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Acronyms and Abbreviations Used in this Paper

| | |
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| AASHTO | American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials |
| BCL | Bamburi Cement Ltd. |
| BS | British Standard |
| EN | European Norm |
| GM | Grading Modulus |
| HRB | Hydraulic Road Binder |
| ICL | Initial Consumption of Lime |
| KEBS | Kenya Bureau of Standards |
| KeRRA | Kenya Rural Roads Authority |
| KNWA | Kenya National Workshop Agreement |
| KS | Kenya Standard |
| LL | Liquid Limit |
| LS | Linear Shrinkage |
| MDD | Maximum Dry Density |
| MPa | Mega Pascals. (Equivalent to N/mm ²) |
| OMC | Optimum Moisture Content |
| OPC | Ordinary Portland Cement |
| PI | Plasticity Index |
| PL | Plastic Limit |
| PMOD | Plasticity Modulus |
| RDM | Road Design Manual |
| UCS | Unconfined Compression Strength |

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ABSTRACT:

International standards governing the use of Hydraulic Road Binders in road works have been in existence since the year 2000. The uptake of these additions to the menu of stabilizers has been rather slow in Kenya.

In 2014, the Government, through the Kenya Rural Roads Authority, challenged cement manufacturers to offer a low cost product for use in soil stabilization. Consequently, an action plan to develop Hydraulic Road Binders (HRB) for soil stabilization was agreed upon. As an initial step, a local standard for HRBs was to be developed and adopted. This standard was developed expeditiously by stakeholders and Kenya Bureau of Standards as Kenya National Workshop Agreement *KNWA 2569-1:2014 Hydraulic road binders, Part 1: Rapid hardening hydraulic road binders – Composition, specification and conformity criteria*. The document was based on the British European Norm Standard BS EN 13282-1:2013 of the same title.

The pace of incorporation of HRBs into Kenyan construction specifications has been slow, partly due to insufficient local experience in their manufacture and use. Bamburi Cement Limited (BCL) has taken the initiative to help fast-track adoption and use of HRBs by producing two products conforming to international HRB standards. BCL has gone further, in collaboration with a local engineering consultant, to conduct laboratory trials to test the efficacy of these products. Results of the laboratory trials indicate that the products are fit for purpose.

Following the successful laboratory trials, Bamburi Cement Limited is recommending that full-scale field trials be conducted on ongoing road projects with the aim of enriching the laboratory findings and evaluating field performance of the products, all aimed at eventually incorporating their use in Kenya design manuals and specifications for road construction.

1 INTRODUCTION

In July 2014 the Government of Kenya expressed intention to radically increase road construction by rolling 10,000 Km of new paved roads in 5 years through an annuity financing program. This portended a radical shift from the hitherto annual average paved road construction of 250 Km since independence to 2,000 Km. Inherent in the program was a concomitant ambition to reduce overall costs of road construction.

A meeting was held on 25th March 2014 between cement manufacturers and the Director General, Kenya Rural Roads Authority (KeRRA) where the manufacturers were challenged to offer an alternative low cost binder for soil stabilization. The cost of the binder was expected to be lower than conventional stabilization cement (OPC 42.5) by 30%. The outcome of the meeting was an action plan towards the development of Hydraulic Road Binders (HRB) for soil stabilization. It was agreed that a HRB standard to guide the manufacture and testing of the product needed to be formulated and fast tracked. The standard was developed expeditiously by stakeholders and Kenya Bureau of Standards as Kenya National Workshop Agreement *KNWA 2569-1:2014 Hydraulic road binders, Part 1: Rapid hardening hydraulic road binders – Composition, specification and conformity criteria*. The document was based on the British European Norm Standard BS EN 13282-1:2013 of the same title. The BS EN 13282 Part 2 standard incorporating normal hardening hydraulic road binders was not adapted locally owing to its draft status in Europe at that time.

Local road works specifications of cement and/or binders have not kept pace with these developments. As such Hydraulic Road Binders (HRB's) have found limited applications in road works simply because they are not recognized by existing construction specifications. Owing to this reality, concomitant

experience in testing, specification and construction with such contemporary cements/binders on road works in Kenya is virtually non-existent. The current Kenya *Standard Specification for Road and Bridge Construction* specifies cements complying to KS 02-21 for Ordinary Portland Cement and KS 02-21 for rapid hardening Portland cement. These standards were based on British Standards that are now superseded and have since been withdrawn. The KS 02 standards have also been locally withdrawn and the most current gazetted cement standard is KS EAS 18-1 *Composition Specification and Conformity Criteria for Common Cement* as adopted from the European Norm Standard EN 197-1 of the same name and harmonised across East Africa. However, cements in KS EAS 18-1 standard with attributes conforming to former BS 12 requirements continue to be specified for use in construction of roads and bridges.

It is against this background that Bamburi Cement Limited set out to undertake research and development on the use of Hydraulic Road Binders in soil improvement and stabilization works in road construction. It is envisaged that the adoption of HRB's would offer an alternative and wider range of products to hitherto used traditional soil treatments with lime and/or cement.

2 OBJECTIVE

The main objective of this paper is to provide performance justification on the use of HRBs for improvement and stabilization of pavement layers alongside CEM I, 42.5 (OPC) on road construction projects in Kenya.

3 LITERATURE REVIEW

3.1 HYDRAULIC ROAD BINDERS (HRB)

Hydraulic Road Binders are cementitious powders produced by factory blending different constituents. When mixed with water, HRB hardens and remains solid.

These mixtures are supplied ready for *in-situ* treatment of materials mainly for sub-bases, capping/base layers and soil embankments.

HRBs have been manufactured for many years globally. They are designed and developed for applications in stabilization and improvement of physical and mechanical properties of soils and various materials used in road works.

3.1.1 HRB constituent materials

HRBs typically consist of Portland cement clinker and other constituents such as:

1. Natural pozzolanas
2. Natural calcined pozzolanas
3. Limestone
4. Siliceous fly ash
5. Calcareous fly ash
6. Burnt shale
7. Cement kiln dust
8. Retarders etc.

3.1.2 Mechanical, Physical and Chemical requirements of HRBs

HRBs have chemical, mechanical and physical characteristics as well as test processes similar to those of cement. Table 1 is an extract of the Mechanical properties of HRBs and Table 2 Physical requirements as per BS EN 13282 part 1:2013.

| Strength Class | Compressive strength, in MPa (N/mm ²) | | |
|----------------|---|------------|-------|
| | At 7 days | At 28 days | |
| HRB E2 | ≥5 | ≥12.5 | ≤32.5 |
| HRB E3 | ≥10 | ≥22.5 | ≤42.5 |
| HRB E4 | ≥16 | ≥32.5 | ≤52.5 |
| HRB E4 - RS | ≥16 | ≥32.5 | - |

Table 1: Hydraulic Road Binders Mechanical Requirements

| Hydraulic road binder | Fineness % residue by mass 90 μm | Initial setting time min | Soundness (expansion) mm |
|-----------------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| HRB E | E ≤ 15 | ≥ 90 | ≤ 10 |
| HRB E4 - RS | ≤ 15 | ≤ 90 | ≤ 30 |

Table 2: Hydraulic Road Binders Physical Requirements

The sulphate content, expressed as the percentage of SO₃ by mass, and determined in accordance with EN 196-2, shall not exceed 4,0 % for most hydraulic road binders. Exceptions with higher sulphate content are allowed for HRB's containing calcareous fly ash, burnt shale or granulated blast furnace slag but with an additional Cs marking.

3.1.3 Benefits of HRBs

Benefits of HRBs include but are not limited to:

1. Generation of energy cost savings by foregoing far-off borrow pits and use of *in-situ* material.
2. Improvement of structural integrity and durability of pavement layers.
3. Optimization/re-use of material already in place.
4. Improvement on open working time compared to OPC CEM I 42.5 specified as 2 Hrs in the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction.

5. Use in road dust control.
6. Environmentally friendly Green binder with low carbon dioxide emissions during production.
7. Sustainable use of wastes generated by other industries e.g. Fly Ash from power plants burning coal or slag from iron ore processing; these materials are cementitious and enhance cement attributes e.g. chemical resistance, lower thermal Heat of Hydration etc.

The process of treatment and stabilization with HRBs in a road project is similar to use of conventional cement or lime, where dosing consists of spreading, mixing, rolling and curing.

Details of the other Hydraulic Road Binders (HRBs) in use in other countries are attached in Appendix II.

3.1.4 HRBs developed by Bamburi Cement Ltd.

Bamburi cement has developed and obtained certification from Kenya Bureau of Standards for the following HRB's:

1. HRB E3 - Pozzolana based, 28 day strength $\geq 22.5\text{MPa}$, ex-Nairobi Grinding Plant
2. HRB E3 - Limestone based, 28 day strength $\geq 22.5\text{MPa}$, ex-Mombasa Plant

4 LABORATORY TRIALS USING BAMBURI HRBs

4.1 GENERAL

In order to test the efficacy of Bamburi-manufactured HRBs in soil improvement, a series of laboratory trials were conducted by Norken International Engineering and Management Consultants. Candidate soils for improvement included clays, silts and gravels. The candidate soil types and their sources are as tabulated below:

| Type of soil | Source |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Clay | Emali, Makueni County |
| Silt | Emali, Makueni County |
| Mutaho Gravel | Sigalagala, Kakamega County |
| Masyenze Gravel | Sigalagala, Kakamega County |

As a control for purposes of comparison, parallel tests on the same soils were done using ordinary Portland cement (CEM I 42.5).

4.2 STABILIZERS USED

The following three types of stabilizer were used, conforming to the manufacturing standards contained in table 3 below:

1. Ordinary Portland cement - CEM I, 42.5 manufactured at Bamburi Cement Ltd., Mombasa Plant;
2. Roadcem HRB E3 (L) manufactured at Bamburi Cement Ltd., Mombasa Plant;
3. Roadcem HRB E3 (P) manufactured at Bamburi Cement Ltd., Nairobi Grinding Plant.

| PARAMETER | | UNIT | TYPE OF STABILIZER | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------------|--------|
| | | | CEM I 42.5 | HRB E3 |
| COMPOSITION | | | | |
| Clinker | | % | ≥ 95 | ≥ 20 |
| MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS | | | | |
| Fineness | | 90µm | ≤ 10 | ≤ 15 |
| Initial Setting Time | | Min. | ≥ 60 | ≥ 90 |
| Strengths | 7-Day | MPa. | ≥ 16 | ≥ 10 |
| | 28-Day (Min.) | MPa. | ≥ 42.5 | ≥ 22.5 |
| | 28-Day (Max.) | MPa. | 62.5 | 42.5 |
| Soundness | | % | ≤ 10 | ≤ 10 |
| CHEMICAL REQUIREMENTS | | | | |
| Sulphate | | % | ≤ 3.5 | ≤ 4.0 |

Table 3: Manufacturing Standards of the Stabilizers

4.3 TESTS CONDUCTED

4.3.1 Tests on neat (untreated material)

The following tests were carried out on the soil samples before stabilization:

- 1) Atterberg Limits (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990)
- 2) Linear Shrinkage (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990)
- 3) Particle Size Distribution (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990)
- 4) Organic Matter Content (BS 1377: Part 3: 1990)
- 5) Compaction Test (AASHTO T 180)
- 6) Particle Density (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990)
- 7) CBR Test (4 days soak) (BS 1377: Part 4: 1990)

4.3.2 Tests on stabilized material

In addition, the following tests were conducted on soil samples stabilized with varying quantities of the three types of stabilizer:

1. Atterberg Limits (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990);
2. Linear Shrinkage (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990);
3. Initial Consumption of Lime (ICL) (BS 1924: Part 2: 1990);
4. Compaction test (AASHTO T 180) on samples mixed with stabilizer content = 4%;
5. Unconfined compression (UCS test) at 7 days cure + 7 days soak on specimens moulded dynamically at OMC and MDD and at three stabilizer contents, i.e 2%, 4% and 6%; (BS 1924: Part 2: 1990);
6. Atterberg Limits on stabilized samples after UCS testing; (BS 1377: Part 2: 1990).

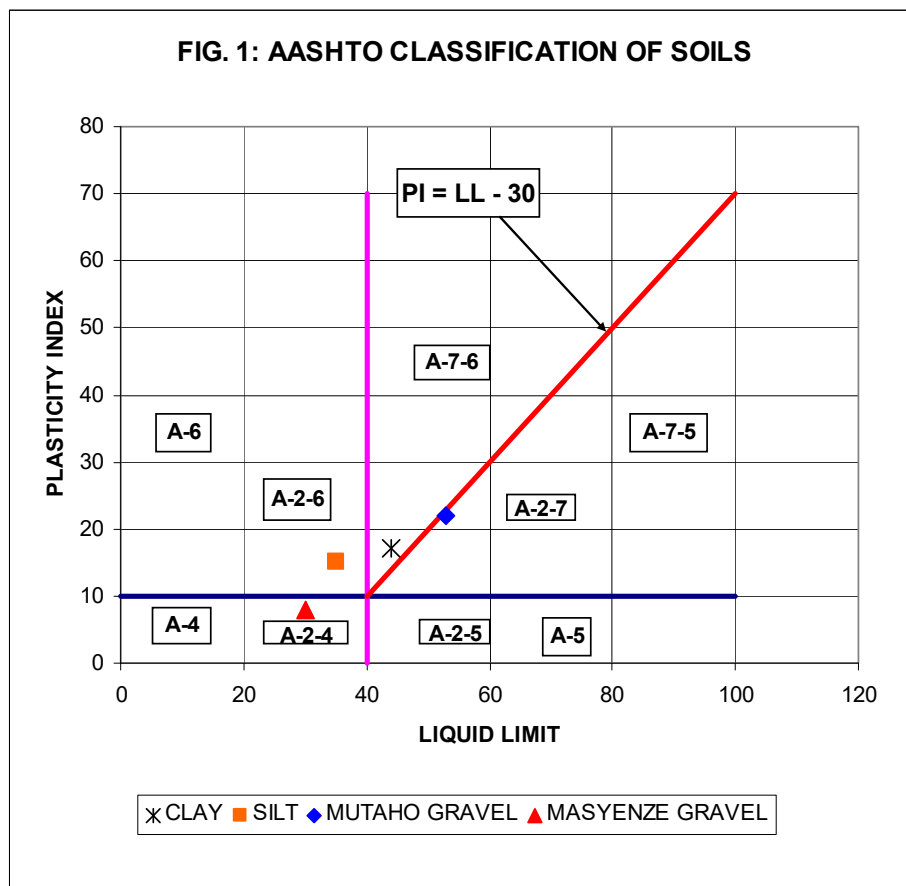
5 RESULTS AND ANALYSIS

5.1 GENERAL

The results of laboratory trials conducted are attached as Appendix I. Analysis of the results are presented in the sections that follow.

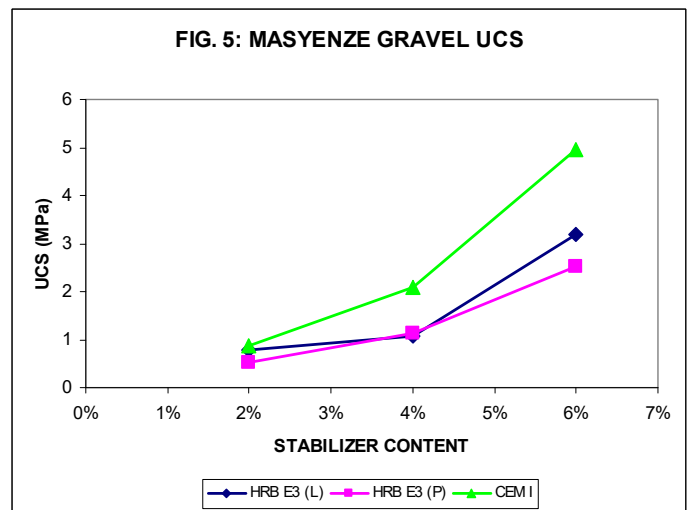
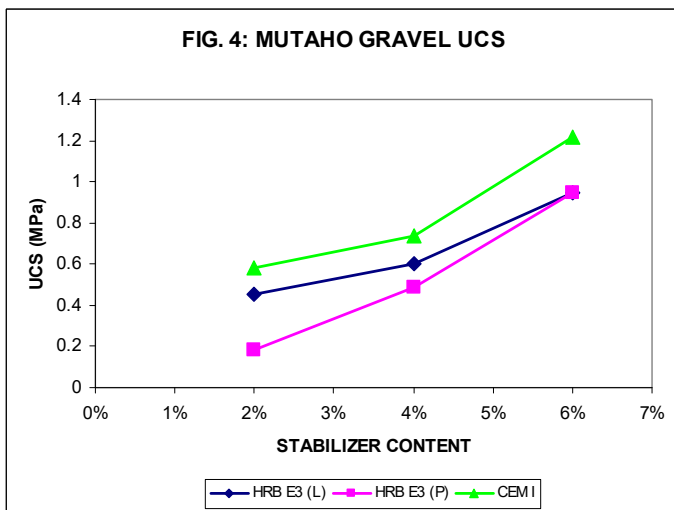
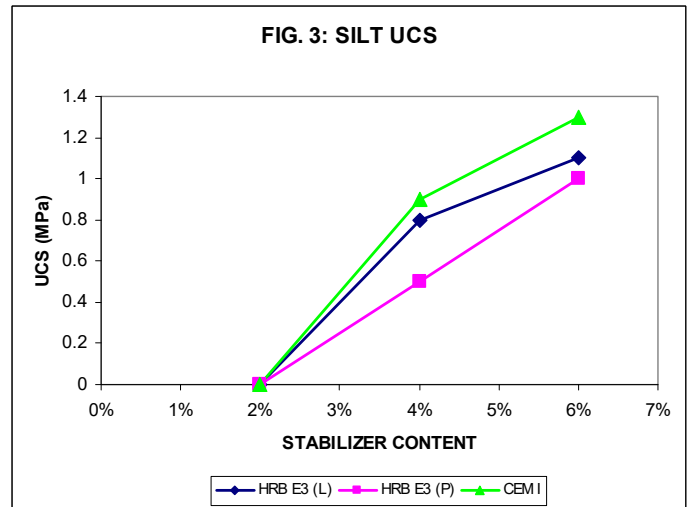
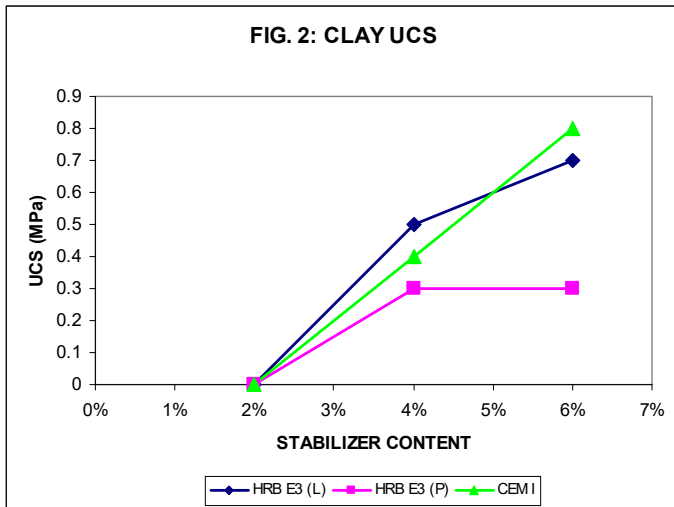
5.2 SOIL CLASSIFICATION

The AASHTO classification of the soils tested is as shown in fig. 1 below.



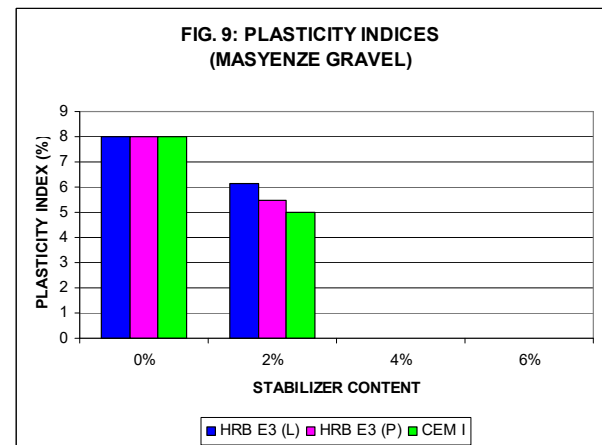
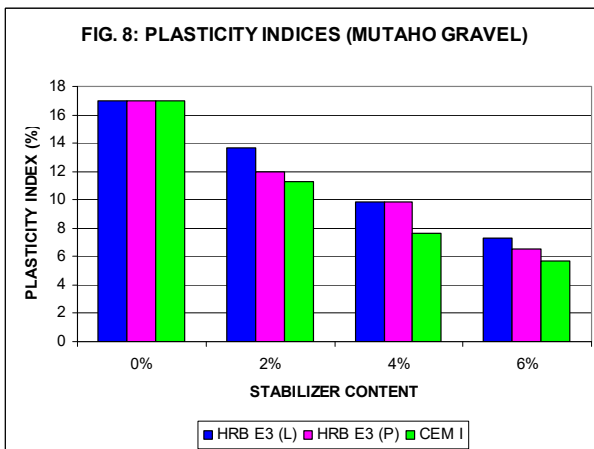
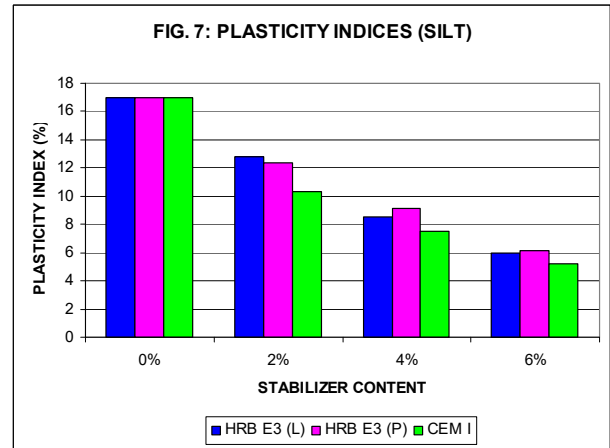
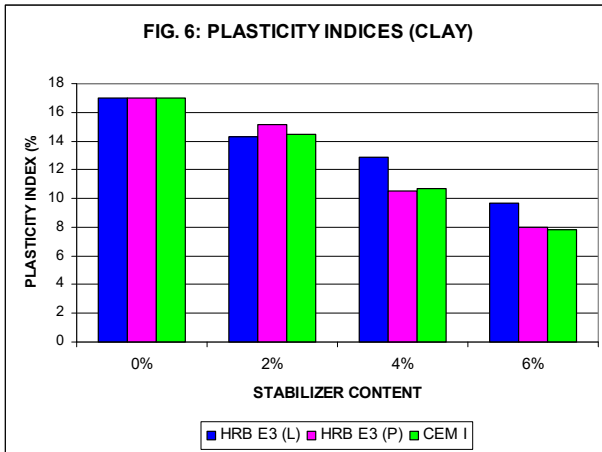
5.3 SOIL STRENGTH - STABILIZER CONTENT RELATIONSHIPS

The effect of stabilizer content on the strength of the various soils is shown in the charts below.



5.4 SOIL PLASTICITY - STABILIZER CONTENT RELATIONSHIPS

The effect of stabilizer content on the plasticity of the various soils is shown in the charts below.



6 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The following conclusions are drawn from analyses of foregoing results:

- ❖ That for the HRB formulations tested are effective in enhancement of soil strength, which is a key objective of stabilization;
- ❖ That for the HRB formulations tested are effective in the reduction of soil plasticity, which is a key objective of stabilization.

Following laboratory trials presented in this study, we recommend the conduct of full-scale field trials to evaluate in-service performance of soils stabilized with HRB. Such field trials would also evaluate the efficacy of mixing and compaction methods with a view to develop works specifications for these materials.

We further recommend that these trials be conducted under the supervision of the Materials Testing and Research Department of the MoTI on a wider variety of soils countrywide.

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APPENDIX I : TEST RESULTS SUMMARIES

SUMMARY SHEET
Tests on Clay

| Sample reference | Atterberg Limits | | | | | Particle size distribution (%) | | | | Grading Modulus GM | AASHTO Class | Organic Content (%) | Compaction T 180 | | CBR | | ICL (%) | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-----------|--|
| | LL (%) | PL (%) | PI (%) | LS (%) | PM | Percentage passing sieve size (mm) | | | | | | | MDD (kg/m ³) | OMC (%) | at 100% MDD (%) | Swell (%) | | |
| | 20 | 2 | 0.425 | 0.075 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Before Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | 44 | 27 | 17 | 8 | 1581 | 100 | 98 | 93 | 83 | 0.3 | A-7-6 | 0.60 | 1628 | 23 | 15(26) | 0.5 | 4.7 | |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | 43 | 25 | 18 | 8 | 1674 | 100 | 98 | 93 | 83 | 0.3 | A-7-6 | 1.54 | 1633 | 23 | 17(26) | 0.5 | 4.7 | |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | 45 | 28 | 17 | 8 | 1598 | 100 | 98 | 94 | 79 | 0.3 | A-7-6 | 0.90 | 1638 | 22.7 | 20(24) | 0.4 | 3.8 | |
| After Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | UNCONFINED COMPRESSION (7DC + 7DS) | | | | ATTERBERG LIMITS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | MEAN | LL | PL | PI | LS | | | | | | | | | |
| | | MPa | MPa | MPa | MPa | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 41 | 26 | 15 | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 420 | 657 | 536 | 538 | 40 | 26 | 14 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 735 | 729 | 409 | 732 | 37 | 27 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 41 | 27 | 14 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 398 | 215 | 580 | 489 | 38 | 27 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 204 | 215 | COLLAPSED | 140 | 33 | 24 | 9 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 37 | 24 | 13 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 459 | 365 | 331 | 385 | 35 | 25 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 967 | 707 | 823 | 832 | 34 | 26 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 39 | 24 | 15 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 425 | 525 | 503 | 484 | 39 | 25 | 14 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 552 | 503 | 834 | 630 | 35 | 24 | 11 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 40 | 25 | 15 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 99 | 304 | 238 | 271 | 37 | 25 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 425 | 409 | COLLAPSED | 417 | 33 | 24 | 9 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | COLLAPSE | | | | 38 | 23 | 15 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 398 | 331 | 431 | 387 | 36 | 22 | 14 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 890 | 801 | 702 | 798 | 34 | 23 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 34 | 24 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 470 | 343 | 525 | 446 | 35 | 24 | 11 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 751 | 912 | 663 | 775 | 33 | 25 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 41 | 26 | 15 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 243 | 503 | COLLAPSED | 373 | 35 | 24 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 613 | 541 | 155 | 577 | 32 | 24 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 37 | 23 | 14 | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 497 | 425 | 536 | 486 | 33 | 26 | 7 | 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 945 | 796 | 558 | 766 | 36 | 28 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | |

SUMMARY SHEET
Tests on Silt

| Sample reference | Atterberg Limits | | | | | Particle size distribution (%) | | | | Grading Modulus | AASHTO Class | Organic Content (%) | Compaction T 180 | | CBR | | ICL (%) |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---|----------|-----------|------|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | LL (%) | PL (%) | PI (%) | LS (%) | PM | Percentage passing sieve size (mm) | | | | | | | MDD (kg/m ³) | OMC (%) | at 100% MDD (%) | Swell (%) | |
| | | | | | | 20 | 2 | 0.425 | 0.075 | | | | | | | | |
| Before Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | 34 | 19 | 15 | 7 | 1170 | 100 | 97 | 78 | 44 | 0.8 | A-6 | 1.24 | 1828 | 14.0 | 27(36) | 0.3 | 2.9 |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | 35 | 19 | 16 | 8 | 1232 | 100 | 97 | 77 | 44 | 0.8 | A-6 | 0.90 | 1829 | 13.9 | 30(36) | 0.2 | 2.7 |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | 35 | 20 | 15 | 7 | 1170 | 100 | 97 | 78 | 43 | 0.8 | A-6 | 1.54 | 1829 | 14.0 | 29(36) | 0.2 | 3.3 |
| After Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | UNCONFINED COMPRESSION (7DC + 7DS) | | | | ATTERBERG LIMITS | | | | ATTERBERG LIMITS | | | | | | | |
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | MEAN | LL | PL | PI | LS | LL | PL | PI | LS | | | | |
| | | MPa | MPa | MPa | MPa | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | (%) | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 32 | 18 | 14 | 7 | 32 | 18 | 14 | 7 | | | | |
| | 4% | 985 | 1050 | 1112 | 1049 | 25 | 19 | 6 | 5 | 25 | 19 | 6 | 5 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1398 | 845 | 972 | 1072 | 24 | 18 | 6 | 3 | 24 | 18 | 6 | 3 | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 31 | 18 | 13 | 7 | 31 | 18 | 13 | 7 | | | | |
| | 4% | 547 | 199 | 448 | 498 | 28 | 18 | 10 | 5 | 28 | 18 | 10 | 5 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1315 | 486 | 1221 | 1268 | 26 | 20 | 6 | 3 | 26 | 20 | 6 | 3 | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | COLLAPSE | | | | 31 | 21 | 10 | 5 | 31 | 21 | 10 | 5 | | | | |
| | 4% | 1298 | 1215 | 1138 | 1217 | 25 | 17 | 8 | 4 | 25 | 17 | 8 | 4 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1348 | 1315 | 1359 | 1341 | 22 | 17 | 5 | 3 | 22 | 17 | 5 | 3 | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 32 | 19 | 13 | 7 | 32 | 19 | 13 | 7 | | | | |
| | 4% | 409 | 1221 | COLLAPSED | 543 | 27 | 18 | 9 | 5 | 27 | 18 | 9 | 5 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1331 | 1166 | 928 | 1142 | 25 | 19 | 6 | 3 | 25 | 19 | 6 | 3 | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | COLLAPSE | | | | 33 | 21 | 12 | 6 | 33 | 21 | 12 | 6 | | | | |
| | 4% | 840 | 265 | COLLAPSED | 368 | 27 | 17 | 10 | 5 | 27 | 17 | 10 | 5 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1243 | 1309 | 403 | 1276 | 26 | 19 | 7 | 3 | 26 | 19 | 7 | 3 | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 32 | 20 | 12 | 6 | 32 | 20 | 12 | 6 | | | | |
| | 4% | 729 | 718 | 801 | 749 | 27 | 19 | 8 | 4 | 27 | 19 | 8 | 4 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1376 | 1376 | 740 | 1376 | 25 | 20 | 5 | 3 | 25 | 20 | 5 | 3 | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 33 | 19 | 14 | 6 | 33 | 19 | 14 | 6 | | | | |
| | 4% | 331 | 1099 | 1166 | 1133 | 28 | 18 | 10 | 5 | 28 | 18 | 10 | 5 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1436 | 1144 | 249 | 1290 | 25 | 18 | 7 | 3 | 25 | 18 | 7 | 3 | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 32 | 19 | 13 | 6 | 32 | 19 | 13 | 6 | | | | |
| | 4% | 635 | 702 | 779 | 705 | 28 | 19 | 9 | 5 | 28 | 19 | 9 | 5 | | | | |
| | 6% | 967 | 1033 | 751 | 1000 | 25 | 18 | 7 | 3 | 25 | 18 | 7 | 3 | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | COLLAPSED | | | | 29 | 18 | 11 | 6 | 29 | 18 | 11 | 6 | | | | |
| | 4% | 807 | 912 | 856 | 858 | 28 | 20 | 8 | 4 | 28 | 20 | 8 | 4 | | | | |
| | 6% | 1204 | 1354 | 1315 | 1291 | 24 | 18 | 6 | 3 | 24 | 18 | 6 | 3 | | | | |

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Tests on Mutaho Gravel

| Sample reference | Atterberg Limits | | | | | Particle size distribution (%) | | | | Grading Modulus GM | AASHTO Class | Organic Content (%) | Compaction T 180 | | CBR | | ICL (%) | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|-----------------|----------|----------|-----|------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| | LL (%) | PL (%) | PI (%) | LS (%) | PM | Percentage passing sieve size (mm) | | | | | | | MDD (kg/m ³) | OMC (%) | at 100% MDD (%) | Swell (%) | | | | |
| | | | | | | 20 | 2 | 0.425 | 0.075 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Before Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | 51 | 27 | 24 | 12 | 240 | 100 | 31 | 10 | 5 | 2.5 | A-2-7 | 0.30 | 2095 | 8.5 | 29(31) | 0.2 | 0.5 | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | 53 | 31 | 22 | 11 | 440 | 86 | 33 | 20 | 15 | 2.3 | A-2-7 | 0.90 | 2092 | 9 | 30(38) | 0.2 | 0.5 | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | 53 | 31 | 22 | 11 | 440 | 85 | 33 | 20 | 15 | 2.3 | A-2-7 | 1.24 | 2090 | 8.8 | 33(37) | 0.2 | 0.5 | | | |
| After Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | UNCONFINED COMPRESSION (7DC + 7DS) | | | | | ATTERBERG LIMITS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | LL (%) | PL (%) | PI (%) | LS (%) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | MPa | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSE | | | | 41 | 26 | 15 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 696 | | | | 39 | 29 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 464 | | | | 36 | 30 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | 199 | | | | 40 | 27 | 13 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 444 | | | | 39 | 29 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 691 | | | | 36 | 30 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | 243 | | | | 40 | 27 | 13 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 801 | | | | 37 | 28 | 9 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 1144 | | | | 35 | 28 | 7 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | COLLAPSE | | | | 42 | 28 | 14 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 497 | | | | 39 | 28 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 928 | | | | 37 | 28 | 9 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | 138 | | | | 42 | 30 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 390 | | | | 39 | 28 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 1050 | | | | 37 | 29 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | 541 | | | | 42 | 30 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 646 | | | | 39 | 31 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 1193 | | | | 35 | 29 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | 448 | | | | 41 | 28 | 13 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 116 | | | | 38 | 28 | 10 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 972 | | | | 36 | 29 | 7 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | 199 | | | | 41 | 29 | 12 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 486 | | | | 38 | 29 | 9 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 1127 | | | | 36 | 29 | 7 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | 619 | | | | 41 | 29 | 12 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | 779 | | | | 38 | 30 | 8 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | 1315 | | | | 34 | 29 | 5 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Tests on Masyenze Gravel

| Sample reference | Atterberg Limits | | | | | Particle size distribution (%) | | | | Grading Modulus GM | AASHTO Class | Organic Content (%) | Compaction T 180 | | CBR | | ICL (%) |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|----------|----------|------|------------------------------------|-------------|----------|----------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | LL (%) | PL (%) | PI (%) | LS (%) | PM | Percentage passing sieve size (mm) | | | | | | | MDD (kg/m ³) | OMC (%) | at 100% MDD (%) | Swell (%) | |
| | | | | | | 20 | 2 | 0.425 | 0.075 | | | | | | | | |
| Before Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | 33 | 24 | 9 | 4 | 171 | 85 | 32 | 19 | 14 | 2.4 | A-2-4 | 1.54 | 1990 | 13.4 | 40(46) | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | 30 | 22 | 8 | 5 | 80 | 100 | 30 | 10 | 5 | 2.6 | A-2-4 | 1.24 | 1992 | 13.5 | 42(47) | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | 29 | 22 | 7 | 4 | 70 | 100 | 31 | 10 | 5 | 2.5 | A-2-4 | 0.90 | 1990 | 13.6 | 40(46) | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| After Stabilization | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | UNCONFINED COMPRESSION (7DC + 7DS) | | | | ATTERBERG LIMITS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | MPa | LL (%) | PL (%) | PI (%) | LS (%) | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | | | | 856 | 26 | 20 | 6 | 4 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 1254 | 24 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 3591 | 22 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | | | | 646 | 26 | 20 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 1293 | 24 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 3757 | 23 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | | | | 983 | 27 | 22 | 5 | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 3315 | 24 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 5249 | 21 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | | | | 729 | 27 | 21 | 6 | 4 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 611 | 24 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 2762 | 21 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | | | | 309 | 26 | 20 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 956 | 24 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 1359 | 22 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | | | | 696 | 28 | 22 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 1315 | 25 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 4420 | 22 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAMPLE No. 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (L) | 2% | | | | 238 | 28 | 21 | 7 | 4 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 1392 | 26 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 3204 | 24 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| With HRB E3 (P) | 2% | | | | 657 | 27 | 21 | 6 | 4 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 1138 | 25 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 2486 | 22 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| With CEM I | 2% | | | | 967 | 27 | 21 | 6 | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4% | | | | 1657 | 25 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6% | | | | 5249 | 23 | NON-PLASTIC | | | | | | | | | | |

**APPENDIX II : SAMPLE OF LAFARGE HYDRAULIC ROAD
BINDERS MANUFACTURED AND USED IN OTHER
COUNTRIES**

| Country | HRB Standards | Name | Applicable rules |
|----------------|------------------------|---|--|
| Austria | ON EN 13282 | HRB 22,5E HRB 32,5E | ON EN 14227/ON 14227-13 RVS 08.17.01/RVS 11.02.40 |
| Czech Republic | CZ EN 13282 | | CSN EN 14227-5 CSN 736124 |
| Germany | DIN 18506 | Lafarge SOL 50 Lafarge SOL 70 HRB 32,5E HRB 12,5E | DIN EN 14227-5/ DIN 14227-13 ZTV Beton-Stb |
| Poland | No specified standard | | PN EN 14227-5/ PN 14227-13 |
| Romania | SR EN 13282 | <i>Soilmix</i> HRB 12,5 <i>Roadmix</i> HRB 22,5E <i>Roadmix Plus</i> HRB 32,5 E | SP EN 1 4227-5/ SR 14227-13 |
| Russia | No specified standards | | GOST 26633-91; GOST 12801-98 SNIP (Construction norm and rules) "The bridge and pipes" |
| France | NF P 15-108 | ROLAC PI ROLAC 645 ROLAC 445 ROLAC 425 | |
| USA & CANADA | | Terracem Joppa-Exshaw Terracem Edmonton | |