

Title (en)  
PROCESS FOR GUIDING A SLAB AND SLAB-GUIDE

Title (de)  
VERFAHREN ZUM FÜHREN EINES STRANGES UND STRANGFÜHRUNG DAZU

Title (fr)  
PROCEDE DE GUIDAGE D'UNE BRAME ET GUIDE-BRAME

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[origin: US6216769B1] The invention is directed to a process for guiding a strand, especially a steel strand in a continuous casting plant with a soft reduction zone in which hydraulic servo units continuously adjust the gap width between oppositely located strand guide rollers. In a strand guiding segment with 4 servo piston-cylinder units, two adjacent servo piston-cylinder units are adjusted relative to the strand so as to be linked with one another hydraulically. The rest of the servo piston-cylinder units are adjusted independently. The invention is further directed to a strand guide.

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