

# Axis3D MLS

Surveying by the miners



**Axis3D MLS saves costs:** Independent surveying by the miners.

**Optimized tunneling process:** Easy to set up, even in tight spaces.

**User-friendly:** Intuitive interface and ease of use, even wearing work gloves.

**Mobility:** Remote control with a range of up to 200m (600ft).

## Station Set-up



Axis3D MLS consists of a total station, a Wi-Fi connection box, and a fully ruggedized notebook.

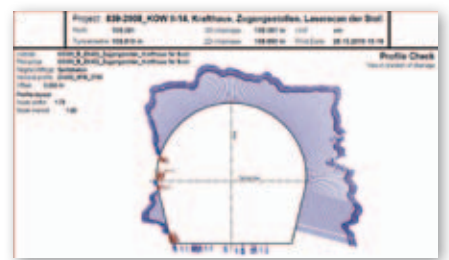
**Easy stationing** lets the tunneling crew set up the system on mobile tripods as well as on brackets. This allows the system to be used even where brackets cannot be mounted – all without a surveyor.

## Stakeout



The **intuitive user guidance** supports setting out of the heading direction. Predefined functions, such as positioning of girders, setting out profiles, and configuring the drilling jumbo, **increase productivity**.

## Control



Optimized **online graphics** allow the tunneling crew to **check** tunneling progress in real-time. For documentation purposes results are automatically stored as PDF files in the system.

## System Informationen

### Hardware

- Leica Geosystems TPS1200, Viva or Nova total station with reflectorless distance measurements and automatic target recognition (other manufacturers on request)
- Wi-Fi box with approx. 200m (600ft) remote control range, and power supply (230V/110V)
- Ruggedized notebook with touchscreen (e.g. Panasonic Toughbook)
- Optional: bracket for total station
- Optional: tripod for mobile stationing

All hardware components may be purchased through **significant software**

### Software

- Axis3D MLS office software for configuration, incl. USB dongle
- Axis3D MLS tunneling software, incl. SD or PC-card dongle
- Languages: German, English; French (coming soon)
- Operating systems: Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8 (32-bit and 64-bit, respectively)

### Related Products

- Axis3D COS - Construction Surveying
- Axis3D ETU - Easy Tunnel
- Axis3D NET - Network Adjustment
- Axis3D SET - Sets of Angles

## Applications



### Tunnel Stakeout

Drilling pattern, tunnel profile, niches, steel girders, umbrella forepoling, profile enlargement, utility ducts



### Profile Check

Excavation profiles, position of lattice girders, shotcrete profile, real-time check (e.g. during spraying of shotcrete)



### Machine Positioning and Control

Drilling carriage, DIBIT™ tunnel scanner

## Axis3D MLS Functionality

### General

- Control of multiple total stations from a single laptop
- Definition of an unlimited number of process steps
- Automatic check of available instrument functions
- Automatic orientation check
- Automatic logging of all activities
- **Optional: low-cost light edition for non-motorised totalstations**

### Setting up Total Station

- Set-up on bracket with Free Station
- Alternatively: Measure a new bracket position from the previous station
- Short term tripod set-up with Free Station

### Stakeout

- Unlimited number of individual points (e.g. drilling pattern, positioning lattice girders)
- User-defined continuous points along the profile (e.g. excavation profile)
- Automatic interval stakeout for individual points (e.g. mountings for utility ducts)
- Include radial, horizontal, and vertical offsets
- Automatic measurement of the current tunnel face chainage

### Profile Check

- Reflectorless distance measurement
- Measurement in LOCK-mode (with reflector)
- Measurement of arbitrary or pre-defined points
- Real-time measurements (e.g. while spraying shotcrete)

- Online graphics in tunnel
- PDF graphics for documentation

### Drill Guidance

- Drill guidance beam for automatic drilling carriages
- Automatic measurement of the current tunnel face chainage

### Umbrella Forepoling

- Automatic stakeout of unlimited number of drilling points
- Automatic positioning of drilling carriage

### Automatic Deformation Measurement

- coming soon

### Database

- Management of point data, control parameters, tunnel geometry, etc.
- Interfaces for data import/export
- Database synchronization
- SQLite, Oracle, Microsoft SQL-Server, Interbase

### Geometry Manager (Axis3D GeoMan)

- Analytical definition of tunnel geometry as per design
- Plausibility tests and 3D visualization
- Highly accurate transformation between project and tunnel coordinate systems

## Customers

**ALPINE / Kiewit Corporation (USA) /  
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