

Title (en)  
CONTINUOUS CASTING METHOD FOR MOLTEN METAL

Title (de)  
STRANGGUSSVERFAHREN FÜR GESCHMOLZENES METALL

Title (fr)  
PROCÉDÉ DE COULÉE CONTINUE POUR MÉTAL LIQUIDE

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP2497585A1] Provided is a continuous casting method of molten metal in which a hollow cylindrical, conical or truncated cone type refractory-made structure having one or more side holes in the sidewall thereof is disposed in a tundish above a submerged entry nozzle with the central axis of the refractory-made structure aligned vertically to supply molten metal from the tundish to the submerged entry nozzle, wherein an angle  $\theta_1$  is formed between a virtual line extending radially from the center of a horizontal circular cross-section of the refractory-made structure and the central axis of the side hole; molten metal in the tundish is passed through the side holes, whereby a swirling flow is generated in the molten metal to be supplied into the submerged entry nozzle; and the flow rate  $Q$  of the molten metal, the total opening areas  $S$  of the side holes, the mean inner radius  $R$  of horizontal circular cross-section in the region having openings of side holes, and the angle  $\theta_1$ , in combination, satisfy  $0.015 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} \leq R \times Q / S \times \sin \theta_1 \leq 0.100 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$ . A swirling flow mechanism is provided in the tundish, whereby the flow of molten metal in the mold can be stabilized.

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