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Composition of Ground Granulated Blastfurnace Slag

**Tudela EN 15167-1 GGBS
 (0099/CPR/B34/0001)**

Based on the **July 2019** monthly composite sample:

Property	Value	BS EN 15167-1 Limit
Magnesia (% MgO)	7.49	Max 18%
Sulfate (% SO ₃)	0.21	Max 2.5%
Sulfide (% S ²⁻)	0.76	Max 2.0%
Chloride (% Cl-) %	0.024	Max 0.10%
Alkalis (% Na ₂ O eq)	0.61	-
Alumina (% Al ₂ O ₃)	10.75	Max 14%*
Fineness (m ² /kg)	463	-
Declared Mean Alkali Content (% Na ₂ O) eq)	0.70	-

**Upper limit in BS 8500 for use in '+SR' combinations*

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**Tudela EN 15167-1 GGBS
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Based on the **July 2019** monthly composite samples of:

Constituent	Source
EN 15167-1 GGBS	Tudela
EN 197-1 CEM I	Aberthaw CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	36.6
28 Day Strength (MPa)	59.3

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	71	80
42,5L	33	75
52,5L	6	53

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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Constituent	Source
EN 15167-1 GGBS	Tudela
EN 197-1 CEM I	Cauldon CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	33.3
28 Day Strength (MPa)	55.8

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	66	80
42,5L	6	74
52,5L	6	49

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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EN 15167-1 GGBS	Tudela
EN 197-1 CEM I	Dunbar CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	26.9
28 Day Strength (MPa)	58.5

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	66	80
42,5L	37	74
52,5L	6	50

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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Constituent	Source
EN 15167-1 GGBS	Tudela
EN 197-1 CEM I	Hope CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	35.1
28 Day Strength (MPa)	57.9

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	61	80
42,5L	31	70
52,5L	6	46

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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Based on the **July 2019** monthly composite samples of:

Constituent	Source
EN 15167-1 GGBS	Tudela
EN 197-1 CEM I	Limerick CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	31.7
28 Day Strength (MPa)	55.4

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	59	80
42,5L	6	71
52,5L	6	41

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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EN 15167-1 GGBS	Tudela
EN 197-1 CEM I	Platin CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	34.8
28 Day Strength (MPa)	55.2

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	66	80
42,5L	6	74
52,5L	6	43

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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EN 197-1 CEM I	Quinn CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	37.9
28 Day Strength (MPa)	59.1

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	69	80
42,5L	39	75
52,5L	6	50

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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EN 197-1 CEM I	Tunstead CEM I 52,5N

The results of compressive strength testing (in accordance with BS EN 196-1) on a 50:50 blend of CEM I with GGBS were:

7 Day Strength (MPa)	31.1
28 Day Strength (MPa)	56.7

Based on equivalent results obtained for the last **12** months, the permitted proportions of combinations conforming to the requirements of Annex A of BS 8500-2 are:

Strength Class of Combination	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
32,5L	61	79
42,5L	6	68
52,5L	6	50

BS 8500-2 Combination Designation	GGBS Content (%)	
	Min	Max
CIIS	6	35
CIIIA	36	65
CIIB	66	80

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