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Mining Compass in Suspension Device





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Field of Application:
The Mining Compass COMTA with its cardanic (Kassel type) suspension device is suitable for mine surveying and technical work, construction of tunnels and galleries, and for measurements in open pits and measurements connected with blastings. (In case of magnetic disturbances or in case a much higher measuring accuracy is required, we recommend the BREITHAUPT mining suspension theodolite No. 02 TEMIN).

Description:

The mining compass outfit consists of the compass and the cardanic Kassel type suspension device. The compass box is made of light metal. The circle is graduated to single degrees (1°/1g) numbered counter-clockwise and with international cardinal points (East and West inverse). The circle can be adjusted within a range of $\pm 30^{\circ}$ according to the local declination.

The north end of the 80 mm sharp-edged magnetic needle is marked red. The south end is equipped with a sliding inclination weight in order to guarantee that both ends can be made to lie flush with the circle graduation. The adjustment of the inclination weight can be done by the user himself after the coverglass has been taken off. A needle stop serves to damp the needle swing and to lift the needle from its pin when not in use. Suspended by a stud and a catch in the cardanic Kassel type suspension device, the compass box always remains in a horizontal position independently from the tilt and the North-South direction always is parallel to the suspension hooks. For transportation and in order to save space, the compass with its suspension device is folded into a single plane.

Distinctive Advantages:

- High precision because of sharp-edged 80 mm long magnetic needle made of special steel alloy outstanding for high residual magnetism and coercive force, nonmagnetic steel pivot of special hardness and jewelled bearing.

Cardanic suspension device, foldable with adjustable bearings

Declination adjustment range ± 30°

Adjustable inclination weight

Protecting glass with evaporated Elco coating against cosmic ray radiation



Technical Data:

Lenght of magnetic needle 80 mm Graduation 360° (400g) Graduation interval 1° (1g) Numbering from 10° to 10° (counter-clockwise) $(10^{\rm g} \text{ to } 10^{\rm g})$ Circle reading by estimation $0.1^{\circ} (0.1^{\circ})$

 $< 0.1^{\circ} (0.1^{g})$

Range of declination adjustment

 $\pm 30^{\circ}$ Weight COMTA 0.4 kg

Accessories:

Accuracy

Suspension clinometer

The clinometer is made of lacquered brass while the graduated semicircle is chromium plated (diameter 240 mm). The scale has a graduated range of $\pm 90^{\circ}$ ($\pm 100^{g}$) with sub-divisions in $1/4^{\circ}$ ($1/4^{g}$) and is numbered every 5° (5g). As an index for the inclination reading serves a thin cord with plumb bob. The latter is clamped for transport.

0,1 kg COGRA Weight: No. 340

Robust wooden carrying case with leather covering and leather belt for COMTA and COGRÃ

1,9 kg MARTA Weight: No. 345

Protractor Plate

For mapping purposes the protractor plate (size 230 x 140 mm) takes up the compass in exact North-South-direction which is parallel to the bevelled edge. This edge has a ± 100 mm division. Two grasps serve for easy lift off the sketch.

0.350 kg Weight: COZUL

Wooden carrying case for COMTA, COGRA, COZUL and COKLA.

1,4 kg COKAS Weight: No. 342

Brass Clamp

Weight: No. 346

Magnifier

Weight: 8 g LUPAL No. 385

Ordering Data:

Mining Compass No. 339 COMTA Suspension clinometer No. 340 COGRA Carrying case with leather cover for No. 339, 340 No. 345 MARTA No. 341 COZUL Protractor Plate Wooden carrying case for No. 339, 340,

341, 346 No. 342 COKAS Brass Clamp No. 346 COKLA Magnifier No. 385 LUPAL

When ordering, please indicate graduation required $(360^{\circ} \text{ or } 400^{\text{g}})$

Manufacturing program:

Levelling instruments:

Quickset Levels, Builder's Levels, Engineer's Levels, Automatic Engineer's Levels, Precision Levels.

Theodolites:

Surveying Instrument Systems for Training Purposes, Builder's Theodolites, Compass Theodolites, Repetition Scale Theodolites, Double Center Theodolites, Mining Suspension Theodolites, Pilot Balloon Theodo-

Topographical Instruments:

Optical Hand Clinometers, Telescopic Alidades, Plane Table Equipments, Plane Table Tacheometers, Topographical Range Finders.

Magnetic Compasses:

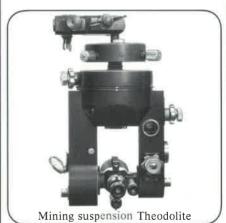
Geological Compasses, Stratum Compasses, Prismatic Compasses, Mining Compasses, Orientation Compasses.

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Clinometers, Level Quadrants, Optical Track Levelling Equipments, Universal Optical Track Measuring Instruments, Alignment Telescopes, Laser Profile Measuring Instruments, Optical Precision Plumbing Instru-ments, Laser Field of View Measuring Instruments

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