### CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

#### B PERFORMING OPERATIONS; TRANSPORTING

**NOTES** omitted

#### SEPARATING; MIXING

**B05** SPRAYING OR ATOMISING IN GENERAL; APPLYING LIQUIDS OR OTHER FLUENT MATERIALS TO SURFACES, IN GENERAL

**NOTE** omitted

**B05B** SPRAYING APPARATUS; ATOMISING APPARATUS; NOZZLES (sprayers or atomisers specially adapted for therapeutic purposes [A61M 11/00]; spray-mixers with nozzles [B01F 5/20]; processes for applying liquids or other fluent materials to surfaces by spraying [B05D]; nozzles specially adapted for injection moulding of plastics or substances in a plastic state [B29C 45/1603, B29C 45/20]; nozzles specially adapted for windscreen washers [B60S 1/52]; means for pumping fluids [F04]; valves, e.g. water-taps, [F16K])

### NOTES

1. This subclass covers particularly apparatus for the release or projection of drops or droplets into the atmosphere or into a chamber to form a mist or the like. For this purpose, the materials to be projected may be suspended in a stream of gas or vapour.
2. Attention is drawn to the Note following the title of class B05.
3. In this subclass, “means for controlling volume of flow” is used in the most general meaning and includes also means allowing only starting and stopping the flow.
4. In this subclass, the meaning of the expression “apparatus carried on or by a person” includes all apparatus comprising at least one container for the material to be sprayed carried on or by a person during use.
5. In this subclass, the word “container” is to be understood as the innermost enclosure containing the material to be sprayed.

### WARNING

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 | Nozzles, spray heads or other outlets, with or without auxiliary devices such as valves, heating means (B05B 3/00, B05B 5/00, B05B 7/00) take precedence; {nozzles for baths with water or gas jets A61H 33/00, e.g. A61H 33/603, A61H 33/6021, A61H 33/026 or A61H 33/027; Nozzles specially adapted for fire-extinguishing A62C 31/02; Nozzles for generating high velocity abrasive fluid jets B24C 5/04;} nozzles for jet-ink printing mechanisms B41J 2/135; {nozzles for filling containers B65B 39/00;} nozzles for liquid-dispensing, e.g. in vehicle service stations B67D 7/42) |
| 1/02 | {designed to reduce the generation or the transmission of noise or to produce a particular sound; associated with noise monitoring means} |
| 1/04 | in flat form, e.g. fan-like, sheet-like |
| 1/042 | {Outlets having two planes of symmetry perpendicular to each other, one of them defining the plane of the jet (B05B 1/044, B05B 1/046 take precedence)} |
| 1/044 | {Slits, i.e. narrow openings defined by two straight and parallel lips; Elongated outlets for producing very wide discharges, e.g. fluid curtains (B05B 1/046 takes precedence)} |
| 1/046 | {Outlets formed, e.g. cut, in the circumference of tubular or spherical elements} |
| 1/048 | {having a flow conduit with, immediately behind the outlet orifice, an elongated cross section, e.g. of oval or elliptic form, of which the major axis is perpendicular to the plane of the jet} |
| 1/06 | in annular, tubular or hollow conical form |
| 1/08 | of pulsating nature, e.g. delivering liquid in successive separate quantities (; Fluidic oscillators)} |
| 1/083 | {the pulsating mechanism comprising movable parts (liquid driven rotating elements, e.g. turbines, arranged upstream the outlet B05B 3/04)} |
| 1/086 | {with a resiliently deformable element, e.g. sleeve} |
other fluent material by impinging jets

deflectors; Breaking-up the discharged liquid or other fluent material (means for any of these purposes, per se B05B 12/16, B05B 12/32, B05B 14/00)

designed to control volume of flow, e.g. with adjustable passages (B05B 11/0094 takes precedence)

capable of producing different kinds of discharge, e.g. either jet or spray (having selectively-effective outlets B05B 1/16)

with multiple outlet openings (B05B 1/02, B05B 1/26 take precedence); with strainers in or outside the outlet opening

having selectively-effective outlets

with a selecting mechanism comprising a lift valve (B05B 1/1681 takes precedence; lift valves in general F16K 1/00)

where said valve is a double-seat lift valve

with a selecting mechanism comprising a gate valve, a sliding valve or a cock (B05B 1/1681 takes precedence; gate valves or sliding valves in general F16K 3/00; cocks in general F16K 5/00)

by relative rotative movement of the valve elements (B05B 1/1672 takes precedence)

the outlets being rotated during selection

about an axis parallel to the liquid passage in the stationary valve element

by relative translatory movement of the valve elements (B05B 1/1672 takes precedence)

the selectively-effective outlets being arranged on a tube or pipe

with a selecting mechanism comprising a gate valve, sliding valve or cock and a lift valve

having three or more selectively-effective outlets

Roses; Shower heads (with means for adding soap or the like E03C 1/046; jet regulators E03C 1/08)

characterised by their outlet element; Mounting arrangements therefor

Arrangements of several outlets along elongated bodies, e.g. perforated pipes or troughs, e.g. spray booms (spray booms for agricultural uses A01M 7/0071; spray bars for treating roads E01C 19/176); Outlet elements therefor

comprising inserted outlet elements (B05B 1/205 takes precedence)

characterised by the longitudinal shape of the elongated body

the elongated body being a closed loop

Spouts (anti-splash devices for water-taps E03C 1/08)

incorporating means for heating the liquid or other fluent material, e.g. electrically

with means for mechanically breaking-up or deflecting the jet after discharge, e.g. with fixed deflectors; Breaking-up the discharged liquid or other fluent material by impinging jets

with fixed deflectors

the liquid or other fluent material being symmetrically deflected about the axis of the nozzle

the liquid or other fluent material being deflected in determined directions

with integral means for shielding the discharged liquid or other fluent material, e.g. to limit area of spray; with integral means for catching drips or collecting surplus liquid or other fluent material (means for any of these purposes, per se B05B 12/16, B05B 12/32, B05B 14/00)

designed to control volume of flow, e.g. with adjustable passages (B05B 11/0094 takes precedence)

the controlling element being actuated by the pressure of the fluid to be sprayed (B05B 11/0062 takes precedence)

the controlling element being a lift valve (B05B 1/3006, B05B 1/3033 take precedence; lift valves in general F16K 1/00)

with a ball-shaped valve member (ball valves in general F16K 1/14)

the controlling element being a gate valve, a sliding valve or a cock (B05B 1/3006, B05B 1/3532 take precedence; gate valves or sliding valves in general F16K 3/00; cocks in general F16K 5/00)

the control being effected by relative coaxial longitudinal movement of the controlling element and the spray head (B05B 1/3026 takes precedence)

the controlling element being a lift valve

the valve element, e.g. a needle, cooperating with a valve seat located downstream of the valve element and its actuating means, generally in the proximity of the outlet orifice (B05B 1/308 takes precedence)

the actuating means being a solenoid

the actuating means being a fluid

the valve element being at least partially hollow and liquid passing through it when the valve is opened

the controlling element being a deflector acting as a valve in co-operation with the outlet orifice (B05B 1/308 takes precedence; deflectors per se B05B 1/262)

the controlling element comprising both a lift valve and a deflector

the controlling element being a grooved body, which is movable in the outlet orifice

(Recirculation valves, i.e. the valve element opens a passage to the nozzle and simultaneously closes at least partially a return passage the feeding means)

in which a valve member forms part of the outlet opening (B05B 1/3033 takes precedence)

the valve member being actuated by the pressure of the fluid to be sprayed (B05B 11/0062 takes precedence)

the valve being a gate valve, a sliding valve or a cock

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designed to influence the nature of flow of the liquid or other fluent material, e.g. to produce swirl (designed to control volume of flow B05B 1/30)

to avoid or to reduce turbulencies, e.g. comprising fluid flow straightening means

heat deflected in determined directions

designed to control volume of flow, e.g. with adjustable passages (B05B 11/0094 takes precedence)
Spraying or sprinkling apparatus with moving outlet elements or moving deflecting elements

(outlet elements being directly attached to the rotor or being an integral part of it)

(outlet elements being a combination of two movements, one being rotational)

(incorporating means for heating or cooling, e.g. the material to be sprayed)

(rotating deflecting element being a ventilator or a fan)

(rotating, outlet elements)

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(impact motive means)

(spraying outlet)

(tubular elements)

(turbine)

(rotor nozzle; i.e. nozzles consisting of an element having an upstream part rotated by the liquid flow, and a downstream part connected to the apparatus by a universal joint)

(rotating the jet)

(spraying outlet)

(spraying or sprinkling heads with rotating elements located upstream the outlet)
3/0486 . . . [the spray jet being generated by a rotary deflector rotated by liquid discharged onto it in a direction substantially parallel its rotation axis]

3/049 . . . [comprising mechanical means for preventing a rotor from rotating despite being submerged in a streaming fluid]

3/0495 . . . [the liquid or other fluent material discharged powering several motors, e.g. several turbines]

3/06 . . . by jet reaction [i.e. creating a spinning torque due to a tangential component of the jet]

3/063 . . . [using a member, e.g. a deflector, for creating the tangential component of the jet]

3/066 . . . [the movement of the outlet elements being a combination of two movements, one being rotational]

3/08 . . . in association with stationary outlet or deflecting elements

3/082 . . . [the spraying being effected by centrifugal forces]

3/085 . . . [in association with sectorial deflectors]

3/087 . . . [Spray guns comprising this arrangement]

3/10 . . . discharging over substantially the whole periphery of the rotating member [i.e. the spraying being effected by centrifugal forces (B05B 3/0468 takes precedence)]

3/1007 . . . [characterised by the rotating member (B05B 3/105 takes precedence)]

3/1014 . . . [with a spraying edge, e.g. like a cup or a bell]

3/1021 . . . [with individual passages at its periphery]

3/1028 . . . [the passages comprising an insert]

3/1035 . . . [Driving means; Parts thereof, e.g. turbine, shaft, bearings]

3/1042 . . . [Means for connecting, e.g. reversibly, the rotating spray member to its driving shaft]

3/105 . . . [Fan or ventilator arrangements therefor]

3/1057 . . . [with at least two outlets, other than gas and cleaning fluid outlets, for discharging, selectively or not, different or identical liquids or other fluent materials on the rotating element]

3/1064 . . . [the liquid or other fluent material to be sprayed being axially supplied to the rotating member through a hollow rotating shaft]

3/1071 . . . [with two rotating members rotating at different speeds]

3/1078 . . . [the rotating members rotating in opposite directions]

3/1085 . . . [with means for detecting or controlling the rotational speed]

3/1092 . . . [Means for supplying shaping gas]

3/12 . . . with spray booms or the like rotating around an axis by means independent of the liquid or other fluent material discharged

3/14 . . . with oscillating elements; with intermittent operation

3/16 . . . driven or controlled by the liquid or other fluent material discharged, e.g. the liquid actuating a motor before passing to the outlet {((B05B 3/0431, B05B 3/0468, B05B 3/0472 take precedence)}

3/18 . . . with elements moving in a straight line, e.g. along a track; Mobile sprinklers {watering arrangements making use of movable installations A01G 25/09)}

5/00 Electrostatic spraying apparatus; Spraying apparatus with means for charging the spray electrically; Apparatus for spraying liquids or other fluent materials by other electric means

5/001 . . . [incorporating means for heating or cooling, e.g. the material to be sprayed]

5/002 . . . [comprising means for neutralising the spray of charged droplets or particules]

5/003 . . . [by mixing two sprays of opposite polarity]

5/004 . . . [by alternating the polarity of the spray]

5/005 . . . [the high voltage supplied to an electrostatic spraying apparatus being adjustable during spraying operation, e.g. for modifying spray width, droplet size]

5/006 . . . [the adjustment of high voltage is responsive to a condition, e.g. a condition of material discharged, of ambient medium or of target]

5/007 . . . [the high voltage supplied to an electrostatic spraying apparatus during spraying operation being periodic or in time, e.g. sinusoidal]

5/008 . . . [with periodical change of polarity]

5/025 . . . Discharge apparatus, e.g. electrostatic spray guns

5/0255 . . . [spraying and depositing by electrostatic forces only]

5/03 . . . characterised by the use of gas [e.g. electrostatically assisted pneumatic spraying (B05B 5/04, B05B 5/043, B05B 5/047 take precedence)]

5/032 . . . [for spraying particulate materials]

5/035 . . . characterised by gasless spraying [e.g. electrostatically assisted airless spraying (B05B 5/04, B05B 5/043, B05B 5/047 take precedence)]

5/04 . . . characterised by having rotary outlet or deflecting elements [i.e. spraying being also effected by centrifugal forces]

5/0403 . . . [characterised by the rotating member]

5/0407 . . . [with a spraying edge, e.g. like a cup or a bell]

5/0411 . . . [with individual passages at its periphery]

5/0415 . . . [Driving means; Parts thereof, e.g. turbine, shaft, bearings]

5/0418 . . . [designed for spraying particulate material]

5/0422 . . . [comprising means for controlling speed of rotation]

5/0426 . . . [Means for supplying shaping gas]

5/043 . . . using induction-charging

5/047 . . . using tribo-charging

5/053 . . . Arrangements for supplying power, e.g. charging power

5/0531 . . . [Power generators]

5/0532 . . . [driven by a gas turbine]

5/0533 . . . [Electrodes specially adapted therefor; Arrangements of electrodes]

5/0535 . . . [at least two electrodes having different potentials being held on the discharge apparatus, one of them being a charging electrode of the corona type located in the spray or close to it, and another being of the non-corona type located outside of the path for the material]

5/0536 . . . [Dimensional characteristics of electrodes, e.g. diameter or radius of curvature of a needle-like corona electrode]
5/0537 . . . [comprising a charge return path between the target and the spraying apparatus which is not the "true" earth, i.e. using a direct charge return path like a wire or the like, e.g. "floating earth"]
5/0538 . . . [the operator being part of a charge return path between target and apparatus]
5/057 . . . Arrangements for discharging liquids or other fluent material without using a gun or nozzle
5/06 . . . using electric arc
5/08 . . . Plant for applying liquids or other fluent materials to objects
5/081 . . . [specially adapted for treating particulate materials]
5/082 . . . [characterised by means for supporting, holding or conveying the objects]
5/084 . . . [the objects lying on, or being supported above conveying means, e.g. conveyor belts]
5/085 . . . [the plant being provided on a vehicle]
5/087 . . . [Arrangements of electrodes, e.g. of charging, shielding, collecting electrodes (B05B 5/12, B05B 5/14 take precedence; arrangements of electrodes on the discharge apparatus B05B 5/053)]
5/088 . . . [for creating electric field curtains]
5/10 . . . Arrangements for supplying power, e.g. charging power (in discharge apparatus B05B 5/053)
5/12 . . . specially adapted for coating the interior of hollow bodies
5/14 . . . specially adapted for coating continuously moving elongated bodies, e.g. wires, strips, pipes
5/16 . . . Arrangements for supplying liquids or other fluent material
5/1608 . . . [the liquid or other fluent material being electrically conductive]
5/1616 . . . [and the arrangement comprising means for insulating a grounded material source from high voltage applied to the material]
5/1625 . . . [the insulating means comprising an intermediate container alternately connected to the grounded material source for filling, and then disconnected and electrically insulated therefrom]
5/1633 . . . [the arrangement comprising several supply lines arranged in parallel, each comprising such an intermediate container]
5/1641 . . . [an additional container being provided downstream the intermediate container]
5/165 . . . [by dividing the material into discrete quantities, e.g. droplets]
5/1658 . . . [Details]
5/1666 . . . [Voltage blocking valves, e.g. with axially separable coupling elements]
5/1675 . . . [the supply means comprising a piston, e.g. a piston pump]
5/1683 . . . [specially adapted for particulate materials]
5/1691 . . . [Apparatus to be carried on or by a person or with a container fixed to the discharge device]

7/00 Spraying apparatus for discharge of liquids or other fluent materials from two or more sources, e.g. of liquid and air, of powder and gas (B05B 3/00, B05B 5/00 [B05B 11/06] take precedence)
producing a swirling discharge
explosions B05B 7/0006

material to be sprayed} (spraying by means of explosions B05B 7/0006)

7/1606 . . . (the spraying of the material involving the use of an atomising fluid, e.g. air (B05B 7/168, B05B 7/1686, B05B 7/20, B05B 7/22 take precedence))

7/1613 . . . (comprising means for heating the atomising fluid before mixing with the material to be sprayed)

7/162 . . . . . (and heat being transferred from the atomising fluid to the material to be sprayed)

7/1626 . . . . . (at the moment of mixing)

7/1633 . . . . . (and heat being transferred from the material to be sprayed to the atomising fluid)

7/164 . . . . . (the material to be sprayed and the atomising fluid being heated by independent sources of heat, without transfer of heat between atomising fluid and material to be sprayed)

7/1646 . . . . . (the material to be sprayed and the atomising fluid being heated by the same source of heat, without transfer of heat between atomising fluid and material to be sprayed)

7/1653 . . . . . (the source of heat being a heat conductive fluid)

7/166 . . . . . (the material to be sprayed being heated in a container (B05B 7/208 takes precedence))

7/1666 . . . . . (fixed to the discharge device)

7/1673 . . . . . (heat being transferred to the material to be sprayed by a heat transfer conductive fluid (B05B 7/162, B05B 7/1653 take precedence))

7/168 . . . . . (with means for heating or cooling after mixing (B05B 7/201, B05B 7/22 take precedence))

7/1686 . . . . . (involving vaporisation of the material to be sprayed or of an atomising-fluid-generating product)

7/1693 . . . . . (with means for heating the material to be sprayed or an atomizing fluid in a supply hose or the like)

7/18 . . . . . the material having originally the shape of a wire, rod or the like {(B05B 7/203, B05B 7/224 take precedence)}

7/20 . . . . . by flame or combustion

7/201 . . . . . [downstream of the nozzle]

7/203 . . . . . [the material to be sprayed having originally the shape of a wire, rod or the like]

7/205 . . . . . [the material to be sprayed being originally a particulate material]

7/206 . . . . . [in a container fixed to the discharge device]

7/208 . . . . . [the material to be sprayed being heated in a container]

7/22 . . . . . electrically, magnetically or electromagnetically, e.g. by arc {(B05B 7/20 takes precedence)}

7/222 . . . . . [using an arc]

7/224 . . . . . [the material having originally the shape of a wire, rod or the like]

7/226 . . . . . [the material being originally a particulate material]

7/228 . . . . . [using electromagnetic radiation, e.g. laser]

7/24 . . . . . with means, e.g. a container, for supplying liquid or other fluent material to a discharge device (B05B 7/14, B05B 7/16, B05B 11/00 take precedence)

7/2402 . . . . . (Apparatus to be carried on or by a person, e.g. by hand; Apparatus comprising containers fixed to the discharge device (B05B 7/0012 takes precedence))

7/2405 . . . . . [using an atomising fluid as carrying fluid for feeding, e.g. by suction or pressure, a carried liquid from the container to the nozzle (B05B 7/2459 - B05B 7/247 take precedence)]

7/2408 . . . . . [characterised by the container or its attachment means to the spray apparatus]

7/241 . . . . . [the container being pressurised]

7/2413 . . . . . [with means for changing the position or the orientation of the container relative to the spray apparatus]

7/2416 . . . . . [characterised by the means for producing or supplying the atomising fluid, e.g. air hoses, air pumps, gas containers, compressors, fans, ventilators, their drives]

7/2418 . . . . . [Air pumps actuated by the operator, e.g. manually actuated]

7/2421 . . . . . [Gas containers]

7/2424 . . . . . [the carried liquid and the main stream of atomising fluid being brought together downstream of the container before discharge (B05B 7/2435 takes precedence)]

7/2427 . . . . . [and a secondary stream of atomising fluid being brought together in the container or putting the carried liquid under pressure in the container]

7/2429 . . . . . [the carried liquid and the main stream of atomising fluid being brought together after discharge (B05B 7/2435 takes precedence)]

7/2432 . . . . . [and a secondary stream of atomising fluid being brought together in the container or putting the carried liquid under pressure in the container]
Spraying apparatus for discharge of liquids or other fluent material, without essentially mixing with gas or vapour

- Incorporating means for heating or cooling, e.g., the material to be sprayed
- The liquid or other fluent material being a fluid close to a change of phase
- At least a part of the apparatus, e.g., a container, being provided with means, e.g., wheels, for allowing its displacement relative to the ground
- Spray pistols, (discharge devices) (B05B 9/03 takes precedence)
- Characterised by means for supplying liquid or other fluent material (B05B 9/002 takes precedence)
- To several spraying apparatus (B05B 9/0423 takes precedence)
- With pressurised or compressible container (aerosol containers B65D 83/14); with pump
- With pumps for liquids or other fluent material (B05B 9/043 takes precedence)
- With several pumps
- The pumps being driven by a hydraulic or pneumatic fluid
- With reciprocating pumps, e.g., membrane pump, piston pump, bellow pump (B05B 9/0405 takes precedence)
- With pumps comprising rotating pumping parts, e.g., gear pump, centrifugal pump, screw-type pump (B05B 9/042 takes precedence)
- With peristaltic pumps
- For supplying liquid or other fluent material to several spraying apparatus
- With a pump attached to the spray gun or discharge device (single-units hand-held apparatus in which the flow is effected by a pump B05B 11/30)
9/043 . . . . having pump readily separable from container
9/047 . . . . supply being effected by follower in container, e.g. membrane or floating piston (by deformation of container (B05B 9/0838 takes precedence))
9/06 . . . . the delivery being related to the movement of a vehicle, e.g. the pump being driven by a vehicle wheel
9/08 . . . . Apparatus to be carried on or by a person, e.g. of knapsack type (B05B 9/0426, B05B 11/00 take precedence); details or components, e.g. casings, bodies of portable power-driven tools not particularly related to the operation performed B25F 5/00)
9/0805 . . . . (comprising a pressurised or compressible container for liquid or other fluent material (B05B 9/0885 takes precedence))
9/0811 . . . . (comprising air supplying means actuated by the operator to pressurise or compress the container)
9/0816 . . . . (the air supplying means being a manually actuated air pump)
9/0822 . . . . (a discharge device being fixed to the container)
9/0827 . . . . (the air pump being actuated by shaking)
9/0833 . . . . (comprising a compressed gas container, e.g. a nitrogen cartridge)
9/0838 . . . . (supply being effected by follower in container, e.g. membrane or floating piston, or by deformation of container)
9/0844 . . . . (the container being pressurised or compressed by a gas generated by a chemical reaction)
9/085 . . . . . . . (with a liquid pump)
9/0855 . . . . . . . (the pump being motor-driven (B05B 9/0866, B05B 9/0872 take precedence))
9/0861 . . . . . . . (the motor being electric)
9/0866 . . . . . . . (the pump being a gear, centrifugal or screw-type pump)
9/0872 . . . . . . . (the pump being a peristaltic pump)
9/0877 . . . . . . . (the pump being of pressure-accumulation type or being connected to a pressure accumulation chamber)
9/0883 . . . . . . . (having a discharge device fixed to the container)
9/0888 . . . . . . . (Carrying means for knapsack sprayers)
9/0894 . . . . . . . (Gun with a container which, in normal use, is located above the gun)

11/00 Single-unit, i.e. unitary, hand-held apparatus (comprising a container and a discharge nozzle attached thereto), in which flow of liquid or other fluent material is produced by (the muscular energy of) the operator at the moment of use (or by an equivalent manipulator independent from the apparatus (apparatus with an external source or the possibility of permanent accumulation of pressure for discharging the liquid or fluid material B05B 7/00, B05B 9/00))
11/0002 . . . . (incorporating means for heating or cooling, e.g. the material to be sprayed)
11/0005 . . . . (Components or details (of single units wherein the flow is effected by a pump B05B 11/3042))
11/0008 . . . . (Sealing or attachment arrangements between sprayer and container (between pump and container B05B 11/3043))
11/001 . . . . (Snap-on-twist-off type connections)
11/0013 . . . . (Attachment arrangements comprising means cooperating with the inner surface of the container)
11/0027 . . . . (Means for neutralising the actuation of the sprayer (pump locking means B05B 11/3059); Means for preventing access to the sprayer actuation means)
11/0029 . . . . (Valves not actuated by pressure (automatically opened during actuation of a spray pump B05B 11/3053; B05B 11/0032, B05B 11/0094 take precedence))
11/0032 . . . . (Manually actuated means located downstream the discharge nozzle for closing or covering it, e.g. shutters, (automatically removed during actuation of a spray pump B05B 11/3053))
11/0035 . . . . (Pen-like sprayers)
11/0037 . . . . (Containers (for several components B05B 11/0078))
11/0038 . . . . (Inner container disposed in an outer shell or outer casing)
11/0039 . . . . (Associated with means for compensating the pressure difference between the ambient pressure and the pressure inside the container, e.g. pressure relief means)
11/0041 . . . . (Compensating underpressure without contact of the fluid remaining in the container with the atmospheric air)
11/00411 . . . . (the means being an inert gas)
11/00412 . . . . (the means being a collapsible or foldable bag or membrane
11/00414 . . . . . (the bag or membrane being inverted during the outflow of the liquid or other fluent material)
11/00416 . . . . (the means being a following piston)
11/00418 . . . . . (located on top of the remaining liquid or other fluent material)
11/0044 . . . . (Compensating underpressure by ingress of atmospheric air into the container, i.e. with venting means (venting means for deformable containers B05B 11/047))
11/00442 . . . . (the means being actuated by the difference between the atmospheric pressure and the pressure inside the container)
11/00444 . . . . . (with provision for filtering or cleaning the air flow drawn into the container)
11/00446 . . . . . (the means being located at the bottom of the container or of an enclosure surrounding the container)
11/0054 . . . . . (Cartridges, i.e. containers specially designed for easy attachment to or easy removal from the rest of the sprayer (attachment arrangements between pump and container B05B 11/3043))
11/0056 . . . . . (with an additional opening for filling or refilling)
11/0059 . . . . (allowing operation in any orientation, e.g. for discharge in inverted position)
11/0062 . . . {Outlet valves actuated by the pressure of the fluid to be sprayed (fluid-actuated pump outlet valve arrangements B05B 11/3016, B05B 11/3022, B05B 11/3097, B05B 11/3033, B05B 11/3036, B05B 11/304, B05B 11/3064)}

11/0064 . . . {Lift valves (B05B 11/007 takes precedence)}

11/0067 . . . . . . {having a valve seat located downstream the valve element (B05B 11/3016, B05B 11/3036 take precedence)}

11/007 . . . {being opened by deformation of a sealing element made of resiliently deformable material, e.g. flaps, skirts, duck-bill valves}

11/0072 . . . . . . {A valve member forming part of an outlet opening}

11/0075 . . . . . . {Two outlet valves being placed in a delivery conduit, one downstream the other}

11/0078 . . . . . . {Arrangements for separately storing several components (arrangements for pumping several liquids or other fluent materials from several containers B05B 11/3081)}

11/0081 . . . . . . {and for mixing the components in a common container as a mixture ready for use before discharging the latter}

11/0083 . . . . . . {one of the components being in powder form}

11/0086 . . . . . . {Arrangements for allowing spraying and pouring}

11/0089 . . . . . . {Dispensing tubes}

11/0091 . . . . . . {movable, e.g. articulated on the sprayer}

11/0094 . . . . . . {movement of the dispensing tube controlling a valve}

11/0097 . . . . . . {Means for filling or refilling the sprayer (through additional openings in the container B05B 11/0056)}

11/02 . . . . . . . the flow being effected by a follower, e.g. membrane, floating piston, in container for liquid or other fluent material

11/025 . . . . . . . {with stepwise advancement of the follower, e.g. for spraying a predetermined quantity of the liquid or other fluid material}

11/04 . . . . . . . the flow being effected by deformation of container for liquid or other fluent material

11/041 . . . . . . . {designed for spraying particulate material (B05B 11/045 takes precedence)}

11/042 . . . . . . . {the spray being effected by a gas or vapour flow in the nozzle, spray head, outlet or dip tube}

11/043 . . . . . . . {designed for spraying a liquid (B05B 11/046 takes precedence)}

11/045 . . . . . . . {designed for spraying particulate material (B05B 11/046 takes precedence)}

11/046 . . . . . . . {the gas or vapour flow coming from a source where the gas or vapour is not in contact with the liquid or other fluent material to be sprayed, e.g. from a compressible bulb, an air pump or an enclosure surrounding the container}

11/047 . . . . . . . {characterised by the outlet or venting means (B05B 11/041 and B05B 11/042 take precedence)}

11/048 . . . . . . . {characterised by the container, e.g. this latter being surrounded by an enclosure, or the means for deforming it (B05B 11/041, B05B 11/046 take precedence)}

11/06 . . . . . . . the spray being effected by a gas or vapour flow [from a source where the gas or vapour is not in contact with the liquid or other fluent material to be sprayed], e.g. from a compressible bulb, an air pump or an enclosure surrounding the container (B05B 11/046 and B05B 11/0387 take precedence)

11/061 . . . . . . . {characterised by the means producing the gas or vapour pressure}

11/062 . . . . . . . {designed for spraying particulate material}

11/064 . . . . . . . {the particulate material being stored in several discrete quantities delivered one at a time}

11/065 . . . . . . . {the particulate material being separated from a main storage in discrete quantities delivered one at a time}

11/067 . . . . . . . {the particulate material being separated from the main storage by a dosing device}

11/068 . . . . . . . {comprising a liquid-absorbent material}

11/30 . . . . . . . {the flow being effected by a pump}

11/3001 . . . . . . . {Piston pumps (B05B 11/3087, B05B 11/3088, B05B 11/302 take precedence)}

11/3002 . . . . . . . {the direction of the pressure stroke being substantially perpendicular to the major axis of the container (B05B 11/3009, B05B 11/3015 take precedence)}

11/3004 . . . . . . . {comprising a movable cylinder and a stationary piston}

11/3005 . . . . . . . {with means for adjusting or modifying pump stroke}

11/3007 . . . . . . . {by adjusting or modifying the pump end-of-sucking-stroke position}

11/3008 . . . . . . . {by adjusting or modifying the pump end-of-dispensing-stroke position}

11/3009 . . . . . . . {actuated by a lever}

11/3011 . . . . . . . {without substantial movement of the nozzle in the direction of the pressure stroke}

11/3012 . . . . . . . {the pump chamber being arranged substantially coaxially to the neck of the container (B05B 11/3011 takes precedence)}

11/3014 . . . . . . . {the pump chamber being arranged substantially coaxially to the container}

11/3015 . . . . . . . {actuated without substantial movement of the nozzle in the direction of the pressure stroke (B05B 11/3011 takes precedence)}

11/3016 . . . . . . . {the outlet valve having a valve seat located downstream a movable valve element controlled by a pressure actuated controlling element (B05B 11/3022, B05B 11/3023 take precedence)}

11/3018 . . . . . . . {and the controlling element cooperating with means for opening or closing the inlet valve (B05B 11/3019 takes precedence)}

11/3019 . . . . . . . {the inlet valve moving concurrently with the controlling element during whole pressure and aspiration strokes, e.g. a cage for an inlet valve ball being part of the controlling element}

11/3021 . . . . . . . {having an outlet valve which is a gate valve (B05B 11/3023, B05B 11/3038 take precedence)}

11/3022 . . . . . . . {actuated by pressure}

11/3023 . . . . . . . {having an outlet valve opened by deformation or displacement of the piston relative to its actuating stem}

11/3025 . . . . . . . {a spring urging the outlet valve in its closed position (B05B 11/3026 takes precedence)}
11/3026 . . . . [the piston being deformable and its deformation allowing opening of the outlet]
11/3028 . . . . [Pumps having a pumping chamber with a deformable wall (B05B 11/3087 take precedence)]
11/3029 . . . . [actuated by a lever]
11/303 . . . . [without substantial movement of the nozzle in the direction of the pressure stroke]
11/3032 . . . . [actuated without substantial movement of the nozzle in the direction of the pressure stroke (B05B 11/303 take precedence)]
11/3033 . . . . [the deformable wall, the inlet and outlet valve elements being integrally formed, e.g. moulded]
11/3035 . . . . [the pumping chamber being a bellow]
11/3036 . . . . [the outlet valve being opened in the direction opposite to the fluid flow downstream the outlet valve by the pressure acting on a valve controlling element]
11/3038 . . . . [Pressure accumulation pumps, i.e. pumps comprising a pressure accumulation chamber]
11/3039 . . . . [the outlet valve being mechanically opened after a defined accumulation stroke]
11/304 . . . . [the outlet valve being opened by pressure after a defined accumulation stroke]
11/3042 . . . . [Components or details]
11/3043 . . . . [Sealing or attachment arrangements between pump and container (sealing arrangements around pump actuating stem B05B 11/305)]
11/3045 . . . . [the pump being preassembled as an independent unit before being mounted on the container (B05B 11/3047, B05B 11/3049 take precedence)]
11/3046 . . . . [the pump chamber being arranged substantially coaxially to the neck of the container (B05B 11/3049 takes precedence)]
11/3047 . . . . [the pump being preassembled as an independent unit before being mounted on the container]
11/3049 . . . . [Attachment arrangements comprising a deformable or resilient ferrule clamped or locked onto the neck of the container by displacing, e.g. sliding, a sleeve surrounding the ferrule]
11/305 . . . . [Sealing arrangements around pump actuating stem]
11/3052 . . . . [Actuation means (locking means thereof B05B 11/3059; B05B 11/309 takes precedence)]
11/3053 . . . . [combined with means, other than pressure, for automatically opening a valve during actuation; combined with means for automatically removing closures or covers from the discharge nozzle during actuation]
11/3054 . . . . [the valve being located upstream of an outlet valve]
11/3056 . . . . [comprising rotatable or articulated levers (lever actuated piston pumps B05B 11/309, lever actuated pumps with deformable chamber B05B 11/3029; B05B 11/3053 take precedence)]
11/3057 . . . . [Triggers, i.e. actuation means consisting of a single lever having one end rotating or pivoting around an axis or a hinge fixedly attached to the container, and another end directly actuated by the user]
11/3059 . . . . [Means for locking a pump or its actuation means in a fixed position (B05B 11/3091 takes precedence)]
11/306 . . . . [in a retracted position, e.g. in an end-of-dispensing-stroke position]
11/3061 . . . . [Pump priming means]
11/3063 . . . . [Air exhausted from the pump chamber being discharged into the container during priming]
11/3064 . . . . [Pump inlet and outlet valve elements integrally formed of a deformable material (pump chambers having a deformable wall integrally formed with inlet and outlet valve elements B05B 11/3033)]
11/3066 . . . . [Pump inlet valves (B05B 11/3018, B05B 11/3019, B05B 11/3064 take precedence)]
11/3067 . . . . [actuated by pressure]
11/3069 . . . . [the valve being made of a resiliently deformable material or being urged in a closed position by a spring]
11/307 . . . . [Gate valves; Sliding valves]
11/3071 . . . . [Two inlet valves being placed in a supply conduit one upstream of the other]
11/3073 . . . . [Springs]
11/3074 . . . . [located outside pump chambers]
11/3076 . . . . [Traction springs, e.g. stretchable sleeve]
11/3077 . . . . [characterized by a particular shape or material (B05B 11/3076 takes precedence)]
11/3078 . . . . [Vacuum chambers acting like springs]
11/308 . . . . [Means for counting the number of dispensing strokes]
11/3081 . . . . [Arrangements for pumping several liquids or other fluent materials from several containers, e.g. for mixing them at the moment of pumping]
11/3083 . . . . [in adjustable proportion]
11/3084 . . . . [each liquid or other fluent material being pumped by a separate pump]
11/3085 . . . . [the pumps being coaxial]
11/3087 . . . . [Combination of liquid and air pumps]
11/3088 . . . . [the pump being a double-acting pump]
11/3089 . . . . [the dispensing stroke being effected by the stored energy of a spring (B05B 11/3088 takes precedence)]
11/3091 . . . . [being first hold in a loaded state by locking means or the like, then released (B05B 11/3092 takes precedence)]
11/3092 . . . . [automatically released from a loaded state at the end of the loading stroke]
11/3094 . . . . [having inlet or outlet valves not being actuated by pressure or having no inlet or outlet valve]
11/3095 . . . . [with movable suction side]
11/3097 . . . . [with means for sucking back the liquid or other fluent material in the nozzle after a dispensing stroke]
11/3098 . . . . [Air being permanently entrapped or sucked into the liquid pump chamber]
Arrangements for controlling delivery; Arrangements for controlling the spray area

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/00 is impacted by reclassification into groups B05B 12/16, B05B 12/18, B05B 12/20, B05B 12/22, B05B 12/24, B05B 12/26, B05B 12/28, B05B 12/30, B05B 12/32, B05B 12/34, B05B 12/36.

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

12/002 . . . (Manually-actuated controlling means, e.g. push buttons, levers or triggers (for single units B05B 11/00))

12/0022 . . . [associated with means for restricting their movement]

12/0024 . . . [to a single position]

12/0026 . . . . . . [to inhibit delivery]

12/004 . . [comprising sensors for monitoring the delivery, e.g. by displaying the sensed value or generating an alarm (B05B 12/08 takes precedence; registering or indicating the condition or the working of machines or other apparatus in general G07C 3/00)]

12/006 . . . [Pressure or flow rate sensors]

12/008 . . . [integrated in or attached to a discharge apparatus, e.g. a spray gun]

12/02 . . for controlling time, or sequence, of delivery

12/04 . . . for sequential operation or multiple outlets

12/06 . . . for effecting pulsating flow (nozzles, spray head or outlet with means for generating a discharge of pulsating nature B05B 1/08)

12/08 . . responsive to condition of liquid or other fluent material [to be] discharged, of ambient medium or of target {; responsive to condition of spray devices or of supply means, e.g. pipes, pumps or their drive means}

12/081 . . . [responsive to the weight of a reservoir or container for liquid or other fluent material; responsive to level or volume of liquid or other fluent material in a reservoir or container]

12/082 . . . [responsive to a condition of the discharged jet or spray, e.g. to jet shape, spray pattern or droplet size]

12/084 . . . [responsive to condition of liquid or other fluent material already sprayed on the target, e.g. coating thickness, weight or pattern]

12/085 . . . [responsive to flow or pressure of liquid or other fluent material to be discharged (B05B 1/3006, B05B 1/323, B05B 7/1254 take precedence)]

12/087 . . . [Flow or pressure regulators, i.e. non-electric unitary devices comprising a sensing element, e.g. a piston or a membrane, and a controlling element, e.g. a valve]

12/088 . . . . . [the sensing element being a flexible member, e.g. membrane, diaphragm, bellows]

12/10 . . responsive to temperature or viscosity of liquid or other fluent material discharged

12/12 . . responsive to conditions of ambient medium or target, e.g. humidity, temperature {position or movement of the target relative to the spray apparatus (B05B 12/082, B05B 12/084 take precedence)}

12/122 . . . [responsive to presence or shape of target (B05B 12/124 takes precedence)]

12/124 . . . [responsive to distance between spray apparatus and target]

12/126 . . . [responsive to target velocity, e.g. to relative velocity between spray apparatus and target (B05B 9/06 takes precedence)]

12/14 . for supplying a selected one of a plurality of liquids or other fluent materials {or several in selected proportions} to a {spray apparatus, e.g. to a} single spray outlet

12/1409 . . . [the selection means being part of the discharge apparatus, e.g. part of the spray gun]

12/1418 . . . [for supplying several liquids or other fluent materials in selected proportions to a single spray outlet (controlling ratio of two or more flows of fluid G05D 11/02)]

12/1427 . . . . . . [a condition of a first liquid or other fluent material in a first supply line controlling a condition of a second one in a second supply line]

12/1436 . . . . . . [the controlling condition of the first liquid or other fluent material in the first supply line being its flow rate or its pressure]

12/1445 . . . . . . [pumping means for the liquids or other fluent materials being mechanically linked, e.g. master and slave pumps]

12/1454 . . . . . . [separate units comprising both a material container and a spray device permanently connected thereto being removable attached to a part of the spray apparatus, e.g. to a robot arm]

12/1463 . . . . . . [separate containers for different materials to be sprayed being moved from a first location, e.g. a filling station, where they are fluidically disconnected from the spraying apparatus, to a second location, generally close to the spraying apparatus, where they are fluidically connected to the latter (B05B 12/1454 takes precedence)]

12/1472 . . . . . . [separate supply lines supplying different materials to separate outlets of the spraying apparatus (B05B 12/1454 takes precedence)]

12/1481 . . . . . . [comprising pigs, i.e. movable elements sealingly received in supply pipes, for separating different fluids, e.g. liquid coating materials from solvent or air (cleaning pipes with pigs B08B 9/0557, pigs per se F16L 55/26)]

12/149 . . . . . . [characterised by colour change manifolds or valves therefor (B05B 12/1409 takes precedence)]

12/16 . . for controlling the spray area (B05B 3/00 takes precedence)

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/16 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00. Group B05B 12/16 is also impacted by reclassification into group B05B 12/32.

Groups B05B 12/00, B05B 12/16, and B05B 12/32 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
using fluids, e.g. gas streams

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/18 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/18 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Masking elements, i.e. elements defining uncoated areas on an object to be coated

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/20 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/20 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

movable relative to the spray area

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/22 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/22 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

made at least partly of flexible material, e.g. sheets of paper or fabric

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/24 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/24 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

for masking cavities

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/26 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/26 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

for defining uncoated areas that are not enclosed within coated areas or vice versa, e.g. for defining U-shaped border lines

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/28 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/28 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Specially adapted for vehicle wheels

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/30 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/30 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Shielding elements, i.e. elements preventing overspray from reaching areas other than the object to be sprayed (nozzles with integral shielding elements B05B 1/28)

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/32 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/16.

Groups B05B 12/00, B05B 12/16, and B05B 12/32 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

movable relative to the spray area

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/34 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/22.

Groups B05B 12/00, B05B 12/22, and B05B 12/34 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Side shields, i.e. shields extending in a direction substantially parallel to the spray jet

**WARNING**

Group B05B 12/36 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 12/00.

Groups B05B 12/00 and B05B 12/36 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Devices for making a normally hidden area accessible for the spray material

**WARNING**

Group B05B 13/02 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 13/00.

Groups B05B 13/00 and B05B 13/02 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Machines or plants for applying liquids or other fluent materials to surfaces of objects or other work by spraying, not covered by groups B05B 1/00 - B05B 11/00 (B05B 5/08 takes precedence); means for supplying or discharging liquid or other fluent material for this purpose; see the relevant preceding groups; processes for applying liquids or other fluent materials to surfaces in general B05D

mounted on vehicles or designed to apply a liquid on a very large surface, e.g. on the road, on the surface of large containers

**WARNING**

Group B05B 13/05 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 13/00.

Groups B05B 13/00 and B05B 13/05 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

Means for supporting work; Arrangement or mounting of spray heads; Adaptation or arrangement of means for feeding work (B05B 13/06 takes precedence)

the work being an elongated body, e.g. wire or pipe (B05B 13/0436, B05B 13/0463 take precedence)
Installation or apparatus for applying liquid or other fluent material to moving work of indefinite length.

(with reciprocating or oscillating spray heads)

(with spray heads reciprocating along a straight line)

(the angular position of the spray heads relative to the straight line being modified during the reciprocating movement)

(with spray heads having a circular motion, e.g. being attached to a rotating supporting element)

(around the moving work)

(with spray heads being moved along a closed path)

(specially designed for treating the inside of hollow bodies)

(specially adapted for treating the inside of hollow bodies)

(only a part of the inside of the hollow bodies being treated)

(Arrangements of nozzles or spray heads specially adapted for treating the inside of hollow bodies)

(by means of portable spray heads or nozzles)

(the hollow bodies being rotated during treatment operation)

(and a treating nozzles being translated through the hollow bodies in a direction essentially parallel to the rotational axis)

(the hollow bodies being automatically fed to, or removed from, the machine)

(Installation or apparatus for applying liquid or other fluent material to elongated bodies, e.g. light poles, pipes)

(Installation or apparatus for applying liquid or other fluent material to elongated bodies, e.g. hose-menders, from inside the pipe)

(Arrangements or apparatus for collecting, re-using or eliminating excess spraying material (arrangements integral with nozzles))

(unspecialised)

(by cleaning the walls of the booth)
14/42 . . . using electrostatic means
14/43 . . . by filtering the air charged with excess material
14/435 . . . with means for cleaning the filters by gas flow, e.g. blasts of air
14/437 . . . [with means for introducing solid material into the air charged with excess material for preventing clogging of the filter]
14/44 . . . using walls specially adapted for promoting separation of the excess material from the air, e.g. baffle plates (using wetted walls B05B 14/465)
14/45 . . . using cyclone separators
14/46 . . . by washing the air charged with excess material
14/462 . . . and separating the excess material from the washing liquid, e.g. for recovery
14/463 . . . [by means of ultrafiltration]
14/465 . . . using substantially vertical liquid curtains or wetted walls behind the object to be sprayed
14/468 . . . with scrubbing means arranged below the booth floor
14/469 . . . [wherein the washing material is the spraying material]
14/48 . . . specially adapted for particulate material
14/49 . . . specially adapted for solvents

15/00 Details of spraying plant or spraying apparatus not otherwise provided for; Accessories

**WARNING**

Group B05B 15/00 is impacted by reclassification into groups B05B 15/14 and B05B 15/18.

Groups B05B 15/00, B05B 15/14, and B05B 15/18 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/14 . . . Arrangements for preventing or controlling structural damage to spraying apparatus or its outlets, e.g. for breaking at desired places; Arrangements for handling or replacing damaged parts

**WARNING**

Group B05B 15/14 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 15/00.

Groups B05B 15/00 and B05B 15/14 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/16 . . . for preventing non-intended contact between spray heads or nozzles and foreign bodies, e.g. nozzle guards

15/18 . . . for improving resistance to wear, e.g. inserts or coatings; for indicating wear; for handling or replacing worn parts

**WARNING**

Group B05B 15/18 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 15/00.

Groups B05B 15/00 and B05B 15/18 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/20 . . . Arrangements for agitating the material to be sprayed, e.g. for stirring, mixing or homogenising
15/25 . . . using moving elements, e.g. rotating blades
15/30 . Dip tubes
15/33 . Weighted
15/37 . . . with decorative elements
15/40 . Filters located upstream of the spraying outlets
15/50 . Arrangements for cleaning; Arrangements for preventing deposits, drying-out or blockage; Arrangements for detecting improper discharge caused by the presence of foreign matter

**WARNING**

Group B05B 15/50 is impacted by reclassification into group B05B 15/58.

Groups B05B 15/50 and B05B 15/58 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/52 . . . for removal of clogging particles
15/522 . . . using cleaning elements penetrating the discharge openings
15/5223 . . . [the cleaning element, e.g. a needle, and the discharge opening being movable relative to each other in a direction substantially parallel to the flow of liquid or other fluent material through said opening]
15/5225 . . . [the cleaning element being located upstream of the discharge opening or being actuated upstream therefrom]
15/525 . . . by increasing the cross section of the discharge openings
15/528 . . . by resilient deformation of the nozzle
15/531 . . . using backflow
15/534 . . . [by reversing the nozzle relative to the supply conduit
15/55 . . . using cleaning fluids
15/555 . . . discharged by cleaning nozzles
15/557 . . . [the cleaning fluid being a mixture of gas and liquid]
15/58 . . . preventing deposits, drying-out or blockage by recirculating the fluid to be sprayed from upstream of the discharge opening back to the supplying means (B05B 15/3093 takes precedence)

**WARNING**

Group B05B 15/58 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 15/50.

Groups B05B 15/50 and B05B 15/58 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.
15/60 . Arrangements for mounting, supporting or holding spraying apparatus

**WARNING**
Group B05B 15/60 is impacted by reclassification into group B05B 15/63.
Groups B05B 15/60 and B05B 15/63 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/62 . . Arrangements for supporting spraying apparatus, e.g. suction cups

15/622 . . . ground-penetrating
15/625 . . . designed to be placed on the ground
15/628 . . . of variable length
15/63 . . . Handgrips

**WARNING**
Group B05B 15/63 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 15/60.
Groups B05B 15/60 and B05B 15/63 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/65 . . Mounting arrangements for fluid connection of the spraying apparatus or its outlets to flow conduits
15/652 . . . whereby the jet can be oriented
15/654 . . . using universal joints
15/656 . . . whereby the flow conduit length is changeable
15/658 . . . the spraying apparatus or its outlet axis being perpendicular to the flow conduit
15/68 . . Arrangements for adjusting the position of spray heads (B05B 15/628, B05B 15/652, B05B 15/656 take precedence)
15/70 . Arrangements for moving spray heads automatically to or from the working position

**WARNING**
Group B05B 15/70 is impacted by reclassification into groups B05B 15/72 and B05B 15/74.
Groups B05B 15/70, B05B 15/72, and B05B 15/74 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/72 . . using hydraulic or pneumatic means

**WARNING**
Group B05B 15/72 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 15/70.
Groups B05B 15/70 and B05B 15/72 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/74 . . . driven by the discharged fluid

**WARNING**
Group B05B 15/74 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group B05B 15/70.
Groups B05B 15/70 and B05B 15/74 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.

15/80 . Arrangements in which the spray area is not enclosed, e.g. spray tables

16/00 Spray booths (arrangements for collecting, re-using or eliminating excess spraying material in spray booths B05B 14/40)

16/20 . Arrangements for spraying in combination with other operations, e.g. drying; Arrangements enabling a combination of spraying operations
16/25 . . . for both automatic and manual spraying
16/40 . . . Construction elements specially adapted therefor, e.g. floors, walls or ceilings (ceiling elements filtering inflow of air into the booth B05B 16/60; walls specially adapted for promoting separation of excess material B05B 14/44)

16/405 . . . (Partly or totally cylindrical walls; Round floors)
16/60 . . Ventilation arrangements specially adapted therefor
16/80 . . Movable spray booths
16/90 . . . [comprising conveying means for moving objects or other work to be sprayed in and out of the booth, e.g. through the booth]
16/95 . . . (the objects or other work to be sprayed lying on, or being held above the conveying means, i.e. not hanging from the conveying means)

17/00 Apparatus for spraying or atomising liquids or other fluent materials, not covered by the preceding groups (dropping or releasing powdered, liquid or gaseous matter in flight B64D 1/16)

17/04 . operating with special methods
17/06 . . . using ultrasonic { or other kinds of } vibrations
17/0607 . . . [generated by electrical means, e.g. piezoelectric transducers]
17/0615 . . . [spray being produced at the free surface of the liquid or other fluent material in a container and subjected to the vibrations]
17/0623 . . . [coupled with a vibrating horn]
17/063 . . . . . . (having an internal channel for supplying the liquid or other fluent material)
17/0638 . . . . . . [spray being produced by discharging the liquid or other fluent material through a plate comprising a plurality of orifices]
17/0646 . . . . . . { Vibrating plates, i.e. plates being directly subjected to the vibrations, e.g. having a piezoelectric transducer attached thereto }
17/0653 . . . . . . { Details }
17/0661 . . . . . . { Transducer materials }
17/0669 . . . . . . { Excitation frequencies }
17/0676 . . . . . . { Feeding means }
17/0684 . . . . . . { Wicks or the like }
17/0692 . . . . . . [generated by a fluid {B05B 17/0607 takes precedence}]
17/068 . . Fountains (drinking fountains E03B 9/20; wash fountains E03C 1/16)
17/085 . . (designed to produce sheets or curtains of liquid, e.g. water walls)