

Title (en)

Device and method for longwall mining installation course determination

Title (de)

Vorrichtung und Verfahren für die Verlaufsbestimmung eines Strebausbaus

Title (fr)

Dispositif et procédé de détermination de veine d'installation d'exploitation minière par longue taille

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Abstract (en)

The present disclosure relates to a device and a method for measuring the course of a longwall mining installation (1) extending along a longwall face (2). A movable course measuring device (30) comprises a first segment (40) extending along a first axis (B), a second segment (42) extending along a second axis (C). The second segment (42) may be movably connected to the first segment (40). The course measuring device (30) may further comprise a course measuring unit (46) for measuring a spacial relationship between the first axis (B) and the second axis (C). Based on measurements of the movable course measuring device (30), it may be possible to determine a polygonal course of the longwall mining installation along the longwall face (2).

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