

CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

H ELECTRICITY

(NOTE omitted)

H02 GENERATION; CONVERSION OR DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC POWER

H02M APPARATUS FOR CONVERSION BETWEEN AC AND AC, BETWEEN AC AND DC, OR BETWEEN DC AND DC, AND FOR USE WITH MAINS OR SIMILAR POWER SUPPLY SYSTEMS; CONVERSION OF DC OR AC INPUT POWER INTO SURGE OUTPUT POWER; CONTROL OR REGULATION THEREOF (transformers [H01F](#); dynamo-electric converters [H02K 47/00](#); controlling transformers, reactors or choke coils, control or regulation of electric motors, generators or dynamo-electric converters [H02P](#))

NOTES

1. This subclass covers only circuits or apparatus for the conversion of electric power, or arrangements for control or regulation of such circuits or apparatus. The electrotechnical elements employed are dealt within the appropriate subclasses, e.g. inductors, transformers [H01F](#), capacitors, electrolytic rectifiers [H01G](#), mercury rectifying or other discharge tubes [H01J](#), semiconductor devices [H01L](#), impedance networks or resonant circuit not primarily concerned with the transfer of electric power [H03H](#).
2. In this subclass, the following term is used with the meaning indicated:
 - "conversion", in respect of an electric variable, e.g. voltage or current, means the change of one or more of the parameters of the variable, e.g. amplitude, frequency, phase, polarity.

WARNINGS

1. The following IPC groups are not in the CPC scheme. The subject matter for these IPC groups is classified in the following CPC groups:

H02M 9/00	covered by	H03K 3/53
H02M 9/02	covered by	H03K 3/53
H02M 9/04	covered by	H03K 3/53
H02M 9/06	covered by	H03K 3/53
2. In this subclass non-limiting references (in the sense of paragraph 39 of the Guide to the IPC) may still be displayed in the scheme.

1/00 Details of apparatus for conversion

WARNING

Group [H02M 1/00](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 1/0043](#).

Groups [H02M 1/00](#) and [H02M 1/0043](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 1/0003 . {Details of control, feedback or regulation circuits}
- 1/0006 . . {Arrangements for supplying an adequate voltage to the control circuit of converters}
- 1/0009 . . {Devices or circuits for detecting current in a converter}
- 1/0012 . . {Control circuits using digital or numerical techniques (in DC/DC converters [H02M 3/157](#), [H02M 3/33515](#); in DC-AC converters [H02M 7/53873](#))}
- 1/0016 . . {Control circuits providing compensation of output voltage deviations using feedforward of disturbance parameters}
- 1/0019 . . . {the disturbance parameters being load current fluctuations}
- 1/0022 . . . {the disturbance parameters being input voltage fluctuations}

- 1/0025 . . {Arrangements for modifying reference values, feedback values or error values in the control loop of a converter}
- 1/0029 . . {Circuits or arrangements for limiting the slope of switching signals, e.g. slew rate}
- 1/0032 . . {Control circuits allowing low power mode operation, e.g. in standby mode}
- 1/0035 . . . {using burst mode control}
- 1/0038 . . {Circuits or arrangements for suppressing, e.g. by masking incorrect turn-on or turn-off signals, e.g. due to current spikes in current mode control}
- 1/0041 . . {Control circuits in which a clock signal is selectively enabled or disabled}
- 1/0043 . {Converters switched with a phase shift, i.e. interleaved (non-isolated DC/DC converters [H02M 3/1586](#))}

WARNING

Group [H02M 1/0043](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups [H02M 1/00](#) and [H02M 7/493](#).

Groups [H02M 1/00](#), [H02M 7/493](#) and [H02M 1/0043](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 1/0045 . {Converters combining the concepts of switch-mode regulation and linear regulation, e.g. linear pre-regulator to switching converter, linear and switching converter in parallel, same converter or same transistor operating either in linear or switching mode}
- 1/0048 . {Circuits or arrangements for reducing losses (using snubbers [H02M 1/34](#))}
- 1/0051 . . {Diode reverse recovery losses}
- 1/0054 . . {Transistor switching losses (periodically suspending operation of switching converter in low power mode [H02M 1/0035](#))}
- 1/0058 . . . {by employing soft switching techniques, i.e. commutation of transistors when applied voltage is zero or when current flow is zero (using an auxiliary actively switched resonant commutation circuit connected to an intermediate DC voltage or between two push-pull branches of an inverter bridge [H02M 7/4811](#); in resonant inverters [H02M 7/4815](#); in inverters operating from a resonant DC source [H02M 7/4826](#))}
- 1/0061 . {using discharge tubes}
- 1/0064 . {Magnetic structures combining different functions, e.g. storage, filtering or transformation}
- 1/0067 . {Converter structures employing plural converter units, other than for parallel operation of the units on a single load}
- 1/007 . . {Plural converter units in cascade (push-pull DC/DC converters with pre-regulator [H02M 3/3374](#); DC-AC converters following a DC-DC stage including a high frequency transformer [H02M 7/4807](#); DC-AC converters following a DC-DC conversion stage generating periodically varying voltages [H02M 7/4826](#))}
- 1/0074 . . {Plural converter units whose inputs are connected in series}
- 1/0077 . . {Plural converter units whose outputs are connected in series}
- 1/008 . . {Plural converter units for generating at two or more independent and non-parallel outputs, e.g. systems with plural point of load switching regulators}
- 1/0083 . {Converters characterised by their input or output configuration}
- WARNING**
- Group [H02M 1/0083](#) is impacted by reclassification into groups [H02M 1/0085](#) and [H02M 1/0095](#).
- Groups [H02M 1/0083](#), [H02M 1/0085](#) and [H02M 1/0095](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
- 1/0085 . . {Partially controlled bridges}
- WARNING**
- Group [H02M 1/0085](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups [H02M 1/0083](#), [H02M 1/4225](#) and [H02M 1/4233](#).
- All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
- 1/0087 . . {adapted for receiving as input a current source}
- 1/009 . . {having two or more independently controlled outputs (for DC-DC converter with intermediate AC [H02M 3/33561](#))}
- 1/0093 . . {wherein the output is created by adding a regulated voltage to or subtracting it from an unregulated input}
- 1/0095 . {Hybrid converter topologies, e.g. NPC mixed with flying capacitor, thyristor converter mixed with MMC or charge pump mixed with buck}
- WARNING**
- Group [H02M 1/0095](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group [H02M 1/0083](#).
- Groups [H02M 1/0083](#) and [H02M 1/0095](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
- 1/0096 . {Means for increasing hold-up time, i.e. the duration of time that a converter's output will remain within regulated limits following a loss of input power}
- 1/02 . Circuits specially adapted for the generation of grid-control or igniter-control voltages for discharge tubes incorporated in static converters
- 1/04 . . for tubes with grid control
- 1/042 . . . {wherein the phase of the control voltage is adjustable with reference to the AC voltage}
- 1/045 {for multiphase systems}
- 1/047 {for ignition at the zero-crossing of voltage or current}
- 1/06 . Circuits specially adapted for rendering non-conductive gas discharge tubes or equivalent semiconductor devices, e.g. thyratrons, thyristors
- 1/065 . . {for discharge tubes}
- 1/08 . Circuits specially adapted for the generation of control voltages for semiconductor devices incorporated in static converters
- 1/081 . . {wherein the phase of the control voltage is adjustable with reference to the AC source}
- 1/082 . . . {with digital control}
- 1/083 . . {for the ignition at the zero crossing of the voltage or the current}
- 1/084 . . using a control circuit common to several phases of a multi-phase system
- 1/0845 . . . {digitally controlled (or with digital control)}
- 1/088 . . for the simultaneous control of series or parallel connected semiconductor devices
- 1/092 . . . the control signals being transmitted optically
- 1/096 . . . the power supply of the control circuit being connected in parallel to the main switching element ([H02M 1/092](#) takes precedence)
- 1/10 . Arrangements incorporating converting means for enabling loads to be operated at will from different kinds of power supplies, e.g. from ac or dc
- 1/12 . Arrangements for reducing harmonics from ac input or output
- 1/123 . . {Suppression of common mode voltage or current}
- 1/126 . . {using passive filters}
- 1/14 . Arrangements for reducing ripples from dc input or output
- 1/143 . . {using compensating arrangements (for reducing noise from the supply in transmission systems [H04B 15/005](#))}
- 1/146 . . {using discharge tubes}

- 1/15 . . . using active elements
- 1/16 . Means for providing current step on switching, e.g. with saturable reactor
- 1/20 . Contact mechanisms of dynamic converters
- 1/22 . . incorporating collectors and brushes
- 1/24 . . incorporating rolling or tumbling contacts
- 1/26 . . incorporating cam-operated contacts
- 1/28 . . incorporating electromagnetically-operated vibrating contacts
- 1/30 . . incorporating liquid contacts
- 1/32 . Means for protecting converters other than automatic disconnection
- 1/322 . . {Means for rapidly discharging a capacitor of the converter for protecting electrical components or for preventing electrical shock}
- 1/325 . . {with means for allowing continuous operation despite a fault, i.e. fault tolerant converters}
- 1/327 . . {against abnormal temperatures}
- 1/34 . . Snubber circuits
- 1/342 . . . {Active non-dissipative snubbers}
- 1/344 . . . {Active dissipative snubbers}
- 1/346 . . . {Passive non-dissipative snubbers}
- 1/348 . . . {Passive dissipative snubbers}
- 1/36 . Means for starting or stopping converters
- 1/38 . Means for preventing simultaneous conduction of switches
- 1/385 . . {with means for correcting output voltage deviations introduced by the dead time}
- 1/40 . Means for preventing magnetic saturation
- 1/42 . Circuits or arrangements for compensating for or adjusting power factor in converters or inverters
- 1/4208 . . {Arrangements for improving power factor of AC input}
- 1/4216 . . . {operating from a three-phase input voltage (H02M 1/4233 takes precedence)}
- 1/4225 . . . {using a non-isolated boost converter}

WARNING

Group [H02M 1/4225](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 1/0085](#). Groups [H02M 1/4225](#) and [H02M 1/0085](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 1/4233 . . . {using a bridge converter comprising active switches}

WARNING

Group [H02M 1/4233](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 1/0085](#). Groups [H02M 1/4233](#) and [H02M 1/0085](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 1/4241 . . . {using a resonant converter}
- 1/425 . . . {using a single converter stage both for correction of AC input power factor and generation of a high frequency AC output voltage}
- 1/4258 . . . {using a single converter stage both for correction of AC input power factor and generation of a regulated and galvanically isolated DC output voltage (H02M 1/4241 takes precedence)}
- 1/4266 . . . {using passive elements}

- 1/4275 . . . {by adding an auxiliary output voltage in series to the input}
- 1/4283 . . . {by adding a controlled rectifier in parallel to a first rectifier feeding a smoothing capacitor}
- 1/4291 . . . {by using a Buck converter to switch the input current}
- 1/44 . Circuits or arrangements for compensating for electromagnetic interference in converters or inverters

3/00 Conversion of dc power input into dc power output**WARNING**

Group [H02M 3/00](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 3/003](#).

Groups [H02M 3/00](#) and [H02M 3/003](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 3/003 . {Constructional details, e.g. physical layout, assembly, wiring or busbar connections}

WARNING

Group [H02M 3/003](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group [H02M 3/00](#).

Groups [H02M 3/00](#) and [H02M 3/003](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 3/005 . {using Cuk converters}
- 3/01 . {Resonant DC/DC converters}

WARNING

Groups [H02M 3/01](#) and [H02M 3/015](#) are incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups [H02M 3/33569](#) and [H02M 3/337](#).

All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 3/015 . . {with means for adaptation of resonance frequency, e.g. by modification of capacitance or inductance of resonance circuit}
- 3/02 . without intermediate conversion into ac
- 3/04 . . by static converters
- 3/06 . . . using resistors or capacitors, e.g. potential divider
- 3/07 using capacitors charged and discharged alternately by semiconductor devices with control electrode {, e.g. charge pumps}
- 3/071 {adapted to generate a negative voltage output from a positive voltage source}
- 3/072 {adapted to generate an output voltage whose value is lower than the input voltage}
- 3/073 {Charge pumps of the Schenkel-type}
- 3/075 {including a plurality of stages and two sets of clock signals, one set for the odd and one set for the even numbered stages}
- 3/076 {the clock signals being boosted to a value being higher than the input voltage value}
- 3/077 {with parallel connected charge pump stages}

- 3/078 {with means for reducing the back bias effect, i.e. the effect which causes the threshold voltage of transistors to increase as more stages are added to the converters}
- 3/08 . . . using discharge tubes without control electrode or semiconductor devices without control electrode
- 3/10 . . . using discharge tubes with control electrode or semiconductor devices with control electrode ([H02M 3/07 takes precedence](#))
- 3/125 using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means
- 3/13 using discharge tubes only
- 3/135 using semiconductor devices only
- 3/137 with automatic control of output voltage or current, e.g. switching regulators
- 3/139 with digital control
- 3/142 including plural semiconductor devices as final control devices for a single load
- 3/145 using devices of a triode or transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal
- 3/15 using discharge tubes only
- 3/155 using semiconductor devices only
- 3/1552 {Boost converters exploiting the leakage inductance of a transformer or of an alternator as boost inductor}
- 3/1555 {for the generation of a regulated current to a load whose impedance is substantially inductive}
- 3/1557 {Single ended primary inductor converters [SEPIC]}
- 3/156 with automatic control of output voltage or current, e.g. switching regulators
- 3/1563 {without using an external clock ([H02M 3/158 takes precedence](#))}
- 3/1566 {with means for compensating against rapid load changes, e.g. with auxiliary current source, with dual mode control or with inductance variation}
- 3/157 with digital control
- 3/158 including plural semiconductor devices as final control devices for a single load
- 3/1582 {Buck-boost converters ([H02M 3/1584 takes precedence](#))}
- 3/1584 {with a plurality of power processing stages connected in parallel}
- 3/1586 {switched with a phase shift, i.e. interleaved}
- 3/1588 {comprising at least one synchronous rectifier element ([H02M 3/1582](#), [H02M 3/1584 take precedence](#))}
- 3/16 . . by dynamic converters
- 3/18 . . . using capacitors or batteries which are alternately charged and discharged, e.g. charged in parallel and discharged in series
- 3/20 . . by combination of static with dynamic converters; by combination of dynamo-electric with other dynamic or static converters
- 3/22 . with intermediate conversion into ac
- 3/24 . . by static converters
- 3/26 . . . using discharge tubes without control electrode or semiconductor devices without control electrode to produce the intermediate ac
- 3/28 . . . using discharge tubes with control electrode or semiconductor devices with control electrode to produce the intermediate ac
- 3/285 {Single converters with a plurality of output stages connected in parallel (parallel operation of a plurality of converters in dc distribution networks [H02J 1/10](#))}
- 3/305 using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means
- 3/31 using discharge tubes only
- 3/315 using semiconductor devices only
- 3/3155 {with automatic control of the output voltage or current}
- 3/325 using devices of a triode or a transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal
- 3/33 using discharge tubes only
- 3/335 using semiconductor devices only
- 3/33507 {with automatic control of the output voltage or current, e.g. flyback converters ([H02M 3/33561](#), [H02M 3/33569 take precedence](#))}
- 3/33515 {with digital control}
- 3/33523 {with galvanic isolation between input and output of both the power stage and the feedback loop}
- 3/3353 {having at least two simultaneously operating switches on the input side, e.g. "double forward" or "double (switched) flyback" converter}
- 3/33538 {of the forward type ([H02M 3/3353](#), [H02M 3/33569 take precedence](#))}
- 3/33546 {with automatic control of the output voltage or current ([H02M 3/33561 takes precedence](#))}
- 3/33553 {with galvanic isolation between input and output of both the power stage and the feedback loop}
- 3/33561 {having more than one output with independent control}
- 3/33569 {having several active switching elements ([H02M 3/3353 takes precedence](#))}

WARNING

Group [H02M 3/33569](#) is impacted by reclassification into groups [H02M 3/33571](#), [H02M 3/33573](#), [H02M 3/01](#) and [H02M 3/015](#).

All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

3/33571 {Half-bridge at primary side of an isolation transformer}

WARNING

Group [H02M 3/33571](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups [H02M 3/33569](#) and [H02M 3/337](#).

Groups [H02M 3/33569](#), [H02M 3/337](#) and [H02M 3/33571](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

3/33573 {Full-bridge at primary side of an isolation transformer}

WARNING

Group [H02M 3/33573](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups [H02M 3/33569](#) and [H02M 3/337](#).

Groups [H02M 3/33569](#), [H02M 3/337](#) and [H02M 3/33573](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

3/33576 {having at least one active switching element at the secondary side of an isolation transformer}

3/33584 {Bidirectional converters}

3/33592 {having a synchronous rectifier circuit or a synchronous freewheeling circuit at the secondary side of an isolation transformer}

3/337 in push-pull configuration
{[H02M 3/33576](#) takes precedence;
with self-oscillating arrangements
[H02M 3/3382](#), [H02M 3/3385](#)}

WARNING

Group [H02M 3/337](#) is impacted by reclassification into groups [H02M 3/33571](#), [H02M 3/33573](#), [H02M 3/01](#) and [H02M 3/015](#).

All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

3/3372 {of the parallel type}

3/3374 {with preregulator, e.g. current injected push-pull}

3/3376 {with automatic control of output voltage or current}

3/3378 {in a push-pull configuration of the parallel type ([H02M 3/3374](#) takes precedence)}

3/338 in a self-oscillating arrangement
([H02M 3/337](#) takes precedence)

3/3381 {using a single commutation path}

3/3382 {in a push-pull circuit arrangement}

3/3384 {of the parallel type}

3/3385 {with automatic control of output voltage or current ([H02M 3/33561](#) takes precedence)}

3/3387 {in a push-pull configuration}

3/3388 {of the parallel type}

3/34 . . . by dynamic converters

3/36 . . . using mechanical parts to select progressively or to vary continuously the input potential

3/38 . . . using mechanical contact-making and -breaking parts to interrupt a single potential

3/40 . . . wherein the parts are rotating and collectors co-operate with brushes or rollers

3/42 . . . with electromagnetically-operated vibrating contacts, e.g. chopper

3/44 . . by combination of static with dynamic converters;
by combination of dynamo-electric with other
dynamic or static converters

5/00 Conversion of ac power input into ac power output, e.g. for change of voltage, for change of frequency, for change of number of phases

5/005 . {using discharge tubes}

5/02 . without intermediate conversion into dc

5/04 . . by static converters ([controlling transformers, reactors or choke coils, e.g. by tap changing](#)
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5/06 . . . using impedances

5/08 . . . using capacitors only

5/10 . . . using transformers

5/12 . . . for conversion of voltage or current amplitude only

5/14 . . . for conversion between circuits of different phase number

5/16 . . . for conversion of frequency

5/18 . . . for conversion of waveform

5/20 . . . using discharge tubes without control electrode or semiconductor devices without control electrode

5/22 . . . using discharge tubes with control electrode or semiconductor devices with control electrode

5/225 . . . {comprising two stages of AC-AC conversion, e.g. having a high frequency intermediate link}

5/25 . . . using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means

5/253 . . . using discharge tubes only

5/257 . . . using semiconductor devices only

5/2573 . . . {with control circuit}

5/2576 . . . {with digital control}

5/27 . . . for conversion of frequency

5/271 . . . {from a three phase input voltage}

5/272 . . . {for variable speed constant frequency systems}

5/273 . . . {with digital control}

5/275 . . . using devices of a triode or transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal

5/29 . . . using discharge tubes only

5/293 . . . using semiconductor devices only

5/2932 . . . {with automatic control of output voltage, current or power}

- 5/2935 {using reverse phase control, i.e. turn-on of switches in series with load at zero crossing of input voltage, turn-off before next zero crossing}
- 5/2937 {using whole cycle control, i.e. switching an integer number of whole or half cycles of the AC input voltage}
- 5/297 for conversion of frequency
- 5/32 . . by dynamic converters
- 5/34 . . . using mechanical contact-making and -breaking parts
- 5/36 wherein the parts are rotating and collectors co-operate with brushes or rollers
- 5/38 . . by combination of static with dynamic converters; by combination of dynamo-electric with other dynamic or static converters
- 5/40 . with intermediate conversion into dc
- 5/42 . . by static converters
- 5/44 . . . using discharge tubes or semiconductor devices to convert the intermediate dc into ac
- 5/443 using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means
- 5/447 using discharge tubes only
- 5/45 using semiconductor devices only
- 5/4505 {having a rectifier with controlled elements}
- 5/451 with automatic control of output voltage or frequency
- 5/452 with automatic control of output waveform
- 5/453 using devices of a triode or transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal
- 5/456 using discharge tubes only
- 5/458 using semiconductor devices only
- 5/4585 {having a rectifier with controlled elements}
- 5/46 . . by dynamic converters
- 5/48 . . by combination of static with dynamic converters; by combination of dynamo-electric with other dynamic or static converters
- 7/00 Conversion of ac power input into dc power output; Conversion of dc power input into ac power output**
- 7/003 . {Constructional details, e.g. physical layout, assembly, wiring or busbar connections}
- 7/006 . {using discharge tubes}
- 7/02 . Conversion of ac power input into dc power output without possibility of reversal
- 7/04 . . by static converters
- WARNING**
- Group [H02M 7/04](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 7/05](#).
- Groups [H02M 7/04](#) and [H02M 7/05](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
- 7/043 . . . {using transformers or inductors only}
- 7/046 . . . {using discharge tubes}

- 7/05 . . . {Capacitor coupled rectifiers}
- WARNING**
- Group [H02M 7/05](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group [H02M 7/04](#).
- Groups [H02M 7/04](#) and [H02M 7/05](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
- 7/06 . . . using discharge tubes without control electrode or semiconductor devices without control electrode
- 7/062 {Avoiding or suppressing excessive transient voltages or currents}
- 7/064 {with several outputs}
- 7/066 {particular circuits having a special characteristic}
- 7/068 {mounted on a transformer}
- 7/08 arranged for operation in parallel
- 7/10 arranged for operation in series, e.g. for multiplication of voltage
- 7/103 {Containing passive elements (capacitively coupled) which are ordered in cascade on one source}
- 7/106 {With physical arrangement details}
- 7/12 . . . using discharge tubes with control electrode or semiconductor devices with control electrode
- 7/125 {Avoiding or suppressing excessive transient voltages or currents}
- 7/145 using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means
- 7/15 using discharge tubes only
- 7/151 {with automatic control ([H02M 7/153](#) takes precedence)}
- 7/153 {arranged for operation in parallel}
- 7/155 using semiconductor devices only
- 7/1552 {in a biphasic or polyphase arrangement (voltage multipliers [H02M 7/19](#))}
- 7/1555 {with control circuit}
- 7/1557 {with automatic control of the output voltage or current}
- 7/162 in a bridge configuration
- 7/1623 {with control circuit}
- 7/1626 {with automatic control of the output voltage or current}
- 7/17 arranged for operation in parallel
- 7/19 arranged for operation in series, e.g. for voltage multiplication
- 7/21 using devices of a triode or transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal
- 7/213 using discharge tubes only
- 7/217 using semiconductor devices only
- 7/2173 {in a biphasic or polyphase circuit arrangement ([H02M 7/2176](#) takes precedence; voltage multipliers [H02M 7/25](#))}
- 7/2176 {comprising a passive stage to generate a rectified sinusoidal voltage and a controlled switching element in series between such stage and the output}
- 7/219 in a bridge configuration

- 7/2195 {the switches being synchronously commutated at the same frequency of the AC input voltage}
- 7/23 arranged for operation in parallel {[H02M 7/2176](#) takes precedence}
- 7/25 arranged for operation in series, e.g. for multiplication of voltage
- 7/26 . . . using open-spark devices, e.g. Marx rectifier
- 7/28 . . . using electrolytic rectifiers
- 7/30 . . by dynamic converters
- 7/32 . . . using mechanical contact-making and -breaking parts
- 7/34 wherein the parts are rotating and collectors co-operate with brushes or rollers
- 7/36 with electromagnetically-operated vibrating contacts, e.g. chopper
- 7/38 . . . using one or more sparking electrodes rotating over counterelectrodes
- 7/40 . . by combination of static with dynamic converters; by combination of dynamo-electric with other dynamic or static converters
- 7/42 . Conversion of dc power input into ac power output without possibility of reversal
- 7/44 . . by static converters
- 7/445 . . . {using discharge tubes}
- 7/46 . . . using discharge tubes without control electrode or semiconductor devices without control electrode
- 7/48 . . . using discharge tubes with control electrode or semiconductor devices with control electrode
- 7/4803 {with means for reducing DC component from AC output voltage}
- 7/4807 {having a high frequency intermediate AC stage}
- 7/4811 {having auxiliary actively switched resonant commutation circuits connected to intermediate DC voltage or between two push-pull branches}
- 7/4815 {Resonant converters ([H02M 7/4811](#) and [H02M 7/4826](#) take precedence)}
- 7/4818 {with means for adaptation of resonance frequency, e.g. by modification of capacitance or inductance of resonance circuits}
- 7/4826 {operating from a resonant DC source, i.e. the DC input voltage varies periodically, e.g. resonant DC-link inverters}
- 7/483 Converters with outputs that each can have more than two voltages levels

WARNING

Group [H02M 7/483](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 7/4833](#). Groups [H02M 7/483](#) and [H02M 7/4833](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 7/4833 {Capacitor voltage balancing}

WARNING

Group [H02M 7/4833](#) is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group [H02M 7/483](#).

Groups [H02M 7/483](#) and [H02M 7/4833](#) should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

- 7/4835 {comprising two or more cells, each including a switchable capacitor, the capacitors having a nominal charge voltage which corresponds to a given fraction of the input voltage, and the capacitors being selectively connected in series to determine the instantaneous output voltage}

WARNING

Group [H02M 7/4835](#) is impacted by reclassification into group [H02M 7/4837](#).

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- 7/4837 {Flying capacitor converters}

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- 7/487 Neutral point clamped inverters
- 7/49 Combination of the output voltage waveforms of a plurality of converters
- 7/493 the static converters being arranged for operation in parallel

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- 7/497 sinusoidal output voltages being obtained by combination of several voltages being out of phase
- 7/501 sinusoidal output voltages being obtained by the combination of several pulse-voltages having different amplitude and width
- 7/505 using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means {[H02M 7/4807](#), [H02M 7/483](#), [H02M 7/493](#) and [H02M 7/4826](#) take precedence}
- 7/51 using discharge tubes only
- 7/515 using semiconductor devices only
- 7/5152 {with separate extinguishing means}
- 7/5155 {wherein each commutation element has its own extinguishing means}

7/5157	. . . . .	{wherein the extinguishing of every commutation element will be obtained by means of a commutation inductance, by starting another main commutation element in series with the first}	7/53876	. . . . .	{based on synthesising a desired voltage vector via the selection of appropriate fundamental voltage vectors, and corresponding dwelling times}
7/516	. . . . .	Self-oscillating arrangements	7/53878	. . . . .	{by time shifting switching signals of one diagonal pair of the bridge with respect to the other diagonal pair}
7/517	. . . . .	with special starting equipment	7/5388	. . . . .	with asymmetrical configuration of switches
7/519	. . . . .	in a push-pull configuration (H02M 7/517 takes precedence)	WARNING		
7/521	. . . . .	in a bridge configuration	Group H02M 7/5388 is not complete, see provisionally also H02M 7/5387 and subgroups		
7/523	. . . . .	with LC-resonance circuit in the main circuit	7/539	. . . . .	with automatic control of output wave form or frequency (H02M 7/5375 - H02M 7/5387 take precedence)
7/5233	. . . . .	{the commutation elements being in a push-pull arrangement}	7/5395	. . . . .	by pulse-width modulation
7/5236	. . . . .	{in a series push-pull arrangement}	7/54	. . . . .	by dynamic converters
7/525	. . . . .	with automatic control of output waveform or frequency (H02M 7/517 - H02M 7/523 take precedence)	7/56	. . . . .	using mechanical parts to select progressively, or to vary continuously, the input potential
7/527	. . . . .	by pulse width modulation	7/58	. . . . .	using mechanical contact-making and -breaking parts to interrupt a single potential
7/529	. . . . .	using digital control	7/60	. . . . .	wherein the parts are rotating and collectors co-operate with brushes or rollers
7/53	. . . . .	using devices of a triode or transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal { (H02M 7/4807, H02M 7/493 and H02M 7/4826 take precedence) }	7/62	. . . . .	with electromagnetically-operated vibrating contacts, e.g. chopper
7/533	. . . . .	using discharge tubes only	7/64	. . . . .	by combination of static with dynamic converters; by combination of dynamo-electric with other dynamic or static converters
7/537	. . . . .	using semiconductor devices only, e.g. single switched pulse inverters	7/66	. . . . .	with possibility of reversal
7/5375	. . . . .	with special starting equipment	7/68	. . . . .	by static converters
7/538	. . . . .	in a push-pull configuration (H02M 7/5375 takes precedence {; with oscillating arrangements H02M 7/53832, H02M 7/53846})	7/70	. . . . .	using discharge tubes without control electrode or semiconductor devices without control electrode
7/53803	. . . . .	{with automatic control of output voltage or current}	7/72	. . . . .	using discharge tubes with control electrode or semiconductor devices with control electrode
7/53806	. . . . .	{in a push-pull configuration of the parallel type}	7/75	. . . . .	using devices of a thyatron or thyristor type requiring extinguishing means
7/5381	. . . . .	Parallel type	7/753	. . . . .	using discharge tubes only
7/5383	. . . . .	in a self-oscillating arrangement (H02M 7/538 takes precedence)	7/757	. . . . .	using semiconductor devices only
7/53832	. . . . .	{in a push-pull arrangement}	7/7575	. . . . .	{for high voltage direct transmission link}
7/53835	. . . . .	{of the parallel type}	7/758	. . . . .	with automatic control of output waveform or frequency
7/53838	. . . . .	using a single commutation path	7/77	. . . . .	arranged for operation in parallel
7/53846	. . . . .	Control circuits	7/79	. . . . .	using devices of a triode or transistor type requiring continuous application of a control signal
WARNING			7/793	. . . . .	using discharge tubes only
Group H02M 7/53846 and subgroups is not complete, see provisionally also H02M 7/5383 and subgroups			7/797	. . . . .	using semiconductor devices only
7/538463	. . . . .	{for thyristor type converters}	7/81	. . . . .	arranged for operation in parallel
7/538466	. . . . .	{for transistor type converters}	7/82	. . . . .	using open-spark devices, e.g. Marx rectifier
7/53854	. . . . .	using thyristor type converters	7/84	. . . . .	using electrolytic rectifiers
7/53862	. . . . .	using transistor type converters	7/86	. . . . .	by dynamic converters
7/5387	. . . . .	in a bridge configuration	7/88	. . . . .	using mechanical parts to select progressively or to vary continuously the input potential
7/53871	. . . . .	{with automatic control of output voltage or current}	7/90	. . . . .	using mechanical contact-making and -breaking parts to interrupt a single potential
7/53873	{with digital control}	7/92	wherein the parts are rotating and collectors co-operate with brushes or rollers
7/53875	{with analogue control of three-phase output}			

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- 7/94 wherein the parts are operated by rotating
cams or cam-like devices
- 7/95 with electromagnetically-operated vibrating
contacts, e.g. chopper
- 7/96 with moving liquid contacts
- 7/98 . . by combination of static with dynamic converters;
by combination of dynamo-electric with other
dynamic or static converters

**11/00 Power conversion systems not covered by the
preceding groups**