# Sea Water





## **Portland Cement**

**CEM-I 42.5 N** 



#### **SRC**

Sulphate - Resisting Cement used only in concrete exposed to severe sulfate action -- principally where soils or groundwaters have high sulfate content. Low Tricalcium Aluminate (C3A) content, generally 5% or less, is required when high sulfate resistance is needed.

#### **Properties**

- •Sulphate Resisting cement based.
- Strength Class CEM- I 42.5 N
- Low TriCalcium Aluminate (C3A)

#### **Availability**

Extra Rapid is available in 50kg polypropylene bags throughout Egypt.

### **Storage**

This product should be stored in unopened in cool conditions and should be stacked in a safe and stable manner.

. This product may be stored in either indoor or outdoor conditions. Information on the maximum storage period can be found on the bag.

#### **Health and Safety**

Contact between cement powder and body fluids (eg sweat and eye fluids) may cause irritation, dermatitis or burns.

Cement is classified as an irritant under the Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations.

For further information, including control of soluble hexavalent chromium, refer to the Lafarge Cement Health and Safety Information Sheet for Portland cement products.



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Typical Properties		
Surface area	(m2/kg)	310
Setting time initial	(mins)	150
EN196-1 Mortar		
Compressive strength		
2 day	(N/mm2)	20
28 day	(N/mm2)	50
Sulfate	SO3 (%)	1.9
Chloride	Cl (%)	0.05
Alkali Eq	Na20 Eq. (%)	0.40
Tricalcium silicate	C3S (%)	50.0 to 60.0
Dicalcium silicate	C2S (%)	15.0 to 25.0
Tricalcium aluminate	C3A (%)	2.5
Tetracalcium aluminoferrite	C4AF (%)	15.00

Portland cements are predominantly compounds of calcium silicate and calcium aluminate with a small proportion of gypsum. They are produced by burning or sintering, at a temperature in excess of I400°C, a finely ground mixture of raw materials which contain predominantly calcium carbonate, aluminium oxide, silica and iron oxide. The cooled clinker formed is ground under controlled conditions with the addition of typically 5% gypsum.

