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1. INTRODUCTION

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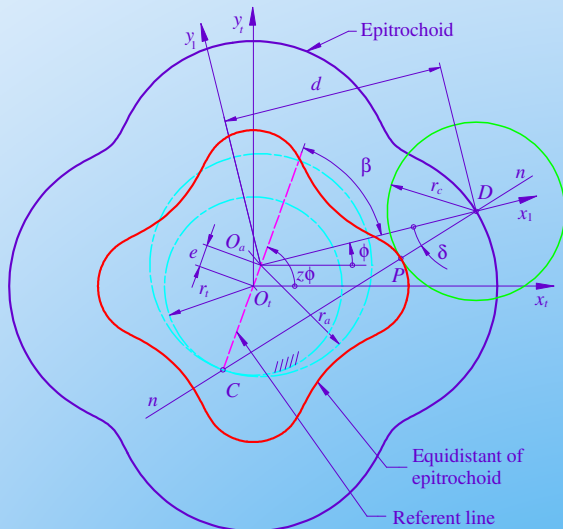


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Fig. 2: Models of tested gear pairs

As result of program testing are obtained the conjugate gear pairs of gerotor mechanism. For obtained internal gear pair developed 3D geometrical models by the application of the Part Design module of the computing program CATIA. Using of presented mathematical model is defined the methodology for selection of the optimal model of gearing. In the Fig 2. are given the tested gear pairs, which are made of steel and find application in gerotor pumps.

CONCLUSION

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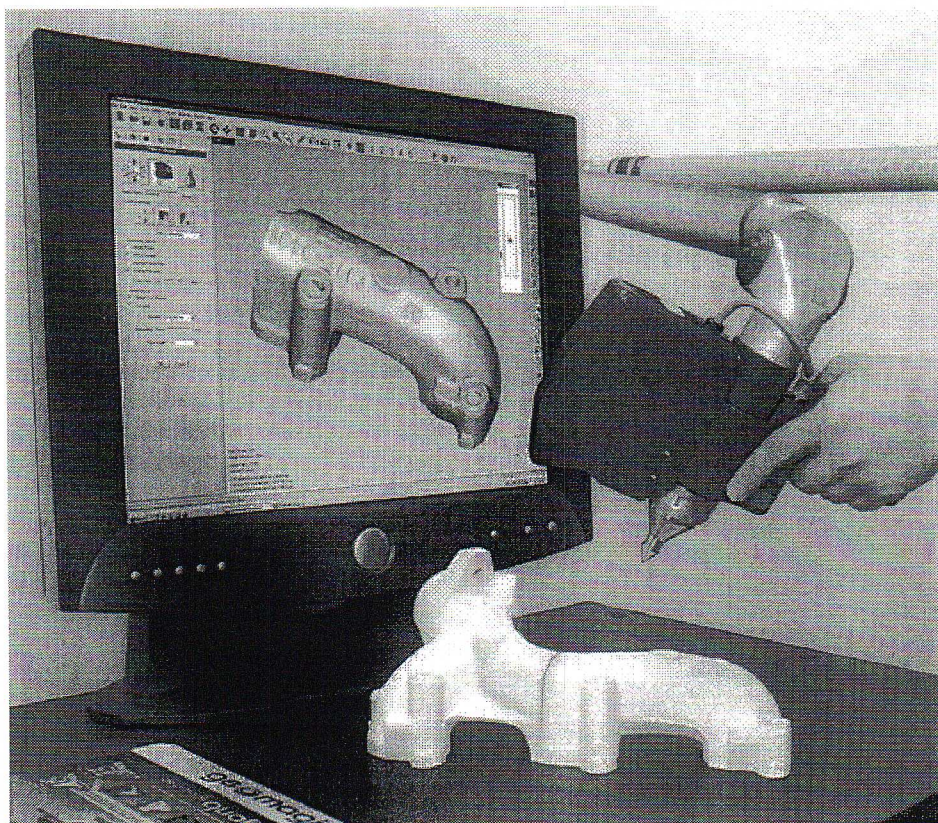
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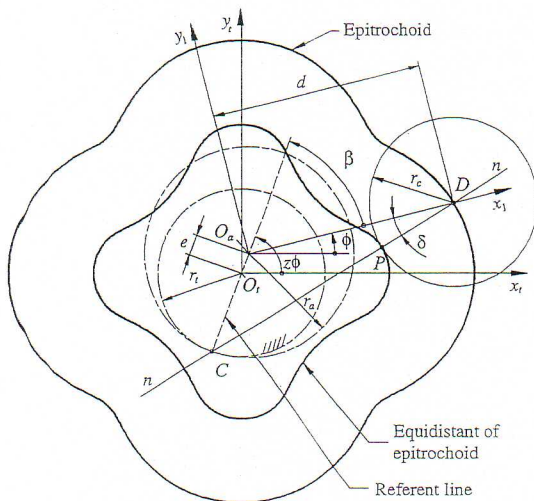


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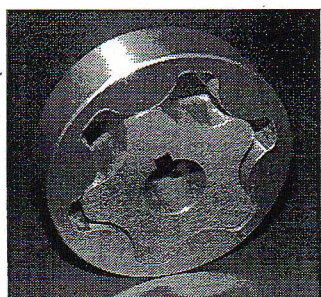
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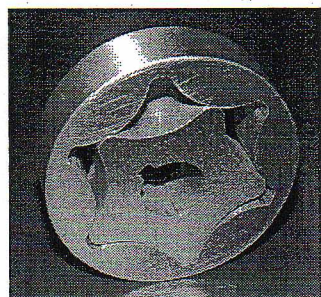


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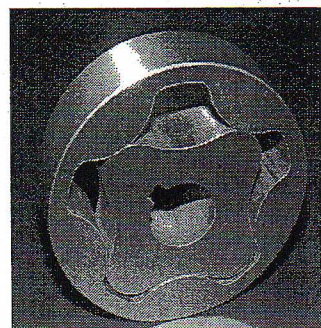
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