

Abstract of test report no. 0603

System TS-300-0A
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General information

Energy class:	300kJ
Manufacturer:	Trumer Schutzbauten GmbH Maria-Bühel Straße 7 5110 Oberndorf bei Salzburg Austria
Product name:	TS-300-0A
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Specification of rock-fall protection kit TS-300-0A

The tested rock-fall protection kit TS-300-0A of TRUMER SCHUTZBAUTEN GMBH is a flexible rock-fall protection system for energy impacts up to 300kJ. The rock-fall protection kit TS-300-0A is characterised by a support structure which is fixed to the underground by anchored ground plates. Because of a welded connection between post and ground plate uphill retaining cables are not necessary. The interception structure of the tested rock-fall protection kit consists of an OMEGA-Net and an additional layer in the middle functional module. The structure is supported by two integrated longitudinal ropes, which are connected to the side foundations using energy dissipating devices. The upper and lower longitudinal bearing rope are arranged as single ropes and also connected to the side foundations using energy dissipating devices.

Main components of rock-fall protection kit TS-300-0A

INTERCEPTION STRUCTURE	
PRIMARY NET	OMEGA-Net
Type	6,0mm
Rope diameter	130 0mm
Mesh-size	5,00m x 3,15m
Dimensions	
Connection to bearing ropes	threaded
Connection to side posts	steel cable (Ø 10,0mm)
Net to net connection	3/8" shackles
ADDITIONAL LAYER	rectangular netting
Type	3,1mm
Wire diameter	60mm x 60mm
Mesh-size	400 to 500 N/mm ²
Tensile strength of wires	2,00m x 3,15m
Dimensions	
SUPPORT STRUCTURE	
POST	HEB-160 (IPB-160)
Type	S 235 JR
Material	3,15m
Length	
GROUND PLATE	790mm x 300mm x 20mm
Dimensions	S 235 JR
Material	welded
Connection to post	fixed by two anchors
Connection to underground	welded
GUIDANCE OF ROPES	rounded guiding devices
Bearing ropes	3/4" shackles
Integrated supporting ropes	
CONNECTING COMPONENTS	
UPPER AND LOWER LONGITUDINAL BEARING ROPES (cp. DIN 3060, ISO 2408 and EN 12385-4)	
Rope 16 / 6x19 Standard / DIN 3060 / steel core / galvanised / 1770N/mm ²	
Nominal rope diameter	16mm
Calculated breaking load	188kN

INTEGRATED LONGITUDINAL SUPPORTING ROPES (cp. DIN 3060, ISO 2408 and EN 12385-4)

Rope 16 / 6x19 Standard / DIN 3060 / steel core / galvanised / 1770N/mm ²	16mm
Nominal rope diameter	188kN
Calculated breaking load	
SIDE CABLES (cp. DIN 3060, ISO 2408 and EN 12385-4)	
Rope 16 / 6x19 Standard / DIN 3060 / steel core / galvanised / 1770N/mm ²	16mm
Nominal rope diameter	188kN
Calculated breaking load	

ENERGY DISSIPATING DEVICES

ENERGY DISSIPATING DEVICES IN LONGITUDINAL BEARING ROPES	
Type	AVT-phx
Position	left and right rope foundation
Connection to rope	3/4" shackle
Connection to anchor	3/4" shackle
ENERGY DISSIPATING DEVICES IN INTEGRATED LONGITUDINAL SUPPORTING ROPES	
Type	AVT-phx
Position	left and right rope foundation
Connection to rope	3/4" shackle
Connection to anchor	3/4" shackle

Summary of test results

The tested rock-fall protection kit TS-300-0A of TRUMER SCHUTZBAUTEN GMBH was hit by a block of reinforced concrete with a mass of 1046kg and a velocity of 25,80m/s. The impact was placed in a height of 1,81m. The angle of block trajectory was determined with 31,10°. The impact energy was determined with 348kJ. The maximum horizontal system elongation was 3,75m. The block was stopped and caught by the rock-fall protection kit and did not touch the ground during the test until the system reached the maximum elongation. The whole impact energy was absorbed by the tested rock-fall protection kit. There were no visible damages in connecting components and the support structure. In the place of impact the primary net was deformed irreversibly and the additional layer was destroyed. The energy dissipating devices in the longitudinal bearing and supporting ropes were stretched, but still showed plenty of remaining deformation capacity after the test. As a consequence of the impact the average vertical height of the middle functional module of the rock-fall protection kit was reduced to 2,30m.

THE ROCK-FALL PROTECTION KIT TS-300-0A OF TRUMER SCHUTZBAUTEN GMBH WAS TESTED SUCCESSFULLY.

Affirmation of test report no. 0603 by the University of Leoben

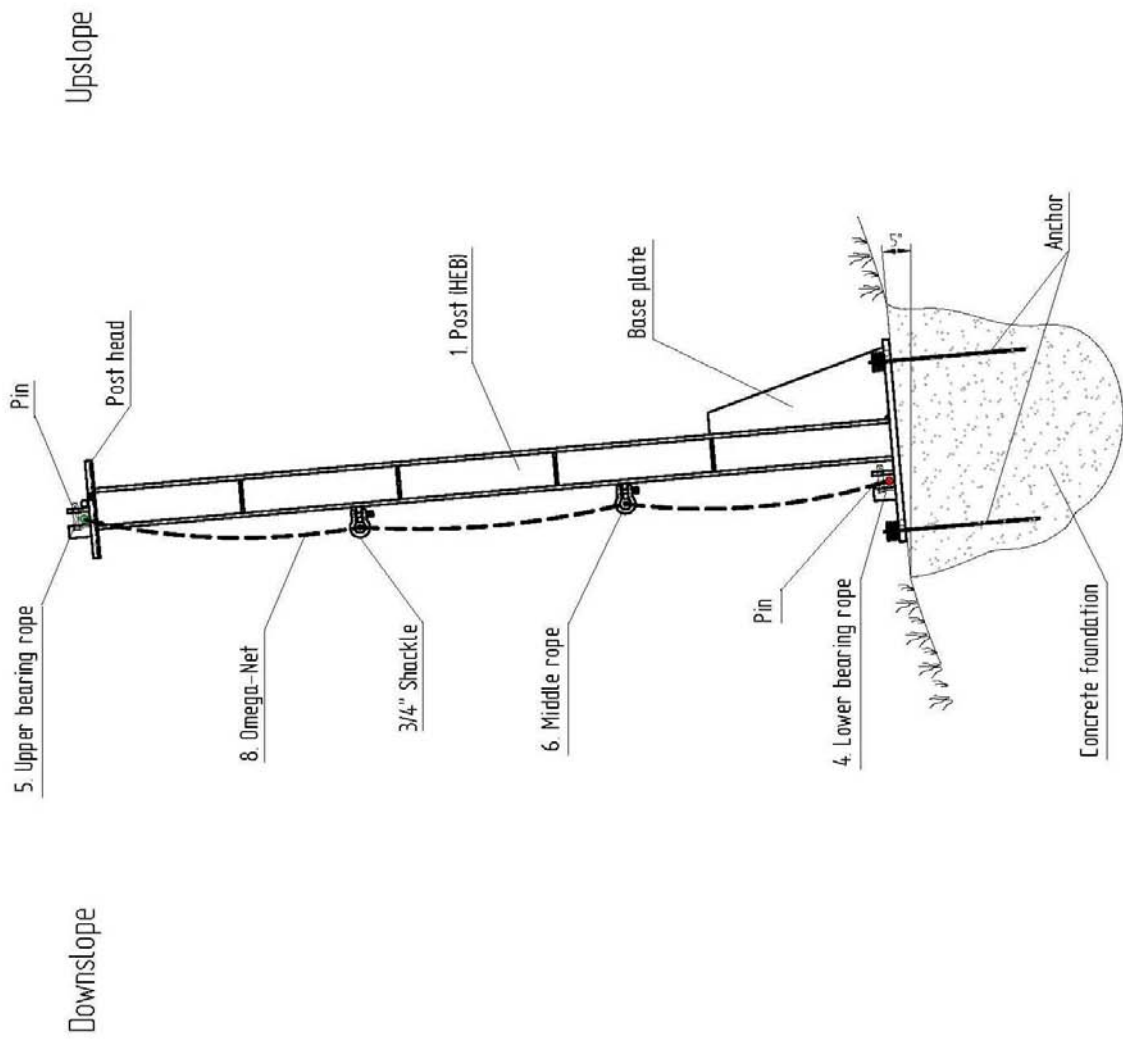
The department of Mining & Tunneling of the University of Leoben approves that test report no. 0603 created by Christian Hess is correct in respect of content and matter of fact.

Leoben, 25.07.2005



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Rockfall Protection System TS-300-oA - Lateral View



- Tested with 348 kJ

- Rigid base plate

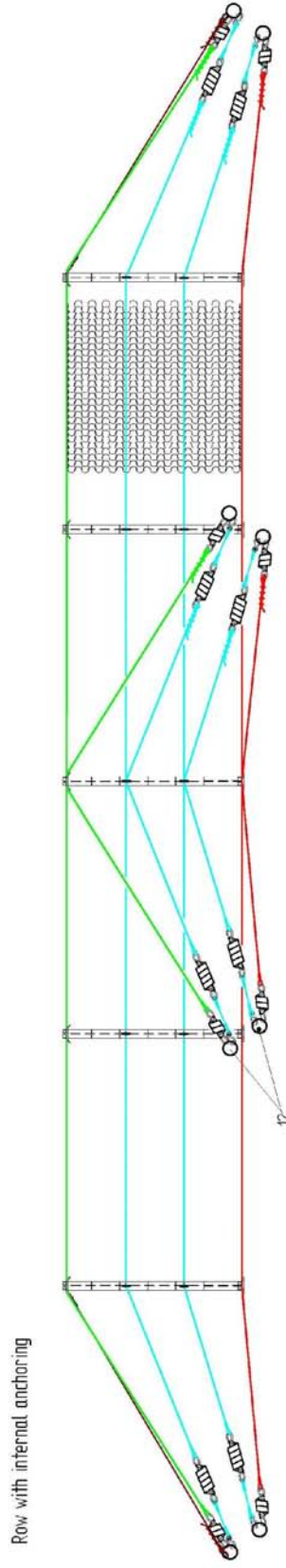
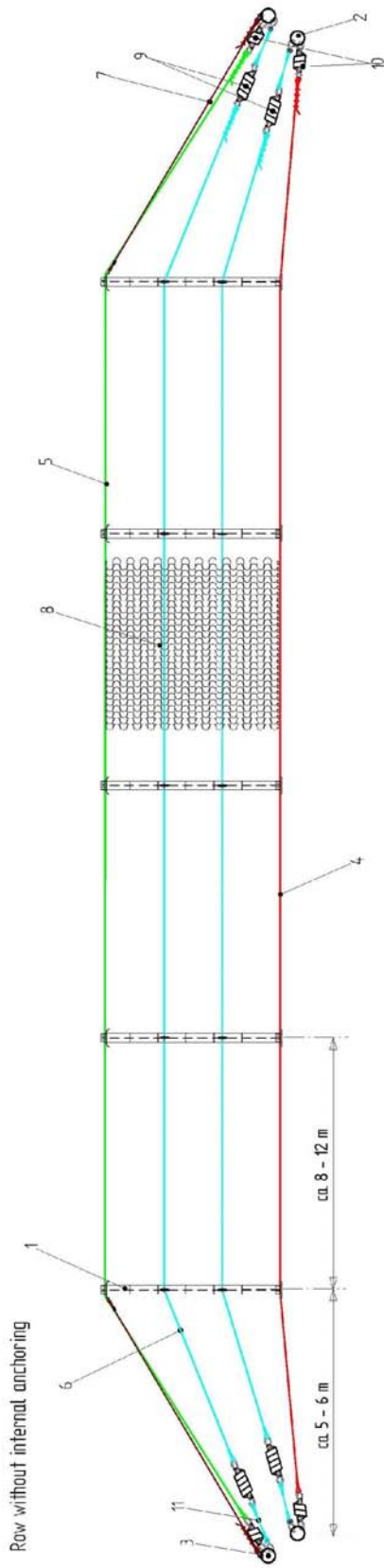
- No upslope retaining ropes

- Bearing and middle ropes

- Brake elements on bearing and middle ropes

- Omega-Net

Rockfall Protection System TS-300-oA - Frontal View



- Legend**
- 1. Post
 - 2. Lateral anchor for lower bearing and lower middle ropes
 - 3. Lateral anchor for upper bearing, upper middle and side stabilization ropes
 - 4. Lower bearing rope (along ground)
 - 5. Upper bearing rope (at post head)
 - 6. Middle rope
 - 7. Side stabilization rope
 - 8. Omega-Net
 - 9. Brake element AVT ptx 60/20-4.5
 - 10. Brake element AVT ptx 60/25-2.5
 - 11. Extension rope
 - 12. Internal anchor