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- Experimental and numerical investigation on rock fragmentation under combined blastholes with different diameters
- Investigation of blasting vibration control of high rock slope with joints
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- Explosive Energy Distribution in Surface Mine Blasting - A sustainable approach
- Implementation of 100% used oil to replace fuel oil on emulsion in efforts to do energy conversation at PT. Kaltim Prima Coal
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- The Development of an Innovative Blasting Technique that Uses a Unit Charge and Stress Reflection Methodology to Design Underground Blasting Patterns with the Objective of Transforming Underground Blasting Operations into Primary Crushing Operations.
- Safe mineral exploitation by innovative mining techniques in cap zone area. (A case study of concurrent working at Rampura-Agucha)
- Design and implementation improvements for wall control blasting in an anisotropic rock mass at Phu Kham mine
- Application of Power Deck system in wet condition in Goharzamin iron ore mine
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