

Method for determining a diameter and a taper of a stem comprises placing the stem between measuring surfaces and reading results from a scale. Wherein ends of a segment, which is a multiple of 100 mm, are marked on the stem, and the stem is inserted sequentially by upper and lower marks perpendicularly to a plane of a measuring device into slots between measuring surfaces of corresponding scales until it stops. Corresponding values of diameters are noted, and values of an average diameter and a taper of the stem are read graphically using a nomogram.