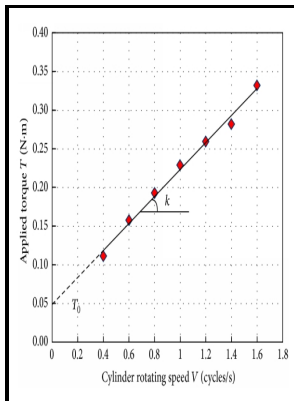


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## WHAT ARE THE PROPERTIES OF FRESH CONCRETE?

Concrete materials such as cement, sand, aggregates, and other admixtures play an important role in maintaining the air-void system in concrete. This paper discusses the issues encountered with using high-performance concrete on Burj Khalifa and how they were overcome. The sessions of the symposium deals with the following main topics: - Cement suspensions - Self-compacting concrete SCC - Models and Simulation - Chemical admixtures - SCC - aggregate and filler - Measurement technique - Fibre-reinforced concrete and SCC Contents Author s : O.

## COMPACTION OF CONCRETE

Also it develops cracks as high tensile stresses are produced due to increased process of hydration.

### Tests on Fresh Concrete

Since standard sensors can not be used for thin mortar layers because of their cross- section, a thin sensor has been developed, too. The first consequence of this is often only visual but reductions in mechanical strength of more than 40% have also been reported by.

### Discussion: Role of cement content in specifications for concrete durability: aggregate type influences

Tests for measuring Setting Time Setting time of concrete can be measured using standard test procedure Standard Test Method for Time of Setting of Concrete Mixtures by Penetration Resistance Conclusion It is important to control properties of fresh concrete before placing.

### Burj Khalifa

It is not a fundamental property of concrete. This configuration meant that concrete could be placed at up to three separate locations simultaneously.

## **Properties of Fresh Concrete**

In the slump test, a specimen of concrete mix is placed in a mould shaped as the frustum of a cone, 12 in high, with 8-in diameter at base and 4-in diameter at top. These grades differ on the basis of mix proportions. The previous record was 448 m at Taipeh 101 Tower in 2003.

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In technical terminology, the glue is called as an Interfacial Transition Zone. Pros: Compressive strength data is given in real-time and updated every 15 minutes.

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