

Title (en)  
PRESSURISED FLUID FLOW SYSTEM FOR A DTH HAMMER AND NORMAL CIRCULATION HAMMER BASED ON SAME

Title (de)  
DRUCKFLUIDSTRÖMUNGSSYSTEM FÜR EINEN DTH-HAMMER UND NORMALZIRKULATIONSHAMMER AUF BASIS DAVON

Title (fr)  
SYSTÈME D'ÉCOULEMENT DE FLUIDE SOUS PRESSION POUR MARTEAU DTH ET MARTEAU À CIRCULATION NORMALE COMPRENANT LEDIT SYSTÈME

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[origin: EP3553270A1] A pressurized fluid flow system for a normal circulation down-the-hole hammer comprises a cylinder coaxially disposed in between an outer casing and a piston which reciprocates due to changes in pressure of pressurized fluid contained inside a front chamber and rear chamber located at opposites sides of the piston, the supply/discharge of fluid to/from these chambers being conducted through sets of supply and discharge channels defined by recesses on the outer surface of the cylinder and arranged in a parallel, the fluid flowing in and out of the front and rear chambers being controlled solely by the relative overlap of the piston and the cylinder and channeling of the flow of fluid below the inner surface of the cylinder and above the outer surface of the piston. A hammer provided with this system comprises a drill bit with one or more flushing passages.

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