

Title (en)

VANE PUMP WITH ONE OR MORE LESS RESTRICTED VANES

Title (de)

FLÜGELZELLENPUMPE MIT EINEM ODER MEHREREN WENIGER EINGESCHRÄNKTN SCHAUFELN

Title (fr)

POMPE À PALETTES AYANT UNE OU PLUSIEURS PALETTES MOINS RESTREINTES

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Abstract (en)

[origin: US2018163543A1] A vane pump that employs one or more less restricted vanes (or looser vanes) within its rotor is described herein. The less restricted vane(s) are configured to radially move outwardly before the remaining vanes during startup. In one case, for example, at least one vane has a different thickness (e.g., thinner) as compared to the thickness of the remaining vanes. In another case, at least one slot has a different width (e.g., wider) as compared to the width of the other slots. The less restricted vane facilitates a cold start in highly viscous oil by allowing easier radial displacement and thus earlier initial build-up of pressure in the pump. The pump may be used with an engine or transmission.

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