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## Abstract

AAC block or Light weight blocks are the new generation technology in construction field. Higher strength, Light weight and lower construction time make the AAC Block beneficial than conventional clay bricks. AAC blocks are manufactured by using raw material like Fly-ash, Lime cement gypsum aluminum soluble oil, the mass ratio of above material is very important to achieve required strength. Current system uses manually measuring the raw material and then discharging into the mixer, hence it increases the uncertainty in recipe. We are tackling this problem with Design and Fabrication of Automatic AAC Batching Plant. This will lead to increase accuracy and repeatability of recipe. We are going to use pneumatic and electric solenoid valves system for automation. Main aim of this project is to implement this automatic system without affecting the existing one. This will definitely beneficial for the AAC block manufacturing industry.

Keywords :- AAC system – Batching system – raw materials – Design- fabrication – automatic system-conclusion

## Chapter 01

### Intoduction:

What is AAC block?

1.AAC (Autoclaved Aerated Concrete) was invented in the mid-1920s by the Swedish architect and inventor Johan Axel Eriksson. AAC is one of the major achievements of the 20th century in the field of construction. It is a lightweight, precast building material that simultaneously provides structure, insulation, and fire resistance. AAC Blocks is a unique and excellent type of building materials due to its superb heat, fire and sound resistance. AAC block is lightweight and offers ultimate workability, flexibility and durability.

2.Fly ash, water, lime, cement, aluminium powder, and gypsum are among the main constituents. Cement strength is used to provide block hardness, and autoclaving is used to achieve rapid curing. Gypsum is an excellent long-term strength builder. The chemical reaction that occurs as a result of The porous structure, lightness, and insulating qualities of AAC are all due to aluminium paste. Unlike other lightweight concrete materials, this one is absolutely unique. The finished item is When compared to traditional bricks, this Block is 2.5 times lighter while maintaining the same strength. The specific gravity ranges between 0.6 to 0.65. This is the most unique feature of the AAC blocks. because the builder saves 30 to 35 percent on materials by using these blocks in structural constructions.

### Advantages:

1.Consumes Fly ash, which is a big problem for thermal power plants to dispose. It is environment friendly, because of no need of burning.

2.Higher strength, best thermal insulation & excellent sound absorption, vibration resistance compared to red bricks. The AAC product's lightweight and easy workability means that is very quick to install on site and transportation with lesser breakage.

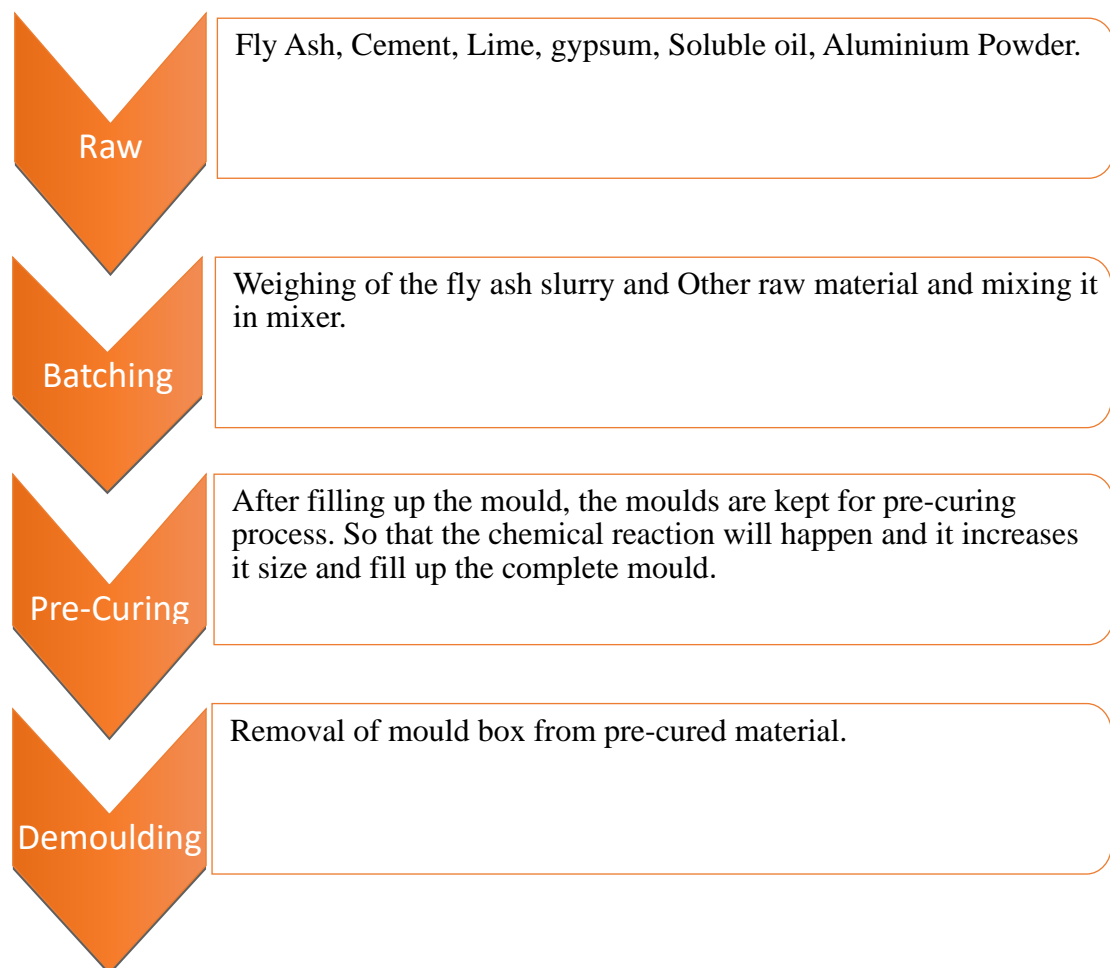


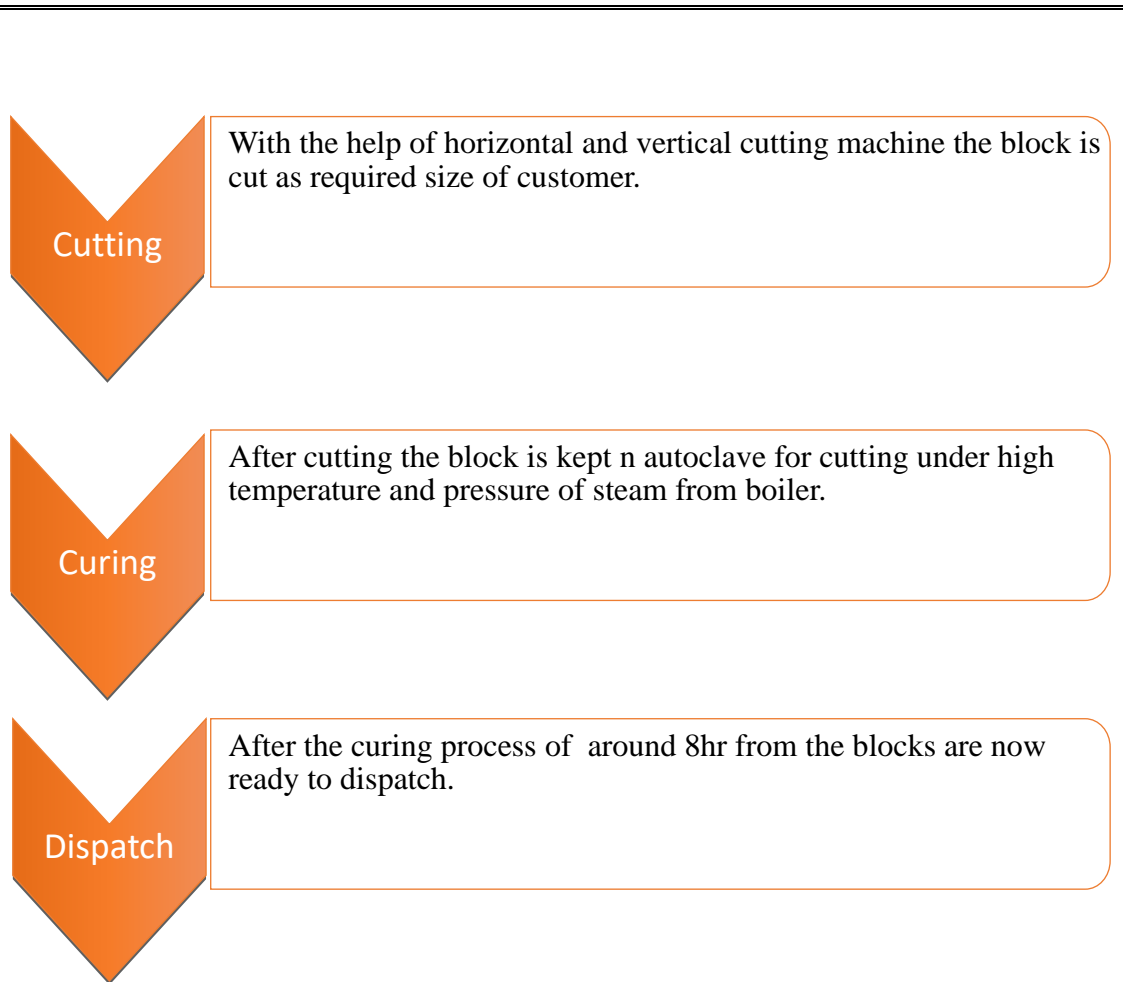
### Production Procedure of AAC plant:

The AAC Plant in which Fly-ash mixed with water after then it is discharge in slurry hopper through mud pump. As well as lime and cement transfer in its hopper through screw conveyor. This all materials taken in main mixer along with aluminium, gypsum powder and soluble oil it made mixture.

After the mixture making procedure it is feeding in the available mould box and it is kept for pre-curing and that's stage occurring chemical reaction due to aluminium and lime reaction with water and this mixture increase in size like cake. After the pre-curing stage remove the top of the moulds by using Demoulder. After the demoulding it is give for cutting in proper sized blocks through horizontal and vertical cutting machine and then it is forward in the autoclave system for curing in high steam pressure and temperature. After this procedure AAC blocks are ready to sell.

Following is the tree chart of block making procedure.





**Problem Statement :**

- 1.Raw materials in which cement , lime , slurry and water feeding in main mixer by automatic system and its operated through control panel but there is aluminium , gypsum powder and soluble oil is feeding manually by labours.
- 2.There is three raw materials feeding manually process and its associated with human errors.
- 3.In this batching system each time raw materials like aluminium, gypsum and soluble oil feeding repeatedly by manual process that's why there processing time is not constant.
- 4.Above problem are associated with the batching(mixing) system of AAC plant which will lead to poor quality of blocks and damaged block.

**Objective:**

- 1.Automation in current batching system
- 2.Minimize the human interaction with current system of mixing raw materials
- 3.Application of system without altering the current system and without affecting quality of blocks.

From the above point we are increase the continuity of production rate and avoid the poor quality of blocks.

**Scope:**

Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (AAC) is a non combustible, lime based, cementitious building material that is expanding into new worldwide markets. now a days Use Of AAC block significantly increase due to low cost and easy structure. Builder and developer set up their own AAC block Plant instead of buying .

We are making this automatic batching system for aac plant is beneficial for all old plants.

**Methodology:**

- 1.Study of existing system and scope of application of new parts.
- 2.Study on raw material required for production.
- 3.Design of automatic system for raw material feeding (aluminium, gypsum and Soluble oil)
- 4.Fabrication of design parts.
- 5.Installation of fabricated parts in current system.
- 6.Validation of installed parts.

## Chapter 03

### Literature Review:

1. Kamal Arif M. (2016), Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (AAC): A Sustainable Building Material [Online] Available for <http://www.masterbuilder.co.in/autoclaved-aerated-concrete-aaca-sustainable-building-material/>, accessed on 10 May 2020.

The traditional bricks are the main building materials that are used extensively in the construction and building industry. Autoclaved Aerated Concrete blocks are recently one of the newly adopted building materials. The Autoclaved aerated concrete (AAC) is a product of fly ash which is mixed with lime, cement, and water and an aerating agent. The AAC is mainly produced as cuboid blocks and prefabricated panels. The Autoclaved aerated concrete is a type of concrete that is manufactured to contain lots of closed air voids. The AAC blocks are energy efficient, durable, less dense, and lightweight. It is manufactured by adding a foaming additive to concrete in different sizes of molds as per requirement, then wire-cutting these blocks or panels from the resulting 'cake lump' and 'heating them with steam'. This process is called as Autoclaving. It has been observed that this material is an eco-friendly building material that is being manufactured from industrial waste and is composed of non-toxic ingredients. In this paper, an overview of AAC blocks with reference to its potential and sustainability as a novel building material has been presented. The paper also presents a comparative cost analysis of AAC Blocks with the Red clay bricks and its suitability and potential use in the construction in the building industry.[1]

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In ceramic tile, frit and ceramic colour production processes, large quantities of particulate solids of different nature are handled, which need to be adequately stored and discharged. On discharging these materials, flow stoppages as a result of doming in the bin, size segregation, etc. can occur. Some of these problems can be minimised and even suppressed by appropriate bin design. In this study, the Jenike theory has been applied to bin design for three types of particulate materials: spray-dried powder, used in porcelain tile manufacture, zinc oxide and quartz, used in frit production. For these materials the maximum angle that the wall needs to form

with the vertical in the bin discharge zone, and the minimum outlet diameter required for appropriate unbroken material flow during discharge were calculated. The influence was also analysed of the bin surface on the type of flow. Finally, experiments were conducted to verify the usefulness of the methodology test for bin design.[2]

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Within Li U Fluid laboratory there had been a number of hydraulic and pneumatic test stands for research projects and teaching. The effort was needed to do more extension within the field of pneumatics. This thesis was about designing, manufacturing, building and testing the Test Stand for vertical application of pneumatic rod less cylinder. It consisted of three main parts; mechanical structure, pneumatic system and electrical and electronics. The design part focused more on the mechanical structure and pneumatic system. Electrical and electronics had to be installed to facilitate actuation and control of the system after mechanical and pneumatic components were assembled together. The mechanical structure consisted of three main parts; cabinet, carriage and ball balancer. For each part three concepts were generated, evaluated and selected to obtain the most promising concept for further development.[3]

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This Paper Proposes is to design a magnetic actuator to deal with the modeling and optimization of Solenoid actuator (Magnetic Actuator). The design is very important step for the study proportional solenoid valve. The magnetic actuator includes design and optimization, characterization one of the magnetic actuator. This benefits the design optimization of the spherical actuator greatly. According to the magnetic field model, the variation of flux density with respect to pole of the magnet parameters can be revealed. Therefore, these parameters can be appropriately chosen to achieve a high magnetic flux density. Since all these magnetic actuators work in sub- micron level movement used in micro system and valve applications.

Proportional solenoid valve designed in find out the magnetic force (N), magnetic field intensity (A/m) magnetic flux density (Tesla or wb/m<sup>2</sup>). To enhance the magnetic force and reduction of size by magnetic field in air gap of solenoid valve. Permanent magnetic actuator study for bidirectional application using different permanent magnet material and optimization of size of armature. [4]

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The methods of improving the dynamic performance of high speed on/off solenoid valve include increasing the magnetic force of armature and the slew rate of coil current, decreasing the mass and stroke of moving parts. The increase of magnetic force usually leads to the decrease of current slew rate, which could increase the delay time of the dynamic response of solenoid valve. Using a high voltage to drive coil can solve this contradiction, but a high driving voltage can also lead to more cost and a decrease of safety and reliability. In this paper, a new scheme of parallel coils is investigated, in which the single coil of solenoid is replaced by parallel coils with same ampere turns. Based on the mathematic model of high speed solenoid valve, the theoretical formula for the delay time of solenoid valve is deduced. Both the theoretical analysis and the dynamic simulation show that the effect of dividing a single coil into N parallel sub-coils is close to that of driving the single coil with N times of the original driving voltage as far as the delay time of solenoid valve is concerned. A specific test bench is designed to measure the dynamic performance of high speed on/off solenoid valve. The experimental results also prove that both the delay time and switching time of the solenoid valves can be decreased greatly by adopting the parallel coil scheme. This research presents a simple and practical method to improve the dynamic performance of high speed on/off solenoid valve.[5]

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Bulk storage tanks are very important for industrial and agricultural facilities. The value of these tanks to society exceeds by far the economic value of the tanks and their contents. This is because the failure of tanks and their accessories not limited to

the immediate danger to nearby human lives, but also to a large extent leads to serious consequences and very likely to long-term environmental damages. Thus to prevent failure of the silo it must be designed properly. This report contains designing of the silo as per various applicable code and standards. The silo is designed for various types of load acting on it e.g. dead load, live load, wind or seismic load, load during filling and discharging of bulk material etc. Stress calculation has been done for Silo having storage capacity of 580 m<sup>3</sup> for storing plastic pellets. This includes different kind of stresses developed in silo i.e. circumferential stress, axial stress, equivalent stresses. Finally, all stresses are verified by allowable stress values of construction material according to standards. Axial buckling and circumferential buckling stresses are verified as per DIN 18800 part 4 [6].

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In this article, the dynamics of a double-acting pneumatic actuator was experimentally studied. To understand the details of dynamics and provide experimental data for further modeling and numerical simulation of actuators, a special test bench was designed. The bench includes a high-resolution linear encoder as well as a dSPACE 1104 data acquisition board, that permits high-frequency sampling to identify important features in the measured data at different source pressures; it also incorporates two pressure sensors, a solenoid valve, a push button, and a measuring interface to automate the acquisition of data. High precision measurements of the time of displacement and position of the moving elements, piston rod or cylinder body, allowed us to calculate velocity and acceleration. We found that the velocity of the moving element is near constant in a major part of the stroke. The recording of the dynamics of upstream and downstream pressures in the pneumatic cylinder chambers at different source pressure levels permitted us to calculate the force exerting by the piston and to explain the kinematics of the moving element. The matching of the upstream and downstream pressure plots with the displacement of the moving element allowed us to establish the instant when the moving starts, and this way evaluates such an important feature as the static friction force between the piston and cylinder body. Various scenarios were used in the experiments, including the fixing of the piston rod, which allow the cylinder body to move or vice versa, the horizontal or vertical position of the pneumatic cylinder and

the forward or backward stroke movement. The results obtained with the proposed experimental bench provide essential information on the dynamics of a double-acting pneumatic cylinder that can be included in the mathematical model of the cylinder and used in mobile robotics.[7]

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AAC blocks are light weight Aerated Autoclave Concrete Block. It is manufactured through a reaction of aluminium powder and a proportionate blend of lime, cement, and fly ash or sand. Autoclaved aerated concrete

(AAC) is a lightweight cellular concrete that has been used for more than 80 years. Currently, however, no good recycling options for AAC from construction and waste exist. During this process, the hydrogen gas escapes create lots(billions) of tiny air cells, applying AAC with a strong cellular structure. The hydrogen gas or bubbles cause the concrete to expand to roughly thrice times its original volume, further strengthened by high pressure steam curing. The product thus formed is not only light weight concrete but also has higher compressive strength. AAC is a masonry material that is lightweight, easy to construct, and economical to transport. AAC is one of the materials which can cope up with the shortage of building raw materials and can produce a light weight, energy efficient and environmentally friendly concrete. This study deals with the manufacturing process of the autoclaved aerated concrete blocks.

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In order to compete in the ever growing competent market it is very important for a structural engineer to save time. As a sequel to this an attempt is made to analyze and design a multistoried building by using a software package STADD PRO. As STAAD Pro is the current leading design software in the market, many structural designing companies use this software for their project design purposes. So, this article mainly deals with the analysis of the results obtained from the design of a building structure when it is designed using STAAD Pro Software. The software method of analysis is used for a G+5 Residential building with ACC in fill material used first is brick infill, second is AAC block infill.



So there for two types of infill material in which 6 models will be prepared in STAAD Pro. In this study G+5 storey building is considered for analysis which is located in zone IV earth quake region and zone II. Static analysis is done using pro software, soil conditions is to be medium and importance factor is to be taken as 1.2. various parameter studied like lateral displacement of building axial load in column story drift, story shear, base shear, moments diagrams for a particular beam for all two types of material and for all cases and weight calculations as per code IS 1893.[9]

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This article describes a design of two-stage differential amplifier with Cherry-Hooper amplifier stage and simple differential amplifier stage. The amplifier structure is designed and fabricated in 0.35  $\mu\text{m}$  Si Ge Bi CMOS technology and has been designed for 17 GHz bandwidth with 13 dB single-ended gain. The amplifier is powered by -3.3 V power supply with power consumption 550 mW. Time domain large signal single-ended output swing achieves 650 mVpp. The amplifier is primarily designed as a sensing element for specialized M-sequence couple antenna structure but is also suitable for output stage and UWB radar sensor applications.[10]

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Based on Ergonomics and the basic requirements of control panel design, this paper studied the computer-aided design method based on man-machine principle restraint with control panel modeling, color and other man-machine elements being chosen as research subjects. The study realized the restraint design from the product structure to size, ameliorated the human machine interactive relationship from the aspect of human physiological and psychological demands and improved the comprehensive quality of control panel.[11]

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A pneumatic diaphragm motor controlled by two PWM solenoid valves are studied . First, the characteristics of the PWM solenoid valve is investigated and a simplified mathematical model of the valve is presented . Second, a PWM control law is synthesized by considering the effects of the valve characteristics and the asymmetrical flow characteristics between the charging process and the discharging process of the system. The main parameters that influences the performance of the system are analyzed and their values are optimized experimentally. At last, the frequency response and the stiffness characteristics of the proposed system are obtained and the results show that the performance of the proposed system is better than the traditional one. These experiments verify the theoretical design work, and indicate that the PWM controlled pneumatic diaphragm motor is feasible for practical use.[12]

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A Solenoid valve Operating Life test system based on PLC was developed in order to examine the reliability and durability of a certain type solenoid valve, In this paper , not only structure and principle of the test system, but also hardware and Software design of the test system were illustrated in detail. The really applied result show that the test system can control test parameters quickly and accurately with features of high degree of automation, good reliability and easy to operate .And the test system provides a high-effect testing and researching platform for the development of high-performance Solenoid valves.[13]

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Autoclaved Aerated Concrete is a Low cost, Lightweight, Load- bearing, High-insulating, Durable building product, which is produced in a wide range of sizes and strength and used widely due to its low cost in earthquake prone area. In this study a 3D numerical model of AAC and Brick fully infill building and buildings having soft storey is constructed and performed the analysis by using software SAP 2000 (ver.16.0) using static nonlinear method.

This paper highlights the comparing and investigating the changes in structural behavior of AAC and Brick fully infill and building having soft storey subjected to seismic load. The result of the analysis for displacement base shear and storey drift have been studied and compared for all the structure models.[14]

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In many cases problems in silos may occur due to improper design of its geometry due to no consideration of The flow properties of the material. One of the factors that affect the flow properties of materials is the moisture content, which allows the formation of cohesive arches in the material inside the silo avoiding the desirable mass flow type. Therefore, this paper aims to analyze the flow properties of the product red mud, for different moisture, in order to provide a mass flow in conical silos. Initially, the flow properties of red mud are determined by laboratory testing using the Jenike cell, and then the design of the silo hopper is performed using Jenike and Enstad theories i.e. the minimum diameter and angle of inclination of the hopper are determined for each moisture level. In order to validate the theoretical results, experimental results were obtained in laboratory for red mud powder using silos with different hoppers.[15]

## Chapter 03

### **Design calculation:**

calculation of raw material required for 1 day to 5 day in AAC block manufacturing Plant for 20 cubic capacity

find out the raw material requirement for per day to for AAC block manufacturing plant 20 cubic meter

In 20 cb m production completed in 20 cycle each cycle is perform work in 1 cubic capacity.

1) for 1 cb m production requirement of raw material

1. Aluminium powder = 350 gm

2.gypsum = 7000gm

Soluble oil = 500ml

2) for 20 cbm/per day required is

$$350 \times 20 = 7000 \text{ gm} = 7 \text{ kg}$$

$$7 \times 20 = 140 \text{ kg}$$

$$500 \times 20 = 10 \text{ lit}$$

Also, we have to design System to store this material upto 5 days

For 5 days material required for

$$\text{Al powder} = 7 \times 5 = 35 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Gypsum} = 140 \times 5 = 700 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Sol Oil} = 10 \times 5 = 50 \text{ lit}$$

2) find out the design dimensions for making storage hoppers and transpernce cylindrical flask for soluble oil

i) Design hopper of Aluminium powder storage for 35 kg

given

Density of Aluminium powder =  $2700 \text{ kg/m}^3$  Mass of Aluminium powder 35 kg  
formula

volume of Al powder

$$V = \text{Mass/density}$$

$$V = 35 / 2700$$

$$V = 0.0296 \text{ m}^3$$

volume of Al powder is  $0.013 \text{ m}^3$

We have to design hopper in following terms and restrictions from industry.

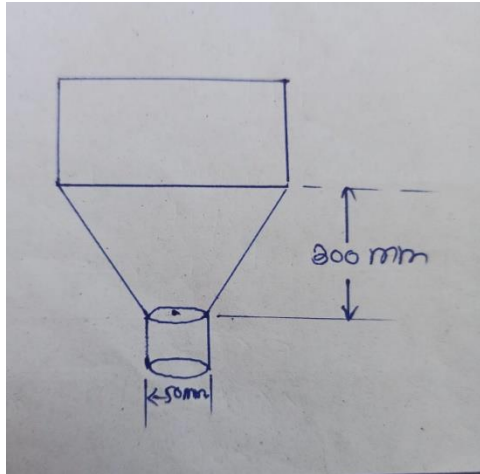


Fig.a

The volume of Al powder divided into 2 part

i) cylinder

ii) Cone

but we have decided from total volume two third portion will be in the cone/frustum

Volume of Al powder =  $0.013 \times \frac{2}{3} = 8.67 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$

Volume of frustum is formula.

$$V = \frac{3.14}{3} (R^2 + r^2 + Rr)$$

Given

$$Y = 25 \text{ mm} = 0.025 \text{ m}$$

$$h = 300 \text{ mm} = 0.3 \text{ m}$$

$$R = 2$$

$$V = \frac{3.14}{3} h (R^2 + r^2 + Rr)$$

$$8.67 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{3.14}{3} \times 0.3 (R^2 + (0.025)^2 + 0.025 R)$$

$$R = 0.152 \text{ m}$$

$$R = 152 \text{ mm.}$$

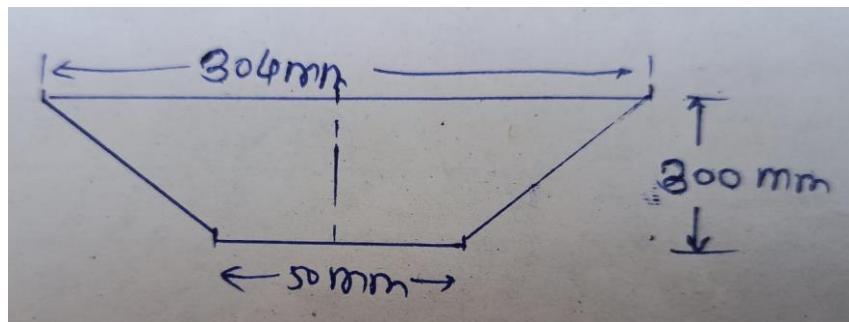


Fig.b

volume of Cylinder in remaining ore of volume of Al. powder is

$$\text{Volume of cylinder} = \pi r^2 h$$

but we have restricted height is 300 mm  $3.14 \times (0.152)^2 \times 0.3$

$$V = \pi r^2 h$$

$$V = 0.021 \text{ m}^3$$

Hence calculated volume is larger than required. So we have use fixed dimension.

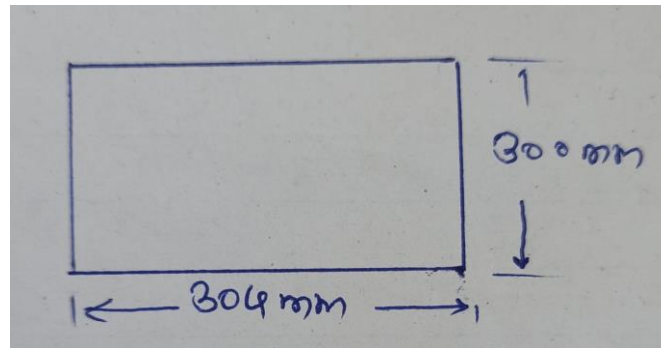


Fig.c

Final dimension of hopper of al powder is

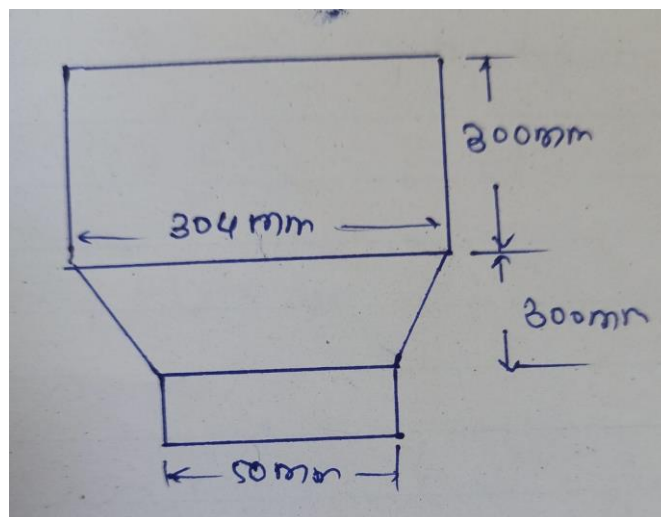


Fig.d

Design calculation for (gypsum hopper)

Given

density of gypsum is  $2960 \text{ kg/m}^3$  required storage capacity is 700 kg

$$M = 700 \text{ kg} \quad \rho = 2960 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$\text{Volume} = \text{Mass} / \text{density}$$

$$V = M / \rho$$

$$V = 700 / 2960$$

$$V = 0.235 \text{ m}^3$$

The volume of gypsum powder divided in 2 part

1. Cylinder

2. Cone

But we have decide from total volume of two third portion will be frustum  
volume of gypsum in frustum of cone  $\frac{2}{3}$  is

$$0.23 \times \frac{2}{3} = 0.15 \text{ m}^3$$

$$\text{volume of frustum of Cone} = \frac{3.14}{3} h(R^2 + r^2 + Rr)$$

given

$$h = 500 \text{ mm} = 0.5 \text{ m}$$

$$r = 0.05$$

$$V = \frac{3.14}{3} h(R^2 + r^2 + Rr)$$

$$0.15 = \frac{3.14}{3} \times 0.5 ((0.05)^2 + R^2 + 0.05R)$$

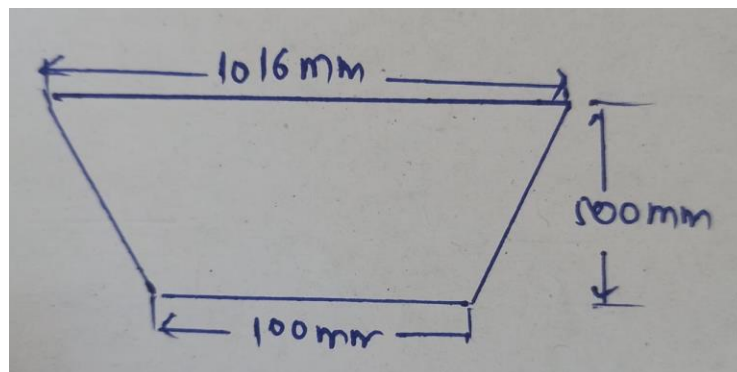


Fig.e

volume of Cylinder is

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \times \text{total volume}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \times 0.23 = 0.076$$

$$\text{volume of cylinder} = 3.14 r^2 h$$

$$= 3.14 \times (0.508)^2 \times 0.5$$

$$= 0.24$$

calculated volume is larger than required volume So we used to fixed dimension  
final dimension.

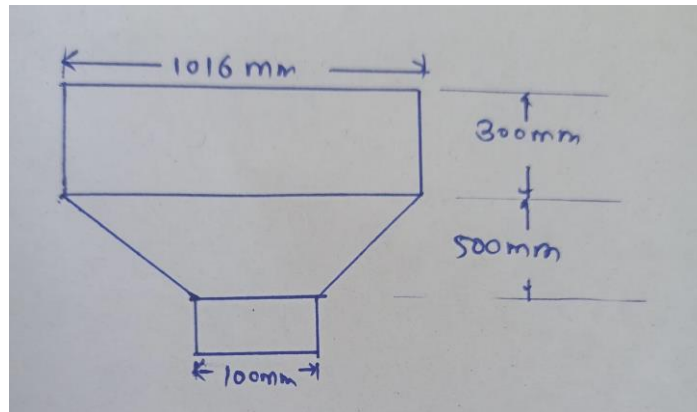


Fig.f

Design Calculation for storage for 50lit Soluble oil

Density of oil is  $870 \text{ kg/m}^3$

volume = mass / density

given

density=  $870 \text{ kg/m}^3$

$v = 50 / 870 = 0.057 \text{ m}^3$

volume of cylinder but restricted height is 500 mm

$V = \pi r^2 h$

$0.057 = 3.14 \times r^2 \times 0.5$

$r = 0.190 \text{ m}$

$r = 190 \text{ mm}$

Final dimension:

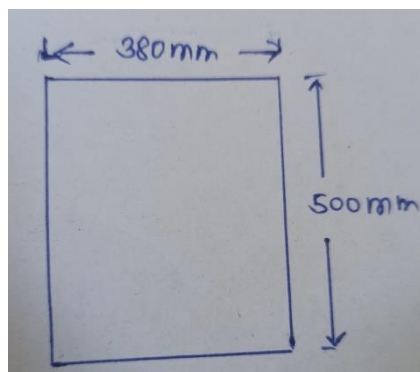


Fig.g



**Design Data:**



Fig.1

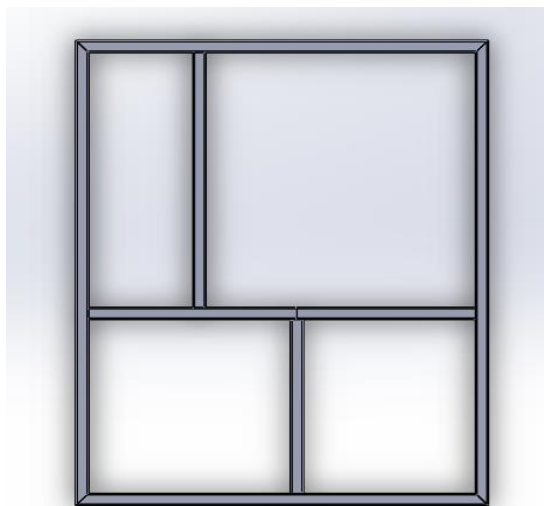


Fig.2

Current system of batching (mixing) plant

- 1.D 1500mm slurry hopper
2. D 1000mm cement & lime hopper

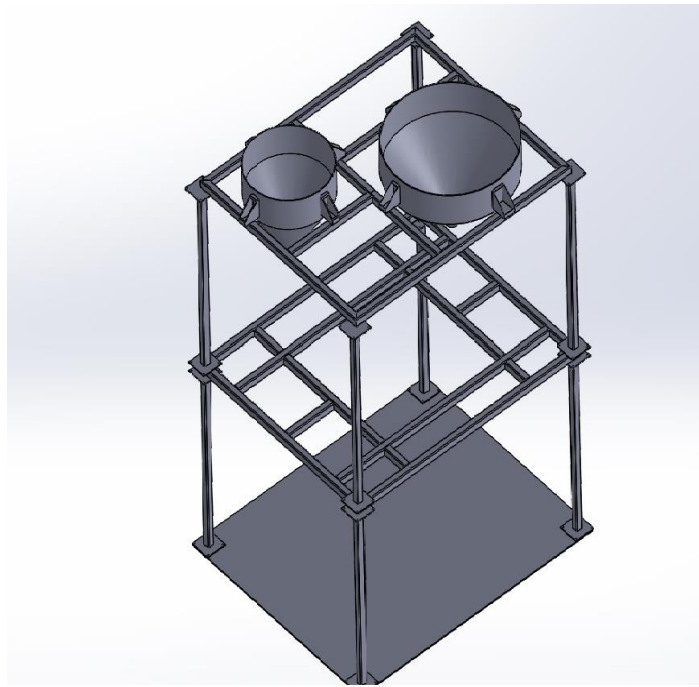


Fig.3

Design hopper for storage of 35 to 40kg aluminum powder

Volume for 35 kg storage al powder is 0.13cb m.

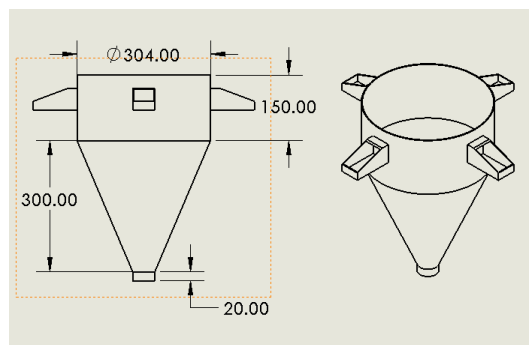


Fig.4

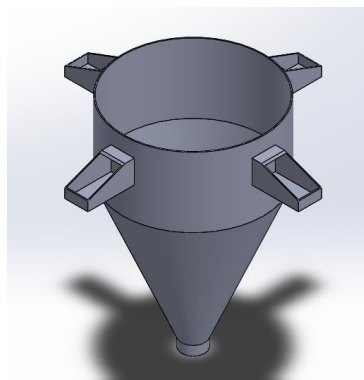


Fig.4.1

Design hopper storage of 700 to 750 kg gypsum powder  
 Volume for 700kg storage of gypsum powder is 0.23cbm

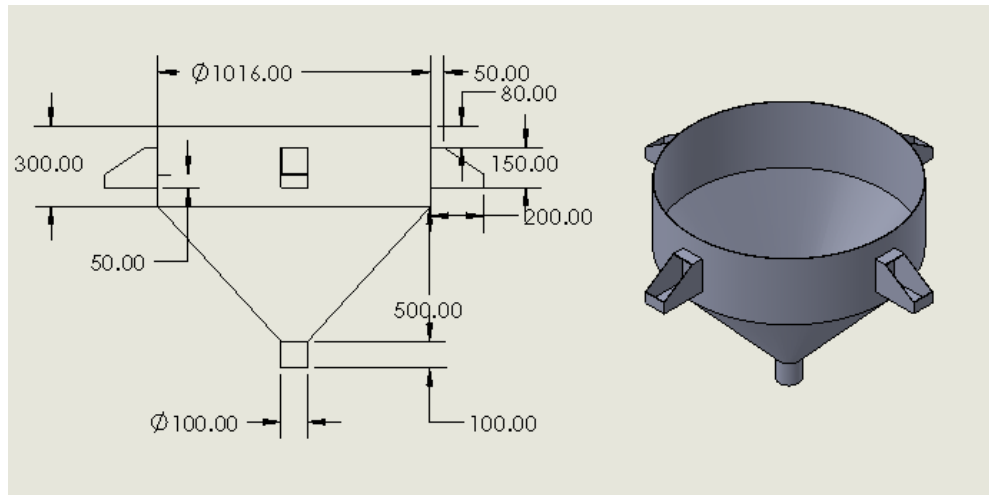


Fig.5

50 lit capacity storage tank of soluble oil.

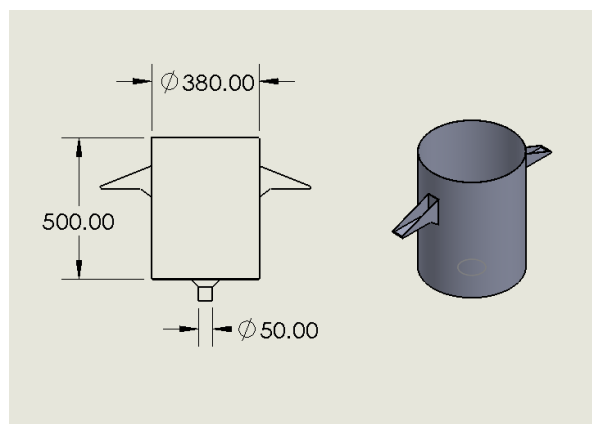


Fig.6

Design of cylindrical flask for proper al & gypsum content

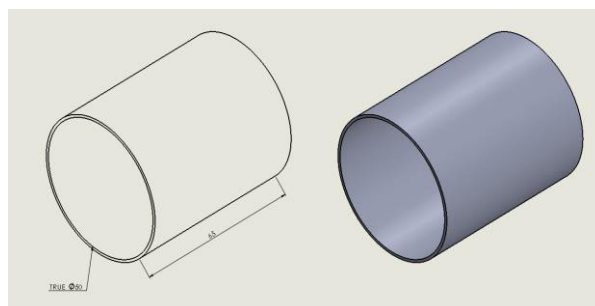


Fig.7

350 gm capacity flask of al powder.

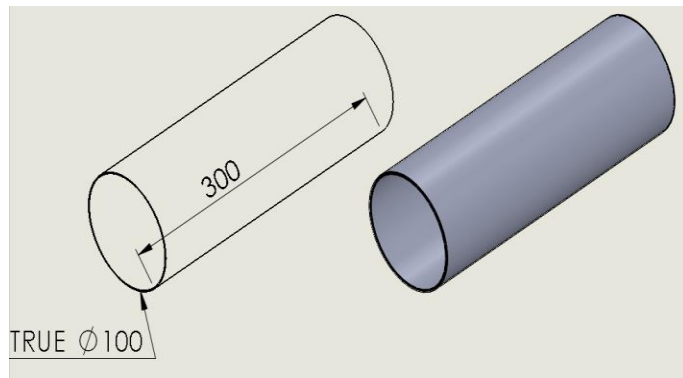


Fig.8

7kg capacity flask of gypsum powder.

### Electrical actuators and control panel system:

1. Sliding valve
2. Solenoid valve
3. Control panel system



Fig.9

### Solenoid valve:

Solenoid valves are control unit which electrically energized or de-energized, either shut off or allow fluid flow. its works by producing an electromagnetic field around a movable core called Armature its opens and closes valves or switches and turn electrical energy into mechanical energy.



Fig.10

**Control panel system:**

Control panel is an enclosure, typically a metal box or plastic moulding which contains important electrical components that control and monitor a number of mechanical process.

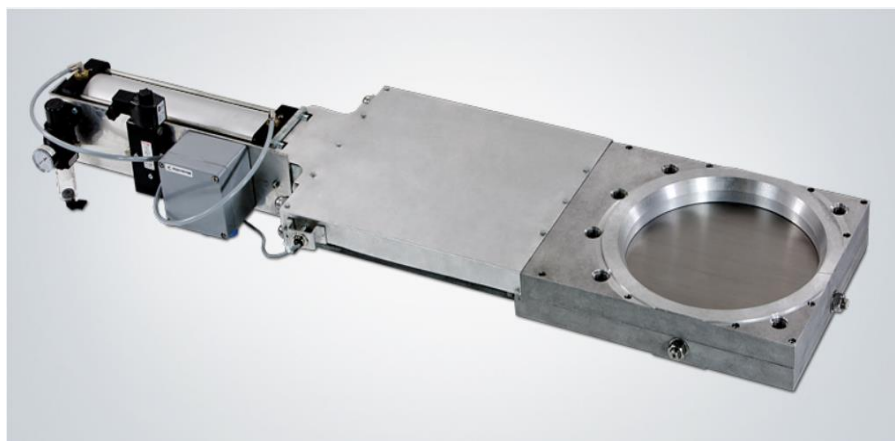


Fig.11

**Sliding valve:**

Sliding valves that opens and close a passageway by sliding over a port specially such a valve often used in steam engines for admitting steam to the piston and release it.

Slides Valves are used where flow of a powdery or granular material caused by gravity or conveying has to be intercepted. Slide valves may be fitted on a hopper or silo outlet, on inlets and outlets of mechanical conveyors, as well as on the inlet of telescopic loading spouts. For conveyor outlets in particular, the VLS version with integrated pneumatic actuator is a valid option due to its compact overall dimensions.

**Features:**

- 1.Easy to handle
- 2.Highly abrasion-resistant
- 3.Easy and quick to fit
- 4.Safe sealing with no additional measures due to the all-round dustproof seal lips integrated into the polymer coating
- 5.Valve frames entirely coated with SINT engineering polymer composite (food-grade, FDA/EN-approved on request)
- 6.Absence of pinch points and exposed moving parts ensures safe operation
- 7.Horizontal or vertical mounting
- 8.Efficient sealing against fine powders and dust
- 9.Integrated service inlet to deflect material away from seals and rollers, thus reducing wear
- 10.Interchangeable actuators: manual, pneumatic, electric gear motor.

**Final view Project:**

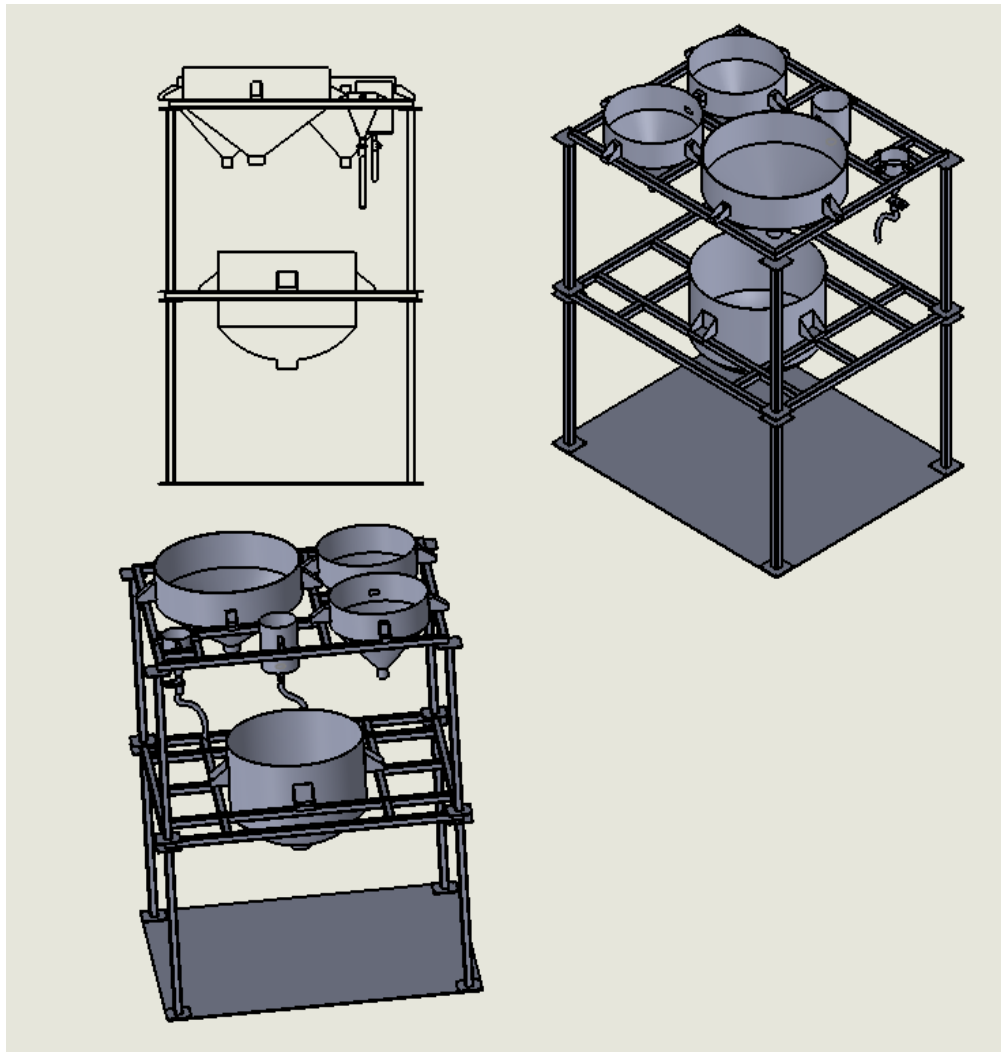


Fig.12

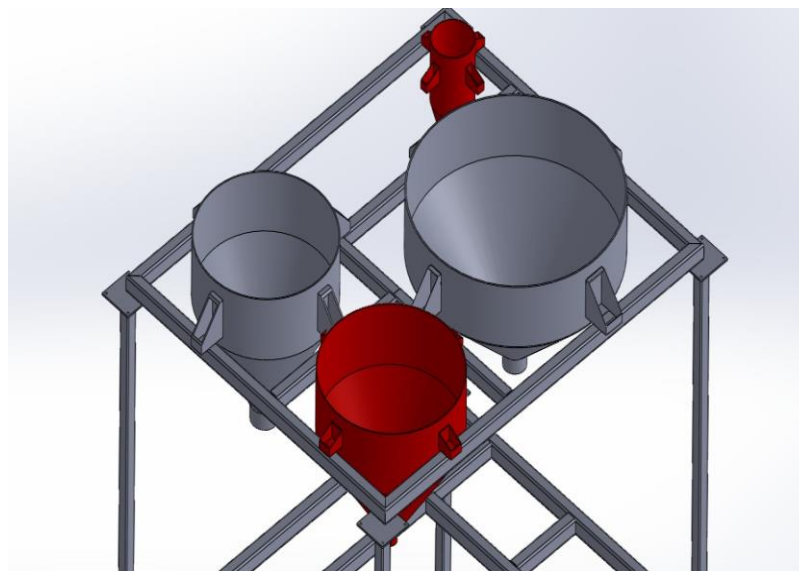


Fig.13

## Chapter 04

### Time study sheet

Department- AAC Factory			Section – Block production	
Operation -Start to End			Sheet no -01	
Plant – Batching Plant			Date-15 March 2022	
Machine No-01			Studied by-	Shubham Jadhav
Tools & gauges- Stop watch measuring instrument				Vasant Jadhav
				Omkar Thorat
				Shubham Thorat
			CKD BY	Mr.Sanjay Harne
Sr no	Discription	Observed Time (min)	Average Time	Time After the installation of automatic feeding system (approximate)
1	1 <sup>st</sup> feeding cycle	8 min	8 min	4 To 5 min per feeding cycle 32
2	2 <sup>nd</sup> feeding cycle	9 min		
3	3 <sup>rd</sup> feeding cycle	7 min		
4	4 <sup>th</sup> feeding cycle	9 min		
5	5 <sup>th</sup> feeding cycle	7 min		
Visiting Place			Green Life AAC Block Manufacturing Ltd.( Undri,Pune.)	



## Chapter 05

### **Result:**

1. Reduce the time in raw material feeding cycle
2. Human work is decreases
3. Automation work is less time consumed than the previous method
4. Working is simple and systematic

## Chapter 06

### **Conclusion:**

- 1.Reduce cycle time of batching system hence increase in productivity of overall system
- 2.Reduce the human interaction with the system hence failure in production or in recipe will be lesser.
- 3.We can achieve desire strength repeatedly.
- 4.Initial investment is little high but by considering this project for long term, it will always on beneficial side.

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