

# PORTLAND CEMENT CLINKER Ref #20

## TYPICAL PROPERTIES

2021 Contractual Limits		Ordinary Portland Cement Clinker			
Chemical Composition					
		Average	Min	Max	
Silicon Dioxide	SiO <sub>2</sub>	21.21	20.59	21.70	%
Aluminum Trioxide	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	4.76	4.53	4.96	%
Ferric Oxide	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.83	3.58	4.08	%
Calcium Oxide	CaO	64.12	63.52	65.00	%
Magnesium Oxide	MgO	4.40	4.00	4.90	%
Sulphate	SO <sub>3</sub>	0.86	0.61	1.06	%
Potassium Oxide	K <sub>2</sub> O	0.21	0.12	0.32	%
Sodium Oxide	Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.22	0.10	0.38	%
Loss On Ignition	LOI	0.30	0.20	0.40	%
Alkalis Equivalent	AE	0.35	0.20	0.53	%
Mineralogy					
Tricalcium Silicate	C <sub>3</sub> S	58.01	56.00	61.00	
Dicalcium Silicate	C <sub>2</sub> S	17.13	13.74	18.99	
Tricalcium Aluminates	C <sub>3</sub> A	6.16	5.50	6.70	
Tetracalcium Aluminoferrate	C <sub>4</sub> AF	11.63	10.88	12.40	
Burnability					
Free Lime	F.CaO	1.06	0.60	1.75	%
Litre weight	L.Wt	1190	1044	1340	g/L
The above mentioned results based on average					

C3S=4.07 (CaO -F.CaO) - 7.6 SiO<sub>2</sub> - 6.718 Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> - 1.43 Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

C3A=2.65 Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> - 1.692 Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

C2S=2.867 SiO<sub>2</sub> - 0.754 C3S

C4AF=3.04 Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

AE=Na<sub>2</sub>O+0.658K<sub>2</sub>O