

CPC COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION

G PHYSICS

(NOTES omitted)

INSTRUMENTS

G01 MEASURING; TESTING

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G01N INVESTIGATING OR ANALYSING MATERIALS BY DETERMINING THEIR CHEMICAL OR PHYSICAL PROPERTIES (measuring or testing processes other than immunoassay, involving enzymes or microorganisms [C12M](#), [C12Q](#))

NOTES

- In this subclass, the following terms are used with the meanings indicated :
 - "investigating" means testing or determining;
 - "materials" includes solid, liquid or gaseous media, e.g. the atmosphere.
- Attention is drawn to the Notes following the title of class [G01](#).
- Investigating the properties of materials, specially adapted for use in processes covered by subclass [B23K](#), is classified in group [B23K 31/12](#).

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	Sampling; Preparing specimens for investigation	2001/1006	. . . . {Dispersed solids}
2001/002	. {Devices for supplying or distributing samples to an analysing apparatus}	2001/1012	. . . . {Suspensions}
2001/005	. . {Packages for mailing or similar transport of samples}	2001/1018	. . . . . {Gas suspensions; Fluidised beds}
2001/007	. . {Devices specially adapted for forensic samples, e.g. tamper-proofing, sample tracking}	2001/1025	. . . . . {Liquid suspensions; Slurries; Mud; Sludge}
1/02	. Devices for withdrawing samples {(sampling of foundation soil E02D 1/04 ; collecting or conveying radioactive samples G01T 7/00 , e.g. G01T 7/02 , G01T 7/08)}	2001/1031	. . . . {Sampling from special places}
2001/021	. . {Correlating sampling sites with geographical information, e.g. GPS}	2001/1037	. . . . {from an enclosure (hazardous waste, radioactive)}
2001/022	. . {sampling for security purposes, e.g. contraband, warfare agents}	2001/1043	. . . . {from sewers}
2001/024	. . . . {passengers or luggage}	2001/105	. . . . {from high-pressure reactors or lines}
2001/025	. . . . {postal items}	2001/1056	. . . . {Disposable (single-use) samplers}
2001/027	. . . . {field kits / quick test kits}	2001/1062	. . . . {Sampling under constant temperature, pressure, or the like}
2001/028	. . {Sampling from a surface, swabbing, vaporising}	2001/1068	. . . . {Cooling sample below melting point}
1/04	. . in the solid state, e.g. by cutting	2001/1075	. . . . {Trapping evaporated liquids by cooling}
2001/045	. . . . {Laser ablation; Microwave vaporisation}	2001/1081	. . . . {Storing samples under refrigeration}
1/06	. . . . providing a thin slice, e.g. microtome	2001/1087	. . . . {Categories of sampling}
2001/061	. . . . . {Blade details}	2001/1093	. . . . {Composite sampling; Cumulative sampling}
2001/063	. . . . . {with sawing action}	1/12	. . . . Dippers; Dredgers
2001/065	. . . . . {Drive details}	1/125	. . . . . {adapted for sampling molten metals}
2001/066	. . . . . {electric}	1/14	. . . . Suction devices, e.g. pumps; Ejector devices
2001/068	. . . . . {Illumination means}	1/1409	. . . . . {adapted for sampling molten metals}
1/08	. . . involving an extracting tool, e.g. core bit	2001/1418	. . . . . {Depression, aspiration}
2001/085	. . . . . {Grabs}	2001/1427	. . . . . {Positive displacement, piston, peristaltic}
1/10	. . in the liquid or fluent state {(burettes, pipettes B01L 3/02 ; sampling of ground water E02D 1/06 ; metering by volume of fluids or fluent solid material G01F 11/00 , G01F 13/00)}	2001/1436	. . . . . {Ejector}
		2001/1445	. . . . . {Overpressure, pressurisation at sampling point}
		2001/1454	. . . . . {Positive displacement, piston}
		2001/1463	. . . . . {Injector; Air-lift}
		2001/1472	. . . . . {Devices not actuated by pressure difference}
		2001/1481	. . . . . {Archimedian screw; Auger}

G01N

- 2001/149 {Capillaries; Sponges}
- 1/16 . . . with provision for intake at several levels
([G01N 1/2035](#)) [G01N 1/12](#), [G01N 1/14](#) take precedence)
- 1/18 . . . with provision for splitting samples into portions ([G01N 1/12](#), [G01N 1/14](#) take precedence; fraction-collection apparatus for chromatography [B01D 15/08](#))
- 2001/185 {Conveyor of containers successively filled}
- 1/20 . . . for flowing or falling materials
([G01N 1/2035](#)) [G01N 1/12](#), [G01N 1/14](#) take precedence)
- 2001/2007 {Flow conveyors}
- 2001/2014 {Pneumatic conveyors}
- 2001/2021 {falling under gravity}
- 2001/2028 {Belts}
- 1/2035 {by deviating part of a fluid stream, e.g. by drawing-off or tapping}
- 1/2042 {using a piston actuated by the pressure of the liquid to be sampled}
- 2001/205 {using a valve}
- 2001/2057 {Sample chamber in a valve/piston}
- 2001/2064 {using a by-pass loop}
- 2001/2071 {Removable sample bottle}
- 2001/2078 {Pre-evacuated bottle}
- 2001/2085 {Non-pre-evacuated septum closed bottles}
- 2001/2092 {Cross-cut sampling}
- 1/22 . . . in the gaseous state {(specially adapted for biological material [G01N 33/497](#); measuring breath flow [A61B 5/087](#))}
- 1/2202 . . . {involving separation of sample components during sampling}
- 1/2205 {with filters}
- 1/2208 {with impactors}
- 1/2211 {with cyclones}
- 1/2214 {by sorption}
- 2001/2217 {using a liquid}
- 2001/222 {Other features}
- 2001/2223 {aerosol sampling devices}
- 1/2226 . . . {Sampling from a closed space, e.g. food package, head space}
- 2001/2229 {Headspace sampling, i.e. vapour over liquid}
- 2001/2232 {using a membrane, i.e. pervaporation}
- 2001/2235 {over a melt, e.g. furnace}
- 2001/2238 {the gas being compressed or pressurized}
- 2001/2241 {purpose-built sampling enclosure for emissions}
- 2001/2244 . . . {Exhaled gas, e.g. alcohol detecting}
- 1/2247 . . . {Sampling from a flowing stream of gas}
- 2001/225 {isokinetic, same flow rate for sample and bulk gas}
- 1/2252 {in a vehicle exhaust}
- 2001/2255 {with dilution of the sample}
- 1/2258 {in a stack or chimney}
- 2001/2261 {preventing condensation (heating lines)}
- 2001/2264 {with dilution}
- 2001/2267 {separating gas from liquid, e.g. bubbles}
- 2001/227 {separating gas from solid, e.g. filter}
- 1/2273 . . . {Atmospheric sampling}
- 2001/2276 {Personal monitors}
- 2001/2279 {high altitude, e.g. rockets, balloons}
- 2001/2282 {with cooling means}
- 2001/2285 {Details of probe structures}
- 2001/2288 {Filter arrangements}
- 2001/2291 {Movable probes, e.g. swivelling, swinging}
- 1/2294 {Sampling soil gases or the like}
- 2001/2297 {Timing devices}
- 1/24 Suction devices {([G01N 1/22](#) - [G01N 1/2294](#) take precedence)}
- 2001/241 {Bellows}
- 2001/242 {Injectors or ejectors}
- 2001/244 {using critical flow orifices}
- 2001/245 {Fans}
- 2001/247 {Syringes}
- 2001/248 {Evacuated containers}
- 1/26 . . . with provision for intake from several spaces
- 1/28 . . . Preparing specimens for investigation {including physical details of (bio-)chemical methods covered elsewhere, e.g. [G01N 33/50](#), [C12Q](#)} (mounting specimens on microscopic slides [G02B 21/34](#); means for supporting the objects or the materials to be analysed in electron microscopes [H01J 37/20](#) (; laboratory gas handling apparatus [B01L 5/00](#))}
- 1/2806 . . . {Means for preparing replicas of specimens, e.g. for microscopical analysis}
- 1/2813 . . . {Producing thin layers of samples on a substrate, e.g. smearing, spinning-on ([G01N 1/30](#) takes precedence)}
- 2001/282 {with mapping; Identification of areas; Spatial correlated pattern}
- 2001/2826 {Collecting by adsorption or absorption}
- 2001/2833 {Collecting samples on a sticky, tacky, adhesive surface}
- 2001/284 {using local activation of adhesive, i.e. Laser Capture Microdissection}
- 2001/2846 {Cytocentrifuge method}
- 1/2853 {Shadowing samples}
- 1/286 {involving mechanical work, e.g. chopping, disintegrating, compacting, homogenising ([microtomes G01N 1/06](#); pulverising in general [B02C](#); mixing in general [B01F](#))}
- 2001/2866 {Grinding or homogeneising}
- 2001/2873 {Cutting or cleaving}
- 2001/288 {Filter punches}
- 2001/2886 {Laser cutting, e.g. tissue catapult}
- 2001/2893 {Preparing calibration standards}
- 1/30 . . . Staining; Impregnating (; Fixation; Dehydration; Multistep processes for preparing samples of tissue, cell or nucleic acid material and the like for analysis}
- 2001/302 {Stain compositions}
- 2001/305 {Fixative compositions}
- 2001/307 {non-toxic, no Hg, no formaldehyde}
- 1/31 Apparatus therefor
- 1/312 {for samples mounted on planar substrates}
- 2001/315 {Basket-type carriers for tissues}
- 2001/317 {spraying liquids onto surfaces}
- 1/32 Polishing; Etching
- 1/34 Purifying; Cleaning {(processes or apparatus for extracting or separating nucleic acids from biological samples [C12N 15/1003](#))}
- 1/36 Embedding or analogous mounting of samples
- 2001/362 {using continuous plastic film to mount sample}

2001/364	. . . {using resins, epoxy}	3/12	. . . Pressure testing
2001/366	. . . {Moulds; Demoulding}	3/14	. . generated by dead weight, e.g. pendulum; generated by springs tension (G01N 3/18 takes precedence)
2001/368	. . . {Mounting multiple samples in one block, e.g. TMA [Tissue Microarrays]}	3/16	. . applied through gearing (G01N 3/18 takes precedence)
1/38	. . Diluting, dispersing or mixing samples	3/165	. . . {generated by rotation, i.e. centrifugal force (for testing structures or apparatus G01M 99/004)}
2001/381	. . . {by membrane diffusion; Permeation tubes}	3/18	. . Performing tests at high or low temperatures
2001/382	. . . {using pistons of different sections}	3/20	. by applying steady bending forces (G01N 3/26 , G01N 3/28 take precedence)
2001/383	. . . {collecting and diluting in a flow of liquid}	3/22	. by applying steady torsional forces (G01N 3/26 , G01N 3/28 take precedence)
2001/385	. . . {diluting by adsorbing a fraction of the sample}	3/24	. by applying steady shearing forces (G01N 3/26 , G01N 3/28 take precedence)
2001/386	. . . {Other diluting or mixing processes}	3/26	. Investigating twisting or coiling properties
2001/387	. . . . {mixing by blowing a gas, bubbling}	3/28	. Investigating ductility, e.g. suitability of sheet metal for deep-drawing or spinning
2001/388	. . . . {mixing the sample with a tracer}	3/30	. by applying a single impulsive force, e.g. by falling weight
1/40	. . Concentrating samples	3/303	. . generated only by free-falling weight
1/4005	. . . {by transferring a selected component through a membrane}	3/307	. . generated by a compressed or tensile-stressed spring; generated by pneumatic or hydraulic means
2001/4011	. . . . {being a ion-exchange membrane}	3/31	. . generated by a rotating fly-wheel
2001/4016	. . . . {being a selective membrane, e.g. dialysis or osmosis}	3/313	. . generated by explosives
1/4022	. . . {by thermal techniques; Phase changes}	3/317	. . generated by electromagnetic means
2001/4027	. . . . {evaporation leaving a concentrated sample}	3/32	. by applying repeated or pulsating forces
2001/4033	. . . . {sample concentrated on a cold spot, e.g. condensation or distillation}	3/34	. . generated by mechanical means, e.g. hammer blows
2001/4038	. . . {electric methods, e.g. electromigration, electrophoresis, ionisation}	3/36	. . generated by pneumatic or hydraulic means
1/4044	. . . {by chemical techniques; Digestion; Chemical decomposition}	3/38	. . generated by electromagnetic means
1/405	. . . {by adsorption or absorption}	3/40	. Investigating hardness or rebound hardness
1/4055	. . . {by solubility techniques}	3/405	. . {by determining the vibration frequency of a sensing element in contact with the specimen}
2001/4061	. . . . {Solvent extraction}	3/42	. . by performing impressions under a steady load by indentors, e.g. sphere, pyramid (G01N 3/54 takes precedence)
2001/4066	. . . . {using difference of solubility between liquid and gas, e.g. bubbling, scrubbing or sparging}	3/44	. . . the indentors being put under a minor load and a subsequent major load, i.e. Rockwell system
2001/4072	. . . . {membraneless transfer of a component between two parallel laminar flows of fluid}	3/46	. . . the indentors performing a scratching movement
1/4077	. . . {by other techniques involving separation of suspended solids}	3/48	. . by performing impressions under impulsive load by indentors, e.g. falling ball (G01N 3/54 takes precedence)
2001/4083	. . . . {sedimentation}	3/50	. . by measuring rolling friction, e.g. by rocking pendulum (G01N 3/54 takes precedence)
2001/4088	. . . . {filtration}	3/52	. . by measuring extent of rebound of a striking body (G01N 3/54 takes precedence)
2001/4094	. . . . {using ultrasound}	3/54	. . Performing tests at high or low temperatures
1/42	. . Low-temperature sample treatment, e.g. cryofixation	3/56	. Investigating resistance to wear or abrasion
1/44	. . Sample treatment involving radiation, e.g. heat	3/562	. . {using radioactive tracers}
3/00	Investigating strength properties of solid materials by application of mechanical stress	3/565	. . {of granular or particulate material}
	NOTE	3/567	. . {by submitting the specimen to the action of a fluid or of a fluidised material, e.g. cavitation, jet abrasion (G01N 3/565 takes precedence)}
	This group covers the stressing of materials not only below but also beyond the elastic limit, e.g. until breaking occurs.	3/58	. Investigating machinability by cutting tools; Investigating the cutting ability of tools
3/02	. Details	3/60	. Investigating resistance of materials, e.g. refractory materials, to rapid heat changes {(thermal testing of structures or apparatus G01M 99/002)}
3/04	. . Chucks		
3/06	. . Special adaptations of indicating or recording means		
3/062	. . . {with mechanical indicating or recording means}		
3/064	. . . {with hydraulic indicating or recording means}		
3/066	. . . {with electrical indicating or recording means}		
3/068	. . . {with optical indicating or recording means}		
3/08	. by applying steady tensile or compressive forces (G01N 3/28 takes precedence)		
3/10	. . generated by pneumatic or hydraulic pressure (G01N 3/18 takes precedence)		

- 3/62 . . Manufacturing, calibrating, or repairing devices used in investigations covered by the preceding subgroups
- 5/00** **Analysing materials by weighing, e.g. weighing small particles separated from a gas or liquid** ([G01N 9/00](#) takes precedence ; [weighing per se G01G](#))
- 5/02 . . by absorbing or adsorbing components of a material and determining change of weight of the adsorbent, e.g. determining moisture content ([absorption bulbs B01D 53/00](#))
- 5/025 . . {for determining moisture content}
- 5/04 . . by removing a component, e.g. by evaporation, and weighing the remainder
- 5/045 . . {for determining moisture content}
- 7/00** **Analysing materials by measuring the pressure or volume of a gas or vapour**
- 7/02 . . by absorption, adsorption, or combustion of components and measurement of the change in pressure or volume of the remainder ([absorption bulbs B01D 53/00](#))
- 7/04 . . by absorption or adsorption alone
- 7/06 . . by combustion alone
- 7/08 . . by combustion followed by absorption or adsorption of the combustion products
- 7/10 . . by allowing diffusion of components through a porous wall and measuring a pressure or volume difference
- 7/12 . . the diffusion being followed by combustion or catalytic oxidation
- 7/14 . . by allowing the material to emit a gas or vapour, e.g. water vapour, and measuring a pressure or volume difference ([determining urea G01N 33/48742](#))
- 7/16 . . by heating the material
- 7/18 . . by allowing the material to react
- 7/20 . . . the reaction being fermentation
- 7/22 of dough
- 9/00** **Investigating density or specific gravity of materials; Analysing materials by determining density or specific gravity**
- 9/002 . . {using variation of the resonant frequency of an element vibrating in contact with the material submitted to analysis ([G01N 9/34](#) takes precedence)}
- 2009/004 . . {comparing frequencies of two elements}
- 2009/006 . . {vibrating tube, tuning fork}
- 2009/008 . . {Schlatter vibrating vane type}
- 9/02 . . by measuring weight of a known volume
- 2009/022 . . {of solids}
- 2009/024 . . . {the volume being determined directly, e.g. by size of container}
- 2009/026 . . . {the volume being determined by amount of fluid displaced}
- 2009/028 {a gas being used as displacement fluid}
- 9/04 . . of fluids
- 9/06 . . . with continuous circulation through a pivotally supported member
- 9/08 . . by measuring buoyant force of solid materials by weighing both in air and in a liquid
- 9/10 . . by observing bodies wholly or partially immersed in fluid materials
- 9/12 . . by observing the depth of immersion of the bodies, e.g. hydrometers
- 9/14 . . . the body being built into a container
- 9/16 . . . the body being pivoted
- 9/18 . . . Special adaptations for indicating, recording, or control
- 9/20 . . by balancing the weight of the bodies
- 9/22 . . . with continuous circulation of the fluid
- 9/24 . . by observing the transmission of wave or particle radiation through the material
- 9/26 . . by measuring pressure differences
- 2009/263 . . {using vertically-movable pressure transducer}
- 9/266 . . {for determining gas density}
- 9/28 . . by measuring the blowing pressure of gas bubbles escaping from nozzles at different depths in a liquid
- 9/30 . . by using centrifugal effects
- 9/32 . . by using flow properties of fluids, e.g. flow through tubes or apertures
- 9/34 . . by using elements moving through the fluid, e.g. vane
- 9/36 . . Analysing materials by measuring the density or specific gravity, e.g. determining quantity of moisture ([methods of measurement in general G01N 9/02 - G01N 9/32](#))
- 11/00** **Investigating flow properties of materials, e.g. viscosity, plasticity; Analysing materials by determining flow properties**
- 2011/0006 . . {Calibrating, controlling or cleaning viscometers}
- 2011/0013 . . {Temperature compensation}
- 2011/002 . . {Controlling sample temperature; Thermal cycling during measurement}
- 2011/0026 . . {Investigating specific flow properties of non-Newtonian fluids}
- 2011/0033 . . {Yield stress; Residual stress at zero shear rate}
- 2011/004 . . {Stress relaxation time}
- 2011/0046 . . {In situ measurement during mixing process}
- 2011/0053 . . {using ergometry; measuring power consumption}
- 2011/006 . . {Determining flow properties indirectly by measuring other parameters of the system}
- 2011/0066 . . {electrical properties}
- 2011/0073 . . {acoustic properties}
- 2011/008 . . {optical properties}
- 2011/0086 . . {magnetic properties}
- 2011/0093 . . {thermal properties}
- 11/02 . . by measuring flow of the material
- 11/04 . . through a restricted passage, e.g. tube, aperture
- 11/06 . . . by timing the outflow of a known quantity
- 11/08 . . . by measuring pressure required to produce a known flow
- 11/10 . . by moving a body within the material
- 11/105 . . {by detecting the balance position of a float moving in a duct conveying the fluid under test}
- 11/12 . . by measuring rising or falling speed of the body; by measuring penetration of wedged gauges ([G01N 11/16](#) takes precedence)
- 11/14 . . by using rotary bodies, e.g. vane ([G01N 11/16](#) takes precedence)
- 11/142 . . . {Sample held between two members substantially perpendicular to axis of rotation, e.g. parallel plate viscometer}
- 2011/145 {both members rotating}

- 2011/147 . . . {Magnetic coupling}
- 11/16 . . by measuring damping effect upon oscillatory body
- 11/162 . . . {Oscillations being torsional, e.g. produced by rotating bodies}
- 11/165 {Sample held between two members substantially perpendicular to axis of rotation, e.g. parallel plate viscometer}
- 11/167 {Sample holder oscillates, e.g. rotating crucible}
- 13/00 Investigating surface or boundary effects, e.g. wetting power; Investigating diffusion effects; Analysing materials by determining surface, boundary, or diffusion effects (scanning-probe techniques or apparatus G01Q)**
- 2013/003 . {Diffusion; diffusivity between liquids}
- 2013/006 . {Dissolution of tablets or the like}
- 13/02 . Investigating surface tension of liquids
- 2013/0208 . . {by measuring contact angle}
- 2013/0216 . . {by measuring skin friction or shear force}
- 2013/0225 . . {of liquid metals or solder}
- 2013/0233 . . {Langmuir troughs; thin-film balances}
- 2013/0241 . . {bubble, pendant drop, sessile drop methods}
- 2013/025 . . . {Measuring foam stability}
- 2013/0258 . . . {Oscillating drop methods}
- 2013/0266 . . . {Bubble methods}
- 2013/0275 . . {involving surface-active agents}
- 2013/0283 . . {methods of calculating surface tension}
- 2013/0291 . . {Wilhelmy plate}
- 13/04 . Investigating osmotic effects
- 15/00 Investigating characteristics of particles; Investigating permeability, pore-volume or surface-area of porous materials (identification of microorganisms C12Q)**
- 2015/0003 . {Determining electric mobility, velocity profile, average speed or velocity of a plurality of particles}
- 2015/0007 . {Investigating dispersion of gas}
- 2015/0011 . . {in liquids, e.g. bubbles}
- 2015/0015 . . {in solids}
- 2015/0019 . {Means for transferring or separating particles prior to analysis, e.g. hoppers or particle conveyors}
- 2015/0023 . {Investigating dispersion of liquids}
- 2015/0026 . . {in gas, e.g. fog}
- 2015/003 . . {in liquids, e.g. emulsion}
- 2015/0034 . . {in solids}
- 2015/0038 . {Investigating nanoparticles}
- 2015/0042 . {Investigating dispersion of solids}
- 2015/0046 . . {in gas, e.g. smoke}
- 2015/0049 . . . {of filaments in gas}
- 2015/0053 . . {in liquids, e.g. trouble}
- 2015/0057 . . . {of filaments in liquids}
- 2015/0061 . . {in solids, e.g. petrography}
- 2015/0092 . {Monitoring flocculation or agglomeration}
- 2015/0096 . {Investigating consistence of powders, dustability, dustiness}
- 15/01 . specially adapted for biological cells, e.g. blood cells (investigating sedimentation of particle suspensions in blood G01N 15/05)
- 2015/011 . . {with lysing, e.g. of erythrocytes}
- 2015/012 . . {Red blood cells}
- 2015/014 . . . {Reticulocytes}
- 2015/016 . . {White blood cells}
- 2015/018 . . {Platelets}
- 2015/019 . . {Biological contaminants; Fouling}
- 15/02 . Investigating particle size or size distribution (by measuring osmotic pressure G01N 7/10; investigating sedimentation of particle suspensions G01N 15/04; investigating individual particles G01N 15/10)
- 15/0205 . . by optical means
- 15/0211 . . . {Investigating a scatter or diffraction pattern}
- 2015/0216 {from fluctuations of diffraction pattern}
- 2015/0222 {from dynamic light scattering, e.g. photon correlation spectroscopy}
- 15/0227 . . . using imaging; using holography
- 2015/0233 {using holography}
- 2015/0238 . . . {Single particle scatter}
- 2015/0244 . . . {with cutting-out molecular scatter}
- 2015/025 . . . {Methods for single or grouped particles}
- 15/0255 . . {with mechanical, e.g. inertial, classification, and investigation of sorted collections (with centrifuges G01N 15/042)}
- 2015/0261 . . . {using impactors}
- 15/0266 . . {with electrical classification}
- 15/0272 . . {with screening; with classification by filtering (B01D takes precedence)}
- 2015/0277 . . {Average size only}
- 2015/0283 . . {using control of suspension concentration}
- 2015/0288 . . {Sorting the particles}
- 2015/0294 . . {Particle shape}
- 2015/03 . {Electro-optical investigation of a plurality of particles, the analyser being characterised by the optical arrangement}
- 2015/035 . . {the optical arrangement forming an integrated apparatus with the sample container}
- 15/04 . Investigating sedimentation of particle suspensions
- 15/042 . . {by centrifuging and investigating centrifugates (centrifuges per se B04B)}
- 2015/045 . . . {by optical analysis}
- 2015/047 {by static multidetectors}
- 15/05 . . in blood
- 2015/055 . . . {for hematocrite determination}
- 15/06 . Investigating concentration of particle suspensions (by weighing G01N 5/00; investigating sedimentation of particle suspensions G01N 15/04; investigating individual particles G01N 15/10)
- NOTE**
- References listed below indicate CPC places which could also be of interest when carrying out a search in respect of the subject matter covered by the preceding group and its subgroups:
- Investigating or analysing materials;
 - by the use of optical means: [G01N 21/00](#), e.g. [G01N 21/47](#), [G01N 21/90](#);
 - by other radiations or by particles: [G01N 23/00](#), e.g. [G01N 23/02](#), [G01N 23/201](#);
 - by measuring impedance: [G01N 27/02](#), e.g. [G01N 27/06](#), [G01N 27/22](#);
 - by electrochemical means: [G01N 27/00](#), e.g. [G01N 27/26](#);
 - by measuring absorption of sonic or ultrasonic vibrations: [G01N 29/00](#), e.g. [G01N 29/02](#)
- 15/0606 . . {by collecting particles on a support}

- 15/0612 . . . {Optical scan of the deposits ([G01N 15/0625 takes precedence](#))}
- 15/0618 . . . {of the filter type ([G01N 15/0643 takes precedence](#))}
- 15/0625 {Optical scan of the deposits}
- 15/0631 {Separation of liquids, e.g. by absorption, wicking}
- 15/0637 {Moving support}
- 15/0643 {of the filter type}
- 15/065 . . . {using condensation nuclei counters}
- 15/0656 . . . {using electric, e.g. electrostatic methods or magnetic methods ([by investigating individual particles G01N 15/1031, G01N 15/12](#))}
- 2015/0662 . . . {Comparing before/after passage through filter}
- 2015/0668 . . . {Comparing properties of sample and carrier fluid, e.g. oil in water}
- 2015/0675 . . . {Comparing suspension before/after dilution}
- 2015/0681 . . . {Purposely modifying particles, e.g. humidifying for growing}
- 2015/0687 . . . {in solutions, e.g. non volatile residue}
- 15/075 . . . by optical means
- 15/08 . . . Investigating permeability, pore-volume, or surface area of porous materials
- 15/0806 . . . {Details, e.g. sample holders, mounting samples for testing}
- 2015/0813 . . . {Measuring intrusion, e.g. of mercury}
- 15/082 . . . {Investigating permeability by forcing a fluid through a sample}
- 15/0826 {and measuring fluid flow rate, i.e. permeation rate or pressure change}
- 2015/0833 . . . {Pore surface area}
- 2015/084 . . . {Testing filters}
- 2015/0846 . . . {by use of radiation, e.g. transmitted or reflected light}
- 2015/0853 . . . {by electrical capacitance measurement}
- 2015/086 . . . {of films, membranes or pellicules}
- 2015/0866 . . . {Sorption}
- 2015/0873 {Dynamic sorption, e.g. with flow control means}
- 15/088 . . . {Investigating volume, surface area, size or distribution of pores; Porosimetry}
- 15/0886 {Mercury porosimetry}
- 15/0893 {by measuring weight or volume of sorbed fluid, e.g. B.E.T. method}
- 15/10 . . . Investigating individual particles
- 2015/1006 . . . {for cytology}
- 15/1012 . . . {Calibrating particle analysers; References therefor}
- 2015/1014 {Constitution of reference particles}
- 2015/1016 {Particle flow simulating, e.g. liquid crystal cell}
- 2015/1019 . . . {Associating Coulter-counter and optical flow cytometer [OFC]}
- 2015/1021 . . . {Measuring mass of individual particles}
- 2015/1022 . . . {Measurement of deformation of individual particles by non-optical means}
- 15/1023 . . . {Microstructural devices for non-optical measurement}
- 2015/1024 . . . {Counting particles by non-optical means}
- 2015/1026 . . . {Recognising analyser failures, e.g. bubbles; Quality control for particle analysers}
- 2015/1027 . . . {Determining speed or velocity of a particle}
- 2015/1028 . . . {Sorting particles}
- 2015/1029 . . . {Particle size}
- 2015/103 . . . {Particle shape}
- 15/1031 . . . by measuring electrical or magnetic effects
- 15/12 by observing changes in resistance or impedance across apertures when traversed by individual particles, e.g. by using the Coulter principle
- 15/13 Details pertaining to apertures
- 15/131 {Details ([G01N 15/13 takes precedence](#))}
- 15/132 {Circuits}
- 2015/133 {Flow forming}
- 15/134 {Devices using two or more apertures}
- 2015/135 {Electrodes}
- 2015/136 {Scanning electrodes}
- 2015/137 {Cleaning}
- 2015/138 {Detecting blocking debris}
- 2015/139 {Measuring the ratio of AC/DC impedances}
- 15/14 . . . Optical investigation techniques, e.g. flow cytometry
- 2015/1402 {Data analysis by thresholding or gating operations performed on the acquired signals or stored data}
- 15/1404 Handling flow, e.g. hydrodynamic focusing
- 2015/1406 {Control of droplet point}
- 15/1409 Handling samples, e.g. injecting samples
- 2015/1411 {Features of sheath fluids}
- 2015/1413 {Hydrodynamic focussing}
- 2015/1415 {Control of particle position}
- 2015/1418 {Eliminating clogging of debris}
- 2015/142 {Acoustic or ultrasonic focussing}
- 2015/1422 {Electrical focussing}
- 15/1425 {using an analyser being characterised by its control arrangement}
- 15/1427 {with the synchronisation of components, a time gate for operation of components, or suppression of particle coincidences}
- 15/1429 Signal processing
- 15/1431 {the electronics being integrated with the analyser, e.g. hand-held devices for on-site investigation}
- 15/1433 using image recognition
- 15/1434 Optical arrangements
- 15/1436 {the optical arrangement forming an integrated apparatus with the sample container, e.g. a flow cell}
- 2015/1438 {Using two lasers in succession}
- 2015/144 {Imaging characterised by its optical setup}
- 2015/1443 {Auxiliary imaging}
- 2015/1445 {Three-dimensional imaging, imaging in different image planes, e.g. under different angles or at different depths, e.g. by a relative motion of sample and detector, for instance by tomography}
- 2015/1447 {Spatial selection}
- 2015/145 {by pattern of light, e.g. fringe pattern}
- 2015/1452 {Adjustment of focus; Alignment}
- 2015/1454 {using phase shift or interference, e.g. for improving contrast}
- 15/1456 {without spatial resolution of the texture or inner structure of the particle, e.g. processing of pulse signals}
- 15/1459 {the analysis being performed on a sample stream}

2015/1461	. . . . {Coincidence detecting; Circuits therefor}	17/046	. . . {Means for supporting or introducing coupons}
15/1468	. . . {with spatial resolution of the texture or inner structure of the particle}	19/00	Investigating materials by mechanical methods (G01N 3/00 - G01N 17/00 take precedence)
	NOTE	19/02	. Measuring coefficient of friction between materials {(testing of tyres G01M 17/02; determinations of friction coefficient used in vehicle braking or traction control systems B60T 8/172)}
	{References listed below indicate CPC places which could also be of interest when carrying out a search in respect of the subject matter covered by the preceding group:	19/04	. Measuring adhesive force between materials, e.g. of sealing tape, of coating
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • counting objects disposed at random with size distinction G06M 11/04 • extraction of features from image for pattern recognition G06V 10/40 • specific image analysis method for the recognition of microscopic objects G06V 20/69 • image enhancement G06T 5/00 • image analysis G06T 7/00 	19/06	. Investigating by removing material, e.g. spark-testing
15/147	. . . . {the analysis being performed on a sample stream}	19/08	. Detecting presence of flaws or irregularities
2015/1472	. . . . {with colour}	19/10	. Measuring moisture content, e.g. by measuring change in length of hygroscopic filament; Hygrometers
2015/1477	. . . {Multiparameters}	21/00	Investigating or analysing materials by the use of optical means, i.e. using sub-millimetre waves, infrared, visible or ultraviolet light (G01N 3/00 - G01N 19/00 take precedence)
2015/1479	. . . . {Using diffuse illumination or excitation}		NOTE
2015/1481	. . . {Optical analysis of particles within droplets (sorting particles within droplets G01N 15/1492)}		This group <u>does not cover</u> the investigation of spectral properties of light <u>per se</u> , or measurements of the properties of materials where spectral properties of light are sensed and primary emphasis is placed on creating, detecting or analysing the spectrum providing that the properties of the materials to be investigated are of minor importance. Those subjects are covered by group G01J 3/00.
	WARNING		
	Group G01N 2015/1481 is impacted by reclassification into group G01N 15/1492.	21/01	. Arrangements or apparatus for facilitating the optical investigation
	Groups G01N 2015/1481 and G01N 15/1492 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	2021/0106	. . {General arrangement of respective parts}
15/1484	. . . {microstructural devices}	2021/0112	. . . {Apparatus in one mechanical, optical or electronic block}
2015/1486	. . . {Counting the particles}	2021/0118	. . . {Apparatus with remote processing}
2015/1488	. . . {Methods for deciding}	2021/0125	. . . . {with stored program or instructions}
15/149	. . . specially adapted for sorting particles, e.g. by their size or optical properties	2021/0131	. . . . . {being externally stored}
15/1492	. . . . within droplets	2021/0137	. . . . {with PC or the like}
	WARNING	2021/0143	. . . . {with internal and external computer}
	Group G01N 15/1492 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group G01N 2015/1481.	2021/015	. . . {Apparatus with interchangeable optical heads or interchangeable block of optics and detector}
	Groups G01N 2015/1481 and G01N 15/1492 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	2021/0156	. . . . {with optics only in separate head, e.g. connection by optical fibres}
2015/1493	. . . {Particle size}	2021/0162	. . {using microprocessors for control of a sequence of operations, e.g. test, powering, switching, processing}
2015/1495	. . . . {Deformation of particles}	2021/0168	. . . {for the measurement cycle}
2015/1497	. . . {Particle shape}	2021/0175	. . . {for selecting operating means}
17/00	Investigating resistance of materials to the weather, to corrosion, or to light	2021/0181	. . {Memory or computer-assisted visual determination}
17/002	. {Test chambers}	2021/0187	. . {Mechanical sequence of operations}
17/004	. {to light}	2021/0193	. . {the sample being taken from a stream or flow to the measurement cell}
17/006	. {of metals}	21/03	. . Cuvette constructions
17/008	. {Monitoring fouling}	21/0303	. . . {Optical path conditioning in cuvettes, e.g. windows; adapted optical elements or systems; path modifying or adjustment (G01N 21/031 - G01N 21/15 take precedence)}
17/02	. Electrochemical measuring systems for weathering, corrosion or corrosion-protection measurement	2021/0307	. . . . {Insert part in cell}
17/04	. Corrosion probes	21/031	. . . {Multipass arrangements}
17/043	. . {Coupons}	2021/0314	. . . . {Double pass, autocollimated path}

- 21/0317 . . . {High pressure cuvettes; [\(G01N 21/0332 - G01N 21/15 take precedence\)](#)}
- 2021/0321 . . . {One time use cells, e.g. integrally moulded}
- 2021/0325 . . . {Cells for testing reactions, e.g. containing reagents}
- 2021/0328 {Arrangement of two or more cells having different functions for the measurement of reactions}
- 21/0332 . . . {with temperature control ([control of temperature G05D 23/00; cryostats F17C 3/08](#))}
- 2021/0335 {Refrigeration of cells; Cold stages}
- 2021/0339 . . . {Holders for solids, powders}
- 2021/0342 . . . {Solid sample being immersed, e.g. equiindex fluid}
- 2021/0346 . . . {Capillary cells; Microcells}
- 2021/035 {Supports for sample drops}
- 2021/0353 {Conveyor of successive sample drops}
- 2021/0357 . . . {Sets of cuvettes}
- 2021/036 . . . {transformable, modifiable}
- 2021/0364 . . . {flexible, compressible}
- 2021/0367 . . . {Supports of cells, e.g. pivotable}
- 2021/0371 {Supports combined with sample intake}
- 2021/0375 {Slidable cells}
- 2021/0378 . . . {Shapes}
- 2021/0382 {Frustoconical, tapered cell}
- 2021/0385 . . . {Diffusing membrane; Semipermeable membrane}
- 2021/0389 . . . {Windows}
- 2021/0392 {Nonplanar windows}
- 2021/0396 {Oblique incidence}
- 21/05 . . . Flow-through cuvettes ([G01N 21/09 takes precedence; handling fluid samples G01N 1/10](#))
- 2021/052 {Tubular type; cavity type; multireflective}
- 2021/054 {Bubble trap; Debubbling}
- 2021/056 {Laminated construction}
- 2021/058 {Flat flow cell}
- 21/07 . . . Centrifugal type cuvettes ([G01N 21/09 takes precedence](#))
- 21/09 . . . adapted to resist hostile environments or corrosive or abrasive materials
- 21/11 . . Filling or emptying of cuvettes
- 2021/115 . . . {Washing; Purging}
- 21/13 . . Moving of cuvettes or solid samples to or from the investigating station ([handling materials for automatic analysis G01N 35/00](#))}
- 2021/135 . . . {Sample holder displaceable ([in automatised apparatus G01N 35/02](#))}
- 21/15 . . Preventing contamination of the components of the optical system or obstruction of the light path
- 2021/151 . . . {Gas blown}
- 2021/152 . . . {Scraping; Brushing; Moving band}
- 2021/154 . . . {Ultrasonic cleaning}
- 2021/155 . . . {Monitoring cleanness of window, lens, or other parts}
- 2021/157 {Monitoring by optical means}
- 2021/158 . . . {Eliminating condensation}
- 21/17 . . Systems in which incident light is modified in accordance with the properties of the material investigated ([where the material investigated is optically excited causing a change in wavelength of the incident light G01N 21/63](#))
- 21/1702 . . {with opto-acoustic detection, e.g. for gases or analysing solids}
- 2021/1704 . . . {in gases}
- 2021/1706 . . . {in solids}
- 2021/1708 . . . {with piezotransducers ([probes for investigating or analysing materials by the use of ultrasonic, sonic or infrasonic waves G01N 29/24](#))}
- 21/171 . . {with calorimetric detection, e.g. with thermal lens detection}
- 2021/1712 . . . {Thermal lens, mirage effect}
- 2021/1714 . . . {Photothermal radiometry with measurement of emission}
- 21/1717 . . {with a modulation of one or more physical properties of the sample during the optical investigation, e.g. electro-reflectance}
- 2021/1719 . . . {Carrier modulation in semiconductors}
- 2021/1721 . . . {Electromodulation}
- 2021/1723 . . . {Fluid modulation}
- 2021/1725 . . . {Modulation of properties by light, e.g. photorefectance}
- 2021/1727 . . . {Magnetomodulation}
- 2021/1729 . . . {Piezomodulation}
- 2021/1731 . . . {Temperature modulation}
- 2021/1734 . . {Sequential different kinds of measurements; Combining two or more methods}
- 2021/1736 . . . {with two or more light sources}
- 2021/1738 . . {Optionally different kinds of measurements; Method being valid for different kinds of measurement}
- 2021/174 . . . {either absorption-reflection or emission-fluorescence}
- 2021/1742 . . . {either absorption or reflection}
- 2021/1744 . . . {either absorption or scatter}
- 2021/1746 . . {Method using tracers}
- 2021/1748 . . {Comparative step being essential in the method}
- 2021/1751 . . . {Constructive features therefore, e.g. using two measurement cells}
- 2021/1753 {and using two light sources}
- 2021/1755 {and using two apparatus or two probes}
- 2021/1757 . . {Time modulation of light being essential to the method of light modification, e.g. using single detector ([circuits for photometry with modulation, using one detector G01J 1/44](#))}
- 2021/1759 . . . {Jittering, dithering, optical path modulation}
- 2021/1761 . . {A physical transformation being implied in the method, e.g. a phase change}
- 2021/1763 . . . {Gas to liquid phase change}
- 2021/1765 . . {Method using an image detector and processing of image signal}
- 2021/1768 . . . {using photographic film}
- 2021/177 . . . {Detector of the video camera type}
- 2021/1772 {Array detector}
- 2021/1774 {Line array detector}
- 2021/1776 {Colour camera}
- 2021/1778 {IIT [intensified image tube]}
- 2021/178 . . {Methods for obtaining spatial resolution of the property being measured}
- 2021/1782 . . . {In-depth resolution}
- 2021/1785 . . . {Three dimensional}
- 2021/1787 {Tomographic, i.e. computerised reconstruction from projective measurements}

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2021/1789	. . .	{Time resolved}	2021/3125	{Measuring the absorption by excited molecules}
2021/1791	. . .	{stroboscopic; pulse gated; time range gated}	2021/3129	. . . .	{Determining multicomponents by multiwavelength light}
2021/1793	. . .	{Remote sensing}	2021/3133	. . . .	{with selection of wavelengths before the sample}
2021/1795	. . .	{Atmospheric mapping of gases}	2021/3137	. . . .	{with selection of wavelengths after the sample}
2021/1797	. . .	{in landscape, e.g. crops}	21/314	. . . .	{with comparison of measurements at specific and non-specific wavelengths (dual wavelength spectrometry G01J 3/427)}
21/19	. .	Dichroism	2021/3144	. . . .	{for oxymetry}
21/21	. .	Polarisation-affecting properties (G01N 21/19 takes precedence)	2021/3148	. . . .	{using three or more wavelengths}
21/211	. . .	{Ellipsometry (optical thickness measurement G01B 11/06)}	21/3151	. . . .	{using two sources of radiation of different wavelengths (G01N 21/33 - G01N 21/39 take precedence)}
2021/212	. . . .	{Arrangement with total internal reflection}	2021/3155	. . . .	{Measuring in two spectral ranges, e.g. UV and visible}
2021/213	. . . .	{Spectrometric ellipsometry}	2021/3159	. . . .	{Special features of multiplexing circuits}
2021/214	. . . .	{Variangle incidence arrangement}	2021/3162	. . . .	{with offset adjustment between filters}
2021/215	. . . .	{Brewster incidence arrangement}	2021/3166	. . . .	{using separate detectors and filters}
2021/216	. . .	{using circular polarised light}	2021/317	. . . .	{Special constructive features}
2021/217	. . .	{Measuring depolarisation or comparing polarised and depolarised parts of light}	2021/3174	. . . .	{Filter wheel}
2021/218	. . .	{Measuring properties of electrooptical or magnetooptical media}	2021/3177	. . . .	{Use of spatially separated filters in simultaneous way}
21/23	. . .	Bi-refringence	2021/3181	. . . .	{using LEDs}
21/25	. .	Colour; Spectral properties, i.e. comparison of effect of material on the light at two or more different wavelengths or wavelength bands	2021/3185	. . . .	{typically monochromatic or band-limited}
21/251	. . .	{Colorimeters; Construction thereof}	2021/3188	. . . .	{band-limited}
21/253	. . . .	{for batch operation, i.e. multisample apparatus (analytical automats G01N 35/00)}	2021/3192	. . . .	{Absorption edge variation is measured}
21/255	. . .	{Details, e.g. use of specially adapted sources, lighting or optical systems}	2021/3196	. . . .	{Correlating located peaks in spectrum with reference data, e.g. fingerprint data}
21/256	. . .	{Arrangements using two alternating lights and one detector}	21/33	. . . .	using ultraviolet light (G01N 21/39 takes precedence)
2021/258	. . .	{Surface plasmon spectroscopy, e.g. micro- or nanoparticles in suspension}	2021/335	. . . .	{Vacuum UV}
21/27	. . .	using photo-electric detection (G01N 21/31 takes precedence); circuits for computing concentration (logarithmic circuits G06G 7/24; photometric circuits in general G01J)	21/35	. . . .	using infrared light (G01N 21/39 takes precedence)
21/272	. . . .	{for following a reaction, e.g. for determining photometrically a reaction rate (photometric kinetic analysis)}	21/3504	. . . .	for analysing gases, e.g. multi-gas analysis
21/274	. . . .	{Calibration, base line adjustment, drift correction}	2021/3509	. . . .	{Correlation method, e.g. one beam alternating in correlator/sample field}
21/276	. . . .	{with alternation of sample and standard in optical path}	2021/3513	. . . .	{Open path with an instrumental source}
21/278	. . . .	{Constitution of standards}	21/3518	. . . .	Devices using gas filter correlation techniques; Devices using gas pressure modulation techniques
21/29	. . .	using visual detection (G01N 21/31 takes precedence)	NOTE		
21/293	. . . .	{with colour charts, graduated scales or turrets}	This group also <u>covers</u> devices without instrumental sources, e.g. radiometric-type devices using ambient infrared light.		
2021/296	. . . .	{Visually measuring scintillation effect}	2021/3522	. . . .	{balancing by two filters on two detectors}
21/31	. . .	Investigating relative effect of material at wavelengths characteristic of specific elements or molecules, e.g. atomic absorption spectrometry (G01N 21/72 takes precedence)	2021/3527	. . . .	{and using one filter cell as attenuator}
21/3103	. . . .	{Atomic absorption analysis}	2021/3531	. . . .	{without instrumental source, i.e. radiometric}
2021/3107	. . . .	{Cold vapor, e.g. determination of Hg}	2021/3536	. . . .	{using modulation of pressure or density}
2021/3111	. . . .	{using Zeeman split}	2021/354	. . . .	{Hygrometry of gases}
2021/3114	. . . .	{Multi-element AAS arrangements}	2021/3545	. . . .	{Disposition for compensating effect of interfering gases}
2021/3118	. . . .	{Commutating sources, e.g. line source/ broad source, chopping for comparison of broad/narrow regimes}	2021/355	. . . .	{by using a third optical path, e.g. interference cuvette}
2021/3122	. . . .	{using a broad source with a monochromator}			

21/3554	. . . . .	for determining moisture content	21/45	. . . . .	using interferometric methods; using Schlieren methods
21/3559	. . . . .	in sheets, e.g. in paper	2021/451	. . . . .	{for determining the optical absorption}
21/3563	. . . . .	for analysing solids; Preparation of samples therefor	21/453	. . . . .	{Holographic interferometry (for dimensional measurements G01B 9/021 - G01B 9/029)}
2021/3568	. . . . .	{applied to semiconductors, e.g. Silicon}	21/455	. . . . .	{Schlieren methods, e.g. for gradient index determination; Shadowgraph}
2021/3572	. . . . .	{Preparation of samples, e.g. salt matrices}	2021/456	. . . . .	{Moire deflectometry}
21/3577	. . . . .	for analysing liquids, e.g. polluted water	2021/458	. . . . .	{using interferential sensor, e.g. sensor fibre, possibly on optical waveguide}
21/3581	. . . . .	using far infrared light; using Terahertz radiation	21/47	. . . . .	Scattering, i.e. diffuse reflection (G01N 21/25 , G01N 21/41 take precedence { G01N 21/55 takes precedence})
21/3586	. . . . .	by Terahertz time domain spectroscopy [THz-TDS]	2021/4702	. . . . .	{Global scatter; Total scatter, excluding reflections}
21/359	. . . . .	using near infrared light	2021/4704	. . . . .	{Angular selective}
2021/3595	. . . . .	{using FTIR}	2021/4707	. . . . .	{Forward scatter; Low angle scatter}
21/37	. . . . .	using pneumatic detection ({opto-acoustic detection G01N 21/1702 })	2021/4709	. . . . .	{Backscatter}
21/39	. . . . .	using tunable lasers	2021/4711	. . . . .	{Multiangle measurement}
2021/391	. . . . .	{Intracavity sample}	2021/4714	. . . . .	{Continuous plural angles}
2021/392	. . . . .	{Measuring reradiation, e.g. fluorescence, backscatter}	2021/4716	. . . . .	{Using a ring of sensors, or a combination of diaphragm and sensors; Annular sensor}
2021/393	. . . . .	{and using a spectral variation of the interaction of the laser beam and the sample}	2021/4719	. . . . .	{using a optical fibre array}
2021/394	. . . . .	{DIAL method}	2021/4721	. . . . .	{using a PSD}
2021/395	. . . . .	{using a topographic target}	2021/4723	. . . . .	{Scanning scatter angles}
2021/396	. . . . .	{Type of laser source}	2021/4726	. . . . .	{Detecting scatter at 90°}
2021/397	. . . . .	{Dye laser}	2021/4728	. . . . .	{Optical definition of scattering volume}
2021/398	. . . . .	{CO ₂ laser}	2021/473	. . . . .	{Compensating for unwanted scatter, e.g. reliefs, marks}
2021/399	. . . . .	{Diode laser}	2021/4733	. . . . .	{Discriminating different types of scatterers}
21/41	. . . . .	Refractivity; Phase-affecting properties, e.g. optical path length (G01N 21/21 takes precedence)	2021/4735	. . . . .	{Solid samples, e.g. paper, glass}
2021/4106	. . . . .	{Atmospheric distortion; Turbulence}	21/4738	. . . . .	{Diffuse reflection (precedence is given to G01N 21/55 - G01N 21/57 if specular component is taken into consideration), e.g. also for testing fluids, fibrous materials}
2021/4113	. . . . .	{Atmospheric dispersion}	21/474	. . . . .	{Details of optical heads therefor, e.g. using optical fibres}
21/412	. . . . .	{Index profiling of optical fibres}	2021/4742	. . . . .	{comprising optical fibres}
2021/4126	. . . . .	{Index of thin films}	2021/4745	. . . . .	{Fused bundle, i.e. for backscatter}
21/4133	. . . . .	{Refractometers, e.g. differential}	2021/4747	. . . . .	{Concentric bundles}
2021/414	. . . . .	{Correcting temperature effect in refractometers}	2021/475	. . . . .	{Bifurcated bundle}
2021/4146	. . . . .	{Differential cell arrangements}	2021/4752	. . . . .	{Geometry}
2021/4153	. . . . .	{Measuring the deflection of light in refractometers}	2021/4754	. . . . .	{Diffuse illumination}
2021/416	. . . . .	{Visualising flow by index measurement}	2021/4757	. . . . .	{Geometry 0/45° or 45/0°}
2021/4166	. . . . .	{Methods effecting a waveguide mode enhancement through the property being measured}	2021/4759	. . . . .	{Annular illumination}
2021/4173	. . . . .	{Phase distribution}	2021/4761	. . . . .	{Mirror arrangements, e.g. in IR range}
2021/418	. . . . .	{Frequency/phase diagrams}	2021/4764	. . . . .	{Special kinds of physical applications}
2021/4186	. . . . .	{Phase modulation imaging}	2021/4766	. . . . .	{Sample containing fluorescent brighteners}
2021/4193	. . . . .	{using a PSD}	2021/4769	. . . . .	{Fluid samples, e.g. slurries, granulates; Compressible powdery of fibrous samples}
21/43	. . . . .	by measuring critical angle	2021/4771	. . . . .	{Matte surfaces with reflecting particles}
21/431	. . . . .	{Dip refractometers, e.g. using optical fibres}	2021/4773	. . . . .	{Partly or totally translucent samples}
2021/432	. . . . .	{comprising optical fibres}	2021/4776	. . . . .	{Miscellaneous in diffuse reflection devices}
2021/433	. . . . .	{with an unclad part on the fibre}	2021/4778	. . . . .	{Correcting variations in front distance}
2021/434	. . . . .	{Dipping block in contact with sample, e.g. prism}	2021/478	. . . . .	{Application in testing analytical test strips}
2021/435	. . . . .	{Sensing drops on the contact surface}	2021/4783	. . . . .	{Examining under varying incidence; Angularly adjustable head}
2021/436	. . . . .	{Sensing resonant reflection}			
2021/437	{with investigation of angle}			
2021/438	{with investigation of wavelength}			

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- 21/4785 . . . {Standardising light scatter apparatus; Standards therefor}
- 21/4788 . . . {Diffraction (for sizing particles [G01N 15/0205](#))}
- 2021/479 {Speckle}
- 2021/4792 {Polarisation of scatter light}
- 21/4795 {spatially resolved investigating of object in scattering medium ([in vivo A61B](#))}
- 2021/4797 {time resolved, e.g. analysis of ballistic photons}
- 21/49 within a body or fluid
- 2021/495 {the fluid being adsorbed, e.g. in porous medium}
- 21/51 inside a container, e.g. in an ampoule ([G01N 21/53](#) takes precedence)
- 2021/513 {Cuvettes for scattering measurements}
- 2021/516 {Multiple excitation of scattering medium, e.g. by retro-reflected or multiply reflected excitation rays}
- 21/53 within a flowing fluid, e.g. smoke
- 21/532 {with measurement of scattering and transmission}
- 21/534 {by measuring transmission alone, i.e. determining opacity}
- 2021/536 {Measurement device mounted at stack}
- 21/538 {for determining atmospheric attenuation and visibility}
- 21/55 Specular reflectivity
- 2021/551 {Retroreflectance}
- 21/552 Attenuated total reflection
- 21/553 {and using surface plasmons ([fluorescence excitation G01N 21/648](#); [enhanced Raman G01N 21/658](#))}
- 21/554 {detecting the surface plasmon resonance of nanostructured metals, e.g. localised surface plasmon resonance}
- 2021/555 {Measuring total reflection power, i.e. scattering and specular}
- 2021/556 {Measuring separately scattering and specular}
- 2021/557 {Detecting specular reflective parts on sample}
- 2021/558 {Measuring reflectivity and transmission}
- 2021/559 {Determining variation of specular reflection within diffusively reflecting sample}
- 21/57 Measuring gloss
- 2021/575 {Photogoniometering}
- 21/59 Transmissivity ([G01N 21/25](#) takes precedence)
- 2021/5903 {using surface plasmon resonance [SPR], e.g. extraordinary optical transmission [EOT]}
- 21/5907 {Densitometers}
- 21/5911 {of the scanning type ([scanning per se G02B](#))}
- 2021/5915 {Processing scan data in densitometry}
- 2021/5919 {Determining total density of a zone}
- 2021/5923 {Determining zones of density; quantitating spots}
- 2021/5926 {Isodensitometers}
- 2021/593 {Correcting from the background density}
- 2021/5934 {Averaging on a zone}
- 2021/5938 {Features of monitor, display}
- 2021/5942 {for dot area ratio in printing applications}
- 2021/5946 {for binary signal}
- 2021/5949 {Correcting nonlinearity of signal, e.g. in measurement of photomedium}
- 2021/5953 {for detecting a spatial spectrum}
- 2021/5957 {using an image detector type detector, e.g. CCD}
- 2021/5961 {using arrays of sources and detectors}
- 2021/5965 {using selected detectors in an array}
- 2021/5969 {Scanning of a tube, a cuvette, a volume of sample}
- 2021/5973 {where the cuvette or tube is moved}
- 2021/5976 {Image projected and scanning projected image}
- 2021/598 {Features of mounting, adjusting}
- 2021/5984 {height adjustable}
- 2021/5988 {Fluid mounting or the like, e.g. vortex}
- 2021/5992 {Double pass}
- 2021/5996 {Positioning the head}
- 21/61 Non-dispersive gas analysers ([G01N 21/3504](#) takes precedence)
- 21/62 Systems in which the material investigated is excited whereby it emits light or causes a change in wavelength of the incident light
- 2021/625 {Excitation by energised particles such as metastable molecules}
- 21/63 optically excited
- 21/631 {using photolysis and investigating photolysed fragments}
- 2021/632 {Predissociation, e.g. for fluorescence of transient excited radicals}
- 2021/633 {Photoinduced grating used for analysis}
- 2021/634 {Photochromic material analysis}
- 2021/635 {Photosynthetic material analysis, e.g. chlorophyll}
- 21/636 {using an arrangement of pump beam and probe beam; using the measurement of optical non-linear properties; ([non-linear optics per se G02F 1/35](#))}
- 2021/637 {Lasing effect used for analysis}
- 2021/638 {Brillouin effect, e.g. stimulated Brillouin effect}
- 21/64 Fluorescence; Phosphorescence
- 21/6402 {Atomic fluorescence; Laser induced fluorescence}
- 21/6404 {Atomic fluorescence}
- 2021/6406 {multi-element}
- 21/6408 {with measurement of decay time, time resolved fluorescence}
- 2021/641 {Phosphorimetry, gated}
- 2021/6413 {Distinction short and delayed fluorescence or phosphorescence}
- 2021/6415 {with two excitations, e.g. strong pump/probe flash}
- 2021/6417 {Spectrofluorimetric devices}
- 2021/6419 {Excitation at two or more wavelengths}
- 2021/6421 {Measuring at two or more wavelengths}
- 2021/6423 {Spectral mapping, video display}
- 2021/6426 {Determining Fraunhofer lines}
- 21/6428 {Measuring fluorescence of fluorescent products of reactions or of fluorochrome labelled reactive substances, e.g. measuring quenching effects, using measuring "optrodes" ([in vivo A61B 5/00](#); [immunoassay G01N 33/53](#))}
- 21/643 {non-biological material}
- 2021/6432 {Quenching}

- 2021/6434 {Optrodes}
- 2021/6436 {for analysing tapes}
- 2021/6439 {with indicators, stains, dyes, tags, labels, marks}
- 2021/6441 {with two or more labels}
- 2021/6443 {Fluorimetric titration}
- 21/6445 {Measuring fluorescence polarisation}
- 21/6447 {by visual observation}
- 21/645 {Specially adapted constructive features of fluorimeters}
- 21/6452 {Individual samples arranged in a regular 2D-array, e.g. multiwell plates}
- 21/6454 {using an integrated detector array}
- 21/6456 {Spatial resolved fluorescence measurements; Imaging}
- 21/6458 {Fluorescence microscopy (fluorescence microscopes per se G02B 21/0076 and G02B 21/16)}
- 2021/646 {Detecting fluorescent inhomogeneities at a position, e.g. for detecting defects}
- 2021/6463 {Optics}
- 2021/6465 {Angular discrimination}
- 2021/6467 {Axial flow and illumination}
- 2021/6469 {Cavity, e.g. ellipsoid}
- 2021/6471 {Special filters, filter wheel}
- 2021/6473 {In-line geometry}
- 2021/6476 {Front end, i.e. backscatter, geometry}
- 2021/6478 {Special lenses}
- 21/648 {using evanescent coupling or surface plasmon coupling for the excitation of fluorescence}
- 2021/6482 {Sample cells, cuvettes}
- 2021/6484 {Optical fibres}
- 21/6486 {Measuring fluorescence of biological material, e.g. DNA, RNA, cells (G01N 21/6428 takes precedence)}
- 21/6489 {Photoluminescence of semiconductors}
- 2021/6491 {Measuring fluorescence and transmission; Correcting inner filter effect}
- 2021/6493 {by alternating fluorescence/transmission or fluorescence/reflection}
- 2021/6495 {Miscellaneous methods}
- 2021/6497 {Miscellaneous applications}
- 21/65 Raman scattering
- 2021/651 {Cuvettes therefore}
- 2021/653 {Coherent methods [CARS]}
- 2021/655 {Stimulated Raman}
- 2021/656 {Raman microprobe}
- 21/658 {enhancement Raman, e.g. surface plasmons}
- 21/66 electrically excited, e.g. electroluminescence
- 21/67 using electric arcs or discharges
- 21/68 using high frequency electric fields
- 21/69 specially adapted for fluids {, e.g. molten metal}
- 2021/695 {Molten metals}
- 21/70 mechanically excited, e.g. triboluminescence
- 21/71 thermally excited
- 2021/712 {using formation of volatile hydride}
- 21/714 {Sample nebulisers for flame burners or plasma burners (nebulizers per se B05B)}
- 21/716 {by measuring the radiation emitted by a test object treated by combustion gases for investigating the composition of gas mixtures}
- 21/718 {Laser microanalysis, i.e. with formation of sample plasma}
- 21/72 using flame burners
- 2021/725 {for determining of metalloids, using Beilstein type reaction}
- 21/73 using plasma burners or torches
- 21/74 using flameless atomising, e.g. graphite furnaces
- 2021/745 {Control of temperature, heating, ashing}
- 21/75 Systems in which material is subjected to a chemical reaction, the progress or the result of the reaction being investigated (systems in which material is burnt in a flame or plasma G01N 21/72, G01N 21/73)
- 2021/751 {Comparing reactive/non reactive substances}
- 2021/752 {Devices comprising reaction zones}
- 2021/754 {Reagent flow and intermittent injection of sample or vice versa}
- 2021/755 {Comparing readings with/without reagents, or before/after reaction}
- 2021/757 {using immobilised reagents}
- 2021/758 {using reversible reaction}
- 21/76 Chemiluminescence; Bioluminescence
- 21/763 {Bioluminescence}
- 21/766 {of gases}
- 21/77 by observing the effect on a chemical indicator
- 21/7703 {using reagent-clad optical fibres or optical waveguides (using measurement of total internal reflection or attenuated total reflection G01N 21/552; optical fibres or waveguides per se G02B)}
- 2021/7706 {Reagent provision}
- 2021/7709 {Distributed reagent, e.g. over length of guide}
- 2021/7713 {in core}
- 2021/7716 {in cladding}
- 2021/772 {Tip coated light guide}
- 2021/7723 {Swelling part, also for adsorption sensor, i.e. without chemical reaction}
- 2021/7726 {Porous glass}
- 2021/773 {Porous polymer jacket; Polymer matrix with indicator}
- 2021/7733 {Reservoir, liquid reagent}
- 2021/7736 {exposed, cladding free}
- 21/774 {the reagent being on a grating or periodic structure}
- 21/7743 {the reagent-coated grating coupling light in or out of the waveguide}
- 21/7746 {the waveguide coupled to a cavity resonator}
- 2021/775 {Indicator and selective membrane}
- 2021/7753 {Reagent layer on photoelectrical transducer}
- 2021/7756 {Sensor type}
- 2021/7759 {Dipstick; Test strip}
- 2021/7763 {Sample through flow}
- 2021/7766 {Capillary fill}
- 2021/7769 {Measurement method of reaction-produced change in sensor}
- 2021/7773 {Reflection}
- 2021/7776 {Index}

- 2021/7779 {interferometric}
- 2021/7783 {Transmission, loss}
- 2021/7786 {Fluorescence}
- 2021/7789 {Cavity or resonator}
- 2021/7793 {Sensor comprising plural indicators}
- 2021/7796 {Special mountings, packaging of indicators}
- 21/78 producing a change of colour
- 21/783 {for analysing gases}
- 2021/786 {with auxiliary heating for reaction}
- 21/79 Photometric titration
- 21/80 Indicating pH value
- 21/81 Indicating humidity
- 21/82 producing a precipitate or turbidity
- 2021/825 {Agglutination}
- 21/83 Turbidimetric titration
- 21/84 Systems specially adapted for particular applications
- 2021/8405 {Application to two-phase or mixed materials, e.g. gas dissolved in liquids}
- 2021/8411 {Application to online plant, process monitoring}
- 2021/8416 {and process controlling, not otherwise provided for}
- 21/8422 {Investigating thin films, e.g. matrix isolation method}
- 2021/8427 {Coatings}
- 2021/8433 {Comparing coated/uncoated parts}
- 2021/8438 {Multilayers}
- 2021/8444 {Fibrous material}
- 2021/845 {Objects on a conveyor}
- 2021/8455 {and using position detectors}
- 2021/8461 {Investigating impurities in semiconductor, e.g. Silicon}
- 2021/8466 {Investigation of vegetal material, e.g. leaves, plants, fruits}
- 2021/8472 {Investigation of composite materials}
- 2021/8477 {Investigating crystals, e.g. liquid crystals}
- 21/8483 {Investigating reagent band (test-element handling not specific to a test method [G01N 33/4875](#); analytical elements specific to chemical analysis of biological material [G01N 33/52](#); autometer with reagent band [G01N 35/04](#))}
- 2021/8488 {the band presenting reference patches}
- 2021/8494 {Measuring or storing parameters of the band}
- 21/85 Investigating moving fluids or granular solids
- 21/8507 {Probe photometers, i.e. with optical measuring part dipped into fluid sample}
- 2021/8514 {with immersed mirror}
- 2021/8521 {with a combination mirror cell-cuvette}
- 2021/8528 {Immersed light conductor}
- 2021/8535 {presenting a cut}
- 2021/8542 {presenting an exposed part of the core}
- 2021/855 {Underground probe, e.g. with provision of a penetration tool}
- 2021/8557 {Special shaping of flow, e.g. using a by-pass line, jet flow, curtain flow}
- 2021/8564 {Sample as drops}
- 2021/8571 {using filtering of sample fluid}
- 2021/8578 {Gaseous flow ([IR analysers G01N 21/8507](#))}
- 2021/8585 {using porous sheets, e.g. for separating aerosols}
- 2021/8592 {Grain or other flowing solid samples}
- 21/86 Investigating moving sheets ([G01N 21/89](#) takes precedence)
- 2021/8609 {Optical head specially adapted}
- 2021/8618 {with an optically integrating part, e.g. hemisphere}
- 2021/8627 {with an illuminator over the whole width}
- 2021/8636 {Detecting arrangement therefore, e.g. collimators, screens}
- 2021/8645 {using multidetectors, detector array}
- 2021/8654 {Mechanical support; Mounting of sheet}
- 2021/8663 {Paper, e.g. gloss, moisture content (inspecting the presence of flaws in moving materials, e.g. paper [G01N 21/89](#); measurement of gloss in general [G01N 21/57](#))}
- 2021/8672 {Paper formation parameter}
- 2021/8681 {Paper fibre orientation}
- 2021/869 {Plastics or polymeric material, e.g. polymers orientation in plastic, adhesive imprinted band}
- 21/87 Investigating jewels ([G01N 21/88](#) takes precedence)
- 21/88 Investigating the presence of flaws or contamination
- 21/8803 {Visual inspection (measuring projectors [G01B 9/08](#))}
- 21/8806 {Specially adapted optical and illumination features}
- 2021/8809 {Adjustment for highlighting flaws}
- 2021/8812 {Diffuse illumination, e.g. "sky"}
- 2021/8816 {by using multiple sources, e.g. LEDs}
- 2021/8819 {by using retroreflecting screen}
- 2021/8822 {Dark field detection}
- 2021/8825 {Separate detection of dark field and bright field}
- 2021/8829 {Shadow projection or structured background, e.g. for deflectometry (three-dimensional metrology of surfaces [G01B 11/25](#))}
- 2021/8832 {Structured background, e.g. for transparent objects}
- 2021/8835 {Adjustable illumination, e.g. software adjustable screen}
- 2021/8838 {Stroboscopic illumination; synchronised illumination}
- 2021/8841 {Illumination and detection on two sides of object}
- 2021/8845 {Multiple wavelengths of illumination or detection}
- 2021/8848 {Polarisation of light}
- 21/8851 {Scan or image signal processing specially adapted therefor, e.g. for scan signal adjustment, for detecting different kinds of defects, for compensating for structures, markings, edges ([G01N 21/8806](#) and [G01N 21/93](#) - [G01N 21/95692](#) take precedence; optical measurement of dimensions [G01B 11/00](#); optical scanning [G02B 26/10](#); image transformation [G06T 3/00](#); computerised image enhancement [G06T 5/00](#); image processing *per se* for flaw detection [G06T 7/0002](#))}
- 2021/8854 {Grading and classifying of flaws}
- 2021/8858 {Flaw counting}
- 2021/8861 {Determining coordinates of flaws}
- 2021/8864 {Mapping zones of defects}

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- 2021/8867 {using sequentially two or more inspection runs, e.g. coarse and fine, or detecting then analysing}
- 2021/887 {the measurements made in two or more directions, angles, positions}
- 2021/8874 {Taking dimensions of defect into account}
- 2021/8877 {Proximity analysis, local statistics}
- 2021/888 {Marking defects}
- 2021/8883 {involving the calculation of gauges, generating models}
- 2021/8887 {based on image processing techniques}
- 2021/889 {providing a bare video image, i.e. without visual measurement aids}
- 2021/8893 {providing a video image and a processed signal for helping visual decision}
- 2021/8896 {Circuits specially adapted for system specific signal conditioning}
- 21/89 in moving material, e.g. running paper or textiles ([G01N 21/90](#), [G01N 21/91](#), [G01N 21/94](#) take precedence)
- 21/8901 {Optical details; Scanning details ([per se G02B](#))}
- 2021/8902 {Anamorphic spot}
- 21/8903 {using a multiple detector array}
- 2021/8904 {Sheetwide light conductor on detecting side, e.g. fluorescing light rod}
- 2021/8905 {Directional selective optics, e.g. slits, spatial filters}
- 2021/8907 {Cylindrical optics}
- 2021/8908 {Strip illuminator, e.g. light tube}
- 2021/8909 {Scan signal processing specially adapted for inspection of running sheets}
- 2021/891 {Edge discrimination, e.g. by signal filtering}
- 2021/8911 {Setting scan-width signals}
- 2021/8912 {Processing using lane subdivision}
- 21/8914 {characterised by the material examined}
- 21/8915 {non-woven textile material}
- 21/8916 {for testing photographic material}
- 2021/8917 {Paper, also ondulated}
- 2021/8918 {Metal}
- 21/892 characterised by the flaw, defect or object feature examined
- 21/8921 {Streaks}
- 21/8922 {Periodic flaws}
- 2021/8924 {Dents; Relief flaws}
- 2021/8925 {Inclusions}
- 2021/8927 {Defects in a structured web}
- 2021/8928 {Haze defects, i.e. with a part of diffracted light}
- 21/894 Pinholes
- 21/896 Optical defects in or on transparent materials, e.g. distortion, surface flaws {in conveyed flat sheet or rod ([for other objects G01N 21/958](#))}
- 2021/8962 {for detecting separately opaque flaws and refracting flaws}
- 2021/8965 {using slant illumination, using internally reflected light}
- 2021/8967 {Discriminating defects on opposite sides or at different depths of sheet or rod}
- 21/898 Irregularities in textured or patterned surfaces, e.g. textiles, wood
- 21/8983 {for testing textile webs, i.e. woven material}
- 21/8986 {Wood}
- 21/90 in a container or its contents ([G01N 21/91](#) takes precedence)
- 21/9009 {Non-optical constructional details affecting optical inspection, e.g. cleaning mechanisms for optical parts, vibration reduction}
- 21/9018 {Dirt detection in containers}
- 21/9027 {in containers after filling}
- 21/9036 {using arrays of emitters or receivers}
- 21/9045 {Inspection of ornamented or stippled container walls}
- 21/9054 {Inspection of sealing surface and container finish}
- 2021/9063 {Hot-end container inspection}
- 21/9072 {with illumination or detection from inside the container}
- 21/9081 {Inspection especially designed for plastic containers, e.g. preforms}
- 21/909 {in opaque containers or opaque container parts, e.g. cans, tins, caps, labels}
- 21/91 using penetration of dyes, e.g. fluorescent ink
- 21/93 Detection standards; Calibrating {baseline adjustment, drift correction}
- 2021/933 {Adjusting baseline or gain (also for web inspection)}
- 2021/936 {Adjusting threshold, e.g. by way of moving average}
- 21/94 Investigating contamination, e.g. dust ([G01N 21/85](#) takes precedence)
- 2021/945 {Liquid or solid deposits of macroscopic size on surfaces, e.g. drops, films, or clustered contaminants ([dust particles and microscopic contaminants in G01N 21/94](#))}
- 21/95 characterised by the material or shape of the object to be examined ([G01N 21/89](#) - [G01N 21/91](#), [G01N 21/94](#) take precedence)
- 21/9501 {Semiconductor wafers ([manufacturing processes per se of semiconductor devices implementing a measuring step H01L 22/10](#))}
- 21/9503 {Wafer edge inspection}
- 21/9505 {Wafer internal defects, e.g. microcracks}
- 21/9506 {Optical discs}
- 21/9508 {Capsules; Tablets}
- 21/951 {Balls}
- 2021/9511 {Optical elements other than lenses, e.g. mirrors ([testing of optical apparatus in G01M 11/00](#))}
- 2021/9513 {Liquid crystal panels}
- 21/9515 {Objects of complex shape, e.g. examined with use of a surface follower device ([measuring contours and curvatures G01B 11/24](#))}
- 2021/9516 {whereby geometrical features are being masked}
- 2021/9518 {using a surface follower, e.g. robot}
- 21/952 Inspecting the exterior surface of cylindrical bodies or wires ([G01N 21/956](#) takes precedence)

- 21/954 Inspecting the inner surface of hollow bodies, e.g. bores
- 2021/9542 {using a probe}
- 2021/9544 {with emitter and receiver on the probe}
- 2021/9546 {with remote light transmitting, e.g. optical fibres}
- 2021/9548 {Scanning the interior of a cylinder}
- 21/956 Inspecting patterns on the surface of objects {(contactless testing of electronic circuits [G01R 31/308](#); testing currency [G07D](#); manufacturing processes [per se](#) of semiconductor devices implementing a measuring step [H01L 22/10](#))}
- 21/95607 {using a comparative method}
- 2021/95615 {with stored comparison signal}
- 21/95623 {using a spatial filtering method ([per se](#) [G02B](#))}
- 2021/9563 {and suppressing pattern images}
- 2021/95638 {for PCB's}
- 2021/95646 {Soldering}
- 2021/95653 {Through-holes}
- 2021/95661 {for leads, e.g. position, curvature}
- 2021/95669 {for solder coating, coverage}
- 2021/95676 {Masks, reticles, shadow masks}
- 21/95684 {Patterns showing highly reflecting parts, e.g. metallic elements}
- 21/95692 {Patterns showing hole parts, e.g. honeycomb filtering structures}
- 21/958 Inspecting transparent materials {or objects, e.g. windscreens ([for conveyed flat sheet or rod](#) [G01N 21/896](#))}
- 2021/9583 {Lenses}
- 2021/9586 {Windscreens}
- 22/00 Investigating or analysing materials by the use of microwaves or radio waves, i.e. electromagnetic waves with a wavelength of one millimetre or more ([G01N 3/00](#) - [G01N 17/00](#), [G01N 24/00](#) take precedence)**
- 22/005 {and using Stark effect modulation}
- 22/02 Investigating the presence of flaws
- 22/04 Investigating moisture content
- 23/00 Investigating or analysing materials by the use of wave or particle radiation, e.g. X-rays or neutrons, not covered by groups [G01N 3/00](#) – [G01N 17/00](#), [G01N 21/00](#) or [G01N 22/00](#)**
- 23/005 {by using neutrons ([G01N 23/02](#) - [G01N 23/227](#) take precedence)}
- 23/02 by transmitting the radiation through the material
- 23/025 {using neutrons}
- 23/04 and forming images of the material
- 23/041 Phase-contrast imaging, e.g. using grating interferometers
- 23/043 {using fluoroscopic examination, with visual observation or video transmission of fluoroscopic images}
- 23/044 using laminography or tomosynthesis
- 23/046 using tomography, e.g. computed tomography [CT]
- 23/05 using neutrons
- 23/06 and measuring the absorption
- 23/083 the radiation being X-rays
- 23/085 X-ray absorption fine structure [XAFS], e.g. extended XAFS [EXAFS]
- 23/087 using polyenergetic X-rays
- 23/09 the radiation being neutrons
- 23/095 Gamma-ray resonance absorption, e.g. using the Mössbauer effect
- 23/10 the material being confined in a container, e.g. in a luggage X-ray scanners
- 23/12 the material being a flowing fluid or a flowing granular solid
- 23/125 {with immersed detecting head}
- 23/16 the material being a moving sheet or film
- 23/18 Investigating the presence of flaws defects or foreign matter
- 23/185 {in tyres}
- 23/20 by using diffraction of the radiation by the materials, e.g. for investigating crystal structure; by using scattering of the radiation by the materials, e.g. for investigating non-crystalline materials; by using reflection of the radiation by the materials
- 23/20008 Constructional details of analysers, e.g. characterised by X-ray source, detector or optical system; Accessories therefor; Preparing specimens therefor ([monochromators for X-rays using crystals](#) [G21K 1/06](#))
- 23/20016 Goniometers
- 23/20025 Sample holders or supports therefor
- 23/20033 provided with temperature control or heating means
- 23/20041 for high pressure testing, e.g. anvil cells
- 23/2005 Preparation of powder samples therefor
- 23/20058 Measuring diffraction of electrons, e.g. low energy electron diffraction [LEED] method or reflection high energy electron diffraction [RHEED] method
- 23/20066 Measuring inelastic scatter of gamma rays, e.g. Compton effect
- 23/20075 {by measuring interferences of X-rays, e.g. Borrmann effect}
- 23/20083 {by using a combination of at least two measurements at least one being a transmission measurement and one a scatter measurement}
- 23/20091 Measuring the energy-dispersion spectrum [EDS] of diffracted radiation
- 23/201 by measuring small-angle scattering
- 23/202 using neutrons
- 23/203 Measuring back scattering
- 23/204 using neutrons
- 23/205 using diffraction cameras
- 23/2055 Analysing diffraction patterns
- 23/207 Diffractometry using detectors, e.g. using a probe in a central position and one or more displaceable detectors in circumferential positions
- 23/2073 {using neutron detectors ([neutron spectrometry](#) [G01T 3/00](#))}
- 23/2076 {for spectrometry, i.e. using an analysing crystal, e.g. for measuring X-ray fluorescence spectrum of a sample with wavelength-dispersion, i.e. WDXFS}

- 23/22 . . by measuring secondary emission from the material
- NOTE**
Devices *per se* are classified in the relevant places, e.g. [H01J 37/00](#), [H01J 49/00](#)
- 23/2202 . . . Preparing specimens therefor
- 23/2204 . . . Specimen supports therefor; Sample conveying means therefore
- 23/2206 . . . Combination of two or more measurements, at least one measurement being that of secondary emission, e.g. combination of secondary electron [SE] measurement and back-scattered electron [BSE] measurement
- 23/2208 . . . all measurements being of a secondary emission, e.g. combination of SE measurement and characteristic X-ray measurement
- 23/2209 . . . using wavelength dispersive spectroscopy [WDS]
- 23/221 . . . by activation analysis
- 23/222 . . . using neutron activation analysis [NAA]
- 23/223 . . . by irradiating the sample with X-rays or gamma-rays and by measuring X-ray fluorescence
- 23/225 . . . using electron or ion
- 23/2251 . . . using incident electron beams, e.g. scanning electron microscopy [SEM]
- 23/2252 Measuring emitted X-rays, e.g. electron probe microanalysis [EPMA]
- 23/2254 Measuring cathodoluminescence
- 23/2255 . . . using incident ion beams, e.g. proton beams
- 23/2257 Measuring excited X-rays, i.e. particle-induced X-ray emission [PIXE]
- 23/2258 Measuring secondary ion emission, e.g. secondary ion mass spectrometry [SIMS] ([mass-to-charge ratio analysis aspects of SIMS for material analysis G01N 27/62](#))
- 23/227 . . . Measuring photoelectric effect, e.g. photoelectron emission microscopy [PEEM]
- 23/2273 Measuring photoelectron spectrum, e.g. electron spectroscopy for chemical analysis [ESCA] or X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy [XPS]
- 23/2276 . . . using the Auger effect, e.g. Auger electron spectroscopy [AES]
- 24/00 Investigating or analyzing materials by the use of nuclear magnetic resonance, electron paramagnetic resonance or other spin effects**
- 24/002 . . {Using resonance on molecular beams ([atomic clocks G04F 5/14](#); [beam masers H01S 1/06](#))}
- 24/004 . . {Using acoustical resonance, i.e. phonon interactions}
- 24/006 . . {using optical pumping ([magnetometers using optical pumping G01R 33/26](#), [optical pumping of lasers H01S 3/091](#))}
- 24/008 . . {by using resonance effects in zero field, e.g. in microwave, submillimetric region ([by measuring absorption of microwaves by the material G01N 22/00](#))}
- 24/08 . . by using nuclear magnetic resonance ([G01N 24/12 takes precedence](#))
- 24/081 . . . {Making measurements of geologic samples, e.g. measurements of moisture, pH, porosity, permeability, tortuosity or viscosity}
- 24/082 . . . {Measurement of solid, liquid or gas content}
- 24/084 . . . {Detection of potentially hazardous samples, e.g. toxic samples, explosives, drugs, firearms, weapons}
- 24/085 . . . {Analysis of materials for the purpose of controlling industrial production systems}
- 24/087 . . . {Structure determination of a chemical compound, e.g. of a biomolecule such as a protein}
- 24/088 . . . {Assessment or manipulation of a chemical or biochemical reaction, e.g. verification whether a chemical reaction occurred or whether a ligand binds to a receptor in drug screening or assessing reaction kinetics}
- 24/10 . . by using electron paramagnetic resonance ([G01N 24/12 takes precedence](#))
- 24/12 . . by using double resonance
- 24/14 . . by using cyclotron resonance
- 25/00 Investigating or analyzing materials by the use of thermal means ([G01N 3/00 - G01N 23/00 take precedence](#))**
- 25/005 . . {by investigating specific heat}
- 25/02 . . by investigating changes of state or changes of phase; by investigating sintering ([investigating or analysing oils or hydrocarbon fluids by measuring cloud point or pour point G01N 33/2811](#))
- 25/04 . . . of melting point; of freezing point; of softening point
- 25/06 Analysis by measuring change of freezing point
- 25/08 . . . of boiling point
- 25/085 {Investigating nucleation}
- 25/10 Analysis by measuring change of boiling point
- 25/12 . . . of critical point; of other phase change
- 25/14 . . by using distillation, extraction, sublimation, condensation, freezing, or crystallisation ([G01N 25/02 takes precedence](#))
- 25/142 . . . {by condensation}
- 25/145 . . . {Accessories, e.g. cooling devices ([in general B01L, F25D](#))}
- 25/147 . . . {by crystallisation}
- 25/16 . . by investigating thermal coefficient of expansion
- 25/18 . . by investigating thermal conductivity ([by calorimetry G01N 25/20](#); [by measuring change of resistance of an electrically-heated body G01N 27/18](#))
- 25/20 . . by investigating the development of heat, i.e. calorimetry, e.g. by measuring specific heat, by measuring thermal conductivity ([calorimeters per se G01K](#))
- 25/22 . . . on combustion or catalytic oxidation, e.g. of components of gas mixtures
- 25/24 using combustion tubes, e.g. for microanalysis
- 25/26 using combustion with oxygen under pressure, e.g. in bomb calorimeter
- 25/28 the rise in temperature of the gases resulting from combustion being measured directly
- 25/30 using electric temperature-responsive elements
- 25/32 using thermoelectric elements
- 25/34 using mechanical temperature-responsive elements, e.g. bimetallic ([bimetallic elements per se G12B 1/02](#))
- 25/36 for investigating the composition of gas mixtures

- 25/38 using the melting or combustion of a solid
- 25/385 {for investigating the composition of gas mixtures}
- 25/40 . . . the heat developed being transferred to a flowing fluid
- 25/42 continuously
- 25/44 . . . the heat developed being transferred to a fixed quantity of fluid
- 25/46 for investigating the composition of gas mixtures
- 25/48 . . on solution, sorption, or a chemical reaction not involving combustion or catalytic oxidation
- 25/4806 . . . {Details not adapted to a particular type of sample}
- 25/4813 {concerning the measuring means}
- 25/482 {concerning the temperature responsive elements (measuring temperature or quantity of heat, thermally-sensitive elements [G01K](#); thermoelectric devices [H10N 10/00](#), [H10N 15/00](#))}
- 25/4826 {concerning the heating or cooling arrangements (heating apparatus for chemical or physical laboratory apparatus in general [B01L 7/00](#))}
- 25/4833 {specially adapted for temperature scanning}
- 25/484 {Heat insulation}
- 25/4846 . . . {for a motionless, e.g. solid sample}
- 25/4853 {Details}
- 25/486 {Sample holders}
- 25/4866 {by using a differential method}
- 25/4873 . . . {for a flowing, e.g. gas sample}
- 25/488 {Details}
- 25/4886 {concerning the circulation of the sample}
- 25/4893 {by using a differential method}
- 25/50 . . by investigating flash-point; by investigating explosibility
- 25/52 . . by determining flash-point of liquids
- 25/54 . . by determining explosibility
- 25/56 . . by investigating moisture content
- 25/58 . . by measuring changes of properties of the material due to heat, cold or expansion
- 25/60 . . . for determining the wetness of steam
- 25/62 . . by psychrometric means, e.g. wet-and-dry bulb thermometers
- 25/64 . . . using electric temperature-responsive elements
- 25/66 . . by investigating dew-point
- 25/68 . . . by varying the temperature of a condensing surface
- 25/70 . . . by varying the temperature of the material, e.g. by compression, by expansion
- 25/72 . . Investigating presence of flaws
- 27/00 Investigating or analysing materials by the use of electric, electrochemical, or magnetic means ([G01N 3/00](#) – [G01N 25/00](#) take precedence; measurement or testing of electric or magnetic variables or of electric or magnetic properties of materials [G01R](#))**
- 27/002 . . {by investigating the work function voltage}
- 27/005 . . {by determining the work function in vacuum}
- 27/007 . . {by investigating the electric dipolar moment (measuring piezoelectric properties [G01R 29/22](#))}
- 27/02 . . by investigating impedance
- 27/021 . . {before and after chemical transformation of the material}
- 27/023 . . {where the material is placed in the field of a coil}
- 27/025 . . . {a current being generated within the material by induction}
- 27/026 . . {Dielectric impedance spectroscopy (electrochemical impedance spectroscopy for measuring corrosion [G01N 17/02](#))}
- 27/028 . . {Circuits therefor (measuring impedance *per se* [G01R 27/02](#))}
- 27/04 . . by investigating resistance
- 27/041 . . . {of a solid body}
- 27/043 . . . {of a granular material}
- 27/045 . . . {Circuits (measuring resistance *per se* [G01R 27/00](#), e.g. [G01R 27/22](#))}
- 27/046 {provided with temperature compensation}
- 27/048 . . . {for determining moisture content of the material}
- 27/06 . . . of a liquid (involving electrolysis [G01N 27/26](#))
- 27/07 Construction of measuring vessels; Electrodes therefor
- 27/08 which is flowing continuously
- 27/10 Investigation or analysis specially adapted for controlling or monitoring operations or for signalling
- 27/12 . . . of a solid body in dependence upon absorption of a fluid; of a solid body in dependence upon reaction with a fluid {, for detecting components in the fluid}
- 27/121 {for determining moisture content, e.g. humidity, of the fluid (moisture content of the tested material [G01N 27/048](#))}
- 27/122 {Circuits particularly adapted therefor, e.g. linearising circuits}
- 27/123 {for controlling the temperature (temperature control *per se* [G05D 23/00](#))}
- 27/124 {varying the temperature, e.g. in a cyclic manner}
- 27/125 {Composition of the body, e.g. the composition of its sensitive layer}
- 27/126 {comprising organic polymers}
- 27/127 {comprising nanoparticles}
- 27/128 {Microapparatus}
- 27/129 {Diode type sensors, e.g. gas sensitive Schottky diodes (capacitor type sensors [G01N 27/227](#); field-effect transistor type sensors [G01N 27/414](#))}
- 27/14 . . . of an electrically-heated body in dependence upon change of temperature
- 27/16 caused by burning or catalytic oxidation of surrounding material to be tested, e.g. of gas
- 27/18 caused by changes in the thermal conductivity of a surrounding material to be tested ([G01N 27/20](#) takes precedence)
- 27/185 {using a catharometer}
- 27/20 . . . Investigating the presence of flaws
- 27/205 {in insulating materials}
- 27/22 . . by investigating capacitance
- 27/221 . . . {by investigating the dielectric properties (using microwaves [G01N 22/00](#); measuring loss factors or dielectric constants *per se* [G01R 27/26](#))}
- 2027/222 {for analysing gases}

- 27/223 . . . {for determining moisture content, e.g. humidity ([rain detectors on vehicle windows B60S 1/0825](#))}
- 27/225 {by using hygroscopic materials}
- 27/226 . . . {Construction of measuring vessels; Electrodes therefor}
- 27/227 . . . {Sensors changing capacitance upon adsorption or absorption of fluid components, e.g. electrolyte-insulator-semiconductor sensors, MOS capacitors ([G01N 27/225 takes precedence](#))}
- 27/228 . . . {Circuits therefor ([measuring capacitance per se G01R 27/26](#))}
- 27/24 . . . Investigating the presence of flaws
- 27/26 . . . by investigating electrochemical variables; by using electrolysis or electrophoresis
- 27/27 . . Association of two or more measuring systems or cells, each measuring a different parameter, where the measurement results may be either used independently, the systems or cells being physically associated, or combined to produce a value for a further parameter
- 27/28 . . Electrolytic cell components
- 27/283 . . . {Means for supporting or introducing electrochemical probes}
- 27/286 {Power or signal connectors associated therewith}
- 27/30 . . . Electrodes, e.g. test electrodes; Half-cells ([G01N 27/414 takes precedence](#))
- 27/301 {Reference electrodes}
- 27/302 {pH sensitive, e.g. quinhydrone, antimony or hydrogen electrodes ([ion selective electrodes G01N 27/333](#), [glass electrodes G01N 27/36](#))}
- 27/304 {Gas permeable electrodes}
- 27/305 {optically transparent or photoresponsive electrodes}
- 27/307 {Disposable laminated or multilayered electrodes ([G01N 27/3272 takes precedence](#))}
- 27/308 {at least partially made of carbon}
- 27/31 Half-cells with permeable membranes, e.g. semi-porous or perm-selective membranes
- 27/32 Calomel electrodes
- 27/327 Biochemical electrodes {, e.g. electrical or mechanical details for [in vitro](#) measurements}
- 27/3271 {Amperometric enzyme electrodes for analytes in body fluids, e.g. glucose in blood ([amperometry per se G01N 27/49](#); aspects concerning the enzyme reagent [C12Q 1/001](#))}
- 27/3272 {Test elements therefor, i.e. disposable laminated substrates with electrodes, reagent and channels ([optical biosensors G01N 33/52](#))}
- 27/3273 {Devices therefor, e.g. test element readers, circuitry ([details not specific to biochemical electrodes G01N 33/4875](#))}
- 27/3274 {Corrective measures, e.g. error detection, compensation for temperature or hematocrit, calibration ([coding of calibration information G01N 33/48771](#))}
- 27/3275 {Sensing specific biomolecules, e.g. nucleic acid strands, based on an electrode surface reaction}
- 27/3276 {being a hybridisation with immobilised receptors ([using a FET type sensor G01N 27/4145](#); concerning the hybridisation [C12Q 1/68](#))}
- 27/3277 {being a redox reaction, e.g. detection by cyclic voltammetry ([voltammetry per se G01N 27/42](#), [G01N 27/48](#))}
- 27/3278 {involving nanosized elements, e.g. nanogaps or nanoparticles ([nanopores G01N 33/48721](#); [magnetic beads G01N 27/745](#))}
- 27/333 Ion-selective electrodes or membranes ([glass electrodes G01N 27/36](#))
- 27/3335 {the membrane containing at least one organic component ([G01N 27/3271 takes precedence](#); aspects concerning the enzyme reagent in enzyme electrodes [C12Q 1/001](#))}
- 27/34 Dropping-mercury electrodes
- 27/36 Glass electrodes
- 27/38 Cleaning of electrodes
- 27/40 . . . Semi-permeable membranes or partitions
- 27/401 . . . Salt-bridge leaks; Liquid junctions
- 27/403 . . Cells and electrode assemblies
- 27/4035 . . . {Combination of a single ion-sensing electrode and a single reference electrode ([G01N 27/406 and G01N 27/413 take precedence](#))}
- 27/404 . . . Cells with anode, cathode and cell electrolyte on the same side of a permeable membrane which separates them from the sample fluid {, e.g. Clark-type oxygen sensors}
- 27/4045 {for gases other than oxygen}
- 27/406 . . . Cells and probes with solid electrolytes
- 27/4062 {Electrical connectors associated therewith}
- 27/4065 {Circuit arrangements specially adapted therefor}
- 27/4067 {Means for heating or controlling the temperature of the solid electrolyte}
- 27/407 for investigating or analysing gases {([G01N 27/411 takes precedence](#))}
- 27/4071 {using sensor elements of laminated structure}
- 27/4072 {characterized by the diffusion barrier}
- 27/4073 {Composition or fabrication of the solid electrolyte}
- 27/4074 {for detection of gases other than oxygen}
- 27/4075 {Composition or fabrication of the electrodes and coatings thereon, e.g. catalysts}
- 27/4076 {Reference electrodes or reference mixtures}
- 27/4077 {Means for protecting the electrolyte or the electrodes}
- 27/4078 {Means for sealing the sensor element in a housing}
- 27/409 Oxygen concentration cells
- 27/41 Oxygen pumping cells
- 27/411 for investigating or analysing of liquid metals

- 27/4111 {using sensor elements of laminated structure}
- 27/4112 {Composition or fabrication of the solid electrolyte}
- 27/4114 {for detection of gases other than oxygen}
- 27/4115 {Composition or fabrication of the electrodes and coatings thereon, e.g. catalysts}
- 27/4117 {Reference electrodes or reference mixtures}
- 27/4118 {Means for protecting the electrolyte or the electrodes}
- 27/413 . . . Concentration cells using liquid electrolytes {measuring currents or voltages in voltaic cells}
- 27/414 . . . Ion-sensitive or chemical field-effect transistors, i.e. ISFETS or CHEMFETS
- 27/4141 {specially adapted for gases}
- 27/4143 {Air gap between gate and channel, i.e. suspended gate [SG] FETs (work function measurement per se G01N 27/002)}
- 27/4145 {specially adapted for biomolecules, e.g. gate electrode with immobilised receptors}
- 27/4146 {involving nanosized elements, e.g. nanotubes, nanowires}
- 27/4148 {Integrated circuits therefor, e.g. fabricated by CMOS processing (CMOS processing per se H01L 21/82)}
- 27/416 . . Systems (G01N 27/27 takes precedence)
- 27/4161 . . . {measuring the voltage and using a constant current supply, e.g. chronopotentiometry}
- 27/4162 . . . {investigating the composition of gases, by the influence exerted on ionic conductivity in a liquid (conductometry in general G01N 27/06; amperometric gas sensors G01N 27/404)}
- 27/4163 . . . {checking the operation of, or calibrating, the measuring apparatus (G01N 27/3274, G01N 27/4175 and G01N 33/0006 take precedence)}
- 27/4165 {for pH meters}
- 27/4166 . . . {measuring a particular property of an electrolyte}
- 27/4167 {pH (electrodes therefor G01N 27/302, G01N 27/36)}
- 27/4168 {Oxidation-reduction potential, e.g. for chlorination of water (water analysis G01N 33/18)}
- 27/417 . . . using cells {, i.e. more than one cell} and probes with solid electrolytes
- 27/4175 {Calibrating or checking the analyser}
- 27/419 Measuring voltages or currents with a combination of oxygen pumping cells and oxygen concentration cells
- 27/42 . . . Measuring deposition or liberation of materials from an electrolyte; Coulometry, i.e. measuring coulomb-equivalent of material in an electrolyte
- 27/423 {Coulometry}
- 27/426 {by weighing}
- 27/44 using electrolysis to generate a reagent, e.g. for titration
- 27/447 . . . using electrophoresis
- 27/44704 {Details; Accessories}
- 27/44708 {Cooling}
- 27/44713 {Particularly adapted electric power supply}
- 27/44717 {Arrangements for investigating the separated zones, e.g. localising zones}
- 27/44721 {by optical means}
- 27/44726 {using specific dyes, markers or binding molecules}
- 27/4473 {by electric means}
- 27/44734 {by thermal means}
- 27/44739 {Collecting the separated zones, e.g. blotting to a membrane or punching of gel spots}
- 27/44743 {Introducing samples}
- 27/44747 {Composition of gel or of carrier mixture}
- 27/44752 {Controlling the zeta potential, e.g. by wall coatings}
- 27/44756 {Apparatus specially adapted therefor}
- 27/4476 {of the density gradient type}
- 27/44765 {of the counter-flow type}
- 27/44769 {Continuous electrophoresis, i.e. the sample being continuously introduced, e.g. free flow electrophoresis [FFE]}
- 27/44773 {Multi-stage electrophoresis, e.g. two-dimensional electrophoresis}
- 27/44778 {on a common gel carrier, i.e. 2D gel electrophoresis}
- 27/44782 {of a plurality of samples}
- 27/44786 {of the magneto-electrophoresis type}
- 27/44791 {Microapparatus (sample containers with integrated microfluidic structures B01L 3/5027)}
- 27/44795 {Isoelectric focusing}
- 27/453 Cells therefor
- 27/48 using polarography, i.e. measuring changes in current under a slowly-varying voltage
- 27/49 Systems involving the determination of the current at a single specific value, or small range of values, of applied voltage for producing selective measurement of one or more particular ionic species
- 27/60 . . . by investigating electrostatic variables {, e.g. electrographic flaw testing (G01N 27/007 takes precedence)}
- 27/605 . . . {for determining moisture content, e.g. humidity}
- 27/61 . . . Investigating the presence of flaws
- 27/62 . . . by investigating the ionisation of gases, e.g. aerosols; by investigating electric discharges, e.g. emission of cathode
- 27/622 . . . Ion mobility spectrometry
- 27/623 combined with mass spectrometry
- 27/624 Differential mobility spectrometry [DMS]; Field asymmetric-waveform ion mobility spectrometry [FAIMS]
- 27/626 . . . using heat to ionise a gas
- 27/628 {and a beam of energy, e.g. laser enhanced ionisation}
- 27/64 . . . using wave or particle radiation to ionise a gas, e.g. in an ionisation chamber
- 27/66 and measuring current or voltage
- 27/68 . . . using electric discharge to ionise a gas
- 27/70 and measuring current or voltage
- 27/72 . . . by investigating magnetic variables

- 27/725 . . {by using magneto-acoustical effects or the Barkhausen effect}
- 27/74 . . of fluids ([G01N 24/00](#) takes precedence)
- 27/745 . . . {for detecting magnetic beads used in biochemical assays (concerning the assays [G01N 33/54326](#); sensors therefor [G01R 33/1269](#); automatic analysers therefor [G01N 35/0098](#))}
- 27/76 . . . by investigating susceptibility
- 27/80 . . for investigating mechanical hardness, e.g. by investigating saturation or remanence of ferromagnetic material
- 27/82 . . for investigating the presence of flaws
- 27/825 . . . {by using magnetic attraction force ([G01N 27/84](#) takes precedence)}
- 27/83 . . . by investigating stray magnetic fields
- 27/84 by applying magnetic powder or magnetic ink
- 27/85 using magnetographic methods
- 27/87 using probes
- 27/90 using eddy currents
- 27/9006 {Details, e.g. in the structure or functioning of sensors}
- 27/9013 Arrangements for scanning
- 27/902 {by moving the sensors}
- 27/9026 {by moving the material}
- 27/904 with two or more sensors
- 27/9046 {by analysing electrical signals}
- 27/9053 {Compensating for probe to workpiece spacing}
- 27/906 {Compensating for velocity}
- 27/9066 {by measuring the propagation time, or delaying the signals}
- 27/9073 {Recording measured data}
- 27/908 {synchronously with scanning}
- 27/9086 {Calibrating of recording device}
- 27/9093 Arrangements for supporting the sensor; Combinations of eddy-current sensors and auxiliary arrangements for marking or for rejecting
- 27/92 . . by investigating breakdown voltage ([G01N 27/60](#), [G01N 27/62](#) take precedence)
- 29/00 Investigating or analysing materials by the use of ultrasonic, sonic or infrasonic waves; Visualisation of the interior of objects by transmitting ultrasonic or sonic waves through the object ([G01N 3/00](#), [G01N 5/00](#), [G01N 7/00](#), [G01N 9/00](#), [G01N 11/00](#), [G01N 13/00](#), [G01N 15/00](#), [G01N 17/00](#), [G01N 19/00](#), [G01N 21/00](#), [G01N 22/00](#), [G01N 23/00](#), [G01N 24/00](#), [G01N 25/00](#), [G01N 27/00](#) take precedence)**
- 29/02 . . Analysing fluids (using acoustic emission techniques [G01N 29/14](#) ; constructional or flow details for analysing fluids [G01N 29/222](#); optoacoustic fluid cells [G01N 29/2425](#))
- 29/022 . . {Fluid sensors based on microsensors, e.g. quartz crystal-microbalance [QCM], surface acoustic wave [SAW] devices, tuning forks, cantilevers, flexural plate wave [FPW] devices (microdevices [per se B81B](#))}
- 29/024 . . by measuring propagation velocity or propagation time of acoustic waves
- 29/028 . . by measuring mechanical or acoustic impedance
- 29/032 . . by measuring attenuation of acoustic waves
- 29/036 . . by measuring frequency or resonance of acoustic waves
- 29/04 . . Analysing solids (using acoustic emission techniques [G01N 29/14](#))
- 29/041 . . {on the surface of the material, e.g. using Lamb, Rayleigh or shear waves}
- 29/043 . . {in the interior, e.g. by shear waves}
- 29/045 . . {by imparting shocks to the workpiece and detecting the vibrations or the acoustic waves caused by the shocks (measuring resonant frequency [G01H 13/00](#); measuring strength properties by application of mechanical stress [G01N 3/00](#))}
- 29/046 {using the echo of particles imparting on a surface; using acoustic emission of particles (investigating concentration of particle suspensions [G01N 15/06](#); devices for measuring flow of solids in suspension [G01F 1/74](#))}
- 29/048 . . {Marking the faulty objects}
- 29/06 . . Visualisation of the interior, e.g. acoustic microscopy {(medical or veterinary diagnosis using sonic waves [A61B 8/00](#); representation of acoustic wave distribution [G01H 3/125](#), [G01H 9/002](#); short-range imaging systems using reflection of acoustic waves [G01S 15/8906](#))}
- 29/0609 {Display arrangements, e.g. colour displays (indicating or recording in connection with measuring in general [G01D](#))}
- 29/0618 {synchronised with scanning, e.g. in real-time}
- 29/0627 {Cathode-ray tube displays (in general [G01R 13/20](#))}
- 29/0636 {with permanent recording}
- 29/0645 {Display representation or displayed parameters, e.g. A-, B- or C-Scan}
- 29/0654 {Imaging}
- 29/0663 {by acoustic holography (acoustical holography [per se G03H 3/00](#))}
- 29/0672 {by acoustic tomography (medical tomography [A61B 8/13](#))}
- 29/0681 {by acoustic microscopy, e.g. scanning acoustic microscopy}
- 29/069 {Defect imaging, localisation and sizing using, e.g. time of flight diffraction [TOFD], synthetic aperture focusing technique [SAFT], Amplituden-Laufzeit-Ortskurven [ALOK] technique}
- 29/07 . . by measuring propagation velocity or propagation time of acoustic waves
- 29/075 {by measuring or comparing phase angle (measuring frequencies or phase angles [per se G01R 23/00](#), [G01R 25/00](#))}
- 29/09 . . by measuring mechanical or acoustic impedance
- 29/11 . . by measuring attenuation of acoustic waves
- 29/12 . . by measuring frequency or resonance of acoustic waves {(measuring frequency or resonant frequency of mechanical vibrations or acoustic waves in general [G01H 1/06](#), [G01H 3/04](#), [G01H 13/00](#); acoustic resonators [G10K 11/04](#); vibration or shock testing of structures [G01M 7/00](#))}

- 29/14 . . . using acoustic emission techniques { (echo of particles [G01N 29/046](#); measuring mechanical vibrations or acoustic waves in solids in general [G01H 1/00](#)) }
- 29/22 . . . Details {, e.g. general constructional or apparatus details }
- 29/221 . . . {Arrangements for directing or focusing the acoustical waves (electronic orientation or focusing [G01N 29/262](#); sound directing or focusing [G10K 11/26](#); mechanical steering of sound transducers or their beams [G10K 11/35](#)) }
- 29/222 . . . {Constructional or flow details for analysing fluids (optoacoustic fluid cells [G01N 29/2425](#)) }
- 29/223 . . . {Supports, positioning or alignment in fixed situation (mounting transducers [per se G10K 11/004](#)) }
- 29/225 . . . {Supports, positioning or alignment in moving situation }
- 29/226 . . . {Handheld or portable devices }
- 29/227 . . . {related to high pressure, tension or stress conditions }
- 29/228 . . . {related to high temperature conditions }
- 29/24 . . . Probes { (transducers for acoustic waves [B06B, G10K](#); for measuring [G01H](#)) }
- 29/2406 . . . {Electrostatic or capacitive probes, e.g. electret or cMUT-probes }
- 29/2412 . . . {using the magnetostrictive properties of the material to be examined, e.g. electromagnetic acoustic transducers [EMAT]; (investigating the presence of flaws using eddy currents [G01N 27/90](#), magnetostrictive transducers [B06B 1/08](#), measuring magnetostrictive properties [G01R 33/18](#)) }
- 29/2418 . . . {using optoacoustic interaction with the material, e.g. laser radiation, photoacoustics (photoacoustic cells [G01N 21/1702](#); measuring characteristics of vibrations by using radiation-sensitive means [G01H 9/00](#); acousto-optical conversion techniques for short-range imaging [G01S 15/8965](#); sound-producing devices using laser bundle [G10K 15/046](#)) }
- 29/2425 {optoacoustic fluid cells therefor }
- 29/2431 . . . {using other means for acoustic excitation, e.g. heat, microwaves, electron beams (sound producing devices not otherwise provided for [G10K 15/04](#)) }
- 29/2437 . . . {Piezoelectric probes }
- 29/2443 . . . {Quartz crystal probes }
- 29/245 . . . {Ceramic probes, e.g. lead zirconate titanate [PZT] probes }
- 29/2456 . . . {Focusing probes (focusing arrangements [G01N 29/221](#)) }
- 29/2462 . . . {Probes with waveguides, e.g. SAW devices }
- 29/2468 . . . {Probes with delay lines }
- 29/2475 . . . {Embedded probes, i.e. probes incorporated in objects to be inspected }
- 29/2481 . . . {Wireless probes, e.g. with transponders or radio links }
- 29/2487 . . . {Directing probes, e.g. angle probes (directing arrangements [G01N 29/221](#)) }
- 29/2493 . . . {Wheel shaped probes }
- 29/26 . . . Arrangements for orientation or scanning {by relative movement of the head and the sensor (mechanical steering of sound transducers or their beams [G10K 11/35](#)) }
- 29/262 {by electronic orientation or focusing, e.g. with phased arrays (phased arrays [per se G10K 11/34](#)) }
- 29/265 by moving the sensor relative to a stationary material }
- 29/27 by moving the material relative to a stationary sensor }
- 29/275 by moving both the sensor and the material }
- 29/28 . . . providing acoustic coupling {, e.g. water (impedance matching [G10K 11/02](#)) }
- 29/30 . . . Arrangements for calibrating or comparing, e.g. with standard objects }
- 29/32 . . . Arrangements for suppressing undesired influences, e.g. temperature or pressure variations {, compensating for signal noise }
- 29/323 {compensating for pressure or tension variations }
- 29/326 {compensating for temperature variations }
- 29/34 . . . Generating the ultrasonic, sonic or infrasonic waves {, e.g. electronic circuits specially adapted therefor }
- 29/341 . . . {with time characteristics }
- 29/343 {pulse waves, e.g. particular sequence of pulses, bursts }
- 29/345 {continuous waves }
- 29/346 . . . {with amplitude characteristics, e.g. modulated signal }
- 29/348 . . . {with frequency characteristics, e.g. single frequency signals, chirp signals (measuring frequency of mechanical vibrations or acoustic waves in general [G01H 1/06](#), [G01H 3/04](#); measuring frequency or analysing frequency spectra [G01R 23/00](#)) }
- 29/36 . . . Detecting the response signal {, e.g. electronic circuits specially adapted therefor }
- 29/38 by time filtering, e.g. using time gates }
- 29/40 by amplitude filtering, e.g. by applying a threshold {or by gain control }
- 29/42 by frequency filtering {or by tuning to resonant frequency }
- 29/44 . . . Processing the detected response signal {, e.g. electronic circuits specially adapted therefor (digital signal processing [per se G06F 17/00](#)) }
- 29/4409 {by comparison }
- 29/4418 {with a model, e.g. best-fit, regression analysis }
- 29/4427 {with stored values, e.g. threshold values }
- 29/4436 {with a reference signal (amplitude comparison [G01N 29/48](#)) }
- 29/4445 . . . {Classification of defects }
- 29/4454 . . . {Signal recognition, e.g. specific values or portions, signal events, signatures }
- 29/4463 . . . {Signal correction, e.g. distance amplitude correction [DAC], distance gain size [DGS], noise filtering }
- 29/4472 . . . {Mathematical theories or simulation }
- 29/4481 . . . {Neural networks }
- 29/449 . . . {Statistical methods not provided for in [G01N 29/4409](#), e.g. averaging, smoothing and interpolation }
- 29/46 by spectral analysis, e.g. Fourier analysis {or wavelet analysis (spectral signal processing [per se G06F 17/14](#)) }
- 29/48 by amplitude comparison }

29/50	. . using auto-correlation techniques or cross-correlation techniques	30/08	. . . . using an enricher
29/52	. . using inversion methods other than spectral analysis, e.g. conjugated gradient inversion	2030/085	. . . . {using absorbing precolumn}
30/00	Investigating or analysing materials by separation into components using adsorption, absorption or similar phenomena or using ion-exchange, e.g. chromatography {or field flow fractionation} (G01N 3/00 , G01N 5/00 , G01N 7/00 , G01N 9/00 , G01N 11/00 , G01N 13/00 , G01N 15/00 , G01N 17/00 , G01N 19/00 , G01N 21/00 , G01N 22/00 , G01N 23/00 , G01N 24/00 , G01N 25/00 , G01N 27/00 , G01N 29/00 take precedence)	30/10	. . . . using a splitter
	NOTE	30/12	. . . . by evaporation
	In this group, the following term is used with the meaning indicated:	2030/121	. . . . {cooling; cold traps}
	• "conditioning" refers to the adjustment or control of environmental parameters, e.g. temperature or pressure.	2030/122	. . . . {cryogenic focusing}
30/0005	. {Field flow fractionation}	2030/123	. . . . {using more than one trap}
2030/001	. . {hydrodynamic fractionation, e.g. CHDF or HDC}	2030/125	. . . . {pyrolysing}
2030/0015	. . {characterised by driving force}	2030/126	. . . . {evaporating sample}
2030/002	. . . {sedimentation or centrifugal FFF}	2030/127	. . . . {PTV evaporation}
2030/0025	. . . {cross flow FFF}	2030/128	. . . . {Thermal desorption analysis}
2030/003	. . . . {Asymmetrical flow}	30/14	. . . . by elimination of some components
2030/0035	. . . {electrical field}	2030/143	. . . . {selective absorption}
2030/004	. . {characterised by opposing force}	2030/146	. . . . {using membranes}
2030/0045	. . . {normal, i.e. diffusion or thermal FFF}	30/16	. . . Injection (G01N 30/24 takes precedence)
2030/005	. . . {steric FFF, i.e. diffusion negligible for larger particles; separation due to protrusion depth into carrier flow profile}	2030/162	. . . . {electromigration}
2030/0055	. . . {hyperlayer, i.e. different particle populations in hyperlayers elevated above wall}	2030/165	. . . . {retention gaps}
2030/006	. . . . {lift hyperlayer, i.e. hydrodynamic lift forces dominate steric effect}	2030/167	. . . . {on-column injection}
2030/0065	. . . {Dielectric FFF, i.e. opposing forces dominate hydrodynamic lift forces and steric effects}	30/18	. . . . using a septum or microsyringe
2030/007	. . {programming of driving force (carrier programming G01N 30/02)}	2030/185	. . . . {specially adapted to seal the inlet}
2030/0075	. {Separation due to differential desorption}	30/20	. . . . using a sampling valve
2030/008	. . {Thermal desorption}	2030/201	. . . . {multiport valves, i.e. having more than two ports}
2030/0085	. . {the desorption energy being adapted to sample, e.g. laser tuned to molecular bonds}	2030/202	. . . . {rotary valves}
2030/009	. {Extraction}	2030/204	. . . . {Linearly moving valves, e.g. sliding valves}
2030/0095	. {Separation specially adapted for use outside laboratory, e.g. field sampling, portable equipments}	2030/205	. . . . {Diaphragm valves, e.g. deformed member closing the passage}
30/02	. Column chromatography	2030/207	. . . . {with metering cavity, e.g. sample loop}
2030/022	. . {characterised by the kind of separation mechanism}	2030/208	. . . . {with more than one cavity}
2030/025	. . . {Gas chromatography}	30/22	. . . . in high pressure liquid systems
2030/027	. . . {Liquid chromatography}	30/24	. . . Automatic injection systems
30/04	. . Preparation or injection of sample to be analysed	30/26	. . Conditioning of the fluid carrier; Flow patterns
2030/042	. . . {Standards}	30/28	. . . Control of physical parameters of the fluid carrier
2030/045	. . . . {internal}	2030/285	. . . . {electrically driven carrier}
2030/047	. . . . {external}	30/30	. . . . of temperature
30/06	. . . Preparation	2030/3007	. . . . {same temperature for whole column}
2030/062	. . . . {extracting sample from raw material}	2030/3015	. . . . {temperature gradients along column}
2030/065	. . . . {using different phases to separate parts of sample}	2030/3023	. . . . {using cryogenic fluids}
2030/067	. . . . {by reaction, e.g. derivatising the sample}	2030/303	. . . . {using peltier elements}
		2030/3038	. . . . {temperature control of column exit, e.g. of restrictors}
		2030/3046	. . . . {temperature control of column inlet}
		2030/3053	. . . . {using resistive heating}
		2030/3061	. . . . {column or associated structural member used as heater}
		2030/3069	. . . . {electrical resistance used to determine control temperature}
		2030/3076	. . . . {using specially adapted T(t) profile}
		2030/3084	. . . . {ovens}
		2030/3092	. . . . {Heat exchange between incoming and outgoing mobile phase}
		30/32	. . . . of pressure or speed (G01N 30/36 takes precedence)
		2030/322	. . . . {pulse dampers}
		2030/324	. . . . {speed, flow rate}
		2030/326	. . . . {pumps}
		2030/328	. . . . {valves, e.g. check valves of pumps}
		30/34	. . . . of fluid composition, e.g. gradient (G01N 30/36 takes precedence)
		2030/342	. . . . {fluid composition fixed during analysis}

2030/345	. . . . .	{fluid electrical conductivity fixed during analysis}	30/6021	. . . . .	{Adjustable pistons}
2030/347	. . . . .	{mixers}	30/6026	. . . . .	{Fluid seals}
30/36	. . . . .	in high pressure liquid systems	30/603	. . . . .	{retaining the stationary phase, e.g. Frits}
30/38	. . . . .	Flow patterns	30/6034	. . . . .	{joining multiple columns}
2030/381	. . . . .	{centrifugal chromatography}	30/6039	. . . . .	{in series}
2030/382	. . . . .	{flow switching in a single column}	30/6043	. . . . .	{in parallel}
2030/383	. . . . .	{by using auxiliary fluid}	30/6047	. . . . .	{with supporting means; Holders}
2030/385	. . . . .	{by switching valves}	30/6052	. . . . .	{body}
2030/386	. . . . .	{Radial chromatography, i.e. with mobile phase traversing radially the stationary phase}	30/606	. . . . .	{with fluid access or exit ports}
2030/387	. . . . .	{Turbulent flow of mobile phase}	30/6065	. . . . .	{with varying cross section}
2030/388	. . . . .	{Elution in two different directions on one stationary phase}	30/6069	. . . . .	{with compartments or bed substructure}
30/40	. . . . .	using back flushing	30/6073	. . . . .	{in open tubular form}
2030/402	. . . . .	{purging a device}	30/6078	. . . . .	{Capillaries}
2030/405	. . . . .	{re-concentrating or inverting previous separation}	30/6082	. . . . .	{transparent to radiation}
2030/407	. . . . .	{carrying out another separation}	30/6086	. . . . .	{form designed to optimise dispersion}
30/42	. . . . .	using counter-current	30/6091	. . . . .	{Cartridges}
30/44	. . . . .	using recycling of the fraction to be distributed	30/6095	. . . . .	{Micromachined or nanomachined, e.g. micro- or nanosize}
2030/445	. . . . .	{heart cut}			
30/46	. . . . .	using more than one column (G01N 30/44 takes precedence)			
30/461	. . . . .	{with serial coupling of separation columns}			
30/462	. . . . .	{with different eluents or with eluents in different states (G01N 30/463 takes precedence)}			
30/463	. . . . .	{for multidimensional chromatography}			
30/465	. . . . .	{with specially adapted interfaces between the columns}			
30/466	. . . . .	{with separation columns in parallel}			
30/467	. . . . .	{all columns being identical}			
30/468	. . . . .	{involving switching between different column configurations}			
30/50	. . . . .	Conditioning of the sorbent material or stationary liquid			
30/52	. . . . .	Physical parameters			
2030/521	. . . . .	{form}	30/62	. . . . .	Detectors specially adapted therefor
2030/522	. . . . .	{pressure}	2030/621	. . . . .	{signal-to-noise ratio}
2030/524	. . . . .	{structural properties}	2030/623	. . . . .	{by modulation of sample feed or detector response}
2030/525	. . . . .	{surface properties, e.g. porosity}	2030/625	. . . . .	{by measuring reference material, e.g. carrier without sample}
2030/527	. . . . .	{sorbent material in form of a membrane}	2030/626	. . . . .	{calibration, baseline}
2030/528	. . . . .	{Monolithic sorbent material}	2030/628	. . . . .	{Multiplexing, i.e. several columns sharing a single detector}
30/54	. . . . .	Temperature	30/64	. . . . .	Electrical detectors
30/56	. . . . .	Packing methods or coating methods	2030/642	. . . . .	{photoionisation detectors}
2030/562	. . . . .	{packing}	2030/645	. . . . .	{electrical conductivity detectors}
2030/565	. . . . .	{slurry packing}	2030/647	. . . . .	{surface ionisation}
2030/567	. . . . .	{coating}	30/66	. . . . .	Thermal conductivity detectors
30/58	. . . . .	the sorbent moving as a whole	30/68	. . . . .	Flame ionisation detectors
2030/582	. . . . .	{micellar electrokinetic capillary chromatography [MECC]}	2030/685	. . . . .	{flame photometry}
2030/585	. . . . .	{Parallel current chromatography}	30/70	. . . . .	Electron capture detectors
2030/587	. . . . .	{Continuous annular chromatography}	30/72	. . . . .	Mass spectrometers (mass spectrometers per se H01J 49/00)
30/60	. . . . .	Construction of the column	30/7206	. . . . .	{interfaced to gas chromatograph (interfaces in general for introducing or extracting samples to be analysed with specially adapted mass spectrometer, see H01J 49/04)}
30/6004	. . . . .	{end pieces}	30/7213	. . . . .	{splitting of the gaseous effluent}
2030/6008	. . . . .	{capillary restrictors}	30/722	. . . . .	{through a gas permeable barrier (membranes, porous layers)}
2030/6013	. . . . .	{interfaces to detectors}	2030/7226	. . . . .	{OWTC, short capillaries or transfer line used as column}
30/6017	. . . . .	{Fluid distributors}	30/7233	. . . . .	{interfaced to liquid or supercritical fluid chromatograph (interfaces in general for introducing or extracting samples to be analysed with specially adapted mass spectrometer, see H01J 49/04)}
			30/724	. . . . .	{Nebulising, aerosol formation or ionisation (spraying or atomising in general B05B)}
			30/7246	. . . . .	{by pneumatic means}

NOTE

Attention is drawn to the Notes following the titles of class [B81](#) and subclass [B81B](#) relating to "microstructural devices" and "microstructural systems" and the Notes following the title of subclass [B82B](#) relating to "nanostructures"

30/7253	. . . . . {by thermal means, e.g. thermospray}	30/8655	. . . . . {Details of data formats}
30/726	. . . . . {by electrical or glow discharge}	30/8658	. . . . {Optimising operation parameters}
30/7266	. . . . . {by electric field, e.g. electrospray}	30/8662	. . . . . {Expert systems; optimising a large number of parameters}
30/7273	. . . . . {Desolvation chambers}	30/8665	. . . . {for calibrating the measuring apparatus}
30/728	. . . . . {Intermediate storage of effluent, including condensation on surface}	30/8668	. . . . . {using retention times}
30/7286	. . . . . {the store moving as a whole, e.g. moving wire}	30/8672	. . . . . {not depending on an individual instrument, e.g. retention time indexes or calibration transfer}
30/7293	. . . . . {Velocity or momentum separators}	30/8675	. . . . {Evaluation, i.e. decoding of the signal into analytical information (for analysis of specific compounds see also G01N 30/88 and subgroups of G01N 33/00; chemical libraries per se C40B)}
30/74	. . . . Optical detectors {(measurement of intensity, velocity, spectral content, polarisation, or phase of infrared, visible or ultraviolet light G01J)}	30/8679	. . . . . {Target compound analysis, i.e. whereby a limited number of peaks is analysed}
2030/743	. . . . . {FTIR}	30/8682	. . . . . {Group type analysis, e.g. of components having structural properties in common}
2030/746	. . . . . {detecting along the line of flow, e.g. axial}	30/8686	. . . . . {Fingerprinting, e.g. without prior knowledge of the sample components}
30/76	. . . . Acoustical detectors {(measurement of mechanical vibrations or ultrasonic, sonic or infrasonic waves G01H)}	30/8689	. . . . . {Peak purity of co-eluting compounds}
2030/765	. . . . . {for measuring mechanical vibrations}	30/8693	. . . . {Models, e.g. prediction of retention times, method development and validation}
2030/77	. . . . {detecting radioactive properties}	30/8696	. . . . {Details of Software}
30/78	. . . . using more than one detector	30/88	. . . . Integrated analysis systems specially adapted therefor, not covered by a single one of the groups G01N 30/04 - G01N 30/86
30/80	. . . . Fraction collectors	2030/8804	. . . . {automated systems}
30/82	. . . . Automatic means therefor	2030/8809	. . . . {analysis specially adapted for the sample}
30/84	. . . . Preparation of the fraction to be distributed	2030/8813	. . . . . {biological materials}
2030/8405	. . . . {using pyrolysis}	2030/8818	. . . . . {involving amino acids}
2030/8411	. . . . {Intermediate storage of effluent, including condensation on surface}	2030/8822	. . . . . {involving blood}
2030/8417	. . . . . {the store moving as a whole, e.g. moving wire}	2030/8827	. . . . . {involving nucleic acids}
2030/8423	. . . . {using permeable separator tubes}	2030/8831	. . . . . {involving peptides or proteins}
2030/8429	. . . . {adding modificating material}	2030/8836	. . . . . {involving saccharides}
2030/8435	. . . . . {for chemical reaction}	2030/884	. . . . . {organic compounds}
2030/8441	. . . . . {to modify physical properties}	2030/8845	. . . . . {involving halogenated organic compounds}
2030/8447	. . . . {Nebulising, aerosol formation or ionisation}	2030/885	. . . . . {involving polymers}
2030/8452	. . . . . {Generation of electrically charged aerosols or ions}	2030/8854	. . . . . {involving hydrocarbons}
2030/8458	. . . . . {of ions or clusters of individual ions}	2030/8859	. . . . . {inorganic compounds}
2030/8464	. . . . . {Uncharged atoms or aerosols}	2030/8863	. . . . . {Fullerenes}
2030/847	. . . . . {by pneumatic means}	2030/8868	. . . . . {elemental analysis, e.g. isotope dilution analysis}
2030/8476	. . . . . {by thermal means}	2030/8872	. . . . . {impurities}
2030/8482	. . . . . {by electrical or glow discharge}	2030/8877	. . . . . {optical isomers}
2030/8488	. . . . . {by electric field}	2030/8881	. . . . {Modular construction, specially adapted therefor}
2030/8494	. . . . . {Desolvation chambers}	2030/8886	. . . . {Analysis of industrial production processes}
30/86	. . . . Signal analysis	2030/889	. . . . {monitoring the quality of the stationary phase; column performance}
30/8603	. . . . {with integration or differentiation}	2030/8895	. . . . {Independent juxtaposition of embodiments; Reviews}
30/8606	. . . . . {Integration}	30/89	. . . . Inverse chromatography
30/861	. . . . . {Differentiation}	30/90	. . . . Plate chromatography, e.g. thin layer or paper chromatography
30/8613	. . . . . {Dividing or multiplying by a constant}	2030/903	. . . . {centrifugal chromatography}
30/8617	. . . . . {Filtering, e.g. Fourier filtering}	2030/906	. . . . {pressurised fluid phase}
2030/862	. . . . . {Other mathematical operations for data preprocessing}	30/91	. . . . Application of the sample
30/8624	. . . . {Detection of slopes or peaks; baseline correction}	30/92	. . . . Construction of the plate
30/8627	. . . . . {Slopes}	30/93	. . . . Application of the sorbent layer
30/8631	. . . . . {Peaks}	30/94	. . . . Development
30/8634	. . . . . {Peak quality criteria}	2030/945	. . . . {Application of reagents to undeveloped plate}
30/8637	. . . . . {Peak shape}		
30/8641	. . . . . {Baseline}		
30/8644	. . . . . {Data segmentation, e.g. time windows}		
2030/8648	. . . . . {Feature extraction not otherwise provided for}		
30/8651	. . . . {Recording, data acquisition, archiving and storage}		

30/95	. . Detectors specially adapted therefor; Signal analysis				{This Note corresponds to IPC Note (1) relating to G01N 33/52 - G01N 33/98 .}
30/96	. using ion-exchange (G01N 30/02 , G01N 30/90 take precedence)	33/0001	. {by organoleptic means}		
2030/965	. . {suppressor columns}	33/0003	. {Composite materials}		
31/00	Investigating or analysing non-biological materials by the use of the chemical methods specified in the subgroup; Apparatus specially adapted for such methods	33/0004	. {Gaseous mixtures, e.g. polluted air}		
31/002	. {Determining nitrogen by transformation into ammonia, e.g. KJELDAHL method}	33/0006	. . {Calibrating gas analysers}		
31/005	. {investigating the presence of an element by oxidation (G01N 31/12 takes precedence)}	33/0008	. . . {Details concerning storage of calibration data, e.g. in EEPROM}		
31/007	. . {by measuring the quantity of water resulting therefrom (G01N 31/12 takes precedence)}	33/0009	. . {General constructional details of gas analysers, e.g. portable test equipment (devices for withdrawing samples in the gaseous state G01N 1/22)}		
	NOTE	33/0011	. . . {Sample conditioning (preparing specimens for investigation G01N 1/28)}		
	The observation of the progress of the reaction specified below by any of the methods specified in groups G01N 3/00 - G01N 3/00 - G01N 29/00 , if this is of major importance, is dealt with in the group concerned.	33/0013	. . . . {by a chemical reaction (a chemical reaction taking place or a gas being eliminated in one or more analysing channels G01N 33/0024)}		
31/02	. using precipitation ({ measuring deposition or liberation of materials from an electrolyte G01N 27/42 })	33/0014	. . . . {by eliminating a gas (by a chemical reaction G01N 33/0013 ; a chemical reaction taking place or a gas being eliminated in one or more analysing channels G01N 33/0024)}		
31/10	. using catalysis	33/0016	. . . . {by regulating a physical variable, e.g. pressure or temperature}		
31/12	. using combustion (G01N 25/20 takes precedence)	33/0018	. . . . {by diluting a gas}		
31/16	. using titration	33/0019	. . . . {by preconcentration}		
31/162	. . {Determining the equivalent point by means of a discontinuity}	33/0021	. . . . {involving the use of a carrier gas for transport to the sensor}		
31/164	. . . {by electrical or electrochemical means}	33/0022	. . . {using a number of analysing channels}		
31/166	. . {Continuous titration of flowing liquids}	33/0024	. . . . {a chemical reaction taking place or a gas being eliminated in one or more channels}		
31/168	. . {Determining water content by using Karl Fischer reagent}	33/0026	. . . {using an alternating circulation of another gas}		
31/18	. . Burettes specially adapted for titration	33/0027	. . . {concerning the detector}		
31/20	. using microanalysis, e.g. drop reaction	33/0029	. . . . {Cleaning of the detector}		
31/22	. using chemical indicators (G01N 31/02 takes precedence)	33/0031	. . . . {comprising two or more sensors, e.g. a sensor array}		
31/221	. . {for investigating pH value}	33/0032	. . . . . {using two or more different physical functioning modes}		
31/222	. . {for investigating moisture content}	33/0034	. . . . . {comprising neural networks or related mathematical techniques}		
31/223	. . {for investigating presence of specific gases or aerosols (G01N 31/221 , G01N 31/222 take precedence; actuation of fire alarm by presence of smoke or gases G08B 17/10)}	33/0036	. . . . . {specially adapted to detect a particular component (physical analysis of gaseous biological material G01N 33/497)}		
31/224	. . . {for investigating presence of dangerous gases}	33/0037	. . . . . {NO _x }		
31/225	. . . {for oxygen, e.g. including dissolved oxygen}	33/0039	. . . . . {O ₃ }		
31/226	. . {for investigating the degree of sterilisation}	33/004	. . . . . {CO or CO ₂ }		
31/227	. . {for nitrates or nitrites}	33/0042	. . . . . {SO ₂ or SO ₃ }		
31/228	. . {for peroxides}	33/0044	. . . . . {Sulphides, e.g. H ₂ S}		
31/229	. . {for investigating time/temperature history}	33/0045	. . . . . {Hg}		
33/00	Investigating or analysing materials by specific methods not covered by groups G01N 1/00 - G01N 31/00	33/0047	. . . . . {Organic compounds}		
	NOTE	33/0049	. . . . . {Halogenated organic compounds}		
	In groups G01N 33/52 - G01N 33/98 , the last place priority rule is applied, i.e. at each hierarchical level, in the absence of an indication to the contrary, classification is made in the last appropriate place.	33/005	. . . . . {H ₂ }		
		33/0052	. . . . . {Gaseous halogens}		
		33/0054	. . . . . {Ammonia}		
		33/0055	. . . . . {Radionuclides}		
		33/0057	. . . . . {Warfare agents or explosives}		
		33/0059	. . . . . {Avoiding interference of a gas with the gas to be measured}		
		33/006	. . . . . . {Avoiding interference of water vapour with the gas to be measured}		
		33/0062	. . . {concerning the measuring method or the display, e.g. intermittent measurement or digital display}		

33/0063	. . . . {using a threshold to release an alarm or displaying means}	33/2022	. . . . Non-metallic constituents
33/0065	. . . . . {using more than one threshold}	33/2025	. . . . . Gaseous constituents
33/0067	. . . . . {by measuring the rate of variation of the concentration}	33/2028	. . . . . Metallic constituents
33/0068	. . . . . {using a computer specifically programmed}	33/204	. . . . . Structure thereof, e.g. crystal structure
33/007	. . . . {Arrangements to check the analyser (calibrating gas analysers G01N 33/0006)}	33/2045	. . . . . Defects
33/0072	. . . . . {by generating a test gas}	33/205	. . . . . in liquid state, e.g. molten metals
33/0073	. . . . {Control unit therefor}	33/207	. . . . . Welded or soldered joints; Solderability
33/0075	. . . . . {for multiple spatially distributed sensors, e.g. for environmental monitoring}	33/208	. . . . . Coatings, e.g. platings
33/0077	. . . . {Testing material properties on individual granules or tablets}	33/22	. . . . . Fuels; Explosives
33/0078	. . . . {Testing material properties on manufactured objects}	33/222	. . . . . {Solid fuels, e.g. coal}
33/008	. . . . {Sport articles, e.g. balls, skis or rackets}	33/225	. . . . . {Gaseous fuels, e.g. natural gas}
33/0081	. . . . {Containers; Packages; Bottles}	33/227	. . . . . {Explosives, e.g. combustible properties thereof}
33/0083	. . . . {Vehicle parts}	33/24	. . . . . Earth materials (G01N 33/42 takes precedence)
33/0085	. . . . {Wheels}	33/241	. . . . . {for hydrocarbon content}
33/0086	. . . . {Clothes; Hosiery}	33/243	. . . . . {for determining biological parameters concerning composting, biodegradability or bioavailability}
33/009	. . . . {Seals}	33/245	. . . . . {for agricultural purposes}
33/0091	. . . . {Powders}	33/246	. . . . . {for water content}
33/0093	. . . . {Radioactive materials}	33/248	. . . . . {related to manure as a biological product}
33/0095	. . . . {Semiconductive materials}	33/26	. . . . . Oils; Viscous liquids; Paints; Inks (G01N 33/22 takes precedence)
33/0096	. . . . {Testing material properties on thin layers or coatings}	33/28	. . . . . Oils {, i.e. hydrocarbon liquids} (edible oils or edible fats G01N 33/03)
33/0098	. . . . {Plants or trees (wood G01N 33/46)}	33/2805	. . . . . {investigating the resistance to heat or oxidation}
33/02	. . . . Food	33/2811	. . . . . {by measuring cloud point or pour point of oils}
33/025	. . . . {Fruits or vegetables}	33/2817	. . . . . {using a test engine}
33/03	. . . . Edible oils or edible fats	33/2823	. . . . . {Raw oil, drilling fluid or polyphasic mixtures}
33/04	. . . . Dairy products	33/2829	. . . . . {Mixtures of fuels}
33/06	. . . . Determining fat content, e.g. by butyrometer	33/2835	. . . . . {Specific substances contained in the oils or fuels}
33/08	. . . . Eggs, e.g. by candling	33/2841	. . . . . {Gas in oils, e.g. hydrogen in insulating oils}
33/085	. . . . . {by candling}	33/2847	. . . . . {Water in oils}
33/10	. . . . Starch-containing substances, e.g. dough	33/2852	. . . . . {Alcohol in fuels}
33/105	. . . . . {Pasta}	33/2858	. . . . . {Metal particles}
33/12	. . . . Meat; Fish	33/2864	. . . . . {Lead content}
33/14	. . . . Beverages	33/287	. . . . . {Sulfur content}
33/143	. . . . . {containing sugar}	33/2876	. . . . . {Total acid number}
33/146	. . . . . {containing alcohol}	33/2882	. . . . . {Markers}
33/15	. . . . Medicinal preparations {; Physical properties thereof, e.g. dissolubility}	33/2888	. . . . . {Lubricating oil characteristics, e.g. deterioration (lubricating properties G01N 33/30)}
33/18	. . . . Water	33/2894	. . . . . {for metal working or machining}
33/1806	. . . . {Biological oxygen demand [BOD] or chemical oxygen demand [COD]}	33/30	. . . . . for lubricating properties
33/1813	. . . . {Specific cations in water, e.g. heavy metals}	33/32	. . . . . Paints; Inks
33/182	. . . . {Specific anions in water}	33/34	. . . . . Paper
33/1826	. . . . {Organic contamination in water}	33/343	. . . . . {Paper pulp}
33/1833	. . . . . {Oil in water}	33/346	. . . . . {Paper sheets}
33/184	. . . . . {Herbicides, pesticides, fungicides, insecticides or the like}	33/36	. . . . . Textiles
33/1846	. . . . . {Total carbon analysis}	33/362	. . . . . {Material before processing, e.g. bulk cotton or wool}
33/1853	. . . . {Hardness of water}	33/365	. . . . . {Filiform textiles, e.g. yarns}
33/186	. . . . {using one or more living organisms, e.g. a fish}	33/367	. . . . . {Fabric or woven textiles}
33/1866	. . . . . {using microorganisms}	33/38	. . . . . Concrete; Lime; Mortar; Gypsum; Bricks; Ceramics; Glass
33/1873	. . . . {Ice or snow}	33/383	. . . . . {Concrete or cement}
33/188	. . . . {Determining the state of nitrification}	33/386	. . . . . {Glass}
33/1886	. . . . {using probes, e.g. submersible probes, buoys}	33/388	. . . . . {Ceramics}
33/1893	. . . . {using flow cells}	33/389	. . . . . {Precious stones; Pearls}
33/20	. . . . Metals	33/39	. . . . . {Crystals}
33/202	. . . . Constituents thereof		

- 33/40 . Grinding-materials
- 33/42 . Road-making materials ([G01N 33/38](#) takes precedence)
- 33/44 . Resins; Plastics; Rubber; Leather
- 33/442 . . {Resins; Plastics}
- 33/445 . . {Rubber}
- 33/447 . . {Leather}
- 33/46 . Wood
- 33/48 . Biological material, e.g. blood, urine ([G01N 33/02](#), [G01N 33/26](#), [G01N 33/44](#), [G01N 33/46](#) take precedence); Haemocytometers (counting blood corpuscles distributed over a surface by scanning the surface [G06M 11/02](#))
- 33/483 . . Physical analysis of biological material
- 33/4833 . . . {of solid biological material, e.g. tissue samples, cell cultures (tissue [in vivo](#) [A61B 5/00](#); cell suspensions [G01N 33/48735](#))}
- 33/4836 {using multielectrode arrays}
- 33/487 . . . of liquid biological material
- 33/48707 {by electrical means ([G01N 33/49](#), [G01N 33/493](#) take precedence)}
- 33/48714 {for determining substances foreign to the organism, e.g. drugs or heavy metals (drugs by chemical analysis [G01N 33/94](#))}
- 33/48721 {Investigating individual macromolecules, e.g. by translocation through nanopores (Coulter counters in general [G01N 15/12](#); fabrication methods for nanoscale apertures [B81B 1/00](#); sequencing of nucleic acids [C12Q 1/68](#))}
- 33/48728 {Investigating individual cells, e.g. by patch clamp, voltage clamp (investigating individual particles in general [G01N 15/10](#))}
- 33/48735 {Investigating suspensions of cells, e.g. measuring microbe concentration (by chemical means [C12Q 1/04](#); colony counters [C12M 1/34](#); concentration of particle suspensions in general [G01N 15/06](#))}
- 33/48742 {Determining urea by measuring the volume of a gas (in general [G01N 7/14](#) - [G01N 7/18](#))}
- 33/4875 {Details of handling test elements, e.g. dispensing or storage, not specific to a particular test method (test-elements [per se](#) [B01L](#), automatic analysers [G01N 35/00](#), [in vivo](#) analysis on the human body for medical diagnosis [A61B](#))}
- 33/48757 {Test elements dispensed from a stack}
- 33/48764 {Test tape taken off a spool}
- 33/48771 {Coding of information, e.g. calibration data, lot number}
- 33/48778 {Containers specially adapted therefor, e.g. for dry storage}
- 33/48785 {Electrical and electronic details of measuring devices for physical analysis of liquid biological material not specific to a particular test method, e.g. user interface or power supply}
- 33/48792 {Data management, e.g. communication with processing unit (for [in vivo](#) diagnostics [A61B 5/0002](#); transmission systems for measured values [G08C](#))}
- 33/49 Blood {(chemical methods for determining blood cell populations [G01N 33/5094](#); chemical analysis of blood groups or blood types [G01N 33/80](#))}
- 33/4905 {Determining clotting time of blood (by chemical methods [G01N 33/86](#), [C12Q 1/56](#))}
- 33/491 {by separating the blood components ([G01N 15/05](#) takes precedence)}
- 33/4915 {using flow cells (flow cytometry [G01N 15/14](#))}
- 33/492 {Determining multiple analytes}
- 33/4925 {measuring blood gas content, e.g. O₂, CO₂, HCO₃}
- 33/493 urine
- 33/497 . . . of gaseous biological material, e.g. breath
- 33/4972 {Determining alcohol content (for vehicle safety devices [B60K 28/06](#))}
- 33/4975 {other than oxygen, carbon dioxide or alcohol, e.g. organic vapours}
- 33/4977 {Metabolic gas from microbes, cell cultures or plant tissues}
- 33/50 . . Chemical analysis of biological material, e.g. blood, urine; Testing involving biospecific ligand binding methods; Immunological testing (measuring or testing processes involving enzymes or microorganisms, compositions or test papers therefor; processes for forming such compositions, condition responsive control in microbiological or enzymological processes [C12Q](#))

NOTES

1. In this group, the following expression is used with the meaning indicated: "involving", when used in relation to a material, includes the testing for the material as well as employing the material as a determinant or reactant in a test for a different material.
2. In groups [G01N 33/52](#) – [G01N 33/98](#), the last place priority rule is applied, i.e. at each hierarchical level, in the absence of an indication to the contrary, classification is made in the last appropriate place.
3. Documents relating to new peptides or new DNA or its corresponding mRNA, encoding for the peptides, and their use in measuring or testing processes are classified in subclass [C07K](#) or in group [C12N 9/00](#) according to the peptides, with the appropriate indexing codes relating to their use in diagnostics. However, if the investigating or analysing aspects are of interest, the documents are classified in this group.

- 33/5002 . . . {Partitioning blood components}
- 33/5005 . . . {involving human or animal cells (immunoassay [G01N 33/56966](#); immunoassays of protozoa [G01N 33/56905](#); protozoa in screening assays [C12Q 1/025](#))}
- 33/5008 {for testing or evaluating the effect of chemical or biological compounds, e.g. drugs, cosmetics}
- 33/5011 {for testing antineoplastic activity}
- 33/5014 {for testing toxicity}
- 33/5017 {for testing neoplastic activity}

- 33/502 {for testing non-proliferative effects}
- 33/5023 {on expression patterns}
- 33/5026 {on cell morphology}
- 33/5029 {on cell motility}
- 33/5032 {on intercellular interactions}
- 33/5035 {on sub-cellular localization}
- 33/5038 {involving detection of metabolites per se}
- 33/5041 {involving analysis of members of signalling pathways}
- 33/5044 {involving specific cell types}
- 33/5047 {Cells of the immune system}
- 33/505 {involving T-cells}
- 33/5052 {involving B-cells}
- 33/5055 {involving macrophages}
- 33/5058 {Neurological cells}
- 33/5061 {Muscle cells}
- 33/5064 {Endothelial cells}
- 33/5067 {Liver cells}
- 33/507 {Pancreatic cells}
- 33/5073 {Stem cells}
- 33/5076 {involving cell organelles, e.g. Golgi complex, endoplasmic reticulum}
- 33/5079 {Mitochondria}
- 33/5082 {Supracellular entities, e.g. tissue, organisms}
- 33/5085 {of invertebrates}
- 33/5088 {of vertebrates}
- 33/5091 {for testing the pathological state of an organism}
- 33/5094 {for blood cell populations (red blood cells [G01N 33/80](#))}
- 33/5097 {involving plant cells (immunoassays of plant cells [G01N 33/56961](#))}
- 33/52 Use of compounds or compositions for colorimetric, spectrophotometric or fluorometric investigation, e.g. use of reagent paper {and including single- and multilayer analytical elements (immunological elements [G01N 33/54386](#); involving labelled immunochemicals [G01N 33/58](#); for haemoglobin or occult blood [G01N 33/72](#))}
- 33/521 {Single-layer analytical elements}
- 33/523 {the element being adapted for a specific analyte}
- 33/525 {Multi-layer analytical elements}
- 33/526 {the element being adapted for a specific analyte}
- 33/528 {Atypical element structures, e.g. gloves, rods, tampons, toilet paper}
- 33/53 Immunoassay; Biospecific binding assay; Materials therefor
- 33/5302 {Apparatus specially adapted for immunological test procedures}
- 33/5304 {Reaction vessels, e.g. agglutination plates (for solid-phase systems [G01N 33/543](#))}
- 33/5306 {Improving reaction conditions, e.g. reduction of non-specific binding, promotion of specific binding}
- 33/5308 {for analytes not provided for elsewhere, e.g. nucleic acids, uric acid, worms, mites}
- 33/531 Production of immunochemical test materials
- 33/532 Production of labelled immunochemicals
- 33/533 with fluorescent label
- 33/534 with radioactive label
- 33/535 with enzyme label {or co-enzymes, co-factors, enzyme inhibitors or enzyme substrates}
- 33/536 with immune complex formed in liquid phase
- 33/537 with separation of immune complex from unbound antigen or antibody
- 33/5375 {by changing the physical or chemical properties of the medium or immunochemicals, e.g. temperature, density, pH, partitioning}
- 33/538 by sorbent column, particles or resin strip {, i.e. sorbent materials}
- 33/539 involving precipitating reagent {, e.g. ammonium sulfate}
- 33/541 Double or second antibody {, i.e. precipitating antibody}
- 33/542 with steric inhibition or signal modification, e.g. fluorescent quenching
- 33/543 with an insoluble carrier for immobilising immunochemicals
- 33/54306 {Solid-phase reaction mechanisms}
- 33/54313 {the carrier being characterised by its particulate form}
- 33/5432 {Liposomes or microcapsules}
- 33/54326 {Magnetic particles}
- 33/54333 {Modification of conditions of immunological binding reaction, e.g. use of more than one type of particle, use of chemical agents to improve binding, choice of incubation time or application of magnetic field during binding reaction}
- 33/5434 {using magnetic particle immunoreagent carriers which constitute new materials per se}
- 33/54346 {Nanoparticles}
- 33/54353 {with ligand attached to the carrier via a chemical coupling agent (coatings [G01N 33/54393](#))}
- 33/5436 {with ligand physically entrapped within the solid phase (liposomes [G01N 33/5432](#); immunological test elements [G01N 33/54386](#))}
- 33/54366 {Apparatus specially adapted for solid-phase testing}
- 33/54373 {involving physiochemical end-point determination, e.g. wave-guides, FETS, gratings}
- 33/5438 {Electrodes}
- 33/54386 {Analytical elements}

WARNING

Group [G01N 33/54386](#) is impacted by reclassification into groups [G01N 33/54387](#), [G01N 33/54388](#), [G01N 33/54389](#) and [G01N 33/54391](#).

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

33/54387 {Immunochromatographic test strips}

WARNING

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[G01N 33/54388](#), [G01N 33/54389](#)
and [G01N 33/54391](#)
are incomplete pending
reclassification of documents
from groups [G01N 33/54386](#) and
[G01N 33/558](#).

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33/54388 {based on lateral flow}
33/54389 {with bidirectional or
multidirectional lateral flow,
e.g. wherein the sample flows
from a single, common sample
application point into multiple
strips, lanes or zones}
33/54391 {based on vertical flow}
33/54393 {Improving reaction conditions or
stability, e.g. by coating or irradiation
of surface, by reduction of non-specific
binding, by promotion of specific binding}
33/544 the carrier being organic
33/545 Synthetic resin
33/546 as water suspendable particles
33/547 with antigen or antibody attached to
the carrier *via* a bridging agent
33/548 Carbohydrates, e.g. dextran
33/549 with antigen or antibody entrapped
within the carrier
33/551 the carrier being inorganic
33/552 Glass or silica
33/553 Metal or metal coated
33/554 the carrier being a biological cell or cell
fragment, e.g. bacteria, yeast cells
33/555 Red blood cell
33/556 Fixed or stabilised red blood cell
33/557 using kinetic measurement, i.e. time rate of
progress of an antigen-antibody interaction
33/558 using diffusion or migration of antigen or
antibody {[immunochromatographic test
strips G01N 33/54387](#)}

WARNING

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complete search.

33/559 through a gel, e.g. Ouchterlony technique
33/561 Immunoelectrophoresis
33/563 involving antibody fragments
33/564 for pre-existing immune complex or
autoimmune disease {, i.e. systemic lupus
erythematosus, rheumatoid arthritis, multiple
sclerosis, rheumatoid factors or complement
components C1-C9}

33/566 using specific carrier or receptor proteins
as ligand binding reagents {where possible
specific carrier or receptor proteins are
classified with their target compounds}
33/567 utilising isolate of tissue or organ as
binding agent
33/569 for microorganisms, e.g. protozoa, bacteria,
viruses
33/56905 {Protozoa}
33/56911 {Bacteria}
33/56916 {Enterobacteria, e.g. shigella,
salmonella, klebsiella, serratia}
33/56922 {Campylobacter}
33/56927 {Chlamydia}
33/56933 {Mycoplasma}
33/56938 {Staphylococcus}
33/56944 {Streptococcus}
33/5695 {Mycobacteria}
33/56955 {involved in periodontal diseases}
33/56961 {Plant cells or fungi}
33/56966 {Animal cells}
33/56972 {White blood cells}
33/56977 {HLA or MHC typing}
33/56983 {Viruses}
33/56988 {HIV or HTLV}
33/56994 {Herpesviridae, e.g. cytomegalovirus,
Epstein-Barr virus}

33/571 for venereal disease, e.g. syphilis,
gonorrhoea {[herpes G01N 33/56994](#);
[chlamydia G01N 33/56927](#)}
33/573 for enzymes or isoenzymes
33/5735 {co-enzymes or co-factors, e.g. NAD,
ATP}
33/574 for cancer

NOTE

In this group:

- relevant features relating to a specifically defined cancer are only classified in groups [G01N 33/57407](#) - [G01N 33/57449](#)
- relevant features describing cancer markers related to multiple forms of cancer are classified in groups [G01N 33/57484](#) - [G01N 33/57496](#)

33/57407 {Specifically defined cancers}
33/57411 {of cervix}
33/57415 {of breast}
33/57419 {of colon}
33/57423 {of lung}
33/57426 {leukemia}
33/5743 {of skin, e.g. melanoma}
33/57434 {of prostate}
33/57438 {of liver, pancreas or kidney}
33/57442 {of the uterus and endometrial}
33/57446 {of stomach or intestine}
33/57449 {of ovaries}
33/57469 {involving tumor associated glycolinkage,
i.e. TAG}
33/57473 {involving carcinoembryonic antigen, i.e.
CEA}
33/57476 {involving oncofetal proteins}
33/5748 {involving oncogenic proteins}

- 33/57484 {involving compounds serving as markers for tumor, cancer, neoplasia, e.g. cellular determinants, receptors, heat shock/stress proteins, A-protein, oligosaccharides, metabolites}
- 33/57488 {involving compounds identifiable in body fluids}
- 33/57492 {involving compounds localized on the membrane of tumor or cancer cells}
- 33/57496 {involving intracellular compounds}
- 33/576 for hepatitis
- 33/5761 {Hepatitis B}
- 33/5762 {Hepatitis B core antigen}
- 33/5764 {Hepatitis B surface antigen}
- 33/5765 {Hepatitis delta antigen}
- 33/5767 {non-A, non-B hepatitis}
- 33/5768 {Hepatitis A}
- 33/577 involving monoclonal antibodies {binding reaction mechanisms characterised by the use of monoclonal antibodies; monoclonal antibodies *per se* are classified with their corresponding antigens; ([G01N 33/53](#) - [G01N 33/576](#) take precedence)}
- 33/579 involving limulus lysate
- 33/58 involving labelled substances ([G01N 33/53](#) takes precedence)
- 33/581 {with enzyme label (including co-enzymes, co-factors, enzyme inhibitors or substrates)}
- 33/582 {with fluorescent label}
- 33/583 {with non-fluorescent dye label}
- 33/585 {with a particulate label, e.g. coloured latex}
- 33/586 {Liposomes, microcapsules or cells}
- 33/587 {Nanoparticles}
- 33/588 {with semiconductor nanocrystal label, e.g. quantum dots}
- 33/60 involving radioactive labelled substances
- 33/62 involving urea
- 33/64 involving ketones
- 33/66 involving blood sugars, e.g. galactose
- 33/68 involving proteins, peptides or amino acids {(*involving lipoproteins* [G01N 33/92](#))}
- 33/6803 {General methods of protein analysis not limited to specific proteins or families of proteins}
- 33/6806 {Determination of free amino acids}
- 33/6809 {involving fluorescent derivatizing reagents reacting non-specifically with all amino acids}
- 33/6812 {Assays for specific amino acids}
- 33/6815 {containing sulfur, e.g. cysteine, cystine, methionine, homocysteine}
- 33/6818 {Sequencing of polypeptides}
- 33/6821 {involving C-terminal degradation}
- 33/6824 {involving N-terminal degradation, e.g. Edman degradation}
- 33/6827 {Total protein determination, e.g. albumin in urine}
- 33/683 {involving metal ions}
- 33/6833 {Copper, e.g. Folin-, Lowry-, biuret methods}
- 33/6836 {Silver staining}
- 33/6839 {involving dyes, e.g. Coomassie blue, bromocresol green}
- 33/6842 {Proteomic analysis of subsets of protein mixtures with reduced complexity, e.g. membrane proteins, phosphoproteins, organelle proteins}
- 33/6845 {Methods of identifying protein-protein interactions in protein mixtures}
- 33/6848 {Methods of protein analysis involving mass spectrometry}
- 33/6851 {Methods of protein analysis involving laser desorption ionisation mass spectrometry}
- 33/6854 {Immunoglobulins}
- 33/6857 {Antibody fragments}
- 33/686 {Anti-idiotypic}
- 33/6863 {Cytokines, i.e. immune system proteins modifying a biological response such as cell growth proliferation or differentiation, e.g. TNF, CNF, GM-CSF, lymphotoxin, MIF or their receptors}
- 33/6866 {Interferon}
- 33/6869 {Interleukin}
- 33/6872 {Intracellular protein regulatory factors and their receptors, e.g. including ion channels}
- 33/6875 {Nucleoproteins}
- 33/6878 {in epitope analysis}
- 33/6881 {from skin}
- 33/6884 {from lung}
- 33/6887 {from muscle, cartilage or connective tissue}
- 33/689 {related to pregnancy or the gonads}
- 33/6893 {related to diseases not provided for elsewhere}
- 33/6896 {Neurological disorders, e.g. Alzheimer's disease}
- 33/70 involving creatine or creatinine
- 33/72 involving blood pigments, e.g. haemoglobin, bilirubin {or other porphyrins; involving occult blood}
- 33/721 {Haemoglobin}
- 33/723 {Glycosylated haemoglobin}
- 33/725 {using peroxidative activity}
- 33/726 {Devices}
- 33/728 {Bilirubin; including biliverdin}
- 33/74 involving hormones {or other non-cytokine intercellular protein regulatory factors such as growth factors, including receptors to hormones and growth factors}
- 33/743 {Steroid hormones}
- 33/746 {Erythropoietin}
- 33/76 Human chorionic gonadotropin {including luteinising hormone, follicle stimulating hormone, thyroid stimulating hormone or their receptors}
- 33/78 Thyroid gland hormones {, e.g. T3, T4, TBH, TBG or their receptors}
- 33/80 involving blood groups or blood types {or red blood cells (*white blood cells* [G01N 33/56972](#))}
- 33/82 involving vitamins {or their receptors}
- 33/84 involving inorganic compounds or pH
- 33/86 involving blood coagulating time {or factors, or their receptors}
- 33/88 involving prostaglandins {or their receptors}

- 33/90 . . . involving iron binding capacity of blood
- 33/92 . . . involving lipids, e.g. cholesterol {, lipoproteins, or their receptors (steroid hormones [G01N 33/743](#))}
- 33/94 . . . involving narcotics {or drugs or pharmaceuticals, neurotransmitters or associated receptors}
- 33/9406 {Neurotransmitters}
- 33/9413 {Dopamine}
- 33/942 {Serotonin, i.e. 5-hydroxy-tryptamine}
- 33/9426 {GABA, i.e. gamma-amino-butyrate}
- 33/9433 {(Nor)adrenaline}
- 33/944 {Acetylcholine}
- 33/9446 {Antibacterials}
- 33/9453 {Cardioregulators, e.g. antihypotensives, antiarrhythmics}
- 33/946 {CNS-stimulants, e.g. cocaine, amphetamines}
- 33/9466 {Antidepressants}
- 33/9473 {Anticonvulsants, e.g. phenobarbitol, phenytoin}
- 33/948 {Sedatives, e.g. cannabinoids, barbiturates (opiates [G01N 33/9486](#))}
- 33/9486 {Analgesics, e.g. opiates, aspirine}
- 33/9493 {Immunosuppressants}
- 33/96 . . . involving blood or serum control standard
- 33/98 . . . involving alcohol, e.g. ethanol in breath
- 35/00 Automatic analysis not limited to methods or materials provided for in any single one of groups [G01N 1/00](#) - [G01N 33/00](#); Handling materials therefor**
- 35/00009 . . {provided with a sample supporting tape, e.g. with absorbent zones}
- 2035/00019 . . {cassette structures}
- 35/00029 . . {provided with flat sample substrates, e.g. slides ([G01N 35/028](#) takes precedence)}
- 2035/00039 . . {Transport arrangements specific to flat sample substrates, e.g. pusher blade}
- 2035/00049 . . . {for loading/unloading a carousel}
- 2035/00059 . . . {vacuum chucks}
- 35/00069 . . {whereby the sample substrate is of the bio-disk type, i.e. having the format of an optical disk}
- 2035/00079 . . {Evaporation covers for slides}
- 2035/00089 . . {Magazines}
- 2035/00099 . . {Characterised by type of test elements}
- 2035/00108 . . . {Test strips, e.g. paper}
- 2035/00118 {for multiple tests}
- 2035/00128 {with pressing or squeezing devices}
- 2035/00138 . . . {Slides}
- 2035/00148 . . . {Test cards, e.g. Biomerieux or McDonnel multiwell test cards}
- 2035/00158 . . . {Elements containing microarrays, i.e. "biochip"}
- 2035/00168 . . {Manufacturing or preparing test elements}
- 2035/00178 . {Special arrangements of analysers}
- 2035/00188 . . {the analyte being in the solid state}
- 2035/00198 . . . {Dissolution analysers}
- 2035/00207 . . {Handling bulk quantities of analyte}
- 2035/00217 . . . {involving measurement of weight}
- 2035/00227 . . . {Monitoring a process (online)}
- 2035/00237 . . {Handling microquantities of analyte, e.g. microvalves, capillary networks}
- 2035/00247 . . . {Microvalves}
- 2035/00257 {Capillary stop flow circuits}
- 2035/00267 {Melttable plugs}
- 2035/00277 . . {Special precautions to avoid contamination (e.g. enclosures, glove- boxes, sealed sample carriers, disposal of contaminated material)}
- 2035/00287 . . . {movable lid/cover for sample or reaction tubes}
- 2035/00297 . . . {Antistatic arrangements}
- 2035/00306 . . {Housings, cabinets, control panels (details)}
- 2035/00316 . . . {Detecting door closure}
- 2035/00326 . . . {Analysers with modular structure}
- 2035/00336 . . . {Analysers adapted for operation in microgravity, i.e. spaceflight}
- 2035/00346 . {Heating or cooling arrangements}
- 2035/00356 . . {Holding samples at elevated temperature (incubation)}
- 2035/00366 . . . {Several different temperatures used}
- 2035/00376 . . . {Conductive heating, e.g. heated plates}
- 2035/00386 . . . {using fluid heat transfer medium}
- 2035/00396 {where the fluid is a liquid}
- 2035/00405 . . . {Microwaves}
- 2035/00415 . . . {Other radiation}
- 2035/00425 . . {Heating or cooling means associated with pipettes or the like, e.g. for supplying sample/reagent at given temperature}
- 2035/00435 . . {Refrigerated reagent storage}
- 2035/00445 . . {Other cooling arrangements}
- 2035/00455 . . {Controlling humidity in analyser}
- 2035/00465 . {Separating and mixing arrangements}
- 2035/00475 . . {Filters}
- 2035/00485 . . . {combined with sample carriers}
- 2035/00495 . . {Centrifuges}
- 2035/00504 . . . {combined with carousels}
- 2035/00514 . . . {Stationary mixing elements}
- 2035/00524 . . . {Mixing by agitating sample carrier}
- 2035/00534 . . . {Mixing by a special element, e.g. stirrer}
- 2035/00544 . . . {using fluid flow}
- 2035/00554 . . . {using ultrasound}
- 2035/00564 . . {Handling or washing solid phase elements, e.g. beads}
- 2035/00574 . . . {Means for distributing beads}
- 35/00584 . {Control arrangements for automatic analysers}
- 35/00594 . . {Quality control, including calibration or testing of components of the analyser}
- 35/00603 . . . {Reinspection of samples}
- 35/00613 . . . {Quality control}
- 35/00623 {of instruments}
- 2035/00633 {logging process history of individual samples}
- 2035/00643 {detecting malfunctions in conveying systems}
- 2035/00653 {statistical methods comparing labs or apparatuses}
- 35/00663 {of consumables}
- 2035/00673 {of reagents}
- 2035/00683 {of detectors}
- 35/00693 . . . {Calibration}
- 2035/00702 {Curve-fitting; Parameter matching; Calibration constants}
- 35/00712 . . . {Automatic status testing, e.g. at start-up or periodic}

35/00722	. . . {Communications; Identification}	2035/0405	. . . . . {manipulating closing or opening means, e.g. stoppers, screw caps, lids or covers}
35/00732	. . . {Identification of carriers, materials or components in automatic analysers}	2035/0406	. . . . . {Individual bottles or tubes}
2035/00742	. . . . . {Type of codes}	2035/0408	. . . . . {connected in a flexible chain}
2035/00752	. . . . . {bar codes}	2035/041	. . . . . {lifting items out of a rack for access}
2035/00762	. . . . . {magnetic code}	2035/0412	. . . . . {Block or rack elements with a single row of samples}
2035/00772	. . . . . {mechanical or optical code other than bar code}	2035/0413	. . . . . {moving in one dimension}
2035/00782	. . . . . {reprogrammable code}	2035/0415	. . . . . {moving in two dimensions in a horizontal plane}
2035/00792	. . . . . {Type of components bearing the codes, other than sample carriers}	2035/0417	. . . . . {forming an endless chain in a vertical plane}
2035/00801	. . . . . {Holders for sample carriers, e.g. trays, carousel, racks}	2035/0418	. . . . . {Plate elements with several rows of samples}
2035/00811	. . . . . {consumable or exchangeable components other than sample carriers, e.g. detectors, flow cells}	2035/042	. . . . . {moved independently, e.g. by fork manipulator}
2035/00821	. . . . . {nature of coded information}	2035/0422	. . . . . {carried on a linear conveyor}
2035/00831	. . . . . {identification of the sample, e.g. patient identity, place of sampling}	2035/0424	. . . . . {Two or more linear conveyors}
2035/00841	. . . . . {results of the analyses}	2035/0425	. . . . . {Stacks, magazines or elevators for plates}
2035/00851	. . . . . {process control parameters}	2035/0427	. . . . . {nestable or stockable}
2035/00861	. . . . . {printing and sticking of identifiers}	2035/0429	. . . . . {Sample carriers adapted for special purposes}
35/00871	. . . {Communications between instruments or with remote terminals}	2035/0431	. . . . . {characterised by material of construction}
2035/00881	. . . . . {network configurations}	2035/0432	. . . . . {integrated with measuring devices}
2035/00891	. . . {Displaying information to the operator}	2035/0434	. . . . . {in the form of a syringe or pipette tip}
2035/009	. . . . . {alarms, e.g. audible}	2035/0436	. . . . . {with pre-packaged reagents, i.e. test-packs}
2035/0091	. . . . . {GUI [graphical user interfaces]}	2035/0437	. . . . . {Cleaning cuvettes or reaction vessels}
35/0092	. . . {Scheduling}	2035/0439	. . . {Rotary sample carriers, i.e. carousels}
2035/0093	. . . {random access not determined by physical position}	2035/0441	. . . . . {for samples}
2035/0094	. . . {optimisation; experiment design}	2035/0443	. . . . . {for reagents}
35/0095	. . . {introducing urgent samples with priority, e.g. Short Turn Around Time Samples [STATS]}	2035/0444	. . . . . {for cuvettes or reaction vessels}
2035/0096	. . . {post analysis management of samples, e.g. marking, removing, storing}	2035/0446	. . . . . {Combinations of the above}
2035/0097	. . . {monitoring reactions as a function of time}	2035/0448	. . . . . {composed of interchangeable ring elements}
35/0098	. {involving analyte bound to insoluble magnetic carrier, e.g. using magnetic separation (magnetic particles used in immunoassays G01N 33/54326 ; magnetic separation in general B03C)}	2035/0449	. . . . . {using centrifugal transport of liquid}
35/0099	. {comprising robots or similar manipulators (robots per se B25J)}	2035/0451	. . . . . {composed of interchangeable sectors}
35/02	. using a plurality of sample containers moved by a conveyor system past one or more treatment or analysis stations (G01N 35/0098 and G01N 35/0099 take precedence)}	2035/0453	. . . . . {Multiple carousels working in parallel}
35/021	. . {having a flexible chain, e.g. "cartridge belt", conveyor for reaction cells or cuvettes}	2035/0455	. . . . . {Coaxial carousels}
2035/023	. . . {forming cuvettes <i>in situ</i> , e.g. from plastic strip}	2035/0456	. . . . . {Spiral tracks}
35/025	. . {having a carousel or turntable for reaction cells or cuvettes}	2035/0458	. . . . . {Multiple concentric rows of wells}
35/026	. . {having blocks or racks of reaction cells or cuvettes}	2035/046	. . . . . {General conveyor features}
35/028	. . {having reaction cells in the form of microtitration plates}	2035/0462	. . . . . {Buffers [FIFO] or stacks [LIFO] for holding carriers between operations}
35/04	. . Details of the conveyor system (G01N 35/021 - G01N 35/028 take precedence)}	2035/0463	. . . . . {in incubators}
2035/0401	. . . {Sample carriers, cuvettes or reaction vessels}	2035/0465	. . . . . {Loading or unloading the conveyor}
2035/0403	. . . . . {Sample carriers with closing or sealing means}	2035/0467	. . . . . {Switching points ("aiguillages")}
		2035/0468	. . . . . {converging, e.g. selecting carriers from multiple incoming streams}
		2035/047	. . . . . {diverging, e.g. sending carriers to different analysers}
		2035/0472	. . . . . {for selective recirculation of carriers}
		2035/0474	. . . . . {Details of actuating means for conveyors or pipettes}
		2035/0475	. . . . . {electric, e.g. stepper motor, solenoid}
		2035/0477	. . . . . {Magnetic}
		2035/0479	. . . . . {hydraulic or pneumatic}
		2035/0481 {Pneumatic tube conveyors; Tube mails; "Rohrpost"}
		2035/0482 {Transmission}
		2035/0484 {Belt or chain}
		2035/0486 {Gearing, cams}

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- 2035/0487 {Helix or lead screw}
- 2035/0489 {Self-propelled units}
- 2035/0491 {Position sensing, encoding; closed-loop control}
- 2035/0493 {Locating samples; identifying different tube sizes}
- 2035/0494 {Detecting or compensating positioning errors}
- 2035/0496 {Other details}
- 2035/0498 {Drawers used as storage or dispensing means for vessels or cuvettes}
- 35/08 using a stream of discrete samples flowing along a tube system, e.g. flow injection analysis
- 35/085 {Flow Injection Analysis}
- 35/10 Devices for transferring samples {or any liquids} to, in, or from, the analysis apparatus, e.g. suction devices, injection devices {(G01N 35/0099 takes precedence)}
- 35/1002 {Reagent dispensers}
- 35/1004 {Cleaning sample transfer devices}
- 2035/1006 {Rinsing only the inside of the tip}
- 35/1009 {Characterised by arrangements for controlling the aspiration or dispense of liquids}
- 35/1011 {Control of the position or alignment of the transfer device}
- 2035/1013 {Confirming presence of tip}
- 35/1016 {Control of the volume dispensed or introduced}
- 2035/1018 {Detecting inhomogeneities, e.g. foam, bubbles, clots}
- 2035/102 {Preventing or detecting loss of fluid by dripping}
- 2035/1023 {using a valve in the tip or nozzle}
- 2035/1025 {Fluid level sensing}
- 2035/1027 {General features of the devices}
- 2035/103 {using disposable tips}
- 2035/1032 {Dilution or aliquotting}
- 2035/1034 {Transferring microquantities of liquid}
- 2035/1037 {Using surface tension, e.g. pins or wires}
- 2035/1039 {Micropipettes, e.g. microcapillary tubes}
- 2035/1041 {Ink-jet like dispensers}
- 2035/1044 {Using pneumatic means}
- 2035/1046 {Levitated, suspended drops}
- 2035/1048 {using the transfer device for another function}
- 2035/1051 {for transporting containers, e.g. retained by friction}
- 2035/1053 {for separating part of the liquid, e.g. filters, extraction phase}
- 2035/1055 {for immobilising reagents, e.g. dried reagents}
- 2035/1058 {for mixing}
- 2035/106 {by sucking and blowing}
- 2035/1062 {for testing the liquid while it is in the transfer device}
- 35/1065 {Multiple transfer devices}
- 35/1067 {for transfer to or from containers having different spacing}
- 2035/1069 {by adjusting the spacing between multiple probes of a single transferring head}
- 35/1072 {with provision for selective pipetting of individual channels}
- 35/1074 {arranged in a two-dimensional array}
- 2035/1076 {plurality or independently movable heads}
- 35/1079 {with means for piercing stoppers or septums}
- 35/1081 {characterised by the means for relatively moving the transfer device and the containers in an horizontal plane (G01N 35/1011 takes precedence)}
- 35/1083 {with one horizontal degree of freedom}
- 2035/1086 {Cylindrical, e.g. variable angle}
- 2035/1088 {Coaxial with a carousel}
- 35/109 {with two horizontal degrees of freedom}
- 2035/1093 {Cylindrical, e.g. variable radius and angle}
- 35/1095 {for supplying the samples to flow-through analysers (for a specific analyser see relevant groups, e.g. under G01N 15/00, G01N 21/00, G01N 27/00, G01N 30/00, H01J 49/00)}
- 35/1097 {characterised by the valves (valves in general F16K)}
- 37/00** **Details not covered by any other group of this subclass**
- 37/005 {Measurement methods not based on established scientific theories}
- 2201/00** **Features of devices classified in G01N 21/00**
- 2201/02 Mechanical
- 2201/021 Special mounting in general
- 2201/0212 Liquid borne; swimming apparatus
- 2201/0214 Airborne
- 2201/0216 Vehicle borne
- 2201/0218 Submersible, submarine
- 2201/022 Casings
- 2201/0221 Portable; cableless; compact; hand-held
- 2201/0222 Pocket size
- 2201/0224 Pivoting casing
- 2201/0225 Part of casing being slidable, telescopic
- 2201/0227 Sealable enclosure
- 2201/0228 Moulded parts
- 2201/023 Controlling conditions in casing
- 2201/0231 Thermostating
- 2201/0233 Gas purge
- 2201/0235 with gas filters in casing
- 2201/0236 Explosion proof
- 2201/0238 Moisture monitoring or controlling
- 2201/024 Modular construction
- 2201/0245 with insertable-removable part
- 2201/025 Mechanical control of operations
- 2201/0253 Switches mounted at the casing
- 2201/0256 Sensor for insertion of sample, cuvette, test strip
- 2201/04 Batch operation; multisample devices
- 2201/0407 with multiple optical units, e.g. one per sample
- 2201/0415 Carrusel, sequential
- 2201/0423 with rotating optics
- 2201/043 optics constituted by optical fibre multiplex selector
- 2201/0438 Linear motion, sequential
- 2201/0446 Multicell plate, sequential
- 2201/0453 Multicell sequential and multitest, e.g. multiwavelength
- 2201/0461 Simultaneous, e.g. video imaging
- 2201/0469 One cell, sequential, e.g. successive samples
- 2201/0476 Keyboard controlled, e.g. for plural analysis at one sample, channel selection, coding
- 2201/0484 Computer controlled

2201/0492	. .	Automatised microscope
2201/06	. .	Illumination; Optics
2201/061	. .	Sources
2201/06106	. . .	Plural sources used for calibration
2201/06113	. . .	Coherent sources; lasers
2201/0612	. . . .	Laser diodes
2201/06126	. . .	Large diffuse sources
2201/06133	. . . .	Light tables
2201/0614	. . . .	Diffusing light tube with sample within
2201/06146	. . .	Multisources for homogeneisation, as well sequential as simultaneous operation
2201/06153	. . . .	the sources being LED's
2201/0616	. . .	Ambient light is used
2201/06166	. . .	Line selective sources
2201/06173	. . . .	IR sources from heated molecular species
2201/0618	. . . .	Halogene sources
2201/06186	. . .	Resistance heated; wire sources; lamelle sources
2201/06193	. . .	Secondary <i>in-situ</i> sources, e.g. fluorescent particles
2201/062	. .	LED's
2201/0621	. . .	Supply
2201/0622	. . .	Use of a compensation LED
2201/0623	. . .	Use of a reference LED
2201/0624	. . .	Compensating variation in output of LED source
2201/0625	. . .	Modulated LED
2201/0626	. . .	Use of several LED's for spatial resolution
2201/0627	. . .	Use of several LED's for spectral resolution
2201/0628	. . .	Organic LED [OLED]
2201/063	. .	Illuminating optical parts
2201/0631	. . .	Homogeneising elements
2201/0632	. . . .	homogeneising by integrating sphere
2201/0633	. . .	Directed, collimated illumination
2201/0634	. . .	Diffuse illumination
2201/0635	. . .	Structured illumination, e.g. with grating
2201/0636	. . .	Reflectors
2201/0637	. . . .	Elliptic
2201/0638	. . .	Refractive parts
2201/0639	. . . .	Sphere lens
2201/064	. .	Stray light conditioning
2201/0642	. . .	Light traps; baffles
2201/0644	. . . .	Simple baffled tube construction
2201/0646	. . .	Light seals
2201/0648	. . .	Shutters
2201/065	. .	Integrating spheres
2201/0655	. . .	Hemispheres
2201/066	. .	Modifiable path; multiple paths in one sample
2201/0662	. . .	Comparing measurements on two or more paths in one sample
2201/0664	. . .	Using two ways, i.e. two devices in same path in one sample
2201/0666	. . .	Selectable paths; insertable multiple sources
2201/0668	. . .	Multiple paths; optimisable path length
2201/067	. .	Electro-optic, magneto-optic, acousto-optic elements
2201/0675	. . .	SLM
2201/068	. .	Optics, miscellaneous
2201/0683	. . .	Brewster plate; polarisation controlling elements
2201/0686	. . .	Cold filter; IR filter
2201/069	. .	Supply of sources
2201/0691	. . .	Modulated (not pulsed supply)
2201/0692	. . .	Regulated sources; stabilised supply
2201/0693	. . .	Battery powered circuitry
2201/0694	. . .	Microprocessor controlled supply
2201/0695	. . .	Supply to maintain constant beam intensity
2201/0696	. . .	Pulsed
2201/0697	. . . .	Pulsed lasers
2201/0698	. . . .	Using reference pulsed source
2201/0699	. . . .	Randomly pulsed source
2201/08	. .	Optical fibres; light guides
2201/0806	. .	Light rod
2201/0813	. .	Arrangement of collimator tubes, glass or empty
2201/082	. .	Fibres for a reference path
2201/0826	. .	Fibre array at source, distributing
2201/0833	. .	Fibre array at detector, resolving
2201/084	. .	Fibres for remote transmission
2201/0846	. .	Fibre interface with sample, e.g. for spatial resolution
2201/0853	. .	Movable fibre optical member, e.g. for scanning or selecting
2201/086	. .	Modular construction, e.g. disconnectable fibre parts
2201/0866	. .	Use of GRIN elements
2201/0873	. .	Using optically integrated constructions
2201/088	. .	Using a sensor fibre
2201/0886	. . .	and using OTDR
2201/0893	. .	Using fibres for resolution in time
2201/10	. .	Scanning
2201/101	. .	Scanning measuring head
2201/102	. .	Video camera
2201/103	. .	Scanning by mechanical motion of stage
2201/1035	. . .	3D motion
2201/104	. .	Mechano-optical scan, i.e. object and beam moving
2201/1042	. . .	X, Y scan, i.e. object moving in X, beam in Y
2201/1045	. . .	Spiral scan
2201/1047	. . .	with rotating optics and moving stage
2201/105	. .	Purely optical scan
2201/1053	. . .	System of scan mirrors for composite motion of beam
2201/1056	. . .	Prism scan, diasporameter
2201/106	. .	Acousto-optical scan
2201/107	. .	CRT flying spot scan
2201/108	. .	Miscellaneous
2201/1082	. . .	Descanning
2201/1085	. . .	Using optical fibre array and scanner
2201/1087	. . .	Focussed scan beam, e.g. laser
2201/11	. .	Monitoring and controlling the scan
2201/112	. . .	Grating pulse time encoder
2201/115	. . .	Optical equalisation of scan intensity
2201/117	. . .	Indexed, memorised or programmed scan
2201/12	. .	Circuits of general importance; Signal processing
2201/121	. .	Correction signals
2201/1211	. . .	for temperature
2201/1212	. . . .	and switch-off from upwarming
2201/1214	. . .	for humidity
2201/1215	. . .	for interfering gases
2201/1217	. . .	for index of solution, carrying fluids
2201/1218	. . .	for pressure variations
2201/122	. .	Kinetic analysis; determining reaction rate
2201/1222	. . .	Endpoint determination; reaction time determination

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- 2201/1224 . . . Polymerisation
- 2201/1226 . . . Relaxation methods, e.g. temperature jump, field jump
- 2201/1228 . . . Reading time being controlled, e.g. by microprocessor
- 2201/123 . . Conversion circuit
- 2201/1232 . . . Log representation, e.g. for low transmittance
- 2201/1235 . . . Measuring or displaying selectably absorbance or density
- 2201/1237 . . . Measuring extrema
- 2201/124 . . Sensitivity
- 2201/1241 . . . Multirange
- 2201/1242 . . . Validating, e.g. range invalidation, suspending operation
- 2201/1244 . . . Ambient light detector, e.g. for invalidating
- 2201/1245 . . . Averaging several measurements
- 2201/1247 . . . Thresholding
- 2201/1248 . . . Validating from signal shape, slope, peak
- 2201/125 . . Digital circuitry
- 2201/126 . . Microprocessor processing
- 2201/1263 . . . Microprocessor is used as variant to separate part circuits
- 2201/1266 . . . Interface card
- 2201/127 . . Calibration; base line adjustment; drift compensation
- 2201/12707 . . . Pre-test of apparatus, e.g. dark test, sensor test
- 2201/12715 . . . Zero adjustment, i.e. to verify calibration
- 2201/12723 . . . Self check capacity; automatic, periodic step of checking
- 2201/1273 . . . Check triggered by sensing conditions, e.g. ambient changes
- 2201/12738 . . . Selectively initiating check
- 2201/12746 . . . Calibration values determination
- 2201/12753 and storage
- 2201/12761 Precalibration, e.g. for a given series of reagents
- 2201/12769 and adjusting controls, e.g. zero and 100 %
- 2201/12776 Automatic scaling up
- 2201/12784 Base line obtained from computation, histogram
- 2201/12792 . . . Compensating own radiation in apparatus
- 2201/128 . . Alternating sample and standard or reference part in one path
- 2201/1281 . . . Reflecting part, i.e. for autocollimation
- 2201/1283 . . . Opaque part
- 2201/1285 . . . Standard cuvette
- 2201/1286 More than one cuvette
- 2201/1288 . . . Calibration medium periodically inserted in one cell
- 2201/129 . . Using chemometrical methods
- 2201/1293 . . . resolving multicomponent spectra
- 2201/1296 . . . using neural networks
- 2201/13 . . Standards, constitution
- 2203/00** **Investigating strength properties of solid materials by application of mechanical stress**
- 2203/0001 . Type of application of the stress
- 2203/0003 . . Steady
- 2203/0005 . . Repeated or cyclic
- 2203/0007 . . . Low frequencies up to 100 Hz
- 2203/0008 . . . High frequencies from 10 000 Hz
- 2203/001 . . Impulsive
- 2203/0012 . . Constant speed test
- 2203/0014 . Type of force applied
- 2203/0016 . . Tensile or compressive
- 2203/0017 . . . Tensile
- 2203/0019 . . . Compressive
- 2203/0021 . . Torsional
- 2203/0023 . . Bending
- 2203/0025 . . Shearing
- 2203/0026 . . Combination of several types of applied forces
- 2203/0028 . . . Rotation and bending
- 2203/003 . Generation of the force
- 2203/0032 . . using mechanical means
- 2203/0033 . . . Weight
- 2203/0035 . . . Spring
- 2203/0037 . . . involving a rotating movement, e.g. gearing, cam, eccentric, or centrifuge effects
- 2203/0039 . . . Hammer or pendulum
- 2203/0041 . . . Human or animal power
- 2203/0042 . . Pneumatic or hydraulic means
- 2203/0044 . . . Pneumatic means
- 2203/0046 Vacuum
- 2203/0048 . . . Hydraulic means
- 2203/005 . . Electromagnetic means
- 2203/0051 . . . Piezoelectric means
- 2203/0053 . . Cutting or drilling tools
- 2203/0055 . . . using mechanical waves, e.g. acoustic
- 2203/0057 . . . using stresses due to heating, e.g. conductive heating, radiative heating
- 2203/0058 . Kind of property studied
- 2203/006 . . Crack, flaws, fracture or rupture
- 2203/0062 . . . Crack or flaws
- 2203/0064 Initiation of crack
- 2203/0066 Propagation of crack
- 2203/0067 . . . Fracture or rupture
- 2203/0069 . . Fatigue, creep, strain-stress relations or elastic constants
- 2203/0071 . . . Creep
- 2203/0073 . . . Fatigue
- 2203/0075 . . . Strain-stress relations or elastic constants
- 2203/0076 . . Hardness, compressibility or resistance to crushing
- 2203/0078 . . . using indentation
- 2203/008 Residual indentation measurement
- 2203/0082 Indentation characteristics measured during load
- 2203/0083 . . . Rebound strike or reflected energy
- 2203/0085 . . . Compressibility
- 2203/0087 . . . Resistance to crushing
- 2203/0089 . . Biorheological properties
- 2203/0091 . . Peeling or tearing
- 2203/0092 . . Visco-elasticity, solidification, curing, cross-linking degree, vulcanisation or strength properties of semi-solid materials
- 2203/0094 . . . Visco-elasticity
- 2203/0096 . . Fibre-matrix interaction in composites
- 2203/0098 . Tests specified by its name, e.g. Charpy, Brinell, Mullen
- 2203/02 . Details not specific for a particular testing method
- 2203/0202 . . Control of the test
- 2203/0204 . . . Safety arrangements, e.g. remote control, emergency stop

- 2203/0206 . . . Means for supplying or positioning specimens or exchangeable parts of the machine such as indenters...
- 2203/0208 . . . Specific programs of loading, e.g. incremental loading or pre-loading
- 2203/021 . . . Treatment of the signal; Calibration
- 2203/0212 . . . Theories, calculations
- 2203/0214 Calculations a priori without experimental data
- 2203/0216 Finite elements
- 2203/0218 Calculations based on experimental data
- 2203/022 . . Environment of the test
- 2203/0222 . . . Temperature
- 2203/0224 Thermal cycling
- 2203/0226 High temperature; Heating means
- 2203/0228 Low temperature; Cooling means
- 2203/023 . . . Pressure
- 2203/0232 High pressure
- 2203/0234 Low pressure; Vacuum
- 2203/0236 . . . Other environments
- 2203/0238 Inert
- 2203/024 Corrosive
- 2203/0242 With circulation of a fluid
- 2203/0244 . . . Tests performed "in situ" or after "in situ" use
- 2203/0246 Special simulation of "in situ" conditions, scale models or dummies
- 2203/0248 . . . Tests "on-line" during fabrication
- 2203/025 . . Geometry of the test
- 2203/0252 . . . Monoaxial, i.e. the forces being applied along a single axis of the specimen
- 2203/0254 . . . Biaxial, the forces being applied along two normal axes of the specimen
- 2203/0256 . . . Triaxial, i.e. the forces being applied along three normal axes of the specimen
- 2203/0258 . . . Non axial, i.e. the forces not being applied along an axis of symmetry of the specimen
- 2203/026 . . Specifications of the specimen
- 2203/0262 . . . Shape of the specimen
- 2203/0264 Beam
- 2203/0266 Cylindrical specimens
- 2203/0268 Dumb-bell specimens
- 2203/027 Specimens with holes or notches
- 2203/0272 Cruciform specimens
- 2203/0274 Tubular or ring-shaped specimens
- 2203/0276 Spherical specimens
- 2203/0278 Thin specimens
- 2203/028 One dimensional, e.g. filaments, wires, ropes or cables
- 2203/0282 Two dimensional, e.g. tapes, webs, sheets, strips, disks or membranes
- 2203/0284 . . . Bulk material, e.g. powders
- 2203/0286 . . . Miniature specimen; Testing on microregions of a specimen
- 2203/0288 . . . Springs
- 2203/029 Leaf spring
- 2203/0292 Coil spring
- 2203/0294 Airs-spring, air bag spring or bellows
- 2203/0296 . . . Welds
- 2203/0298 . . . Manufacturing or preparing specimens
- 2203/04 . . Chucks, fixtures, jaws, holders or anvils
- 2203/0405 . . . Features allowing alignment between specimen and chucks
- 2203/0411 . . . using pneumatic or hydraulic pressure
- 2203/0417 . . . using vacuum
- 2203/0423 . . . using screws
- 2203/0429 . . . using adhesive bond; Gluing
- 2203/0435 . . . modifying the type of the force applied, e.g. the chuck transforms a compressive machine for applying a bending test
- 2203/0441 . . . with dampers or shock absorbing means
- 2203/0447 . . . Holders for quick insertion/removal of test pieces
- 2203/0452 . . . Cushioning layer between test piece and grip
- 2203/0458 . . . characterised by their material
- 2203/0464 . . . with provisions for testing more than one specimen at the time
- 2203/047 in series
- 2203/0476 in parallel
- 2203/0482 . . . comprising sensing means
- 2203/0488 Diamond anvil cells
- 2203/0494 Clamping ring, "whole periphery" clamping
- 2203/06 . . Indicating or recording means; Sensing means
- 2203/0605 . . . Mechanical indicating, recording or sensing means
- 2203/0611 . . . Hydraulic or pneumatic indicating, recording or sensing means
- 2203/0617 . . . Electrical or magnetic indicating, recording or sensing means
- 2203/0623 using piezoelectric gauges
- 2203/0629 using thin films, paintings
- 2203/0635 using magnetic properties
- 2203/0641 . . . using optical, X-ray, ultraviolet, infrared or similar detectors
- 2203/0647 Image analysis
- 2203/0652 using contrasting ink, painting, staining
- 2203/0658 . . . using acoustic or ultrasonic detectors
- 2203/0664 . . . using witness specimens
- 2203/067 . . . Parameter measured for estimating the property
- 2203/0676 Force, weight, load, energy, speed or acceleration
- 2203/0682 Spatial dimension, e.g. length, area, angle
- 2203/0688 Time or frequency
- 2203/0694 Temperature
- 2223/00 Investigating materials by wave or particle radiation**
- 2223/01 . . by radioactivity, nuclear decay
- 2223/03 . . by transmission
- 2223/04 . . and measuring absorption
- 2223/041 . . . X-ray absorption fine structure [EXAFS]
- 2223/043 . . . gamma ray resonance absorption (Mossbauer effect)
- 2223/045 . . combination of at least 2 measurements (transmission and scatter)
- 2223/05 . . by diffraction, scatter or reflection
- 2223/051 . . correcting for scatter
- 2223/052 . . reflection
- 2223/053 . . back scatter
- 2223/054 . . small angle scatter
- 2223/055 . . scatter raster collimator
- 2223/056 . . diffraction
- 2223/0561 . . . diffraction cameras
- 2223/0563 . . . measure of energy-dispersion spectrum of diffracted radiation
- 2223/0565 . . . diffraction of electrons, e.g. LEED

- 2223/0566 . . . analysing diffraction pattern
- 2223/0568 . . . spectro-diffractometry
- 2223/063 . . inelastic scatter, e.g. Compton effect
- 2223/064 . . interference of radiation, e.g. Borrmann effect
- 2223/07 . . secondary emission
- 2223/071 . . combination of measurements, at least 1 secondary emission
- 2223/072 . . combination of measurements, 2 kinds of secondary emission
- 2223/073 . . use of a laser
- 2223/074 . . activation analysis
- 2223/0745 . . . neutron-gamma activation analysis
- 2223/076 . . X-ray fluorescence
- 2223/0763 . . . Compton background correcting
- 2223/0766 . . . X-ray fluorescence with indicator, tags
- 2223/079 . . incident electron beam and measuring excited X-rays
- 2223/08 . . incident electron beam and measuring cathode luminescence (U.V.)
- 2223/081 . . incident ion beam, e.g. proton
- 2223/0813 . . . incident ion beam and measuring X-rays [PIXE]
- 2223/0816 . . . incident ion beam and measuring secondary ion beam [SIMS]
- 2223/084 . . photo-electric effect
- 2223/085 . . photo-electron spectrum [ESCA, XPS]
- 2223/086 . . Auger electrons
- 2223/09 . . exo-electron emission
- 2223/095 . . tribo-emission
- 2223/10 . . Different kinds of radiation or particles
- 2223/1003 . . monochromatic
- 2223/1006 . . different radiations, e.g. X and alpha
- 2223/101 . . electromagnetic radiation
- 2223/1013 . . . gamma
- 2223/1016 . . . X-ray
- 2223/102 . . beta or electrons
- 2223/104 . . ions
- 2223/1045 . . . alpha
- 2223/105 . . molecular or atomic beams
- 2223/106 . . neutrons
- 2223/1063 . . . fast
- 2223/1066 . . . thermal
- 2223/107 . . protons
- 2223/108 . . positrons; electron-positron annihilation
- 2223/11 . . neutrino
- 2223/20 . . Sources of radiation
- 2223/201 . . betatron
- 2223/202 . . isotopes
- 2223/203 . . synchrotron
- 2223/204 . . source created from radiated target
- 2223/205 . . natural source
- 2223/206 . . sources operating at different energy levels
- 2223/30 . . Accessories, mechanical or electrical features
- 2223/301 . . portable apparatus
- 2223/302 . . comparative arrangements
- 2223/303 . . calibrating, standardising
- 2223/3032 . . . periodic calibration, e.g. with filter wheel
- 2223/3035 . . . phantom
- 2223/3037 . . . standards (constitution)
- 2223/304 . . electric circuits, signal processing
- 2223/305 . . computer simulations
- 2223/306 . . computer control
- 2223/307 . . cuvettes-sample holders
- 2223/3075 . . . correcting for the properties of the container, e.g. empty
- 2223/308 . . support of radiation source
- 2223/309 . . support of sample holder
- 2223/31 . . temperature control
- 2223/3103 . . . cooling, cryostats
- 2223/3106 . . . heating, furnaces
- 2223/311 . . high pressure testing, anvil cells
- 2223/312 . . powder preparation
- 2223/313 . . filters, rotating filter disc
- 2223/314 . . chopper
- 2223/315 . . monochromators
- 2223/316 . . collimators
- 2223/317 . . windows
- 2223/318 . . protective films
- 2223/319 . . using opaque penetrant medium
- 2223/32 . . adjustments of elements during operation
- 2223/321 . . manipulator for positioning a part
- 2223/322 . . immersed detecting head
- 2223/323 . . irradiation range monitor, e.g. light beam
- 2223/33 . . scanning, i.e. relative motion for measurement of successive object-parts
- 2223/3301 . . . beam is modified for scan, e.g. moving collimator
- 2223/3302 . . . object and detector fixed
- 2223/3303 . . . object fixed; source and detector move
- 2223/3304 . . . helicoidal scan
- 2223/3305 . . . detector fixed; source and body moving
- 2223/3306 . . . object rotates
- 2223/3307 . . . source and detector fixed; object moves
- 2223/3308 . . . object translates
- 2223/331 . . rocking curve analysis
- 2223/335 . . electronic scanning
- 2223/34 . . sensing means for gap between source and detector
- 2223/345 . . mathematical transformations on beams or signals, e.g. Fourier
- 2223/348 . . ellipsoidal collector
- 2223/351 . . prohibiting charge accumulation on sample substrate
- 2223/40 . . Imaging
- 2223/401 . . image processing
- 2223/402 . . mapping distribution of elements
- 2223/403 . . mapping with false colours
- 2223/404 . . contrast medium
- 2223/405 . . mapping of a material property
- 2223/406 . . fluoroscopic image
- 2223/407 . . stimulable phosphor sheet
- 2223/408 . . display on monitor
- 2223/409 . . embedding or impregnating the object
- 2223/41 . . imaging specifically internal structure
- 2223/411 . . tv imaging from fluorescent screen
- 2223/412 . . use of image converter tube [PMT]
- 2223/413 . . sensor array [CCD]
- 2223/414 . . stereoscopic system
- 2223/415 . . radiographic film
- 2223/416 . . wrap around
- 2223/417 . . recording with co-ordinate markings
- 2223/418 . . electron microscope
- 2223/419 . . computed tomograph
- 2223/42 . . image digitised, -enhanced in an image processor

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- 2223/421 . . digitised image, analysed in real time (recognition algorithms)
- 2223/422 . . windows within the image
- 2223/423 . . multispectral imaging-multiple energy imaging
- 2223/424 . . energy subtraction image processing (dual energy processing)
- 2223/425 . . temporal (time difference) subtraction processing
- 2223/426 . . image comparing, unknown with known substance
- 2223/427 . . stepped imaging (selected area of sample is changed)
- 2223/50 . Detectors
- 2223/501 . . array
- 2223/5015 . . . linear array
- 2223/502 . . ionisation chamber
- 2223/503 . . auxiliary reference detector
- 2223/504 . . pin-diode
- 2223/505 . . scintillation
- 2223/5055 . . . scintillation crystal coupled to PMT
- 2223/506 . . time-of-flight
- 2223/507 . . secondary-emission detector
- 2223/508 . . photo-acoustic
- 2223/509 . . infrared
- 2223/60 . Specific applications or type of materials
- 2223/601 . . density profile
- 2223/602 . . crystal growth
- 2223/603 . . superlattices
- 2223/604 . . monocrystal
- 2223/605 . . phases
- 2223/606 . . texture
- 2223/607 . . strain
- 2223/608 . . superconductors
- 2223/61 . . thin films, coatings
- 2223/611 . . patterned objects; electronic devices
- 2223/6113 . . . printed circuit board [PCB]
- 2223/6116 . . . semiconductor wafer
- 2223/612 . . biological material
- 2223/6123 . . . bone mineral
- 2223/6126 . . . tissue
- 2223/613 . . moisture
- 2223/614 . . road surface
- 2223/615 . . composite materials, multilayer laminates
- 2223/616 . . earth materials
- 2223/617 . . ash in coal
- 2223/618 . . food
- 2223/619 . . wood
- 2223/62 . . powders
- 2223/621 . . tobacco
- 2223/622 . . paper
- 2223/623 . . plastics
- 2223/624 . . steel, castings
- 2223/625 . . nuclear fuels, laser imploded targets
- 2223/626 . . radioactive material
- 2223/6265 . . . sample with radioactive tracer, tag, label
- 2223/627 . . tyres
- 2223/628 . . tubes, pipes
- 2223/629 . . welds, bonds, sealing compounds
- 2223/63 . . turbine blades
- 2223/631 . . large structures, walls
- 2223/632 . . residual life, life expectancy
- 2223/633 . . thickness, density, surface weight (unit area)
- 2223/634 . . wear behaviour, roughness
- 2223/635 . . fluids, granulates
- 2223/636 . . fluid sample with radioactive sources
- 2223/637 . . liquid
- 2223/638 . . gas
- 2223/639 . . material in a container
- 2223/64 . . multiple-sample chamber, multiplicity of materials
- 2223/641 . . particle sizing
- 2223/642 . . moving sheet, web
- 2223/6425 . . . correcting for web flutter
- 2223/643 . . object on conveyor
- 2223/645 . . quality control
- 2223/646 . . flaws, defects
- 2223/6462 . . . microdefects
- 2223/6464 . . . radioactive substance into defect site
- 2223/6466 . . . flaws comparing to predetermined standards
- 2223/6468 . . . at different temperatures
- 2223/647 . . leak detection
- 2223/648 . . voids
- 2223/649 . . porosity
- 2223/65 . . cavitation pits
- 2223/651 . . dust
- 2223/652 . . impurities, foreign matter, trace amounts
- 2223/66 . . multiple steps inspection, e.g. coarse/fine
- 2291/00** **Indexing codes associated with group G01N 29/00**
- 2291/01 . Indexing codes associated with the measuring variable
- 2291/011 . . Velocity or travel time
- 2291/012 . . Phase angle
- 2291/014 . . Resonance or resonant frequency
- 2291/015 . . Attenuation, scattering
- 2291/017 . . Doppler techniques
- 2291/018 . . Impedance
- 2291/02 . Indexing codes associated with the analysed material
- 2291/021 . . Gases
- 2291/0212 . . . Binary gases
- 2291/0215 . . . Mixtures of three or more gases, e.g. air
- 2291/0217 . . . Smoke, combustion gases
- 2291/022 . . Liquids
- 2291/0222 . . . Binary liquids
- 2291/0224 . . . Mixtures of three or more liquids
- 2291/0226 . . . Oils, e.g. engine oils
- 2291/0228 . . . Aqueous liquids
- 2291/023 . . Solids
- 2291/0231 . . . Composite or layered materials
- 2291/0232 . . . Glass, ceramics, concrete or stone
- 2291/0234 . . . Metals, e.g. steel
- 2291/0235 . . . Plastics; polymers; soft materials, e.g. rubber
- 2291/0237 . . . Thin materials, e.g. paper, membranes, thin films
- 2291/0238 . . . Wood
- 2291/024 . . Mixtures
- 2291/02408 . . . Solids in gases, e.g. particle suspensions
- 2291/02416 . . . Solids in liquids
- 2291/02425 . . . Liquids in gases, e.g. sprays
- 2291/02433 . . . Gases in liquids, e.g. bubbles, foams
- 2291/02441 . . . Liquids in porous solids
- 2291/0245 . . . Gases in porous solids
- 2291/02458 . . . Solids in solids, e.g. granules

- 2291/02466 . . . Biological material, e.g. blood
 2291/02475 . . . Tissue characterisation
 2291/02483 . . . Other human or animal parts, e.g. bones
 2291/02491 . . . Materials with nonlinear acoustic properties
 2291/025 . . . Change of phase or condition
 2291/0251 . . . Solidification, icing, curing composites, polymerisation
 2291/0252 . . . Melting, molten solids
 2291/0253 . . . Condensation
 2291/0254 . . . Evaporation
 2291/0255 . . . (Bio)chemical reactions, e.g. on biosensors
 2291/0256 . . . Adsorption, desorption, surface mass change, e.g. on biosensors
 2291/0257 with a layer containing at least one organic compound
 2291/0258 . . . Structural degradation, e.g. fatigue of composites, ageing of oils
 2291/028 . . . Material parameters
 2291/02809 . . . Concentration of a compound, e.g. measured by a surface mass change
 2291/02818 . . . Density, viscosity
 2291/02827 . . . Elastic parameters, strength or force
 2291/02836 . . . Flow rate, liquid level
 2291/02845 . . . Humidity, wetness
 2291/02854 . . . Length, thickness
 2291/02863 . . . Electric or magnetic parameters
 2291/02872 . . . Pressure
 2291/02881 . . . Temperature
 2291/0289 . . . Internal structure, e.g. defects, grain size, texture
 2291/04 . . . Wave modes and trajectories
 2291/042 . . . Wave modes
 2291/0421 . . . Longitudinal waves
 2291/0422 . . . Shear waves, transverse waves, horizontally polarised waves
 2291/0423 . . . Surface waves, e.g. Rayleigh waves, Love waves
 2291/0425 . . . Parallel to the surface, e.g. creep waves
 2291/0426 . . . Bulk waves, e.g. quartz crystal microbalance, torsional waves
 2291/0427 . . . Flexural waves, plate waves, e.g. Lamb waves, tuning fork, cantilever
 2291/0428 . . . Mode conversion
 2291/043 . . . Complex trajectories
 2291/044 . . . Internal reflections (echoes), e.g. on walls or defects
 2291/045 . . . External reflections, e.g. on reflectors
 2291/048 . . . Transmission, i.e. analysed material between transmitter and receiver
 2291/051 . . . Perpendicular incidence, perpendicular propagation
 2291/052 . . . Perpendicular incidence, angular propagation
 2291/055 . . . Angular incidence, perpendicular propagation
 2291/056 . . . Angular incidence, angular propagation
 2291/057 . . . Angular incidence, parallel to surface propagation
 2291/10 . . . Number of transducers
 2291/101 . . . one transducer
 2291/102 . . . one emitter, one receiver
 2291/103 . . . one emitter, two or more receivers
 2291/104 . . . two or more emitters, one receiver
 2291/105 . . . two or more emitters, two or more receivers
 2291/106 . . . one or more transducer arrays
 2291/26 . . . Scanned objects
 2291/262 . . . Linear objects
 2291/2623 . . . Rails; Railroads
 2291/2626 . . . Wires, bars, rods
 2291/263 . . . Surfaces
 2291/2632 . . . flat
 2291/2634 . . . cylindrical from outside
 2291/2636 . . . cylindrical from inside
 2291/2638 . . . Complex surfaces
 2291/265 . . . Spherical objects
 2291/267 . . . Welds
 2291/2672 . . . Spot welding
 2291/2675 . . . Seam, butt welding
 2291/2677 . . . Lapp welding
 2291/269 . . . Various geometry objects
 2291/2691 . . . Bolts, screws, heads
 2291/2692 . . . Tyres
 2291/2693 . . . Rotor or turbine parts
 2291/2694 . . . Wings or other aircraft parts
 2291/2695 . . . Bottles, containers
 2291/2696 . . . Wheels, Gears, Bearings
 2291/2697 . . . Wafer or (micro)electronic parts
 2291/2698 . . . Other discrete objects, e.g. bricks
2333/00 Assays involving biological materials from specific organisms or of a specific nature
NOTE
 In groups [G01N 2333/47](#) - [G01N 2333/994](#) indexing codes are assigned according to the chemical nature of the materials irrespective of the source organism.
 2333/001 . . . by chemical synthesis
 2333/003 . . . of Peptide-nucleic acids (PNAs)
 2333/005 . . . from viruses
 2333/01 . . . DNA viruses
 2333/015 . . . Parvoviridae, e.g. feline panleukopenia virus, human Parvovirus
 2333/02 . . . Hepadnaviridae, e.g. hepatitis B virus
 2333/025 . . . Papovaviridae, e.g. papillomavirus, polyomavirus, SV40, BK virus, JC virus
 2333/03 . . . Herpetoviridae, e.g. pseudorabies virus
 2333/032 Pseudorabies virus, i.e. Aujetzký virus
 2333/035 Herpes simplex virus I or II
 2333/04 Varicella-zoster virus
 2333/045 Cytomegalovirus
 2333/05 Epstein-Barr virus
 2333/055 Marek's disease virus
 2333/06 Infectious bovine rhinotracheitis virus
 2333/065 . . . Poxviridae, e.g. avipoxvirus
 2333/07 Vaccinia virus; Variola virus
 2333/075 . . . Adenoviridae
 2333/08 . . . RNA viruses
 2333/085 . . . Picornaviridae, e.g. coxsackie virus, echovirus, enterovirus
 2333/09 Foot-and-mouth disease virus
 2333/095 Rhinovirus
 2333/10 Hepatitis A virus
 2333/105 Poliovirus
 2333/11 . . . Orthomyxoviridae, e.g. influenza virus
 2333/115 . . . Paramyxoviridae, e.g. parainfluenza virus
 2333/12 Mumps virus; Measles virus

2333/125	. . . . Newcastle disease virus	2333/26	. . . Klebsiella (G)
2333/13	. . . . Canine distemper virus	2333/265	. . . Enterobacter (G)
2333/135	. . . . Respiratory syncytial virus	2333/27	. . . Erwinia (G)
2333/14	. . . Reoviridae, e.g. rotavirus, bluetongue virus, Colorado tick fever virus	2333/275	. . . Hafnia (G)
2333/145	. . . Rhabdoviridae, e.g. rabies virus, Duvenhage virus, Mokola virus or vesicular stomatitis virus	2333/28	. . . from Vibrionaceae (F)
2333/15	. . . Retroviridae, e.g. bovine leukaemia virus, feline leukaemia virus, feline leukaemia virus, human T-cell leukaemia-lymphoma virus	2333/285	. . . from Pasteurellaceae (F), e.g. Haemophilus influenza
2333/155	. . . . Lentiviridae, e.g. visna-maedi virus, equine infectious virus, FIV, SIV	2333/29	. . . from Richettsiales (o)
2333/16	. . . . . HIV-1, HIV-2	2333/295	. . . from Chlamydiales (o)
2333/161	. . . . . gag-pol, e.g. p55, p24/25, p17/18, p7, p6, p66/68, p51/52, p31/34, p32, p40	2333/30	. . . from Mycoplasmatales, e.g. Pleuropneumonia-like organisms [PPLo]
2333/162	. . . . . env, e.g. gp160, gp110/120, gp41, V3, peptid T, DC4-Binding site	2333/305	. . . from Micrococcaceae (F)
2333/163	. . . . . Regulatory proteins, e.g. tat, nef, rev, vif, vpu, vpr, vpt, vpx	2333/31	. . . from Staphylococcus (G)
2333/165	. . . Coronaviridae, e.g. avian infectious bronchitis virus	2333/315	. . . from Streptococcus (G), e.g. Enterococci
2333/17	. . . . Porcine transmissible gastroenteritis virus	2333/3153	. . . Streptokinase
2333/175	. . . Bunyaviridae, e.g. California encephalitis virus, Rift valley fever virus, Hantaan virus	2333/3156	. . . from Streptococcus pneumoniae (Pneumococcus) (Streptokinase G01N 2333/3153)
2333/18	. . . . Togaviridae; Flaviviridae	2333/32	. . . from Bacillus (G)
2333/181	. . . . Alphaviruses or Group A arboviruses, e.g. sindbis, VEE, EEE, WEE or semliki forest virus (rubella virus G01N 2333/19)	2333/325	. . . Bacillus thuringiensis crystal protein (delta-endotoxin)
2333/183	. . . . Flaviviridae, e.g. pestivirus, mucosal disease virus, bovine viral diarrhoea virus, classical swine fever virus (hog cholera virus) or border disease virus	2333/33	. . . from Clostridium (G)
2333/185	. . . . Flaviviruses or Group B arboviruses, e.g. yellow fever virus, japanese encephalitis, tick-borne encephalitis, dengue	2333/335	. . . from Lactobacillus (G)
2333/186	. . . . . Hepatitis C; Hepatitis NANB	2333/34	. . . from Corynebacterium (G)
2333/188	. . . . . Hepatitis G; Hepatitis NANBNCNDNE	2333/345	. . . from Brevibacterium (G)
2333/19	. . . . Rubella virus	2333/35	. . . from Mycobacteriaceae (F)
2333/195	. . . from bacteria	2333/355	. . . from Nocardia (G)
		2333/36	. . . from Actinomyces; from Streptomyces (G)
		2333/365	. . . from Actinoplanes (G)
		2333/37	. . . from fungi
		2333/375	. . . from Basidiomycetes
		2333/38	. . . from Aspergillus
		2333/385	. . . from Penicillium
		2333/39	. . . from yeasts
		2333/395	. . . from Saccharomyces
		2333/40	. . . from Candida
		2333/405	. . . from algae
		2333/41	. . . from lichens
		2333/415	. . . from plants
		2333/42	. . . Lectins, e.g. concanavalin, phytohaemagglutinin
		2333/425	. . . Zeins
		2333/43	. . . Sweetening agents, e.g. thaumatin, monellin
		2333/435	. . . from animals; from humans
		2333/43504	. . . from invertebrates
		2333/43508	. . . . from crustaceans
		2333/43513	. . . . from arachnida
		2333/43517	. . . . . from spiders
		2333/43521	. . . . . from scorpions
		2333/43526	. . . . . from worms
		2333/4353	. . . . . from nematodes
		2333/43534	. . . . . from Caenorhabditis
		2333/43539	. . . . . from cestodes
		2333/43543	. . . . . from Taenia
		2333/43547	. . . . . from trematodes
		2333/43552	. . . . . from insects
		2333/43556	. . . . . from ticks
		2333/4356	. . . . . from wasps
		2333/43565	. . . . . from bees
		2333/43569	. . . . . from flies
		2333/43573	. . . . . from Drosophila
		2333/43578	. . . . . from silkworm
		2333/43582	. . . . . from mites
2333/20	. . . from Spirochaetales (O), e.g. Treponema, Leptospira		
2333/205	. . . from Campylobacter (G)		
2333/21	. . . from Pseudomonadaceae (F)		
2333/212	. . . Moraxellaceae, e.g. Acinetobacter, Moraxella, Oligella or Psychrobacter		
2333/215	. . . from Halobacteriaceae (F)		
2333/22	. . . from Neisseriaceae (F), e.g. Acinetobacter		
2333/225	. . . from Alcaligenes (G)		
2333/23	. . . from Brucella (G)		
2333/235	. . . from Bordetella (G)		
2333/24	. . . from Enterobacteriaceae (F), e.g. Citrobacter, Serratia, Proteus, Providencia, Morganella, Yersinia		
2333/245	. . . Escherichia (G)		
2333/25	. . . Shigella (G)		
2333/255	. . . Salmonella (G)		

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2333/43586	from fleas	2333/4739	Cyclin; Prad 1
2333/43591	from mosquitoes	2333/474	Pancreatic thread protein; Reg protein
2333/43595	. . . .	from coelenteratae, e.g. medusae	2333/4742	. . . . .	Keratin; Cytokeratin
2333/44	. . . .	from protozoa	2333/4743	. . . . .	Bactericidal/Permeability-increasing protein BPI
2333/445	. . . .	Plasmodium	2333/4745	. . . . .	Insulin-like growth factor binding protein
2333/45	. . . .	Toxoplasma	2333/4746	. . . . .	Cancer-associated SCM-recognition factor, CRISPP
2333/455	. . . .	Eimeria	2333/4748	. . . . .	p53
2333/46	. . . .	from vertebrates	2333/475	. . . . .	Assays involving growth factors
2333/4603	. . . .	from fish	2333/4753	. . . . .	Hepatocyte growth factor; Scatter factor; Tumor cytotoxic factor II
2333/4606	. . . .	from amphibians	2333/4756	. . . . .	Neuregulins, i.e. p185erbB2 ligands, glial growth factor, heregulin, ARIA, neu differentiation factor
2333/4609	. . . .	from reptiles	2333/48	. . . . .	Nerve growth factor [NGF]
2333/4613	. . . . .	Snake venom	2333/485	. . . . .	Epidermal growth factor [EGF] (urogastrone)
2333/4616	. . . . .	from Russell's viper	2333/49	. . . . .	Platelet-derived growth factor [PDGF]
2333/462	. . . . .	from Agkistrodon sp., e.g. acutase, ACTE	2333/495	. . . . .	Transforming growth factor [TGF]
2333/4623	. . . . .	from Agkistrodon rhodostoma (Malayan pit viper); Arvin (R); Batroboxin; Ancrod	2333/50	. . . . .	Fibroblast growth factors [FGF]
2333/4626	. . . . .	from Agkistrodon contortrix contortrix (copperhead snake); Protac (R)	2333/501	. . . . .	acidic FGF [aFGF]
2333/463	. . . . .	from Croatalus adamanteus (Eastern Diamondback rattlesnake); Crotolese	2333/503	. . . . .	basic FGF [bFGF]
2333/4633	. . . . .	from Echis carinatus; Ecarin	2333/505	. . . . .	Erythropoietin [EPO]
2333/4636	. . . . .	from Bothrops sp.	2333/51	. . . . .	Bone morphogenetic factor; Osteogenins; Osteogenic factor; Bone-inducing factor
2333/464	. . . . .	from Bothrops atrox; Reptilase; Atroxin	2333/515	. . . . .	Angiogenesis factors; Angiogenin
2333/4643	. . . . .	from Bothrops jararaca; Botrocetin	2333/52	. . . . .	Assays involving cytokines
2333/4646	. . . . .	from Oxyuran(eo)us scutellatus (Taipan snake of Elapidae family)	2333/521	. . . . .	Chemokines
2333/465	. . . . .	from birds	2333/522	. . . . .	Alpha-chemokines, e.g. NAP-2, ENA-78, GRO-alpha/MGSA/NAP-3, GRO-beta/MIP-2alpha, GRO-gamma/MIP-2beta, IP-10, GCP-2, MIG, PBSF, PF-4 or KC
2333/47	. . . . .	Assays involving proteins of known structure or function as defined in the subgroups	2333/523	. . . . .	Beta-chemokines, e.g. RANTES, I-309/TCA-3, MIP-1alpha, MIP-1beta/ACT-2/LD78/SCIF, MCP-1/MCAF, MCP-2, MCP-3, LDCF-1or LDCF-2
2333/4701	. . . . .	Details	2333/524	. . . . .	Thrombopoietin, i.e. C-MPL ligand
2333/4703	. . . . .	Regulators; Modulating activity	2333/525	. . . . .	Tumor necrosis factor [TNF]
2333/4704	. . . . .	Inhibitors; Supressors	2333/5255	. . . . .	Lymphotoxin [LT]
2333/4706	. . . . .	stimulating, promoting or activating activity	2333/53	. . . . .	Colony-stimulating factor [CSF]
2333/4707	. . . . .	Guanosine triphosphatase activating protein, GAP	2333/535	. . . . .	Granulocyte CSF; Granulocyte-macrophage CSF
2333/4709	. . . . .	Amyloid plaque core protein	2333/54	. . . . .	Interleukins [IL]
2333/471	. . . . .	Pregnancy proteins, e.g. placenta proteins, alpha-feto-protein, pregnancy specific beta glycoprotein	2333/5403	. . . . .	IL-3
2333/4712	. . . . .	Muscle proteins, e.g. myosin, actin, protein	2333/5406	. . . . .	IL-4
2333/4713	. . . . .	Plasma globulins, lactoglobulin	2333/5409	. . . . .	IL-5
2333/4715	. . . . .	Cytokine-induced proteins	2333/5412	. . . . .	IL-6
2333/4716	. . . . .	Complement proteins, e.g. anaphylatoxin, C3a, C5a	2333/5415	. . . . .	Leukaemia inhibitory factor [LIF]
2333/4718	. . . . .	Lipocortins	2333/5418	. . . . .	IL-7
2333/4719	. . . . .	G-proteins	2333/5421	. . . . .	IL-8
2333/4721	. . . . .	Cationic antimicrobial peptides, e.g. defensins	2333/5425	. . . . .	IL-9
2333/4722	. . . . .	Proteoglycans, e.g. aggrecan	2333/5428	. . . . .	IL-10
2333/4724	. . . . .	Lectins	2333/5431	. . . . .	IL-11
2333/4725	. . . . .	Mucins, e.g. human intestinal mucin	2333/5434	. . . . .	IL-12
2333/4727	. . . . .	Calcium binding proteins, e.g. calmodulin	2333/5437	. . . . .	IL-13
2333/4728	. . . . .	alpha-Glycoproteins	2333/544	. . . . .	IL-14
2333/473	. . . . .	Recognins, e.g. malignin	2333/5443	. . . . .	IL-15
2333/4731	. . . . .	Casein	2333/5446	. . . . .	IL-16
2333/4733	. . . . .	Acute pancreatitis-associated protein	2333/545	. . . . .	IL-1
2333/4734	. . . . .	Villin	2333/55	. . . . .	IL-2
2333/4736	Retinoblastoma protein	2333/555	Interferons [IFN]
2333/4737	C-reactive protein	2333/56	IFN-alpha

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- 2333/565 IFN-beta
- 2333/57 IFN-gamma
- 2333/575 . . . Hormones (derived from pro-opiomelanocortin, pro-enkephalin or pro-dynorphin [G01N 2333/665](#), corticotropin [G01N 2333/695](#))
- 2333/5751 . . . Corticotropin releasing factor [CRF] (Urotensin)
- 2333/5752 . . . Placental lactogen; Chorionic Somatomammotropin
- 2333/5753 . . . Calcitonin gene related peptide
- 2333/5754 . . . Endothelin, vasoactive intestinal contractor [VIC]
- 2333/5755 . . . Neuropeptide Y
- 2333/5756 . . . Prolactin
- 2333/5757 . . . Vasoactive intestinal peptide [VIP] or related peptides
- 2333/5758 . . . Gastrin releasing peptide
- 2333/5759 . . . Thymosin or related peptides
- 2333/58 . . . Atrial natriuretic factor complex; Atriopeptin; Atrial natriuretic peptide [ANP]; Brain natriuretic peptide [BNP, proBNP]; Cardionatrin; Cardiodilatin
- 2333/585 . . . Calcitonins
- 2333/59 . . . Follicle-stimulating hormone [FSH]; Chorionic gonadotropins, e.g. HCG; Luteinising hormone [LH]; Thyroid-stimulating hormone [TSH]
- 2333/595 . . . Gastrins; Cholecystokinins [CCK]
- 2333/60 . . . Growth-hormone releasing factors (GH-RF) (Somatoliberin)
- 2333/605 . . . Glucagons
- 2333/61 . . . Growth hormones [GH] (Somatotropin)
- 2333/62 . . . Insulins
- 2333/63 . . . Motilins
- 2333/635 . . . Parathyroid hormone (parathormone); Parathyroid hormone-related peptides
- 2333/64 . . . Relaxins
- 2333/645 . . . Secretins
- 2333/65 . . . Insulin-like growth factors (Somatomedins), e.g. IGF-1, IGF-2
- 2333/655 . . . Somatostatins
- 2333/66 . . . Thymopoiетins
- 2333/665 . . . Assays involving proteins derived from pro-opiomelanocortin, pro-enkephalin or pro-dynorphin
- 2333/67 . . . Lipotropins, e.g. beta, gamma lipotropin
- 2333/675 . . . beta-Endorphins
- 2333/68 . . . Melanocyte-stimulating hormone [MSH]
- 2333/685 alpha-Melanotropin
- 2333/69 beta-Melanotropin
- 2333/695 . . . Corticotropin [ACTH]
- 2333/70 . . . Enkephalins
- 2333/705 . . . Assays involving receptors, cell surface antigens or cell surface determinants
- 2333/70503 . . . Immunoglobulin superfamily, e.g. VCAMs, PECAM, LFA-3
- 2333/70507 C2D
- 2333/7051 T-cell receptor (TcR)-CD3 complex
- 2333/70514 CD4
- 2333/70517 CD8
- 2333/70521 CD28, CD152
- 2333/70525 ICAM molecules, e.g. CD50, CD54, CD102
- 2333/70528 CD58
- 2333/70532 B7 molecules, e.g. CD80, CD86
- 2333/70535 Fc-receptors, e.g. CD16, CD32, CD64 (CD2314/705F)
- 2333/70539 MHC-molecules, e.g. HLA-molecules
- 2333/70542 CD106
- 2333/70546 . . . Integrin superfamily, e.g. VLAs, leuCAM, GPIIb/GPIIIa, LPAM
- 2333/7055 Integrin beta1-subunit-containing molecules, e.g. CD29, CD49
- 2333/70553 Integrin beta2-subunit-containing molecules, e.g. CD11, CD18
- 2333/70557 Integrin beta3-subunit-containing molecules, e.g. CD41, CD51, CD61
- 2333/7056 . . . Selectin superfamily, e.g. LAM-1, GlyCAM, ELAM-1, PADGEM
- 2333/70564 Selectins, e.g. CD62
- 2333/70567 . . . Nuclear receptors, e.g. retinoic acid receptor [RAR], RXR, nuclear orphan receptors
- 2333/70571 . . . for neuromediators, e.g. serotonin receptor, dopamine receptor
- 2333/70575 . . . NGF/TNF-superfamily, e.g. CD70, CD95L, CD153 or CD154 ([NGF G01N 2333/48](#), [TNF G01N 2333/525](#))
- 2333/70578 . . . NGF-receptor/TNF-receptor superfamily, e.g. CD27, CD30 CD40 or CD95 ([NGF-receptor G01N 2333/71](#), [TNF-receptor G01N 2333/7151](#))
- 2333/70582 . . . CD71
- 2333/70585 . . . CD44
- 2333/70589 . . . CD45
- 2333/70592 . . . CD52
- 2333/70596 . . . Molecules with a "CD"-designation not provided for elsewhere in [G01N 2333/705](#)
- 2333/71 . . . for growth factors; for growth regulators
- 2333/715 . . . for cytokines; for lymphokines; for interferons
- 2333/7151 for tumor necrosis factor [TNF]; for lymphotoxin [LT]
- 2333/7153 or colony-stimulating factors [CSF]
- 2333/7155 for interleukins [IL]
- 2333/7156 for interferons [IFN]
- 2333/7158 for chemokines
- 2333/72 . . . for hormones ([for neuromediators G01N 2333/70571](#))
- 2333/723 Steroid/thyroid hormone superfamily, e.g. GR, EcR, androgen receptor, oestrogen receptor
- 2333/726 G protein coupled receptor, e.g. TSHR-thyrotropin-receptor, LH/hCG receptor, FSH
- 2333/745 . . . Assays involving non-enzymic blood coagulation factors
- 2333/7452 . . . Thrombomodulin
- 2333/7454 . . . Tissue factor (tissue thromboplastin, Factor III)
- 2333/7456 . . . Factor V
- 2333/7458 . . . Protein S
- 2333/75 . . . Fibrin; Fibrinogen
- 2333/755 . . . Factors VIII, e.g. factor VIII C [AHF], factor VIII Ag [VWF]
- 2333/76 . . . Assays involving albumins other than in routine use for blocking surfaces or for anchoring haptens during immunisation
- 2333/765 . . . Serum albumin, e.g. HSA
- 2333/77 . . . Ovalbumin
- 2333/775 . . . Apolipopptides

2333/78	. . Connective tissue peptides, e.g. collagen, elastin, laminin, fibronectin, vitronectin, cold insoluble globulin [CIG]	2333/90241	. . . acting on single donors with incorporation of molecular oxygen, i.e. oxygenases (1.13)
2333/785	. . Alveolar surfactant peptides; Pulmonary surfactant peptides	2333/90245	. . . acting on paired donors with incorporation of molecular oxygen (1.14)
2333/79	. . Transferrins, e.g. lactoferrins, ovotransferrins	2333/90248	. . . . with NADH or NADPH as one of the donors, and incorporation of one atom of oxygen 1.14.13
2333/795	. . Porphyrin- or corrin-ring-containing peptides	2333/90251	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.14.13.-)
2333/80	. . Cytochromes	2333/90254	. . . . . Nitric-oxide synthase (NOS; 1.14.13.39)
2333/805	. . Haemoglobins; Myoglobins	2333/90258	. . . . . with a reduced iron-sulfur protein as one donor (1.14.15) in general
2333/81	. . Protease inhibitors	2333/90261	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.14.15.-)
2333/8103	. . Exopeptidase (E.C. 3.4.11-19) inhibitors	2333/90264	. . . . . Steroid 11 beta monooxygenase (P-450 protein)(1.14.15.4)
2333/8107	. . Endopeptidase (E.C. 3.4.21-99) inhibitors	2333/90267	. . . . . Cholesterol monooxygenase (cytochrome P 450 _{sc})(1.14.15.6)
2333/811	. . . Serine protease (E.C. 3.4.21) inhibitors	2333/9027	. . . . . Miscellaneous (1.14.99)
2333/8114	. . . . Kunitz type inhibitors	2333/90274	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.14.99.-)
2333/8117	. . . . . Bovine/basic pancreatic trypsin inhibitor (BPTI, aprotinin)	2333/90277	. . . . . Steroid 17 alpha-monooxygenase (1.14.99.9)
2333/8121	. . . . . Serpins	2333/9028	. . . . . Steroid 21-monooxygenase (1.14.99.10)
2333/8125	. . . . . Alpha-1-antitrypsin	2333/90283	. . . acting on superoxide radicals as acceptor (1.15)
2333/8128	. . . . . Antithrombin III	2333/90287	. . . oxidising metal ions (1.16)
2333/8132	. . . . . Plasminogen activator inhibitors	2333/9029	. . . acting on -CH ₂ - groups (1.17)
2333/8135	. . . . . Kazal type inhibitors, e.g. pancreatic secretory inhibitor or ovomucoid	2333/90293	. . . acting on reduced ferredoxin as donor (1.18)
2333/8139	. . . Cysteine protease (E.C. 3.4.22) inhibitors, e.g. cystatin	2333/90296	. . . acting on reduced flavodoxin as donor (1.19)
2333/8142	. . . Aspartate protease (E.C. 3.4.23) inhibitors, e.g. HIV protease inhibitors	2333/904	. . . acting on CHOH groups as donors, e.g. glucose oxidase, lactate dehydrogenase (1.1)
2333/8146	. . . Metalloprotease (E.C. 3.4.24) inhibitors, e.g. tissue inhibitor of metallo proteinase, TIMP	2333/906	. . . acting on nitrogen containing compounds as donors (1.4, 1.5, 1.7)
2333/815	. . from leeches, e.g. hirudin, eglin	2333/90605	. . . . . acting on the CH-NH ₂ group of donors (1.4)
2333/82	. . Translation products from oncogenes	2333/90611	. . . . . with NAD or NADP as acceptor (1.4.1) in general
2333/825	. . Metallothioneins	2333/90616	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.4.1.-)
2333/90	. . Enzymes; Proenzymes	2333/90622	. . . . . Phenylalanine dehydrogenase (1.4.1.20)
	NOTE	2333/90627	. . . . . with a cytochrome as acceptor (1.4.2)
	Enzymes are generally categorised below according to the "Nomenclature and Classification of Enzymes" of the International Commission on Enzymes. Where appropriate, this designation appears in the groups below in parenthesis.	2333/90633	. . . . . with oxygen as acceptor (1.4.3) in general
		2333/90638	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.4.3.-)
		2333/90644	. . . . . D-Amino acid oxidase (1.4.3.3)
2333/9005	. . Enzymes with nucleic acid structure; e.g. ribozymes	2333/9065	. . . . . acting on CH-NH groups of donors (1.5)
2333/901	. . Antibodies with enzymatic activity; e.g. abzymes	2333/90655	. . . . . with NAD or NADP as acceptor (1.5.1) in general
2333/9015	. . Ligases (6)	2333/90661	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.5.1.-)
2333/902	. . Oxidoreductases (1.)	2333/90666	. . . . . Dihydrofolate reductase [DHFR] (1.5.1.3)
2333/90203	. . . acting on the aldehyde or oxo group of donors (1.2)	2333/90672	. . . . . with oxygen as acceptor (1.5.3) in general
2333/90206	. . . acting on the CH-CH group of donors (1.3)	2333/90677	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.5.3.-)
2333/90209	. . . acting on NADH or NADPH (1.6), e.g. those with a heme protein as acceptor (1.6.2) (general), Cytochrome-b5 reductase (1.6.2.2) or NADPH-cytochrome P450 reductase (1.6.2.4)	2333/90683	. . . . . Sarcosine oxidase (1.5.3.1)
2333/90212	. . . acting on a sulfur group of donors (1.8)	2333/90688	. . . . . acting on other nitrogen compounds as donors (1.7)
2333/90216	. . . acting on a heme group of donors (1.9)	2333/90694	. . . . . with oxygen as acceptor (1.7.3), e.g. uricase (1.7.3.3)
2333/90219	. . . acting on diphenols and related substances as donors (1.10)	2333/908	. . . acting on hydrogen peroxide as acceptor (1.11)
2333/90222	. . . . with oxygen as acceptor (1.10.3) in general	2333/91	. . . Transferases (2.)
2333/90225	. . . . . with a definite EC number (1.10.3.-)	2333/91005	. . . transferring one-carbon groups (2.1)
2333/90229	. . . . . Catechol oxidase, i.e. Tyrosinase (1.10.3.1)	2333/91011	. . . . . Methyltransferases (general) (2.1.1.)
2333/90232	. . . . . Laccase (1.10.3.2)	2333/91017	. . . . . with definite EC number (2.1.1.-)
2333/90235	. . . . . Ascorbate oxidase (1.10.3.3)	2333/91022	. . . . . Catecholmethyltransferases (2.1.1.6)
2333/90238	. . . acting on hydrogen as donor (1.12)	2333/91028	. . . . . Hydroxymethyl-, formyl-transferases (2.1.2)
		2333/91034	. . . . . Carboxyl- and carbamoyl transferases (2.1.3)
		2333/9104	. . . Aldehyde and ketone transferases (2.2)
		2333/91045	. . . Acyltransferases (2.3)

2333/91051	. . . . .	Acyltransferases other than aminoacyltransferases (general) (2.3.1)	2333/9129	. . . . .	Transferases for other substituted phosphate groups (2.7.8)
2333/91057	. . . . .	with definite EC number (2.3.1.-)	2333/91295	. . . . .	with paired acceptors (2.7.9)
2333/91062	. . . . .	Chloramphenicol-acetyltransferases (2.3.1.28)	2333/914	. . . . .	Hydrolases (3)
2333/91068	. . . . .	Chalcone synthases (2.3.1.74)	2333/916	. . . . .	acting on ester bonds (3.1), e.g. phosphatases (3.1.3), phospholipases C or phospholipases D (3.1.4)
2333/91074	. . . . .	Aminoacyltransferases (general) (2.3.2)	2333/918	. . . . .	Carboxylic ester hydrolases (3.1.1)
2333/9108	. . . . .	with definite EC number (2.3.2.-)	2333/92	. . . . .	Triglyceride splitting, e.g. by means of lipase
2333/91085	. . . . .	Transglutaminases; Factor XIIIq (2.3.2.13)	2333/922	. . . . .	Ribonucleases (RNAses); Deoxyribonucleases (DNAses)
2333/91091	. . . . .	Glycosyltransferases (2.4)	2333/924	. . . . .	acting on glycosyl compounds (3.2)
2333/91097	. . . . .	Hexosyltransferases (general) (2.4.1)	2333/926	. . . . .	acting on alpha -1, 4-glucosidic bonds, e.g. hyaluronidase, invertase, amylase
2333/91102	. . . . .	with definite EC number (2.4.1.-)	2333/928	. . . . .	acting on alpha -1, 4-glucosidic bonds, e.g. hyaluronidase, invertase, amylase
2333/91108	. . . . .	Levansucrases (2.4.1.10)	2333/93	. . . . .	Fungal source
2333/91114	. . . . .	Cellulose synthases (2.4.1.12)	2333/932	. . . . .	alpha-amylase from plant source
2333/91112	. . . . .	Sucrose synthases (2.4.1.13)	2333/934	. . . . .	Glucoamylase
2333/91125	. . . . .	Sucrose phosphate synthases (2.4.1.14)	2333/936	. . . . .	acting on beta-1, 4 bonds between N-acetylmuramic acid and 2-acetyl-amino 2-deoxy-D-glucose, e.g. lysozyme
2333/91131	. . . . .	Glucan branching enzymes (2.4.1.18)	2333/938	. . . . .	acting on beta-galactose-glycoside bonds, e.g. beta-galactosidase
2333/91137	. . . . .	Cyclomalto dextrin glucano transferases (2.4.1.19)	2333/94	. . . . .	acting on alpha-galactose-glycoside bonds, e.g. alpha-galactosidase
2333/91142	. . . . .	Pentosyltransferases (2.4.2)	2333/942	. . . . .	acting on beta-1, 4-glucosidic bonds, e.g. cellulase
2333/91148	. . . . .	transferring other glycosyl groups (2.4.99)	2333/944	. . . . .	acting on alpha-1, 6-glucosidic bonds, e.g. isoamylase, pullulanase
2333/91154	. . . . .	transferring alkyl or aryl groups other than methyl groups (2.5)	2333/946	. . . . .	Dextranase
2333/9116	. . . . .	transferring alkyl or aryl groups other than methyl groups (2.5)	2333/948	. . . . .	acting on peptide bonds (3.4)
2333/91165	. . . . .	general (2.5.1)	2333/95	. . . . .	Proteinases, i.e. endopeptidases (3.4.21-3.4.99)
2333/91171	. . . . .	with definite EC number (2.5.1.-)	2333/9506	. . . . .	derived from viruses
2333/91177	. . . . .	Glutathione transferases (2.5.1.18)	2333/9513	. . . . .	derived from RNA viruses
2333/91182	. . . . .	Enolpyruvylshikimate-phosphate synthases (2.5.1.19)	2333/952	. . . . .	derived from bacteria
2333/91188	. . . . .	transferring nitrogenous groups (2.6)	2333/954	. . . . .	bacteria being Bacillus
2333/91194	. . . . .	transferring sulfur containing groups (2.8)	2333/956	. . . . .	Bacillus subtilis or Bacillus licheniformis
2333/912	. . . . .	transferring phosphorus containing groups, e.g. kinases (2.7)	2333/958	. . . . .	derived from fungi
2333/91205	. . . . .	Phosphotransferases in general	2333/96	. . . . .	from yeast
2333/9121	. . . . .	with an alcohol group as acceptor (2.7.1), e.g. general tyrosine, serine or threonine kinases	2333/962	. . . . .	from Aspergillus
2333/91215	. . . . .	with a definite EC number (2.7.1.-)	2333/964	. . . . .	derived from animal tissue
2333/9122	. . . . .	Thymidine kinase (2.7.1.21)	2333/96402	. . . . .	from non-mammals
2333/91225	. . . . .	with a carboxyl group as acceptor (2.7.2)	2333/96405	. . . . .	in general
2333/9123	. . . . .	with a nitrogenous group as acceptor (2.7.3), e.g. histidine kinases	2333/96408	. . . . .	with EC number
2333/91235	. . . . .	with a phosphate group as acceptor (2.7.4)	2333/96411	. . . . .	Serine endopeptidases (3.4.21)
2333/9124	. . . . .	Diphosphotransferases (2.7.6)	2333/96413	. . . . .	Cysteine endopeptidases (3.4.22)
2333/91245	. . . . .	Nucleotidyltransferases (2.7.7)	2333/96416	. . . . .	Aspartic endopeptidases (3.4.23)
2333/9125	. . . . .	with a definite EC number (2.7.7.-)	2333/96419	. . . . .	Metalloendopeptidases (3.4.24)
2333/91255	. . . . .	DNA-directed RNA polymerase (2.7.7.6)	2333/96422	. . . . .	from snakes
2333/9126	. . . . .	DNA-directed DNA polymerase (2.7.7.7)	2333/96425	. . . . .	from mammals
2333/91265	. . . . .	Polyribonucleotide nucleotidyl transferases, i.e. polynucleotide phosphorylase (2.7.7.8)	2333/96427	. . . . .	in general
2333/9127	. . . . .	DNA nucleotidyl-exotransferases, i.e. terminal nucleotidyl transferases (2.7.7.31)	2333/9643	. . . . .	with EC number
2333/91275	. . . . .	RNA-directed RNA polymerases, e.g. replicases (2.7.7.48)	2333/96433	. . . . .	Serine endopeptidases (3.4.21)
2333/9128	. . . . .	RNA-directed DNA polymerases, e.g. RT (2.7.7.49)	2333/96436	. . . . .	Granzymes
2333/91285	. . . . .	RNA uridyltransferases (2.7.7.52)	2333/96438	. . . . .	Dibasic site splicing serine proteases, e.g. furin
			2333/96441	. . . . .	with definite EC number
			2333/96444	. . . . .	Factor X (3.4.21.6)
			2333/96447	. . . . .	Factor VII (3.4.21.21)

- 2333/9645 Factor IX (3.4.21.22)
- 2333/96452 Factor XI (3.4.21.27)
- 2333/96455 Kallikrein (3.4.21.34;
3.4.21.35)
- 2333/96458 Factor XII (3.4.21.38)
- 2333/96461 Protein C (3.4.21.69)
- 2333/96463 Blood coagulation factors
not provided for in a
preceding group or
according to more than one
of the preceding groups
- 2333/96466 Cysteine endopeptidases (3.4.22)
- 2333/96469 Interleukin 1-beta convertase-
like enzymes
- 2333/96472 Aspartic endopeptidases (3.4.23)
- 2333/96475 with definite EC number
- 2333/96477 Pepsin (3.4.23.1; 3.4.23.2;
3.4.23.3)
- 2333/9648 Chymosin, i.e. rennin
(3.4.23.4)
- 2333/96483 Renin (3.4.23.15)
- 2333/96486 Metalloendopeptidases (3.4.24)
- 2333/96488 Phosphoramidon sensitive
endothelin converting enzymes
- 2333/96491 with definite EC number
- 2333/96494 Matrix metalloproteases, e.
g. 3.4.24.7
- 2333/96497 Enkephalinase (3.4.24.11)
- 2333/966 Elastase
- 2333/968 Plasmin, i.e. fibrinolysin
- 2333/972 Plasminogen activators
- 2333/9723 Urokinase
- 2333/9726 Tissue plasminogen activator
- 2333/974 Thrombin
- 2333/976 Trypsin; Chymotrypsin
- 2333/978 acting on carbon to nitrogen bonds other than
peptide bonds (3.5)
- 2333/98 acting on amide bonds in linear amides
(3.5.1)
- 2333/982 Asparaginase
- 2333/984 Penicillin amidase
- 2333/986 acting on amide bonds in cyclic
amides (3.5.2), e.g. beta-lactamase
(penicillinase, 3.5.2.6), creatinine
amidohydrolase (creatininase, EC 3.5.2.10),
N-methylhydantoinase (3.5.2.6)
- 2333/988 Lyases (4.), e.g. aldolases, heparinase, enolases,
fumarase
- 2333/99 Isomerases (5.)
- 2333/992 Glucose isomerase; Xylose isomerase;
Glucose-6-phosphate isomerase
- 2333/994 Pancreatin
- 2400/00 Assays, e.g. immunoassays or enzyme assays,
involving carbohydrates**
- 2400/02 involving antibodies to sugar part of glycoproteins
(lectins from plants [G01N 2333/42](#), lectins from
mammals [G01N 2333/4724](#))
- 2400/10 Polysaccharides, i.e. having more than five
saccharide radicals attached to each other by
glycosidic linkages; Derivatives thereof, e.g. ethers,
esters
- 2400/12 Homoglycans, i.e. polysaccharides having a main
chain consisting of one single sugar
- 2400/14 alpha-D-Glucans, i.e. having alpha 1,n
(n=3,4,6) linkages between saccharide units,
e.g. pullulan
- 2400/16 Starch, amylose, amylopectin
- 2400/18 Cyclodextrin
- 2400/22 Dextran
- 2400/24 beta-D-Glucans, i.e. having beta 1,n (n=3,4,6)
linkages between saccharide units, e.g. xanthan
- 2400/26 Cellulose
- 2400/28 Chitin, chitosan
- 2400/32 Galactans, e.g. agar, agarose, agaropectin,
carrageenan
- 2400/34 alpha-D-Galacturonans, e.g. pectin
- 2400/36 beta-D-Fructofuranans, e.g. levan, insulin
- 2400/38 Heteroglycans, i.e. polysaccharides having more
than one sugar residue in the main chain in either
alternating or less regular sequence, e.g. gluco- or
galactomannans, e.g. Konjac gum, Locust bean
gum, Guar gum ([proteoglycans G01N 2333/4722](#))
- 2400/40 Glycosaminoglycans, i.e. GAG or
mucopolysaccharides, e.g. chondroitin
sulfate, dermatan sulfate, hyaluronic acid,
heparin, heparan sulfate, and related sulfated
polysaccharides
- 2400/44 Guluromannuronans, e.g. alginic acid
- 2400/46 Pectin
- 2400/48 Reserve carbohydrates, e.g. glycogen
- 2400/50 Lipopolysaccharides; LPS
- 2405/00 Assays, e.g. immunoassays or enzyme assays,
involving lipids (lipopolysaccharides [G01N 2400/50](#))**
- 2405/02 Triacylglycerols
- 2405/04 Phospholipids, i.e. phosphoglycerides
- 2405/06 Glycophospholipids, e.g. phosphatidyl inositol
- 2405/08 Sphingolipids
- 2405/10 Glycosphingolipids, e.g. cerebrosides,
gangliosides
- 2407/00 Assays, e.g. immunoassays or enzyme assays,
involving terpenes**
- 2407/02 Taxol; Taxanes
- 2410/00 Assays, e.g. immunoassays or enzyme assays,
involving peptides of less than 20 amino acids**
- 2410/02 Angiotensins; Related peptides
- 2410/04 Oxytocins; Vasopressins; Related peptides
- 2410/06 Kallidins; Bradykinins; Related peptides
- 2410/08 Cyclosporins and related peptides
- 2410/10 Valinomycins and derivatives thereof
- 2415/00 Assays, e.g. immunoassays or enzyme assays,
involving penicillins or cephalosporins**
- 2430/00 Assays, e.g. immunoassays or enzyme assays,
involving synthetic organic compounds as analytes**
- 2430/10 Insecticides
- 2430/12 Pyrethroids
- 2430/20 Herbicides, e.g. DDT
- 2430/30 Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)
- 2430/40 Dioxins
- 2430/50 Polyaromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)
- 2430/60 Synthetic polymers other than synthetic
polypeptides as analytes
- 2440/00 Post-translational modifications [PTMs] in
chemical analysis of biological material**

- 2440/10 . acylation, e.g. acetylation, formylation, lipoylation, myristoylation, palmitoylation
- 2440/12 . alkylation, e.g. methylation, (iso-)prenylation, farnesylation
- 2440/14 . phosphorylation
- 2440/16 . (de-)amidation
- 2440/18 . citrullination
- 2440/20 . formation of disulphide bridges
- 2440/22 . iodination
- 2440/24 . hydroxylation
- 2440/26 . nitrosylation
- 2440/28 . PEGylation
- 2440/30 . sulphation
- 2440/32 . biotinylation
- 2440/34 . addition of amino acid(s), e.g. arginylation, (poly-)glutamylolation, (poly-)glycylation
- 2440/36 . addition of addition of other proteins or peptides, e.g. SUMOylation, ubiquitination
- 2440/38 . addition of carbohydrates, e.g. glycosylation, glycation
- 2440/40 . addition of nucleotides or derivatives, e.g. adenylation, flavin attachment
- 2446/00 Magnetic particle immunoreagent carriers**
- 2446/10 . the magnetic material being used to coat a pre-existing polymer particle but not being present in the particle core
- 2446/20 . the magnetic material being present in the particle core
- 2446/30 . the magnetic material being dispersed in the polymer composition before their conversion into particulate form
- 2446/40 . the magnetic material being dispersed in the monomer composition prior to polymerisation
- 2446/60 . the magnetic material being dispersed in a medium other than the main solvent prior to incorporation into the polymer particle
- 2446/62 . . Magnetic material dispersed in water drop
- 2446/64 . . Magnetic material dispersed in oil drop
- 2446/66 . . Magnetic material dispersed in surfactant
- 2446/80 . characterised by the agent used to coat the magnetic particles, e.g. lipids
- 2446/84 . . Polymer coating, e.g. gelatin
- 2446/86 . . the coating being pre-functionalised for attaching immunoreagents, e.g. aminodextran
- 2446/90 . . characterised by small molecule linker used to couple immunoreagents to magnetic particles
- 2458/00 Labels used in chemical analysis of biological material**
- 2458/10 . Oligonucleotides as tagging agents for labelling antibodies
- 2458/15 . Non-radioactive isotope labels, e.g. for detection by mass spectrometry
- 2458/20 . Labels for detection by gas chromatography, e.g. haloaryl systems
- 2458/30 . Electrochemically active labels
- 2458/40 . Rare earth chelates
- 2469/00 Immunoassays for the detection of microorganisms**
- 2469/10 . Detection of antigens from microorganism in sample from host
- 2469/20 . Detection of antibodies in sample from host which are directed against antigens from microorganisms
- 2470/00 Immunochemical assays or immunoassays characterised by the reaction format or reaction type**
- 2470/04 . Sandwich assay format
- 2470/06 . . Second binding partner specifically binding complex of analyte with first binding partner
- 2470/10 . Competitive assay format
- 2470/12 . . Displacement or release-type competition
- 2474/00 Immunochemical assays or immunoassays characterised by detection mode or means of detection**
- 2474/10 . Immunoblots, e.g. Western blot or Dot blot
- 2474/20 . Immunohistochemistry assay
- 2496/00 Reference solutions for assays of biological material**
- 2496/05 . containing blood cells or plasma
- 2496/10 . containing particles to mimic blood cells
- 2496/15 . containing dyes to mimic optical absorption of, e.g. hemoglobin
- 2496/25 . containing added polymers to stabilise biological material against degradation or maintain viscosity or density, e.g. gelatin, polyacrylamides, polyvinyl alcohol ([casein G01N 2333/4731](#), [albumins G01N 2333/76](#), [polysaccharides G01N 2400/10](#))
- 2496/30 . . Polyethylene glycol, e.g. PEG
- 2496/35 . . Polyvinylpyrrolidone, e.g. PVP
- 2496/45 . containing protease inhibitors, e.g. sulfonylfluorides, chloromethylketones, organophosphates ([peptide-based protease inhibitors G01N 2333/81](#))
- 2496/70 . Blood gas control solutions containing dissolved oxygen, bicarbonate and the like
- 2496/80 . Multi-analyte reference solutions containing cholesterol, glucose and the like
- 2500/00 Screening for compounds of potential therapeutic value**
- 2500/02 . Screening involving studying the effect of compounds C on the interaction between interacting molecules A and B (e.g. A = enzyme and B = substrate for A, or A = receptor and B = ligand for the receptor)
- 2500/04 . Screening involving studying the effect of compounds C directly on molecule A (e.g. C are potential ligands for a receptor A, or potential substrates for an enzyme A)
- 2500/10 . involving cells
- 2500/20 . cell-free systems
- 2510/00 Detection of programmed cell death, i.e. apoptosis**
- 2520/00 Use of whole organisms as detectors of pollution**
- 2550/00 Electrophoretic profiling, e.g. for proteome analysis**
- 2560/00 Chemical aspects of mass spectrometric analysis of biological material**
- NOTES**
1. Analysis of proteins, peptides or amino acids by mass spectrometry is classified in [G01N 33/6848](#) and [G01N 33/6851](#).

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(continued) 2. Analysis of nucleic acids by mass spectrometry is classified in [C12Q 1/6872](#), [C12Q 2563/167](#) and [C12Q 2565/627](#).

2570/00 Omics, e.g. proteomics, glycomics or lipidomics; Methods of analysis focusing on the entire complement of classes of biological molecules or subsets thereof, i.e. focusing on proteomes, glycomes or lipidomes

2600/00 Assays involving molecular imprinted polymers/polymer created around a molecular template

2610/00 Assays involving self-assembled monolayers [SAMs]

2650/00 Assays involving polymers whose constituent monomers bore biological functional groups before polymerization, i.e. vinyl, acryl derivatives of amino acids, sugars

2800/00 Detection or diagnosis of diseases

NOTES

1. The indexing codes [G01N 2800/02](#) - [G01N 2800/44](#) are based on The Merck Manual of Diagnosis and Therapy (17th. Edition, Mark Beers and Robert Berkow).
2. For diseases caused by microorganism where the microorganism is detected, which subject matter is classified in [G01N 33/569](#) and subgroups, [G01N 33/571](#) or [G01N 33/576](#), the present indexing scheme is not used.
3. For cancers, which subject matter is classified in [G01N 33/574](#) and subgroups, the present indexing scheme is not used.
4. When indexing in the following scheme, the organ takes precedence, e.g. inflammation of the skin is indexed with dermatological disorders and not with immunology or allergic disorders, asthma with pulmonary disorders and not with immunology or allergic disorders. Exception is made for thrombosis which is indexed with haematological disorders.

- 2800/02 . Nutritional disorders
- 2800/04 . Endocrine or metabolic disorders
- 2800/042 . . Disorders of carbohydrate metabolism, e.g. diabetes, glucose metabolism
- 2800/044 . . Hyperlipemia or hypolipemia, e.g. dyslipidaemia, obesity
- 2800/046 . . Thyroid disorders
- 2800/048 . . Pituitary or hypothalamic - pituitary relationships, e.g. vasopressin or ADH related
- 2800/06 . Gastro-intestinal diseases
- 2800/062 . . Gastritis or peptic ulcer disease
- 2800/065 . . Bowel diseases, e.g. Crohn, ulcerative colitis, IBS
- 2800/067 . . Pancreatitis or colitis
- 2800/08 . Hepato-biliary disorders other than hepatitis
- 2800/085 . . Liver diseases, e.g. portal hypertension, fibrosis, cirrhosis, bilirubin
- 2800/10 . Musculoskeletal or connective tissue disorders
- 2800/101 . . Diffuse connective tissue disease, e.g. Sjögren, Wegener's granulomatosis
- 2800/102 . . . Arthritis; Rheumatoid arthritis, i.e. inflammation of peripheral joints
- 2800/104 . . . Lupus erythematosus [SLE]

- 2800/105 . . Osteoarthritis, e.g. cartilage alteration, hypertrophy of bone
- 2800/107 . . Crystal induced conditions; Gout
- 2800/108 . . Osteoporosis
- 2800/12 . Pulmonary diseases
- 2800/122 . . Chronic or obstructive airway disorders, e.g. asthma COPD
- 2800/125 . . Adult respiratory distress syndrome
- 2800/127 . . Bronchitis
- 2800/14 . Disorders of ear, nose or throat
- 2800/16 . Ophthalmology
- 2800/162 . . Conjunctival disorders, e.g. conjunctivitis
- 2800/164 . . Retinal disorders, e.g. retinopathy
- 2800/166 . . Cataract
- 2800/168 . . Glaucoma
- 2800/18 . Dental and oral disorders
- 2800/20 . Dermatological disorders
- 2800/202 . . Dermatitis
- 2800/205 . . Scaling palmar diseases, e.g. psoriasis, pityriasis
- 2800/207 . . Pigmentation disorders
- 2800/22 . Haematology
- 2800/222 . . Platelet disorders
- 2800/224 . . Haemostasis or coagulation
- 2800/226 . . Thrombotic disorders, i.e. thrombo-embolism irrespective of location/organ involved, e.g. renal vein thrombosis, venous thrombosis
- 2800/228 . . Disorders of the spleen, e.g. splenic rupture, splenomegaly
- 2800/24 . Immunology or allergic disorders ([SLE G01N 2800/104](#))
- 2800/245 . . Transplantation related diseases, e.g. graft versus host disease
- 2800/26 . Infectious diseases, e.g. generalised sepsis

NOTE

Indexing code [G01N 2800/26](#) is not used for documents already classified in one or more of groups [G01N 33/569](#) and subgroups, [G01N 33/571](#) or [G01N 33/576](#) and subgroups

- 2800/28 . Neurological disorders
- 2800/2807 . . Headache; Migraine
- 2800/2814 . . Dementia; Cognitive disorders
- 2800/2821 . . . Alzheimer
- 2800/2828 . . . Prion diseases
- 2800/2835 . . Movement disorders, e.g. Parkinson, Huntington, Tourette
- 2800/2842 . . Pain, e.g. neuropathic pain, psychogenic pain
- 2800/285 . . Demyelinating diseases; Multiple sclerosis
- 2800/2857 . . Seizure disorders; Epilepsy
- 2800/2864 . . Sleep disorders
- 2800/2871 . . Cerebrovascular disorders, e.g. stroke, cerebral infarct, cerebral haemorrhage, transient ischemic event
- 2800/2878 . . Muscular dystrophy
- 2800/2885 . . . Duchenne dystrophy
- 2800/2892 . . . Myotonic dystrophy
- 2800/30 . Psychoses; Psychiatry
- 2800/301 . . Anxiety or phobic disorders
- 2800/302 . . Schizophrenia
- 2800/303 . . Eating disorders, e.g. anorexia, bulimia
- 2800/304 . . Mood disorders, e.g. bipolar, depression
- 2800/305 . . Attention deficit disorder; Hyperactivity

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- 2800/306 . . Chronic fatigue syndrome
- 2800/307 . . Drug dependency, e.g. alcoholism
- 2800/308 . . Psychosexual disorders, e.g. sexual arousal disorder
- 2800/32 . Cardiovascular disorders
- 2800/321 . . Arterial hypertension
- 2800/322 . . Orthostatic hypertension or syncope
- 2800/323 . . Arteriosclerosis, Stenosis
- 2800/324 . . Coronary artery diseases, e.g. angina pectoris, myocardial infarction
- 2800/325 . . Heart failure or cardiac arrest, e.g. cardiomyopathy, congestive heart failure
- 2800/326 . . Arrhythmias, e.g. ventricular fibrillation, tachycardia, atrioventricular block, torsade de pointes
- 2800/327 . . Endocarditis
- 2800/328 . . Vasculitis, i.e. inflammation of blood vessels
- 2800/329 . . Diseases of the aorta or its branches, e.g. aneurysms, aortic dissection
- 2800/34 . Genitourinary disorders
- 2800/341 . . Urinary incontinence
- 2800/342 . . Prostate diseases, e.g. BPH, prostatitis
- 2800/344 . . Disorders of the penis and the scrotum and erectile dysfunction
- 2800/345 . . Urinary calculi
- 2800/347 . . Renal failures; Glomerular diseases; Tubulointerstitial diseases, e.g. nephritic syndrome, glomerulonephritis; Renovascular diseases, e.g. renal artery occlusion, nephropathy
- 2800/348 . . Urinary tract infections
- 2800/36 . Gynecology or obstetrics
- 2800/361 . . Menstrual abnormalities or abnormal uterine bleeding, e.g. dysmenorrhea
- 2800/362 . . Menopause
- 2800/364 . . Endometriosis, i.e. non-malignant disorder in which functioning endometrial tissue is present outside the uterine cavity
- 2800/365 . . Breast disorders, e.g. mastalgia, mastitis, Paget's disease
- 2800/367 . . Infertility, e.g. sperm disorder, ovulatory dysfunction
- 2800/368 . . Pregnancy complicated by disease or abnormalities of pregnancy, e.g. preeclampsia, preterm labour
- 2800/38 . Pediatrics
- 2800/382 . . Cystic fibrosis
- 2800/385 . . Congenital anomalies
- 2800/387 . . . Down syndrome; Trisomy 18; Trisomy 13
- 2800/40 . Disorders due to exposure to physical agents, e.g. heat disorders, motion sickness, radiation injuries, altitude sickness, decompression illness
- 2800/42 . Poisoning, e.g. from bites or stings
- 2800/44 . Multiple drug resistance
- 2800/50 . Determining the risk of developing a disease
- 2800/52 . Predicting or monitoring the response to treatment, e.g. for selection of therapy based on assay results in personalised medicine; Prognosis
- 2800/54 . Determining the risk of relapse
- 2800/56 . Staging of a disease; Further complications associated with the disease
- 2800/60 . Complex ways of combining multiple protein biomarkers for diagnosis
- 2800/70 . Mechanisms involved in disease identification
([G01N 2800/02](#) - [G01N 2800/44](#) take precedence)
- 2800/7004 . . Stress
- 2800/7009 . . . Oxidative stress
- 2800/7014 . . (Neo)vascularisation - Angiogenesis
- 2800/7019 . . Ischaemia
- 2800/7023 . . (Hyper)proliferation
- 2800/7028 . . . Cancer
- 2800/7033 . . Non-proliferative mechanisms
- 2800/7038 . . Hypoxia
- 2800/7042 . . Aging, e.g. cellular aging
- 2800/7047 . . Fibrils-Filaments-Plaque formation
- 2800/7052 . . Fibrosis
- 2800/7057 . . (Intracellular) signaling and trafficking pathways
- 2800/7061 . . . Endoplasmic reticulum to Golgi trafficking
- 2800/7066 . . . Metabolic pathways
- 2800/7071 Carbohydrate metabolism, e.g. glycolysis, gluconeogenesis
- 2800/7076 Amino acid metabolism
- 2800/708 Nitrogen metabolism, e.g. urea cycle
- 2800/7085 Lipogenesis or lipolysis, e.g. fatty acid metabolism
- 2800/709 . . Toxin induced
- 2800/7095 . . Inflammation