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[origin: EP0199833A1] 1. Hydraulic pump, intended especially for power steering systems and exhibiting the following features : the hydraulic pump has a rotor (7), driven at varying rotation speeds (n) and, with stationary pump components, forming one or more displacement regions (11, 12), to which inlet openings (20) and outlet openings (33) lead ; the inlet openings (20) of each displacement region are connected to a supply system (17, 18) and the outlet openings (33) of each displacement region are connected to a pressure chamber (35) ; the pressure chamber (35) and the supply system intercommunicate via a flow-regulating valve (40) which discharges an unregulated delivery flow into a discharge duct (19) associated with the supply system (17, 18), and which releases a regulated, usable flow (Q) to an external pump outlet (37) ; the flow-regulating valve (40) comprises a valve spool (41) which is guided in a valve bore (55), this valve spool (41) having a first spool face (53), which is subjected to relatively high pressure, and a second spool face (54), which is subjected to relatively low pressure, this flow-regulating valve (40) further comprising a valve spring (42) and a metering orifice (36) at which a pressure drop associated with the regulated, usable flow (Q) is tapped off and supplied to the two faces (53, 54) of the valve spool (41) ; the valve spool (41) has a prolongation (49), the position of this prolongation reducing the effective width of the metering orifice (36) as the pump rotation-speed (n) rises, thus generating a negative-slope portion of the usable flow versus pump rotation-speed characteristic, i.e. a portion that exhibits a negative slope overall, characterized in that the metering orifice (36) is formed on a bore (38) which constitutes the usable flow duct and extends in a generally radial orientation towards the flow-regulating valve (40), in that the said flow-duct bore (38) is separated from the associated discharge duct (19) by an axial distance (c) which, reckoned in the direction in which the valve spool (41) slides, is smaller than the width (b) of an annular space (52) that is formed on the valve spool (41), between the first spool face (53) and a third spool face (56) ; and in that the annular space (52) is connected to the pressure chamber (35) via a cavity (50) in the valve spool (41).

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