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Abstract (en)  
An ink rail (11) for a printing machine is proposed which provides a ink chamber (25) extending longitudinally of the rail, a multiplicity of feed passages (28) supplying ink from the chamber (25) to a common concave surface (16) of the rail, an adjustable key (31) in each respective feed passage (28), and adjustment means (39) operable on said keys to control the position thereof within the respective feed passage thereby to control flow of ink therethrough. The adjustment means includes stepping motors (41) for the individual keys (31). In an alternative embodiment a second ink chamber is provided, there being a second multiplicity of feed passages connecting that ink chamber with the common concave surface each with a respective adjustable key, the adjustable keys of corresponding feed passages of the two multiplicities thereof being adjustable by a common control means. <IMAGE>

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