DOES YOUR CEMENT COMPLY WITH SOUTH AFRICAN CEMENT STANDARDS?

All cements used in construction in South Africa must meet the requirements of the following compulsory specifications:



DOES YOUR CEMENT HAVE A VALID NRCS LoA?

The National Regulator of Compulsory Specifications (NRCS) enforces *SANS 50197-1* and *SANS 50413-1*. All producers and importers must have a Letter of Authority (LoA) from the NRCS for each different cement type used in construction in South Africa. The NRCS only issues a LoA if the cement complies with *SANS 50197-1* or *SANS 50413-1*.





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NRCS LoA appearing on a bag is no guarantee that a LoA has been issued!

Contact the NRCS to confirm valid LoA

PO Box: NRCS Private Bag X25, Brooklyn 0075; Telephone: +27 12 482 8700





Use SANS compliant cements and masonry cements to...

- build safer, higher quality structures and buildings
- achieve durable concrete and mortar resulting in lower maintenance and life-cycle costs
- lower costs as less cement is needed to achieve specified concrete strength
- make sure coatings adhere well to quality mortar or plaster

Please confirm suitability of a particular cement for a specific application with your supplier.

All cements produced by the companies listed below have valid LoA's complying with SANS 50197-1, thereby assuring customers of the specified quality and quantity

Please contact producers to determine availability, composition and price:

AfriSam: 011 670 5555 NPC: 031 450 4413

Lafarge: 011 657 1111 PPC: 011 626 3150

Mamba Cement: 0861 017 418 Sephaku: 012 684 6300

For additional information contact Cement & Concrete SA: 011 315 0300

Always choose cement that is fit-for-purpose and from reputable producers & suppliers!

SANS 50197-1 Cement

All cements listed below have valid LoA's complying with SANS 50197-1, thereby assuring customers of the specified quality and quantity. *Information correct as at March 2021*

SOUTH AFRICAN CEMENT GRID March 2021									
Cement type	Strength class	AfriSam	Lafarge	Mamba	NPC	PPC	Sephaku	Private label	
CEM I	52,5R	Rapid Hard Cement	Fast Cast/Rapidcem						
CEM I	52,5N			Mamba 95		SURETECH	Sephaku 52		
CEM I	42,5R					SURECAST			
CEM II/A-L	52,5N					SURETECH			
CEM II/A-L	42,5R				Bulk NPC Black				
CEM II/A-L	42,5N				Black ss (42,5R)	SUREBUILD			
CEM II/A-L	32,5R					SURECEM	Sephaku 32	BuildIt	
CEM II/A-M (L)	52,5N	High Strength Cement							
CEM II/A-M (V-L)	42,5R	High Strength Cement		Mamba 42,5R				Champion 42,5R	
CEM II/A-M (S-V)	42,5R					SURECAST			
CEM II/A-V	52,5N		Powercrete Plus						
CEM II/A-V	42,5R						Sephaku 42R		
CEM II/B-L	42,5R					SURECAST			
CEM II/B-L	42,5N					SUREBUILD			
CEM II/B-L	32,5R				NPC Blue	SURECEM	Sephaku 32	BuildIt	
CEM II/B-L	32,5N		RoadCem/Durabuild			SUREROAD			
CEM II/B-M (L-S)	42,5N					SUREBUILD			
CEM II/B-S	42,5N	SlagCem Cement			NPC Black				
CEM II/B-M (L)	42,5N	All Purpose Cement; Roadstab Cement							
CEM II/B-M (L)	32,5N	Roadstab Cement							
CEM II/B-M (L-V)	42,5N	All Purpose Cement							
CEM II/B-M (S-V)	42,5N					SUREBUILD			

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CEM II/B-M (V-L)	32,5R			Mamba 32,5R				Champion 32,5R	
CEM II/B-M (V-S)	32,5N		RoadCem						
CEM II/B-V	42,5N					SUREBUILD			
CEM II/B-V	32,5R					SURECEM			
CEM II/B-V	32,5N					SUREROAD			
CEM III/A	32,5N	Eco Build Cement			NPC Blue /Build				
CEM IV/A-V	42,5N						Sephaku 42		
CEM IV/A-V	32,5R								
CEM IV/B-V	42,5N		Buildcrete; Sulf8Cem						
CEM IV/B-V	32,5R					SURECEM	Sephaku 32	BuildIt; Chamberlain	
CEM IV/B-V	32,5N	Roadstab Cement	Durabuild					Builders	
CEM V/A (S-V)	42,5N	All Purpose Cement							
CEM V/A (S-V)	32,5R					SURECEM		BuildIt; Chamberlain	
CEM V/A (S-V)	32,5N	Roadstab Cement							
CEM V/A (V-S)			Durabuild/Roadcem						

SANS 50413-1 Masonry cement

Masonry cements may not be used for concrete

Cement type	Strength class	AfriSam	Lafarge	Mamba	NPC	PPC	Sephaku	Private label
Masonry cement	MC 22,5X					SUREWALL		