	. Bearings with both balls and rollers		
19/492	. . {with two or more rows with angular contact}		
19/495	. . . {with two rows}		
19/497	. . . . {in O-arrangement}		
19/50	. Other types of ball or roller bearings		

23/10	• Bearings, parts of which are eccentrically adjustable with respect to each other	29/0602	• • • {Details of the bearing body or carriage or parts thereof, e.g. methods for manufacturing or assembly}
25/00	Bearings for exclusively rotary movement adjustable for wear or play (F16C 27/00 takes precedence)	29/0604	• • • • {of the load bearing section}
25/02	• Sliding-contact bearings	29/0607	• • • • • {of parts or members for retaining the rolling elements, i.e. members to prevent the rolling elements from falling out of the bearing body or carriage}
25/04	• • self-adjusting	29/0609	• • • • • {of the ends of the bearing body or carriage where the rolling elements change direction, e.g. end caps}
25/045	• • • {with magnetic means to preload the bearing}	29/0611	• • • • • {of the return passages, i.e. the passages where the rolling elements do not carry load}
25/06	• Ball or roller bearings	29/0614	• • • • {with a shoe type bearing body, e.g. a body facing one side of the guide rail or track only}
25/08	• • self-adjusting	29/0616	• • • • • {for supporting load essentially in a single direction}
25/083	• • • {with resilient means acting axially on a race ring to preload the bearing}	29/0619	• • • • • {with rollers or needles}
25/086	• • • {with magnetic means to preload the bearing}	29/0621	• • • • • {for supporting load in essentially two directions, e.g. by multiple points of contact or two rows of rolling elements}
27/00	Elastic or yielding bearings or bearing supports, for exclusively rotary movement (shock-damping bearings for watches or clocks G04B 31/02)	29/0623	• • • • • {with balls}
27/02	• Sliding-contact bearings	29/0626	• • • • • {with rollers}
27/04	• Ball or roller bearings, e.g. with resilient rolling bodies	29/0628	• • • • • {crossed within a row}
27/045	• • {with a fluid film, e.g. squeeze film damping}	29/063	• • • {with a bearing body, e.g. a carriage or part thereof, provided between the legs of a U-shaped guide rail or track}
27/06	• by means of parts of rubber or like materials (F16C 27/08 takes precedence; with sliding surfaces of rubber or synthetic rubber F16C 33/22)	29/0633	• • • {with a bearing body defining a U-shaped carriage, i.e. surrounding a guide rail or track on three sides}
27/063	• • {Sliding contact bearings}	29/0635	• • • • • {whereby the return paths are provided as bores in a main body of the U-shaped carriage, e.g. the main body of the U-shaped carriage is a single part with end caps provided at each end}
27/066	• • {Ball or roller bearings}	29/0638	• • • • • {with balls}
27/08	• primarily for axial load, e.g. for vertically-arranged shafts	29/064	• • • • • {with two rows of balls, one on each side of the rail}
Other bearings {(for bridges E01D 19/04)}		29/0642	• • • • • {with four rows of balls}
29/00	Bearings for parts moving only linearly (F16C 32/06 takes precedence; incorporated in flexible shafts F16C 1/28 {; parts of bearings in general and special methods for making bearings or parts thereof in general F16C 33/00})	29/0645	• • • • • {with load directions in O-arrangement}
29/001	• {adjustable for alignment or positioning}	29/0647	• • • • • {with load directions in X-arrangement}
29/002	• {Elastic or yielding linear bearings or bearing supports}	29/065	• • • • • {with rollers}
29/004	• {Fixing of a carriage or rail, e.g. rigid mounting to a support structure or a movable part}	29/0652	• • • • • {whereby the return paths are at least partly defined by separate parts, e.g. covers attached to the legs of the main body of the U-shaped carriage}
29/005	• {Guide rails or tracks for a linear bearing, i.e. adapted for movement of a carriage or bearing body there along}	29/0654	• • • • • {with balls}
29/007	• {Hybrid linear bearings, i.e. including more than one bearing type, e.g. sliding contact bearings as well as rolling contact bearings}	29/0657	• • • • • {with two rows of balls, one on each side of the rail}
29/008	• {Systems with a plurality of bearings, e.g. four carriages supporting a slide on two parallel rails}	29/0659	• • • • • {with four rows of balls}
29/02	• Sliding-contact bearings	29/0661	• • • • • {with load directions in O-arrangement}
29/025	• • {Hydrostatic or aerostatic (this type of bearing for rotary parts F16C 32/06)}	29/0664	• • • • • {with load directions in X-arrangement}
29/04	• Ball or roller bearings	29/0666	• • • • • {with rollers}
29/041	• • {having rollers crossed within a row}	29/0669	• • • • • {whereby the main body of the U-shaped carriage is an assembly of at least three major parts, e.g. an assembly of a top plate with two separate legs attached thereto in the form of bearing shoes (bearing shoes per se F16C 29/0614)}
29/043	• • {with two massive rectangular rails having facing grooves}	29/0671	• • • • • {with balls}
29/045	• • {having rolling elements journaled in one of the moving parts}		
29/046	• • • {with balls journaled in pockets}		
29/048	• • {with thin walled races, e.g. tracks of sheet metal}		
29/06	• • in which the rolling bodies circulate partly without carrying load		

29/0673	. . . . . {with rollers}	32/0408	. . . . {Passive magnetic bearings}
29/0676	. . . {with a bearing body or carriage almost fully embracing the guide rail or track, e.g. a circular sleeve with a longitudinal slot for the support posts of the rail}	32/041	. . . . {with permanent magnets on one part attracting the other part}
29/0678	. . . {with a bearing body, i.e. the body carrying the circulating rolling elements, provided in the interior of a sleeve-like guide member defining the opposing raceways, e.g. in a telescopic shaft (telescopic shafts with built-in bearings F16C 3/035 ; yielding coupling allowing axial displacement by rolling elements F16D 3/065)}	32/0412	. . . . . {for radial load mainly}
29/068	. . . {with the bearing body fully encircling the guide rail or track}	32/0414	. . . . . {with facing axial projections}
29/0683	. . . . {the bearing body encircles a rail or rod of circular cross-section, i.e. the linear bearing is not suited to transmit torque}	32/0417	. . . . . {for axial load mainly}
29/0685	. . . . . {with balls}	32/0419	. . . . . {with facing radial projections}
29/0688	. . . . . {whereby a sleeve surrounds the circulating balls and thicker part of the sleeve form the load bearing tracks}	32/0421	. . . . . {for both radial and axial load}
29/069	. . . . . {whereby discrete load bearing elements, e.g. discrete load bearing plates or discrete rods, are provided in a retainer and form the load bearing tracks}	32/0423	. . . . . {with permanent magnets on both parts repelling each other}
29/0692	. . . . {the bearing body encircles a guide rail or track of non-circular cross-section, e.g. with grooves or protrusions, i.e. the linear bearing is suited to transmit torque (telescopic shafts with built-in bearings F16C 3/035 ; yielding coupling allowing axial displacement by rolling elements F16D 3/065)}	32/0425	. . . . . {for radial load mainly}
29/0695	. . . . . {with balls}	32/0427	. . . . . {for axial load mainly}
29/0697	. . . . . {with polygonal guide rail or track}	32/0429	. . . . . {for both radial and axial load, e.g. conical magnets}
29/08	. Arrangements for covering or protecting the ways {(protective coverings for parts of machine tools B23Q 11/08)}	32/0431	. . . . . {with bearings for axial load combined with bearings for radial load}
29/082	. . {fixed to the way}	32/0434	. . . . . {for parts moving linearly}
29/084	. . {fixed to the carriage or bearing body movable along the guide rail or track}	32/0436	. . . . {with a conductor on one part movable with respect to a magnetic field, e.g. a body of copper on one part and a permanent magnet on the other part}
29/086	. . . {Seals being essentially U-shaped, e.g. for a U-shaped carriage}	32/0438	. . . . . {with a superconducting body, e.g. a body made of high temperature superconducting material such as YBaCuO}
29/088	. . . {Seals extending in the longitudinal direction of the carriage or bearing body}	32/044	. . . {Active magnetic bearings}
29/10	. Arrangements for locking the bearings	32/0442	. . . . {with devices affected by abnormal, undesired or non-standard conditions such as shock-load, power outage, start-up or touchdown}
29/12	. Arrangements for adjusting play	32/0444	. . . . {Details of devices to control the actuation of the electromagnets}
29/123	. . {using elastic means}	32/0446	. . . . . {Determination of the actual position of the moving member, e.g. details of sensors}
29/126	. . {using tapered surfaces or wedges}	32/0448	. . . . . {by using the electromagnet itself as sensor, e.g. sensorless magnetic bearings}
31/00	Bearings for parts which both rotate and move linearly	32/0451	. . . . . {Details of controllers, i.e. the units determining the power to be supplied, e.g. comparing elements, feedback arrangements with P.I.D. control}
31/02	. Sliding-contact bearings	32/0453	. . . . . {for controlling two axes, i.e. combined control of x-axis and y-axis}
31/04	. Ball or roller bearings	32/0455	. . . . . {including digital signal processing [DSP] and analog/digital conversion [A/D, D/A]}
31/06	. . in which the rolling bodies circulate partly without carrying load	32/0457	. . . . . {Details of the power supply to the electromagnets}
32/00	Bearings not otherwise provided for	32/0459	. . . . {Details of the magnetic circuit}
32/02	. Knife-edge bearings	32/0461	. . . . . {of stationary parts of the magnetic circuit}
32/04	. using magnetic or electric supporting means	32/0463	. . . . . {with electromagnetic bias, e.g. by extra bias windings}
32/0402	. . {combined with other supporting means, e.g. hybrid bearings with both magnetic and fluid supporting means}	32/0465	. . . . . {with permanent magnets provided in the magnetic circuit of the electromagnets}
32/0404	. . {Electrostatic bearings}	32/0468	. . . . . {of moving parts of the magnetic circuit, e.g. of the rotor}
32/0406	. . {Magnetic bearings}	32/047	. . . . {Details of housings; Mounting of active magnetic bearings}
		32/0472	. . . . {for linear movement}
		32/0474	. . . . {for rotary movement}
		32/0476	. . . . . {with active support of one degree of freedom, e.g. axial magnetic bearings}

32/0478	. . . . . {with permanent magnets to support radial load}
32/048	. . . . . {with active support of two degrees of freedom, e.g. radial magnetic bearings}
32/0482	. . . . . {with three electromagnets to control the two degrees of freedom}
32/0485	. . . . . {with active support of three degrees of freedom}
32/0487	. . . . . {with active support of four degrees of freedom}
32/0489	. . . . . {with active support of five degrees of freedom, e.g. two radial magnetic bearings combined with an axial bearing}
32/0491	. . . . . {with electromagnets acting in axial and radial direction, e.g. with conical magnets}
32/0493	. . . . . {integrated in an electrodynamic machine, e.g. self-bearing motor}
32/0495	. . . . . {generating torque and axial force}
32/0497	. . . . . {generating torque and radial force}
32/06	. with moving member supported by a fluid cushion formed, at least to a large extent, otherwise than by movement of the shaft, e.g. hydrostatic air-cushion bearings
32/0603	. . {supported by a gas cushion, e.g. an air cushion}
32/0607	. . {the gas being retained in a gap, e.g. squeeze film bearings}
32/0611	. . . . {by means of vibrations}
32/0614	. . . {the gas being supplied under pressure, e.g. aerostatic bearings}
32/0618	. . . . {via porous material}
32/0622	. . . . {via nozzles, restrictors}
32/0625	. . . . {via supply slits}
32/0629	. . {supported by a liquid cushion, e.g. oil cushion}
32/0633	. . . {the liquid being retained in a gap}
32/0637	. . . . {by a magnetic field, e.g. ferrofluid bearings}
32/064	. . . {the liquid being supplied under pressure}
32/0644	. . . . {Details of devices to control the supply of liquids to the bearings}
32/0648	. . . . . {by sensors or pressure-responsive control devices in or near the bearings}
32/0651	. . . . . {Details of the bearing area <u>per se</u> }
32/0655	. . . . . {of supply openings}
32/0659	. . . . . {of pockets or grooves}
32/0662	. . {Details of hydrostatic bearings independent of fluid supply or direction of load}
32/0666	. . . {of bearing pads}
32/067	. . . {of bearings adjustable for aligning, positioning, wear or play}
32/0674	. . . . {by means of pre-load on the fluid bearings}
32/0677	. . . {of elastic or yielding bearings or bearing supports}
32/0681	. . {Construction or mounting aspects of hydrostatic bearings, for exclusively rotary movement, related to the direction of load}
32/0685	. . . {for radial load only}
32/0688	. . . . {with floating bearing elements}
32/0692	. . . {for axial load only}
32/0696	. . . {for both radial and axial load}

Details or accessories of bearings

33/00	Parts of bearings; Special methods for making bearings or parts thereof (metal-working or like operations, see the relevant classes)
33/02	. Parts of sliding-contact bearings
33/04	. . Brasses; Bushes; Linings
33/043	. . . {Sliding surface consisting mainly of ceramics, cermets or hard carbon, e.g. diamond like carbon [DLC]}
33/046	. . . {divided or split, e.g. half-bearings or rolled sleeves}
33/06	. . . Sliding surface mainly made of metal (F16C 33/24 - F16C 33/28 take precedence; {casting metal bearing surfaces B22D 15/02, B22D 19/08})
33/08	. . . . Attachment of brasses, bushes or linings to the bearing housing
33/10	. . . . Construction relative to lubrication ({lubrication in general F16N})
33/1005	. . . . . {with gas, e.g. air, as lubricant}
33/101	. . . . . {Details of the bearing surface, e.g. means to generate pressure such as lobes or wedges}
33/1015	. . . . . {Pressure generating grooves}
33/102	. . . . . {with grease as lubricant}
33/1025	. . . . . {with liquid, e.g. oil, as lubricant}
33/103	. . . . . {retained in or near the bearing}
33/1035	. . . . . {by a magnetic field acting on a magnetic liquid}
33/104	. . . . . {in a porous body, e.g. oil impregnated sintered sleeve}
33/1045	. . . . . {Details of supply of the liquid to the bearing}
33/105	. . . . . {Conditioning, e.g. metering, cooling, filtering}
33/1055	. . . . . {from radial inside, e.g. via a passage through the shaft and/or inner sleeve}
33/106	. . . . . {Details of distribution or circulation inside the bearings, e.g. details of the bearing surfaces to affect flow or pressure of the liquid}
33/1065	. . . . . {Grooves on a bearing surface for distributing or collecting the liquid}
33/107	. . . . . {Grooves for generating pressure}
33/1075	. . . . . {Wedges, e.g. ramps or lobes, for generating pressure}
33/108	. . . . . {with a plurality of elements forming the bearing surfaces, e.g. bearing pads}
33/1085	. . . . . {Channels or passages to recirculate the liquid in the bearing}
33/109	. . . . . {Lubricant compositions or properties, e.g. viscosity}
33/1095	. . . . . {with solids as lubricant, e.g. dry coatings, powder}
33/12	. . . . Structural composition; Use of special materials or surface treatments, e.g. for rust-proofing
33/121	. . . . . {Use of special materials}
33/122	. . . . . {Multilayer structures of sleeves, washers or liners}
33/124	. . . . . {Details of overlays}

33/125	. . . . . {Details of bearing layers, i.e. the lining}	33/3843	. . . . . {formed as one-piece cages, i.e. monoblock cages}
33/127	. . . . . {Details of intermediate layers, e.g. nickel dams}	33/385	. . . . . {made from metal, e.g. cast or machined window cages}
33/128	. . . . . {Porous bearings, e.g. bushes of sintered alloy}	33/3856	. . . . . {made from plastic, e.g. injection moulded window cages}
33/14	. . . . . Special methods of manufacture; Running-in	33/3862	. . . . . {comprising two annular parts joined together}
33/145	. . . . . {of sintered porous bearings}	33/3868	. . . . . {made from metal, e.g. two cast parts joined by rivets}
33/16	. . . Sliding surface consisting mainly of graphite	33/3875	. . . . . {made from plastic, e.g. two injection moulded parts joined by a snap fit}
33/18	. . . Sliding surface consisting mainly of wood or fibrous material	33/3881	. . . . . {with more than three parts, e.g. two end rings connected by individual stays}
33/20	. . . Sliding surface consisting mainly of plastics (F16C 33/22 - F16C 33/28 take precedence)	33/3887	. . . {Details of individual pockets, e.g. shape or ball retaining means}
33/201	. . . . . {Composition of the plastic}	33/3893	. . . {with rolling elements with smaller diameter than the load carrying balls, e.g. cages with counter-rotating spacers}
33/203	. . . . . {Multilayer structures, e.g. sleeves comprising a plastic lining}	33/40	. . . for multiple rows of balls
33/205	. . . . . {with two layers}	33/405	. . . . . {with two or more juxtaposed cages joined together or interacting with each other}
33/206	. . . . . {with three layers}	33/41	. . . comb-shaped
33/208	. . . . . {Methods of manufacture, e.g. shaping, applying coatings}	33/412	. . . . . {Massive or moulded comb cages, e.g. snap ball cages}
33/22	. . . Sliding surface consisting mainly of rubber or synthetic rubber (F16C 33/24 - F16C 33/28 take precedence)	33/414	. . . . . {formed as one-piece cages, i.e. monoblock comb cages}
33/24	. . . with different areas of the sliding surface consisting of different materials	33/416	. . . . . {made from plastic, e.g. injection moulded comb cages}
33/26	. . . made from wire coils; made from a number of discs, rings, rods, or other members	33/418	. . . . . {Details of individual pockets, e.g. shape or ball retaining means}
33/28	. . . with embedded reinforcements shaped as frames or meshed materials	33/42	. . . made from wire or sheet metal strips (F16C 33/40, F16C 33/41 take precedence)
33/30	. Parts of ball or roller bearings	33/422	. . . . . {made from sheet metal}
33/303	. . {of hybrid bearings, e.g. rolling bearings with steel races and ceramic rolling elements}	33/425	. . . . . {from a single part, e.g. ribbon cages with one corrugated annular part}
33/306	. . {Means to synchronise movements}	33/427	. . . . . {from two parts, e.g. ribbon cages with two corrugated annular parts}
33/32	. . Balls	33/44	. . . Selection of substances (F16C 33/40, F16C 33/41 take precedence)
33/34	. . Rollers; Needles	33/445	. . . . . {Coatings}
33/36	. . . with bearing-surfaces other than cylindrical, e.g. tapered; with grooves in the bearing surfaces	33/46	. . Cages for rollers or needles
33/363	. . . . . {with grooves in the bearing-surfaces}	33/4605	. . . {Details of interaction of cage and race, e.g. retention or centring}
33/366	. . . . . {Tapered rollers, i.e. rollers generally shaped as truncated cones}	33/4611	. . . {with hybrid structure, i.e. with parts made of distinct materials}
33/37	. . Loose spacing bodies	33/4617	. . . {Massive or moulded cages having cage pockets surrounding the rollers, e.g. machined window cages}
33/3706	. . . {with concave surfaces conforming to the shape of the rolling elements, e.g. the spacing bodies are in sliding contact with the rolling elements}	33/4623	. . . . . {formed as one-piece cages, i.e. monoblock cages}
33/3713	. . . {with other rolling elements serving as spacing bodies, e.g. the spacing bodies are in rolling contact with the load carrying rolling elements}	33/4629	. . . . . {made from metal, e.g. cast or machined window cages}
33/372	. . . rigid	33/4635	. . . . . {made from plastic, e.g. injection moulded window cages}
33/374	. . . resilient	33/4641	. . . . . {comprising two annular parts joined together}
33/38	. . Ball cages	33/4647	. . . . . {made from metal, e.g. two cast parts joined by rivets}
33/3806	. . . {Details of interaction of cage and race, e.g. retention, centring}	33/4652	. . . . . {made from plastic, e.g. two injection moulded parts joined by a snap fit}
33/3812	. . . {formed of interconnected segments, e.g. chains}	33/4658	. . . . . {comprising three annular parts, i.e. three piece roller cages}
33/3818	. . . {formed of unconnected segments}		
33/3825	. . . {formed as a flexible belt, e.g. spacers connected by a thin film}		
33/3831	. . . {with hybrid structure, i.e. with parts made of distinct materials}		
33/3837	. . . {Massive or moulded cages having cage pockets surrounding the balls, e.g. machined window cages}		

33/4664	. . . . {with more than three parts, e.g. two end rings connected by individual stays}	33/565	. . . . {Coatings}
33/467	. . . {Details of individual pockets, e.g. shape or roller retaining means}	33/58	. . Raceways; Race rings
33/4676	. . . . {of the stays separating adjacent cage pockets, e.g. guide means for the bearing-surface of the rollers}	33/581	. . . {integral with other parts, e.g. with housings or machine elements such as shafts or gear wheels}
33/4682	. . . . {of the end walls, e.g. interaction with the end faces of the rollers}	33/583	. . . {Details of specific parts of races}
33/4688	. . . {with rolling elements with smaller diameter than the load carrying rollers, e.g. cages with counter-rotating spacers}	33/585	. . . . {of raceways, e.g. ribs to guide the rollers}
33/4694	. . . {Single-split roller or needle cages}	33/586	. . . . {outside the space between the races, e.g. end faces or bore of inner ring}
33/48	. . . for multiple rows of rollers or needles	33/588	. . . {Races of sheet metal}
33/485	. . . . {with two or more juxtaposed cages joined together or interacting with each other}	33/60	. . . divided {or split, e.g. comprising two juxtaposed rings}
33/49	. . . comb-shaped	33/605	. . . . {with a separate retaining member, e.g. flange, shoulder, guide ring, secured to a race ring, adjacent to the race surface, so as to abut the end of the rolling elements, e.g. rollers, or the cage}
33/491	. . . . {applied as pairs for retaining both ends of the rollers or needles}	33/61	. . . . formed by wires
33/492	. . . . . {joined by rods}	33/62	. . . Selection of substances
33/494	. . . . {Massive or moulded comb cages}	33/64	. . . Special methods of manufacture
33/495	. . . . . {formed as one piece cages, i.e. monoblock comb cages}	33/66	. . Special parts or details in view of lubrication
33/497	. . . . . {made from metal, e.g. cast or machined comb cages}	33/6603	. . . {with grease as lubricant}
33/498	. . . . . {made from plastic, e.g. injection moulded comb cages}	33/6607	. . . . {Retaining the grease in or near the bearing}
33/50	. . . formed of interconnected members, e.g. chains	33/6611	. . . . . {in a porous or resinous body, e.g. a cage impregnated with the grease}
33/502	. . . . {formed of arcuate segments retaining one or more rollers or needles}	33/6614	. . . . . {in recesses or cavities provided in retainers, races or rolling elements}
33/504	. . . . . {with two segments, e.g. two semicircular cage parts}	33/6618	. . . . . {in a reservoir in the sealing means}
33/506	. . . . {formed as a flexible belt}	33/6622	. . . . {Details of supply and/or removal of the grease, e.g. purging grease}
33/508	. . . . {formed of links having an H-shape, i.e. links with a single stay placed between two rollers and with two end portions extending along the end faces of the two rollers}	33/6625	. . . . . {Controlling or conditioning the grease supply}
33/51	. . . formed of unconnected members	33/6629	. . . . {Details of distribution or circulation inside the bearing, e.g. grooves on the cage or passages in the rolling elements}
33/513	. . . . {formed of arcuate segments for carrying one or more rollers}	33/6633	. . . . {Grease properties or compositions, e.g. rheological properties}
33/516	. . . . . {with two segments, e.g. double-split cages with two semicircular parts}	33/6637	. . . {with liquid lubricant}
33/52	. . . with no part entering between, or touching, the bearing surfaces of the rollers (F16C 33/50 takes precedence)	33/664	. . . . {Retaining the liquid in or near the bearing}
33/523	. . . . {with pins extending into holes or bores on the axis of the rollers}	33/6644	. . . . . {by a magnetic field acting on a magnetic liquid}
33/526	. . . . . {extending through the rollers and joining two lateral cage parts}	33/6648	. . . . . {in a porous or resinous body, e.g. a cage impregnated with the liquid}
33/54	. . . made from wire, strips, or sheet metal (F16C 33/48 , F16C 33/49 take precedence)	33/6651	. . . . . {in recesses or cavities provided in retainers, races or rolling elements}
33/541	. . . . {Details of individual pockets, e.g. shape or roller retaining means}	33/6655	. . . . . {in a reservoir in the sealing means}
33/542	. . . . {made from sheet metal}	33/6659	. . . . {Details of supply of the liquid to the bearing, e.g. passages or nozzles}
33/543	. . . . . {from a single part}	33/6662	. . . . . {the liquid being carried by air or other gases, e.g. mist lubrication}
33/545	. . . . . {rolled from a band}	33/6666	. . . . . {from an oil bath in the bearing housing, e.g. by an oil ring or centrifugal disc}
33/546	. . . . . {with a M- or W-shaped cross section}	33/667	. . . . . {related to conditioning, e.g. cooling, filtering}
33/547	. . . . . {from two parts, e.g. two discs or rings joined together}	33/6674	. . . . . {related to the amount supplied, e.g. gaps to restrict flow of the liquid}
33/548	. . . . . {with more than three parts, e.g. two end rings connected by a plurality of stays or pins}	33/6677	. . . . . {from radial inside, e.g. via a passage through the shaft and/or inner ring}
33/56	. . . Selection of substances (F16C 33/48 , F16C 33/49 take precedence)	33/6681	. . . . {Details of distribution or circulation inside the bearing, e.g. grooves on the cage or passages in the rolling elements}
		33/6685	. . . . {Details of collecting or draining, e.g. returning the liquid to a sump}

33/6688	. . . . {Lubricant compositions or properties, e.g. viscosity}	33/7873	. . . . . {with a single sealing ring of generally L-shaped cross-section}
33/6692	. . . . . {Liquids other than oil, e.g. water, refrigerants, liquid metal}	33/7876	. . . . . {with sealing lips}
33/6696	. . . {with solids as lubricant, e.g. dry coatings, powder}	33/7879	. . . . . {with a further sealing ring}
33/72	. Sealings	33/7883	. . . . . {mounted to the inner race and of generally L-shape, the two sealing rings defining a sealing with box-shaped cross-section}
33/723	. . {Shaft end sealing means, e.g. cup-shaped caps or covers}	33/7886	. . . . {mounted outside the gap between the inner and outer races, e.g. sealing rings mounted to an end face or outer surface of a race}
33/726	. . {with means to vent the interior of the bearing}	33/7889	. . . . {mounted to an inner race and extending toward the outer race}
33/74	. . of sliding-contact bearings	33/7893	. . . . {mounted to a cage or integral therewith}
33/741	. . . {by means of a fluid}	33/7896	. . . . {with two or more discrete sealings arranged in series}
33/743	. . . . {retained in the sealing gap}	33/80	. . . Labyrinth sealings (F16C 33/761 takes precedence)
33/745	. . . . . {by capillary action}	33/805	. . . . {in addition to other sealings, e.g. dirt guards to protect sealings with sealing lips}
33/746	. . . . . {by a magnetic field}	33/82	. . . Arrangements for electrostatic or magnetic action against dust or other particles
33/748	. . . . {flowing to or from the sealing gap, e.g. vacuum seals with differential exhaust}		
33/76	. . of ball or roller bearings	35/00	Rigid support of bearing units; Housings, e.g. caps, covers (F16C 23/00 takes precedence)
33/761	. . . {specifically for bearings with purely axial load}	35/02	. in the case of sliding-contact bearings
33/762	. . . {by means of a fluid}	35/04	. in the case of ball or roller bearings
33/763	. . . . {retained in the sealing gap}	35/042	. . {Housings for rolling element bearings for rotary movement}
33/765	. . . . . {by a magnetic field}	35/045	. . . {with a radial flange to mount the housing}
33/766	. . . . . {by pumping action}	35/047	. . . {with a base plate substantially parallel to the axis of rotation, e.g. horizontally mounted pillow blocks}
33/767	. . . {integral with the race}	35/06	. . Mounting {or dismounting} of ball or roller bearings; Fixing them onto shaft or in housing
33/768	. . . {between relatively stationary parts, i.e. static seals}	35/061	. . . {mounting a plurality of bearings side by side}
33/78	. . . with a diaphragm, disc, or ring, with or without resilient members (F16C 33/761 takes precedence)	35/062	. . . {Dismounting of ball or roller bearings}
33/7803	. . . . {suited for particular types of rolling bearings}	35/063	. . . Fixing them on the shaft (with interposition of an element F16C 35/07)
33/7806	. . . . . {for spherical roller bearings}	35/0635	. . . . {the bore of the inner ring being of special non-cylindrical shape which co-operates with a complementary shape on the shaft, e.g. teeth, polygonal sections}
33/7809	. . . . . {for needle roller bearings}	35/067	. . . Fixing them in a housing (with interposition of an element F16C 35/07)
33/7813	. . . . . {for tapered roller bearings}	35/07	. . . Fixing them on the shaft or housing with interposition of an element
33/7816	. . . . {Details of the sealing or parts thereof, e.g. geometry, material}	35/073	. . . . between shaft and inner race ring
33/782	. . . . . {of the sealing region}	35/077	. . . . between housing and outer race ring
33/7823	. . . . . {of sealing lips}	35/078	. . . using pressure fluid as mounting aid
33/7826	. . . . . {of the opposing surface cooperating with the seal, e.g. a shoulder surface of a bearing ring}	35/08	. for spindles
33/783	. . . . . {of the mounting region}	35/10	. . with sliding-contact bearings
33/7833	. . . . . {Special methods of manufacture}	35/12	. . with ball or roller bearings (adjustable bearings F16C 23/00 , F16C 25/00 ; elastic bearings F16C 27/00)
33/7836	. . . . {floating with respect to both races}		
33/784	. . . . {mounted to a groove in the inner surface of the outer race and extending toward the inner race}	37/00	Cooling of bearings
33/7843	. . . . . {with a single annular sealing disc}	37/002	. {of fluid bearings}
33/7846	. . . . . {with a gap between the annular disc and the inner race}	37/005	. {of magnetic bearings}
33/785	. . . . . {Bearing shields made of sheet metal}	37/007	. {of rolling bearings}
33/7853	. . . . . {with one or more sealing lips to contact the inner race}		
33/7856	. . . . . {with a single sealing lip}	39/00	Relieving load on bearings
33/7859	. . . . . {with a further sealing element}	39/02	. using mechanical means
33/7863	. . . . . {mounted to the inner race, e.g. a flinger to use centrifugal effect}	39/04	. using hydraulic or pneumatic means
33/7866	. . . . . {with sealing lips}	39/06	. using magnetic means
33/7869	. . . . {mounted with a cylindrical portion to the inner surface of the outer race and having a radial portion extending inward}		

39/063	. . {Permanent magnets}	2202/70	. Anti-bacterial, anti-microbial
39/066	. . . {with opposing permanent magnets repelling each other}	2204/00	Metallic materials; Alloys (alloys in general C22C; F16C 2206/00 takes precedence)
41/00	Other accessories, {e.g. devices integrated in the bearing not relating to the bearing function as such}	2204/02	. Noble metals
41/001	. {Integrated brakes or clutches for stopping or coupling the relatively movable parts}	2204/04	. . based on silver
41/002	. {Conductive elements, e.g. to prevent static electricity}	2204/10	. Alloys based on copper
41/004	. {Electro-dynamic machines, e.g. motors, generators, actuators}	2204/12	. . with tin as the next major constituent
41/005	. {Fluid passages not relating to lubrication or cooling}	2204/14	. . with zinc as the next major constituent
41/007	. {Encoders, e.g. parts with a plurality of alternating magnetic poles}	2204/16	. . with lead as the next major constituent
41/008	. {Identification means, e.g. markings, RFID-tags; Data transfer means}	2204/18	. . with bismuth as the next major constituent
41/02	. Arrangements for equalising the load on a plurality of bearings or their elements	2204/20	. Alloys based on aluminium
41/04	. Preventing damage to bearings during storage or transport thereof or when otherwise out of use	2204/22	. . with tin as the next major constituent
41/045	. . {Devices for provisionally retaining needles or rollers in a bearing race before mounting of the bearing on a shaft}	2204/24	. . with lead as the next major constituent
43/00	Assembling bearings	2204/26	. Alloys based on magnesium
43/02	. Assembling sliding-contact bearings	2204/30	. Alloys based on one of tin, lead, antimony, bismuth, indium, e.g. materials for providing sliding surfaces
43/04	. Assembling rolling-contact bearings	2204/32	. . Alloys based on lead
43/045	. . {Mounting or replacing seals}	2204/34	. . Alloys based on tin
43/06	. . Placing rolling bodies in cages or bearings	2204/36	. . Alloys based on bismuth
43/065	. . . {in cages}	2204/40	. Alloys based on refractory metals
43/08	. . . by deforming the cages or the races	2204/42	. . Alloys based on titanium
43/083	. . . . {by plastic deformation of the cage}	2204/44	. . Alloys based on chromium
43/086	. . . . {by plastic deformation of the race}	2204/46	. . Alloys based on molybdenum
2202/00	Solid materials defined by their properties	2204/50	. Alloys based on zinc
2202/02	. Mechanical properties	2204/52	. Alloys based on nickel, e.g. Inconel
2202/04	. . Hardness	2204/60	. Ferrous alloys, e.g. steel alloys
2202/06	. . Strength or rigidity	2204/62	. . Low carbon steel, i.e. carbon content below 0.4 wt%
2202/08	. . Resilience, elasticity, super-elasticity	2204/64	. . Medium carbon steel, i.e. carbon content from 0.4 to 0.8 wt%
2202/10	. . Porosity	2204/66	. . High carbon steel, i.e. carbon content above 0.8 wt%, e.g. through-hardenable steel
2202/20	. Thermal properties	2204/70	. . with chromium as the next major constituent
2202/22	. . Coefficient of expansion	2204/72	. . . with nickel as further constituent, e.g. stainless steel
2202/24	. . Insulating	2204/74	. . with manganese as the next major constituent
2202/28	. . Shape memory material	2204/80	. Amorphous alloys
2202/30	. Electric properties; Magnetic properties	2206/00	Materials with ceramics, cermets, hard carbon or similar non-metallic hard materials as main constituents
2202/32	. . Conductivity	2206/02	. Carbon based material
2202/34	. . . Super-conductivity	2206/04	. . Diamond like carbon [DLC]
2202/36	. . Piezo-electric	2206/06	. . Composite carbon material, e.g. carbon fibre reinforced carbon (C/C)
2202/40	. . Magnetic (magnetic material in general H01F 1/00)	2206/40	. Ceramics, e.g. carbides, nitrides, oxides, borides of a metal
2202/42	. . . soft-magnetic, ferromagnetic	2206/42	. . based on ceramic oxides
2202/44	. . . hard-magnetic, permanent magnetic, e.g. samarium-cobalt	2206/44	. . . based on aluminium oxide (Al ₂ O ₃)
2202/50	. Lubricating properties	2206/48	. . . based on zirconia (ZrO ₂)
2202/52	. . Graphite	2206/56	. . based on ceramic carbides, e.g. silicon carbide (SiC)
2202/54	. . Molybdenum disulfide	2206/58	. . based on ceramic nitrides
2202/60	. Oil repelling	2206/60	. . . Silicon nitride (Si ₃ N ₄)
2202/64	. Water absorbing	2206/80	. Cermets, i.e. composites of ceramics and metal (in general C22C 29/00)
2202/66	. Water repelling	2206/82	. . based on tungsten carbide [WC]
		2208/00	Plastics; Synthetic resins, e.g. rubbers
		2208/02	. comprising fillers, fibres
		2208/04	. . Glass fibres
		2208/10	. Elastomers; Rubbers
		2208/12	. . Polyurethan [PU]

2208/14	. . Silicone rubber	2220/24	. by built-up welding (in general B23K 9/04)
2208/20	. Thermoplastic resins	2220/28	. by winding impregnated fibres (in general B29C 70/00)
2208/22	. . comprising two or more thermoplastics	2220/40	. by deformation without removing material
2208/30	. . Fluoropolymers (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/42	. . by working of thin walled material such as sheet or tube (in general B21D)
2208/32	. . . Polytetrafluorethylene [PTFE] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/44	. . by rolling (in general B21H)
2208/34	. . . Polyvinylidene fluoride [PVDF] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/46	. . by forging (in general B21J)
2208/36	. . Polyarylene ether ketones [PAEK], e.g. PEK, PEEK (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/48	. . by extrusion, e.g. of metallic profiles (in general B21C 23/00)
2208/40	. . Imides, e.g. polyimide [PI], polyetherimide [PEI] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/60	. by removing material, e.g. machining
2208/42	. . . Polyamideimide [PAI] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/62	. . by turning, boring, drilling (in general B23B)
2208/44	. . . Polybenzimidazole [PBI] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/66	. . by milling (in general B23C)
2208/48	. . Liquid crystal polymers [LCP] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/68	. . by electrical discharge or electrochemical machining (in general B23H)
2208/52	. . Polyphenylene sulphide [PPS] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/70	. . by grinding (in general B24B)
2208/54	. . Polysulphones, e.g. polysulphone [PSU], polyethersulphone [PES], polyethersulphone-block copolymer [PPSU] (F16C 2208/58 takes precedence)	2220/80	. by separating parts, e.g. by severing, cracking
2208/58	. . Several materials as provided for in F16C 2208/30 - F16C 2208/54 mentioned as option	2220/82	. . by cutting (in general B26D)
2208/60	. . Polyamides [PA]	2220/84	. . by perforating; by punching; by stamping-out (in general B26F)
2208/62	. . . high performance polyamides, e.g. PA12, PA46	2223/00	Surface treatments; Hardening; Coating
2208/66	. . Acetals, e.g. polyoxymethylene [POM]	2223/02	. Mechanical treatment, e.g. finishing
2208/70	. . Polyesters, e.g. polyethylene-terephthlate [PET], polybutylene-terephthlate [PBT]	2223/04	. . by sizing, by shaping to final size by small plastic deformation, e.g. by calibrating or coining (in general B23P 9/00)
2208/72	. . Acrylics, e.g. polymethylmethacrylate [PMMA]	2223/06	. . polishing (in general B24B 29/00, B24B 31/00)
2208/76	. . Polyolefins, e.g. polypropylene [PP]	2223/08	. . shot-peening, blasting (in general B24C)
2208/78	. . . Polyethylene [PE], e.g. ultra-high molecular weight polyethylene [UHMWPE]	2223/10	. Hardening, e.g. carburizing, carbo-nitriding (in general C21D, C23C 8/00)
2208/80	. Thermosetting resins	2223/12	. . with carburizing
2208/82	. . Composites, i.e. fibre reinforced thermosetting resins	2223/14	. . with nitriding
2208/86	. . Epoxy resins	2223/16	. . with carbo-nitriding
2208/90	. . Phenolic resin	2223/18	. . with induction hardening
2210/00	Fluids	2223/30	. Coating surfaces (in general B05C, C23C)
2210/02	. defined by their properties	2223/32	. . by attaching pre-existing layers, e.g. resin sheets or foils by adhesion to a substrate; Laminating (in general B32B)
2210/04	. . by viscosity	2223/40	. . by dipping in molten material (in general C23C 2/00)
2210/06	. . magnetic fluids	2223/42	. . by spraying the coating material, e.g. plasma spraying (in general C23C 4/00)
2210/08	. molten metals	2223/44	. . by casting molten material on the substrate (in general C23C 6/00)
2210/10	. water based	2223/46	. . by welding, e.g. by using a laser to build a layer (in general B23K 9/04)
2212/00	Natural materials, i.e. based on animal or plant products such as leather, wood or cotton or extracted therefrom, e.g. lignin	2223/60	. . by vapour deposition, e.g. PVD, CVD (in general C23C 14/00)
2212/04	. Wood	2223/70	. . by electroplating or electrolytic coating, e.g. anodising, galvanising (in general C25D)
2212/08	. Woven, unwoven fabrics, e.g. felt	2223/80	. . by powder coating (in general B22F 7/00)
2220/00	Shaping	2226/00	Joining parts; Fastening; Assembling or mounting parts (fasteners, securing, joints in general F16B)
2220/02	. by casting (in general B22D ; for plastics B29C 39/00)	2226/10	. Force connections, e.g. clamping (shrinkage connections, force fits, friction grips in general F16B 4/00, for rigidly connecting coaxial parts F16D 1/00)
2220/04	. . by injection-moulding (of plastics in general B29C 45/00)	2226/12	. . by press-fit, e.g. plug-in
2220/06	. . in-situ casting or moulding	2226/14	. . by shrink fit, i.e. heating and shrinking part to allow assembly (for metal parts in general B23P 11/02)
2220/08	. . by compression-moulding	2226/16	. . by wedge action, e.g. by tapered or conical parts
2220/20	. by sintering pulverised material, e.g. powder metallurgy (in general B22F)		

2226/18	. . by magnets, i.e. magnetic attraction to hold parts together	2240/84	. . . . with full complement of balls or rollers, i.e. sum of clearances less than diameter of one rolling element
2226/30	. Material joints (in general B23K)	2240/90	. Surface areas
2226/32	. . by soldering	2240/94	. Volume
2226/34	. . . by brazing		
2226/36	. . by welding	2300/00	Application independent of particular apparatuses
2226/38	. . . with ultrasonic welding	2300/02	. General use or purpose, i.e. no use, purpose, special adaptation or modification indicated or a wide variety of uses mentioned
2226/40	. . with adhesive		
2226/50	. Positive connections	2300/10	. related to size
2226/52	. . with plastic deformation, e.g. caulking or staking	2300/12	. . Small applications, e.g. miniature bearings
2226/54	. . . with rivets (in general F16B 19/00)	2300/14	. . Large applications, e.g. bearings having an inner diameter exceeding 500 mm
2226/60	. . with threaded parts, e.g. bolt and nut connections (in general F16B 23/00 - F16B 43/00)	2300/20	. related to type of movement
2226/62	. . with pins, bolts or dowels	2300/22	. . High-speed rotation
2226/70	. . with complementary interlocking parts	2300/28	. . Reciprocating movement
2226/72	. . . with bayonet joints, i.e. parts are rotated to create positive interlock	2300/30	. related to direction with respect to gravity
2226/74	. . . with snap-fit, e.g. by clips	2300/32	. . Horizontal, e.g. bearings for supporting a horizontal shaft
2226/76	. . . with tongue and groove or key and slot	2300/34	. . Vertical, e.g. bearings for supporting a vertical shaft
2226/78	. . . . of jigsaw-puzzle type	2300/40	. related to environment, i.e. operating conditions
2226/80	. . with splines, serrations or similar profiles to prevent movement between joined parts	2300/42	. . corrosive, i.e. with aggressive media or harsh conditions
2229/00	Setting preload	2300/52	. . low temperature, e.g. cryogenic temperature
2231/00	Running-in; Initial operation	2300/54	. . high-temperature
2233/00	Monitoring condition, e.g. temperature, load, vibration	2300/62	. . low pressure, e.g. elements operating under vacuum conditions
2235/00	Cleaning	2300/64	. . high pressure, e.g. elements exposed to high pressure gases or fluids
2237/00	Repair or replacement	2310/00	Agricultural machines (in general A01)
2240/00	Specified values or numerical ranges of parameters; Relations between them (properties of materials F16C 2202/00)	2314/00	Personal or domestic articles, e.g. household appliances such as washing machines, dryers (in general A41 - A47)
2240/02	. Flow, e.g. volume flow or mass flow	2314/70	. Furniture
2240/06	. Temperature	2314/72	. . Drawers
2240/08	. Time	2314/73	. . Chairs
2240/12	. Force, load, stress, pressure	2316/00	Apparatus in health or amusement (in general A61 - A63)
2240/14	. . Preload	2316/10	. in medical appliances, e.g. in diagnosis, dentistry, instruments, prostheses, medical imaging appliances
2240/18	. . Stress	2316/13	. . Dental machines
2240/22	. . Fluid pressure	2316/18	. . Pumps for pumping blood
2240/26	. Speed, e.g. rotational speed	2316/30	. Articles for sports, games and amusement, e.g. roller skates, toys
2240/30	. Angles, e.g. inclinations	2320/00	Apparatus used in separating or mixing (in general B01 - B09)
2240/34	. . Contact angles	2320/16	. Mixing apparatus
2240/40	. Linear dimensions, e.g. length, radius, thickness, gap	2320/23	. Milling apparatus (in general B02C)
2240/42	. . Groove sizes	2320/42	. Centrifuges (in general B04B)
2240/44	. . Hole or pocket sizes	2322/00	Apparatus used in shaping articles (in general B21 - B32)
2240/46	. . Gap sizes or clearances	2322/12	. Rolling apparatus, e.g. rolling stands, rolls
2240/48	. . Particle sizes	2322/14	. Stamping, deep-drawing or punching, e.g. die sets
2240/50	. . Crowning, e.g. crowning height or crowning radius	2322/34	. Sawing machines (in general B23D)
2240/54	. . Surface roughness	2322/39	. General build up of machine tools, e.g. spindles, slides, actuators (in general B23Q)
2240/56	. . Tolerances; Accuracy of linear dimensions	2322/50	. Hand tools, workshop equipment or manipulators (in general B25)
2240/60	. . Thickness, e.g. thickness of coatings		
2240/64	. . . in the nanometer range		
2240/70	. . Diameters; Radii		
2240/76	. . . Osculation, i.e. relation between radii of balls and raceway groove		
2240/80	. . . Pitch circle diameters [PCD]		
2240/82	. . . . Degree of filling, i.e. sum of diameters of rolling elements in relation to PCD		

- 2322/59 . . Manipulators, e.g. robot arms ([in general B25J](#))
- 2324/00 Apparatus used in printing ([in general B41 - B44](#))**
- 2324/16 . Printing machines ([in general B41F](#))
- 2326/00 Articles relating to transporting ([in general B60 - B68](#))**
- 2326/01 . Parts of vehicles in general ([engines F16C 2360/00](#))
- 2326/02 . . Wheel hubs or castors ([in general B60B](#))
- 2326/05 . . Vehicle suspensions, e.g. bearings, pivots or connecting rods used therein ([in general B60G](#))
- 2326/06 . . Drive shafts ([in general B60K](#))
- 2326/08 . . Vehicle seats, e.g. in linear movable seats ([in general B60N](#))
- 2326/09 . . Windscreen wipers, e.g. pivots therefore ([in general B60S](#))
- 2326/10 . Railway vehicles ([in general B61](#))
- 2326/20 . Land vehicles ([in general B62](#))
- 2326/24 . . Steering systems, e.g. steering rods or columns ([in general B62D](#))
- 2326/26 . . Bicycle steering or suspension ([in general B62K](#))
- 2326/28 . . Bicycle propulsion, e.g. crankshaft and its support ([in general B62M](#))
- 2326/30 . Ships, e.g. propelling shafts and bearings therefor ([in general B63H](#))
- 2326/43 . Aeroplanes; Helicopters ([in general B64C](#))
- 2326/47 . Cosmonautic vehicles, i.e. bearings adapted for use in outer-space ([in general B64G](#))
- 2326/58 . Conveyor systems, e.g. rollers or bearings therefor ([in general B65G](#))
- 2340/00 Apparatus for treating textiles ([in general D01 - D07](#))**
- 2340/18 . Apparatus for spinning or twisting ([in general D01H](#))
- 2340/24 . Godet rolls ([in general D02](#))
- 2350/00 Machines or articles related to building ([in general E01 - E06](#))**
- 2350/26 . Excavators ([in general E02F](#))
- 2350/52 . Locks, e.g. cables to actuate door locks ([in general E05B](#))
- 2350/54 . Hinges, e.g. sliding bearings for hinges ([in general E05D](#))
- 2352/00 Apparatus for drilling ([in general E21](#))**
- 2360/00 Engines or pumps ([in general F01 - F04](#))**
- 2360/18 . Camshafts ([in general F01L](#))
- 2360/22 . Internal combustion engines ([in general F02B](#))
- 2360/23 . Gas turbine engines ([in general F02C](#))
- 2360/24 . . Turbochargers ([in general F02C 6/12](#))
- 2360/31 . Wind motors ([in general F03D](#))
- 2360/42 . Pumps with cylinders or pistons ([in general F04B](#))
- 2360/43 . Screw compressors ([in general F04C](#))
- 2360/44 . Centrifugal pumps ([in general F04D](#))
- 2360/45 . . Turbo-molecular pumps ([in general F04D 19/04](#))
- 2360/46 . Fans, e.g. ventilators
- 2361/00 Apparatus or articles in engineering in general ([F15 - F17](#))**
- 2361/31 . Axle
- 2361/41 . Couplings ([in general F16D 3/00](#))
- 2361/43 . Clutches, e.g. disengaging bearing ([in general F16D 11/00 - F16D 47/00](#))
- 2361/45 . Brakes ([in general B60T, F16D 49/00 - F16D 65/00](#))
- 2361/53 . Spring-damper, e.g. gas springs ([in general F16F 9/00](#))
- 2361/55 . Flywheel systems ([in general F16F 15/00](#))
- 2361/61 . Toothed gear systems, e.g. support of pinion shafts ([in general F16H 57/02](#))
- 2361/63 . Gears with belts and pulleys
- 2361/65 . Gear shifting, change speed gear, gear box
- 2361/71 . Chains ([in general F16G](#))
- 2361/91 . Valves
- 2362/00 Apparatus for lighting or heating ([in general F21 - F28](#))**
- 2362/40 . Ovens or other heatings ([in general F24](#))
- 2362/52 . Compressors of refrigerators, e.g. air-conditioners ([in general F25](#))
- 2370/00 Apparatus relating to physics, e.g. instruments ([in general G01 - G12](#))**
- 2370/12 . Hard disk drives or the like
- 2370/20 . Optical, e.g. movable lenses or mirrors; Spectacles ([in general G02](#))
- 2370/22 . . Polygon mirror
- 2370/38 . Electrographic apparatus ([in general G03G](#))
- 2380/00 Electrical apparatus ([in general H01 - H05](#))**
- 2380/16 . X-ray tubes ([in general H01J 35/00](#))
- 2380/18 . Handling tools for semiconductor devices
- 2380/26 . Dynamo-electric machines or combinations therewith, e.g. electro-motors and generators ([in general H02K](#))
- 2380/27 . . Motor coupled with a gear, e.g. worm gears
- 2380/28 . . Motor, generator coupled with a flywheel