Mines

TRIMBLE MONITORING SOLUTIONS

SOLUTIONS FOR SAFE MINING OPERATIONS

The Role of Monitoring

Slope stability accidents are one of the leading causes of fatalities in surface mining operations. These accidents may endanger lives, demolish equipment, or destroy property. Unanticipated movement of any amount of rock may cause severe disruptions to mining operations, pose major safety concerns, or contribute to large financial losses for companies

Slope stability monitoring installations are thus essential for safe and efficient mining operations. The detection of the onset of slope movements, the rate of movement and the associated rate of increase of the movement is required so that potential slope failure indicators may be identified.

Monitoring provides the information needed to support a safe working environment and economic and efficient mining operations whilst mitigating the associated risk of open pit mining in a steep slope environment.

The Focus of Monitoring

Highwalls, excavated faces and potentially unstable slopes which create hazardous work environments are monitored by the system.

Vibrations and movements of mine infrastructure and assets caused by mining activities such as blasting, drilling or excavating can be detected by the system.

The early detection of potential failure of stockpiles and tailings dams which may dramatically impact short and long term mining operations is yet another monitoring objective.

Trimble 4D Control

Trimble® 4D Control™ software is the key element of the Trimble Monitoring system. The modular design facilitates an industry specific solution capturing data from GNSS, optical, geotechnical, seismic and atmospheric sensors.

The data is processed using advanced, state-of-the-art algorithms and presented in a powerful, yet user friendly, locally-hosted Web Interface.

It provides a variety of visualization and analysis tools to identify potential failure scenarios. Data from atmospheric or geotechnical sensors may be combined with displacement indicators like change in slope distance, settlement or lateral movements to detect common failure indicators.

Ground based radar systems can be integrated for wide area slope stability monitoring. Advanced data analysis tools provide an automated detection of areas of interest.

Significant events such as blasting, drilling, instrument maintenance, sensor replacement and related activities may be logged and referenced on the charts.

Boolean comparators are used to integrate data from GNSS, optical, geotechnical, seismic and atmospheric sensors to create complex alarm conditions. Alarm notifications are issued by email and SMS to selected recipients and the system may also activate audible and visual alarms.

Designed for Demanding Environments

The Trimble Mine Monitoring Solution is designed specifically for the geotechnical, seismic and survey monitoring analyst.

Intricate data from multiple sensor types is converted into meaningful information from which informed decisions can be made with confidence.

The solution accommodates a smooth transition from periodic monitoring surveys using Trimble Access™ software and Trimble 4D Lite software into complex automated systems using Trimble 4D Control software.

Key Features

- Automated, real-time monitoring system
- Monitoring high wall stability
- Monitoring tailings dams integrity
- Multi-sensor support
- Support of ground based radar systems

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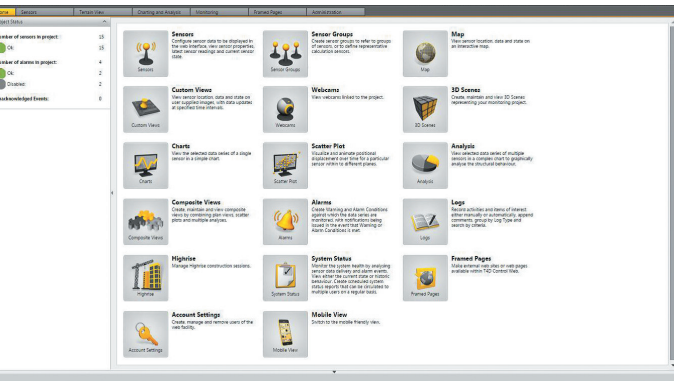

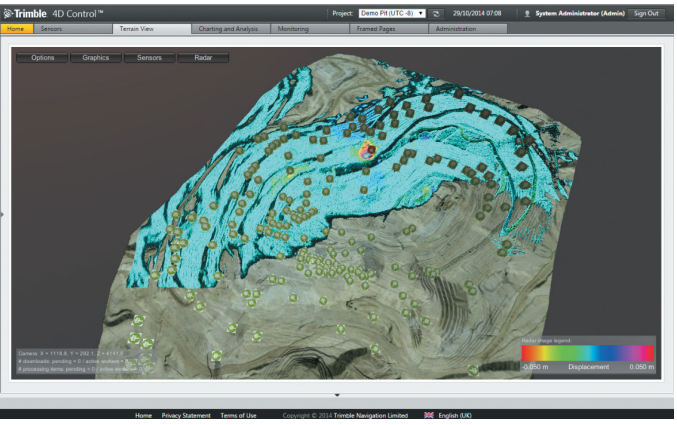

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TRIMBLE 4D LITE SOFTWARE

A cloud-based web application designed with the same advanced web interface and back-end stability as Trimble 4D Control, with the advantage that this is available for the analysis of any form of data time series

TRIMBLE 4D CONTROL MONITORING SOFTWARE

A powerful monitoring software that integrates GNSS, optical and geotechnical sensors to collect and manage data, provide computation and analysis, visualization and mapping and alerts and alarms.

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