

Title (en)

Method and device for controlling the level of steel in a continuous casting mold

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Regeln der Füllstandhöhe des Stahles in eine Stranggiesskokille

Title (fr)

Procédé et dispositif pour contrôler le niveau d'acier dans une lingotière de coulée continue

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP1256401A2] A method for controlling the level of steel in continuous casting in an ingot mold, wherein there are provided a radioactive detector (17, 18) and a thermal detector (22) in the proximity of a level (19) of the steel fed to an ingot mold (13) by a casting duct (15) wherein in a first initial step for regulating the continuous casting method, the radioactive detector (17, 18) is actuated at a high speed of detection of changes in the level (19) of steel, and in a second step at steady condition, as soon as the start up transient has finished, the high-precision steel level (19) thermal detector (22) is actuated. <IMAGE>

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