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### General Part

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Manufacturing plant

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Centrilit NC II - Powder

Calcined Layer Silicate Based Type II Addition

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## Specific part

### 1 Technical description of the product

The calcined layer silicate based type II addition "Centrilit NC II - Powder" is a finely divided powder. The calcined layer silicate is produced of layer silicate by a specific thermal and mechanical process. It consists essentially of  $\text{SiO}_2$  and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ . The content of reactive  $\text{SiO}_2$ , as defined and described in EN 197-1<sup>1</sup>, amounts to at least 25 % by mass acc. to EN 450-1<sup>2</sup>.

### 2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European Assessment Document

The calcined layer silicate "Centrilit NC II - Powder" is a type II addition (pozzolanic) for production of concrete, including in particular cast-in-situ or prefabricated structural concrete conforming to European standard EN 206<sup>3</sup>.

It is also intended to use calcined layer silicate "Centrilit NC II - Powder" in mortars and grouts.

From EN 206 all strength classes and consistency classes apply. All exposure classes are included. Calcined layer silicate "Centrilit NC II - Powder" is intended to be used in combination with Portland cement (CEM I) or Portland-composite cement (CEM II/A-S, CEM II/B-S, CEM II/A-LL) or blast-furnace cement (CEM III/A).

The recommended maximum dosage of calcined layer silicate "Centrilit NC II - Powder" is 11 % by cement mass.

The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of concrete incorporating the calcined layer silicate "Centrilit NC II - Powder" of at least 50 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

<sup>1</sup> EN 197-1

Cement — Part 1: Composition, specification and conformity criteria for common cements

<sup>2</sup> EN 450-1

Fly ash for concrete — Part 1: Definition, specifications and conformity criteria

<sup>3</sup> EN 206

Concrete — Specification, performance, production and conformity

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**3 Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment****Table 1 Mechanical resistance and stability (BWR 1)**

Essential characteristic	Performance
Sulfate content ( $\text{SO}_3$ )	0,03 - 0,07 % by mass
Silicon dioxide content ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	52 - 62 % by mass
Aluminium oxide content ( $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ )	32 - 41 % by mass
Chloride content (Cl)	$\leq 0,02$ % by mass
Loss on ignition	0,9 – 1,4 % by mass
Total content of alkalis	0,40 – 1,20 % by mass
Content of soluble alkalis	$\leq 0,003$ % by mass
Sieve residue on 200 $\mu\text{m}$ sieve	$\leq 0,01$ % by mass
Specific surface	16,5 – 19,5 $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$
Fineness	9 – 18 % by mass
Initial setting time	Control Mix: 155 min Test Mix: $\leq 190$ min
Soundness	$\leq 0,6$ mm
Relative compressive strength (of mortar) at 28 days	See Annex A, Table 2
Analysis of the pore-solution	See Annex A, Table 3
Content of $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$	See Annex A, Table 4
Compressive strength of concrete	See Annex A, Table 5
Carbonation of concrete	See Annex A, Table 6
Freeze-thaw resistance	See Annex A, Table 7
Resistance against chloride penetration	See Annex A, Table 8
Shrinkage	See Annex A, Table 9

**4 Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied, with reference to its legal base**

In accordance with EAD No. 260014-00-0301, the applicable European legal act is: 1999/469/EC(EU).

The system to be applied is: 1+

**5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable EAD**

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

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**Table 2:** Relative compressive strength at 28 days

Cement	Calcined layer silicate-sample				
	M1	M2	M3	M4	M5
CEM I 42,5 R	103 %	110 %	92 %	103 %	101 %
CEM I 42,5 R	125 %	122 %	139 %	132 %	125 %
CEM I 42,5 N-NA	112 %	102 %	104 %	107 %	108 %
CEM II/B-S 32,5 R	98 %	95 %	94 %	93 %	89 %
CEM III/A 32,5 N	87 %	89 %	82 %	93 %	97 %

**Table 3a:** Analysis of the pore-solution (with calcined layer silicate sample M3)

Testing age	days	Cement paste										
		I	II	I	II	I	II	I	II	I	II	
Na <sup>+</sup>	mmol/l	73,9	40,7	71,3	38,9	82,5	41,5	83,3	46,4	75,5	41,2	
		191	112	190	114	177	103	187	104	184	107	
		3,46	1,81	2,55	1,14	2,56	1,38	2,86	1,65	2,15	1,44	
pH value	-	13,5	13,2	13,4	13,1	13,1	12,9	13,7	13,1	13,2	13,1	
Ks <sub>8,2</sub>	mmol/l	255	123	244	135	251	125	277	135	243	137	
		272	161	262	146	266	145	277	149	265	149	
Cement paste I = without addition												
Cement paste II = with calcined layer silicate sample M3												

**Table 3b:** Analysis of the pore-solution (with calcined layer silicate sample M5)

Testing age	days	Cement paste										
		I	II	I	II	I	II	I	II	I	II	
Na <sup>+</sup>	mmol/l	73,9	38,6	71,3	38,8	82,5	42,6	83,3	41,0	75,5	42,4	
		191	114	190	101	177	106	187	104	184	108	
		3,46	1,25	2,55	1,26	2,56	1,41	2,86	1,32	2,15	1,60	
pH value	-	13,5	13,3	13,4	13,4	13,1	13,0	13,7	13,1	13,2	13,1	
Ks <sub>8,2</sub>	mmol/l	255	143	244	140	251	143	277	137	243	141	
		272	165	262	151	266	150	277	148	265	154	
Cement paste I = without addition												
Cement paste II = with calcined layer silicate sample M5												

**Table 4a:** Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub>-content of cement paste without addition and with calcined layer silicate sample M3 after 7, 28 and 90 days

Sample	Testing age	Mean value
	days	% by mass
Cement paste I (without addition)	7	8,4
Cement paste II (with addition M3)		4,9
Cement paste I (without addition)	28	8,4
Cement paste II (with addition M3)		4,9
Cement paste I (without addition)	90	9,1
Cement paste II (with addition M3)		4,9

**Table 4b:** Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub>-content of cement paste without addition and with calcined layer silicate sample M5 after 7, 28 and 90 days

Sample	Testing age	Mean value
	days	% by mass
Cement paste I (without addition)	7	8,4
Cement paste II (with addition M5)		5,6
Cement paste I (without addition)	28	8,4
Cement paste II (with addition M5)		4,7
Cement paste I (without addition)	90	9,1
Cement paste II (with addition M5)		4,5

**Table 5:** Fresh concrete properties and compressive strength

Property	Unit	Concrete Ia (without addition)	Concrete Ib (with calcined layer silicate sample M3)	Concrete Ib (with calcined layer silicate sample M5)
Slump	mm	385	390	395
Air content	%	1,1	1,2	1,1
7 d compressive strength	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	50,1	54,0	52,9
28 d compressive strength	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	59,9	66,9	67,0
90 d compressive strength	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	65,0	70,4	69,4

**Table 6a:** Carbonation depth, compressive strength and carbonation speed of concrete IIa without addition and concrete IIb with calcined layer silicate sample M3

	Carbonation depth			
	Concrete IIa	Concrete IIb	Concrete IIa	Concrete IIb
Storage	water storage 7 days		water storage 28 days	
14 days	0,5	0,9	0,5	0,5
28 days	1,3	1,5	0,6	0,8
56 days	1,8	1,8	1,3	1,5
98 days	2,7	3,1	1,9	2,3
140 days	3,0	3,5	2,3	3,0
1 a	5,0	5,9	3,7	5,1
2 a	8,2	7,8	5,6	6,9
Compressive strength [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]				
after storage in water	28,4	32,0	42,8	45,8
$v_c$ [mm·d <sup>-0,5</sup> ]	0,3064	0,3284	0,2375	0,3140

**Table 6b:** Carbonation depth, compressive strength and carbonation speed of concrete IIa without addition and concrete IIb with calcined layer silicate sample M5

	Carbonation depth			
	Concrete IIa	Concrete IIb	Concrete IIa	Concrete IIb
Storage	water storage 7 days		water storage 28 days	
14 days	0,5	0,8	0,5	0,5
28 days	1,3	1,4	0,6	0,9
56 days	1,8	1,7	1,3	1,5
98 days	2,7	2,9	1,9	2,3
140 days	3,0	3,6	2,3	2,8
1 a	5,0	5,1	3,7	5,0
2 a	8,2	8,1	5,6	6,8
Compressive strength [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]				
after storage in water	28,4	31,1	42,8	46,3
$v_c$ [mm·d <sup>-0,5</sup> ]	0,3064	0,3425	0,2375	0,2893

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Results of performance assessment

Annex A  
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**Table 7a:** Scaling

Scaling after .... freeze thaw cycles	Concrete without addition	Concrete with calcined layer silicate sample M3	Concrete with calcined layer silicate sample M5
			[g/m <sup>2</sup> ]
4	20,9	14,5	-
6	-	-	40,7
8	35,6	28,5	-
12	-	-	72,3
14	51,3	45,9	-
16	-	-	89,4
18	66,2	58,6	-
20	-	-	103,2
22	94,0	75,2	-
28	164,4	97,9	130,9

**Table 7b:** Relative dynamic modulus of elasticity (RDM)

Freeze thaw cycles	Concrete without addition	Concrete with calcined layer silicate sample M3	Concrete with calcined layer silicate sample M5
0	100	100	100
4	92,9	94,6	-
6	-	-	96,6
8	92,3	95,8	-
12	-	-	95,2
14	72,1	95,1	-
16	-	-	95,8
18	65,1	94,2	-
20	-	-	96,0
22	54,9	96,1	-
28	44,3	95,3	96,4

**Table 8:** Chloride migration coefficients after 35 and 97 days

	Chloride migration coefficient after							
	35 days		97 days					
	single value		mean value	single value		mean value		
$10^{-12} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$								
Concrete without addition	23,8	23,2	23,4	23,5	51,6	54,9	51,9	52,8
Concrete with addition M3	8,3	7,8	7,1	7,7	6,9	6,3	6,3	6,5
Concrete with addition M5	7,3	6,8	7,5	7,2	6,5	6,3	6,5	6,4

**Table 9:** Shrinkage

Storage duration	Concrete without addition	Concrete with calcined layer silicate sample M3	Concrete with calcined layer silicate sample M5
days	mm/m		
1	-0,001	-0,010	-0,001
2	-0,009	-0,019	-0,007
3	-0,007	-0,018	-0,002
7	-0,028	-0,033	-0,027
14	-0,057	-0,065	-0,073
28	-0,097	-0,099	-0,103
56	-0,189	-0,170	-0,170
90	-0,280	-0,234	-0,225
180	-0,357	-0,286	-0,284
270	-0,412	-0,340	-0,328
360	-0,470	-0,396	-0,365