## TAPE CONVEYORS

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The first tape conveyor has been invented in 1861. Also has been intended for transport of sand. In mine the first conveyor has been used in 1930.

Tape conveyors serve now as the basic means of continuous transport for mines. Tape conveyors have received the widest application as means of delivery of coal on drifts, biases and breamsbergs, and also on inclined trunks. The increasing distribution is received with tape conveyors on the main drifts, that the problem full conveyor system mines up to near-stem yard and up to a surface is solved.