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All-purpose valve suitable for slurries



DIVERSE APPLICATION Pinch valves can control almost any medium





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ermany-based valves company KVT in April released pinch valves in duplex stainless steel for use in slurry applications.

KVT manager **Martin Katzenschwanz** tells *Mining Weekly* that pinch valves are useful to mines, as they can control almost any medium. They can also control bulk material such as sand, stones and dusty air.

"Pinch valves consist of a body, or housing, and a hose. If you pressurise the space between these two parts, the hose is pressed together to control the material," he explains.

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He says one of KVT's recent mining customers was tungsten mining company H.C. Starck Tungsten Chemicals, based in Vietnam.

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