MECHANICAL MOTION UNITS



Motion Units

- The most important for automation is an energy transfer
- In a motion system we recognize these motion units:
 - Mechanical
 - Pneumatic
 - Hydraulic
 - Electric



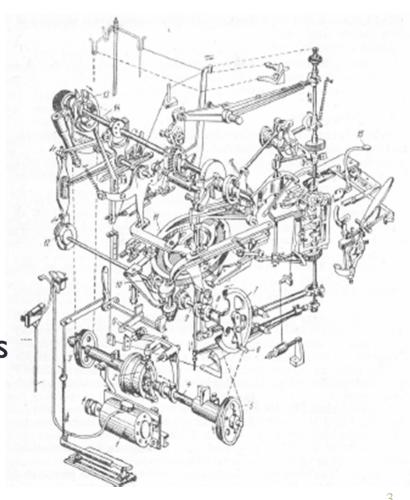






Mechanical Motion Units

- mechanical motion units consist of:
 - Gear sets
 - Disk cams
 - Levers
 - Connecting rod
 - Clutches
 - Cams, crankshafts
 - Chains
 - next mechanical parts



Mechanical Gears and Control

The oldies drive type

Advantages

- cheap
- exact
- high-speed
- reliable

Disadvantages

- special-purpose (not flexible)
- o more complex motion → complicated mechanisms

