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**Development of Eco-friendly Controlled Low-Strength Material Utilizing
Fresh Concrete Waste and By-Products**

生コンクリートの廃棄物や副産物を活用した環境負荷低減型のCLSMの開発

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CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- **Controlled Low-Strength Materials (CLSM):** Self-consolidating material for backfill.
- The vast global concrete production is estimated at **25 billion tons annually**.
- It is estimated over **125 million tons of returned concrete (RC)** are generated annually.
- Disposal of **RC** has a heavy impact on the environment (**267 kg of CO₂ eq./m³**).
- The cost of disposal of RC in urban areas can range from **3500-4500 yen/m³** [1]
- Recycling RC **conserves aggregates** and cuts **disposal costs**, offering **economic benefits**.
- The **economic and environmental** benefits and impact are **insufficiently quantified**.

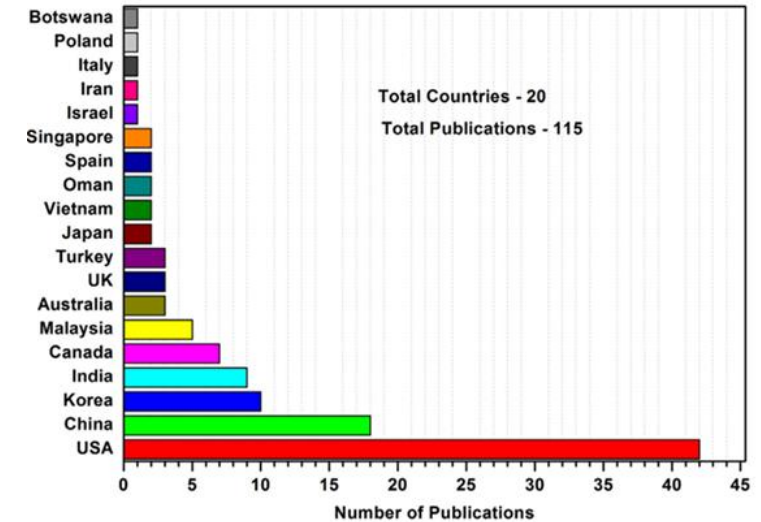


Fig. 2 Country-wise CLSM articles (Ling et al. 2018)



Fig. 3 RC and utility backfilling (NRMCA)

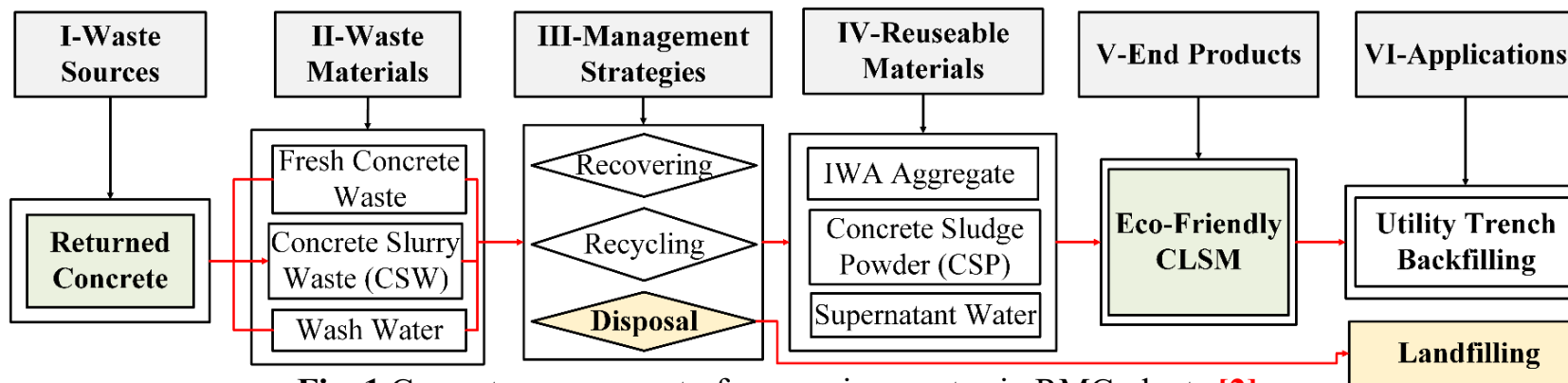


Fig. 1 Current management of processing wastes in RMC plants [2]



GENERAL OBJECTIVE

- ❖ To develop an **optimized**, **excavatable**, and **eco-friendly** Controlled Low-Strength Material (CLSM) for backfilling buried pipes, utilizing fresh concrete waste along with industrial by-product materials.

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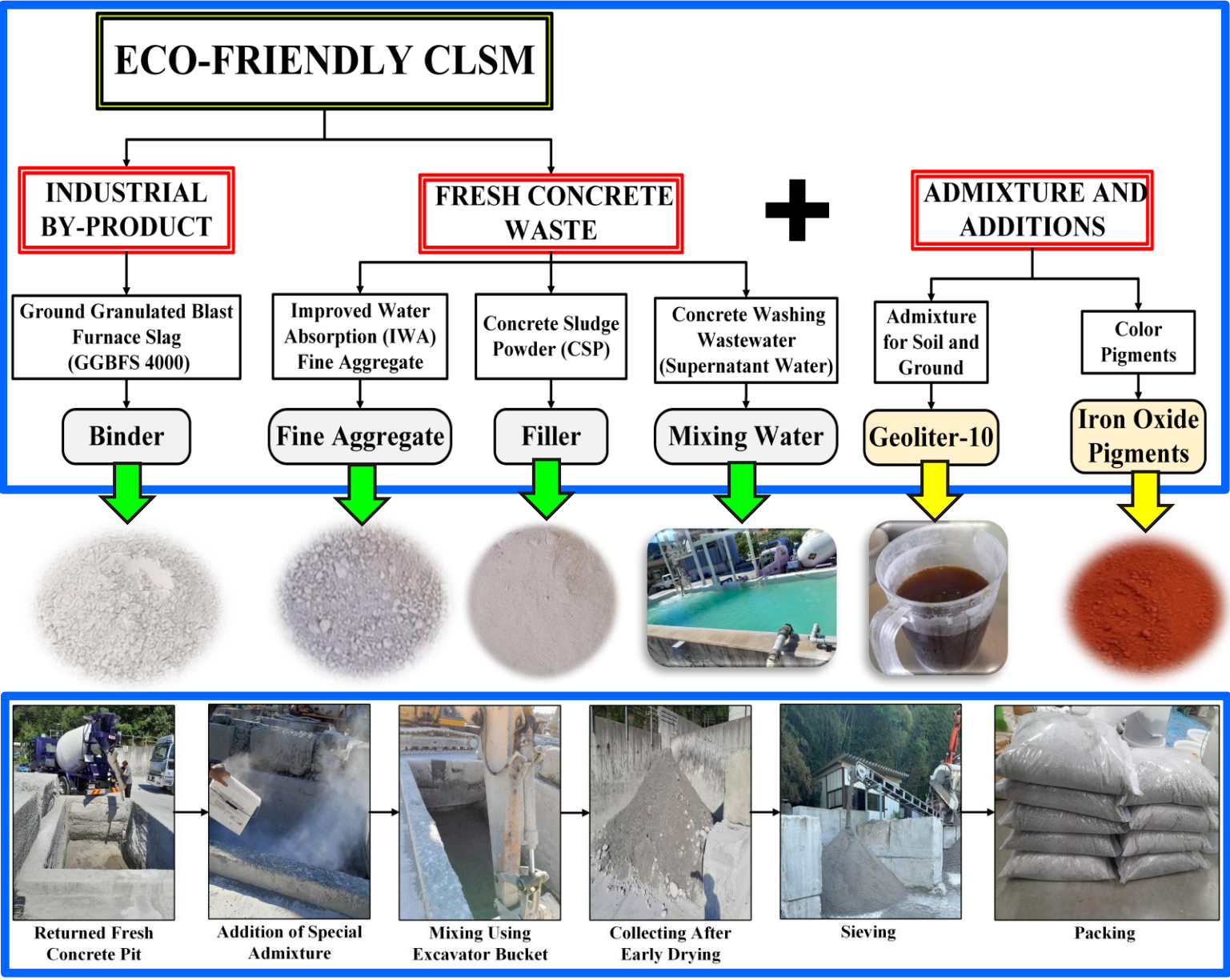


Fig. 4 IWA fine aggregate production [1]

Table 1: Test methods for Fresh, Hardened and Durability of eco-friendly CLSM

Categories	Property	Test Methods
Fresh CLSM Test Methods	Sampling	ASTM D 5971
	Flowability	JHS A 313-1992
	Bleeding	JSCE F 522
	Wet Density	Constant Volume Method
	Air Content	JIS A 1128
	Hardening time	JIS A 1147
	UCS	JIS A 1216
	Excavatability	Technical Manual and ACI-229R-13
	Permeability	JIS A 1218
	Wet-dry cycles	ASTM D559
Durability Test Methods	Leaching test	JIS K 0102 65.2

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General criteria and requirements [1-2]

Application: Eco-Friendly Excavatable CLSM for backfilling buried pipes

Target Performance as per PWRI's Technical Manual For Fluidized Soil and ACI Guidelines:

- **Flowability:** 140 mm or more
- **Bleeding:** less than 3%
- **Wet density:** 1.40 g/cm³ or more
- **28-day Unconfined Compressive Strength (UCS) :** [200-600 kN/m²]
- **Backhoe excavatability UCS:** [500-1000 kN/m²]
- **Hardening:** at least 130 kN/m² under roads and 50 kN/m² under sidewalks when open to traffic
- **Maximum particle size:** 13mm
- **Easy to re-excavate**—manually or mechanically
- **Removability Modulus (RE):** 1 or less
- **Hexavalent Chromium content:** 0.05mg/L or less

GENERAL METHODOLOGY FOR THE MIX DESIGN AND MIXTURE PROPORTIONS

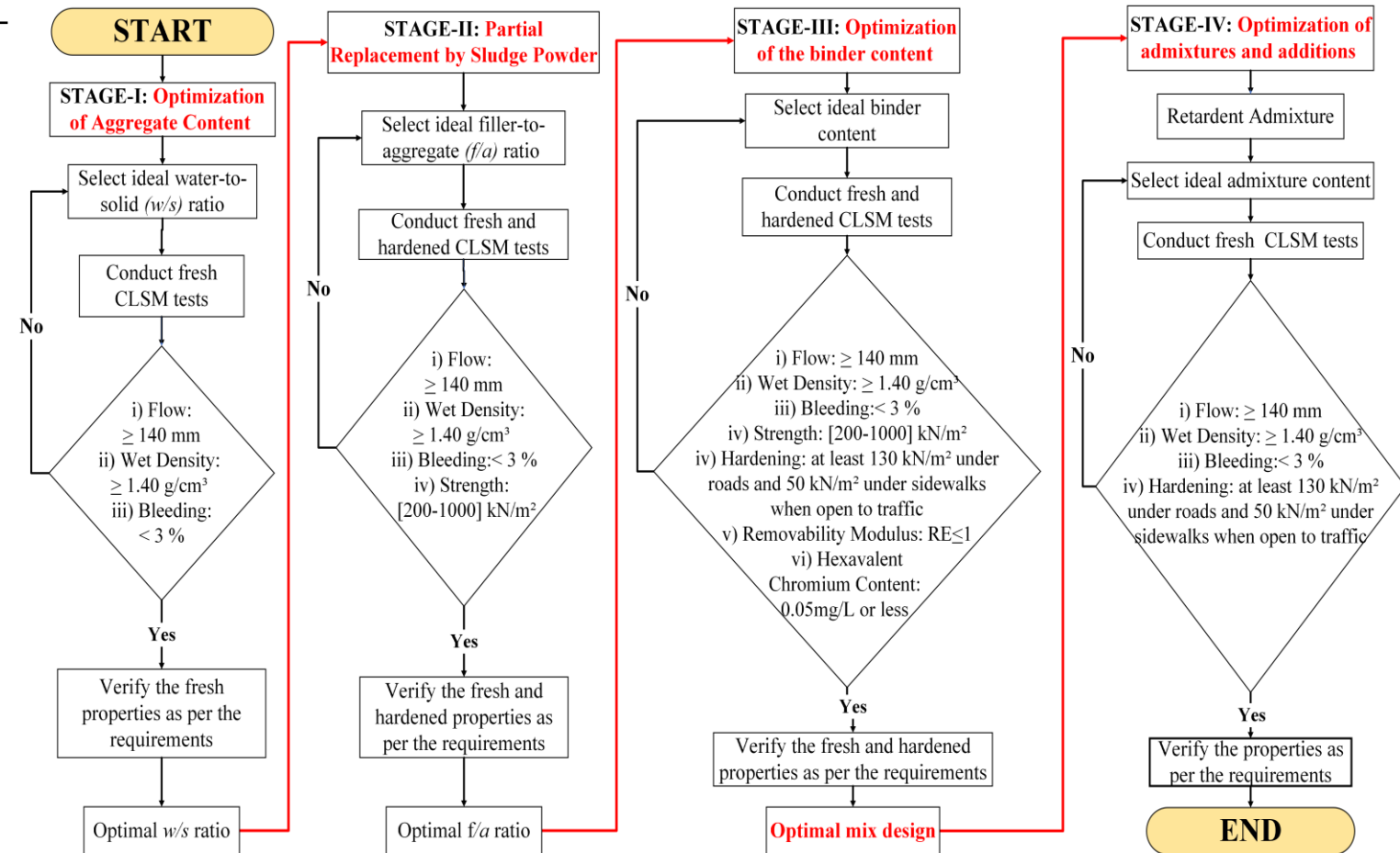


Fig. 5 General methodology for the mix design

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[2] Public Works Research Institute; Technical Manual for Liquefied Stabilized Soil (in Japanese), 2nd ed.; Gihodo Publishing Co., Ltd.: Tokyo, Japan, 2007.

STAGE-I OPTIMIZATION OF AGGREGATE

- **Maximized flow** targeted to ensure adequate water content.
- Higher w/s ratios **increase the average flowability**.
- As the w/s ratio increased, the **wet density** decreased.
- Higher w/s ratios resulted in an **increased bleeding rate**.
- The **bleeding rate** surpassed the target of 3% at a w/s of 24 %.
- A **w/s ratio of 22%** was determined to be the **optimal w/s ratio**.

Table 2:Effects of w/s on fresh properties

Stage-I Eco-Friendly CLSM Mixtures					Fresh Properties			
w/s (%)	GGBFS	IWA fine aggregate	Supernatant Water	Air (%)	Wet Density (g/cm³)	Flow (mm)	Bleeding (%)	
		(kg/m³)					3hrs	24hrs
18	50	1378	264	3.9	1.87	192.5	1.87	0.47
21	50	1345	286	3.4	1.84	211	2.41	1.92
22	50	1315	307	2.8	1.83	223.5	2.45	1.96
24	50	1282	326	2.5	1.81	232.5	3.83	3.35

STAGE-II PARTIAL REPLACEMENT BY CSP

- Targeted to **maximize CSP utilization** for improved **stability**.
- **Stage-II** focused on the **fresh** and **hardened** properties.
- Higher f/a **reduced flowability**, requiring additional water.
- As the f/a increased, **wet density** decreased.
- **Bleeding rate decreased** with higher f/a, fall below the target.
- Stage-II showed that up to **20% CSP filler was** utilized.

Table 3:Effects of f/a on fresh properties

f/a (%)	Fresh Properties			
	Wet Density (g/cm³)	Flow (mm)	Bleeding (%)	
			3hrs	24hrs
0	1.83	223.5	2.45	1.96
10	1.81	186.5	1.92	0.96
15	1.78	174	1.55	0.52
20	1.75	169	0.91	0.46
25	1.73	109	0.48	0.00

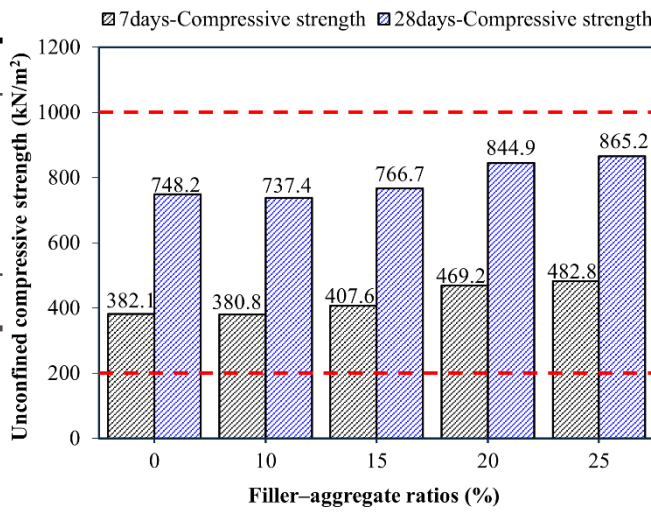


Fig. 6 Effects of f/a on unconfined compressive strength (UCS)

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- The eco-friendly CLSM is deemed excavable either **manually** or **mechanically**.
- **Optimal binder content** must meet all three key requirements below:
 - 1) A 28-day strength of 200–1000 kN/m² was targeted to ensure re-excavation.
 - 2) Removability modulus (RE) ≤ 1 was used to assess future excavatability (1)
 - 3) Long-term strength at 56 and 91 days targeted to confirm excavatability.
- ❖ 30 kg/m³ binder meets the RE (0.46) but fails 28-day and long-term strength.
- ❖ 40 kg/m³ binder meets RE (0.67), 28-day (281.9), and long-term strength.
- ❖ 50 kg/m³ binder meets 28-day (835.8) and long-term strength, but fails RE.
- ❖ 60 kg/m³ binder fails to meet RE(1.30), 28-day, and long-term strength.
- The study determined that **40 kg/m³ of GGBFS** was the **optimal binder content**.



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Fig. 7 Underground Leak



Fig. 8 Manual Excavation
(Nagaoka RMC)



Fig. 9 Mechanical Excavation
(NRMCA)

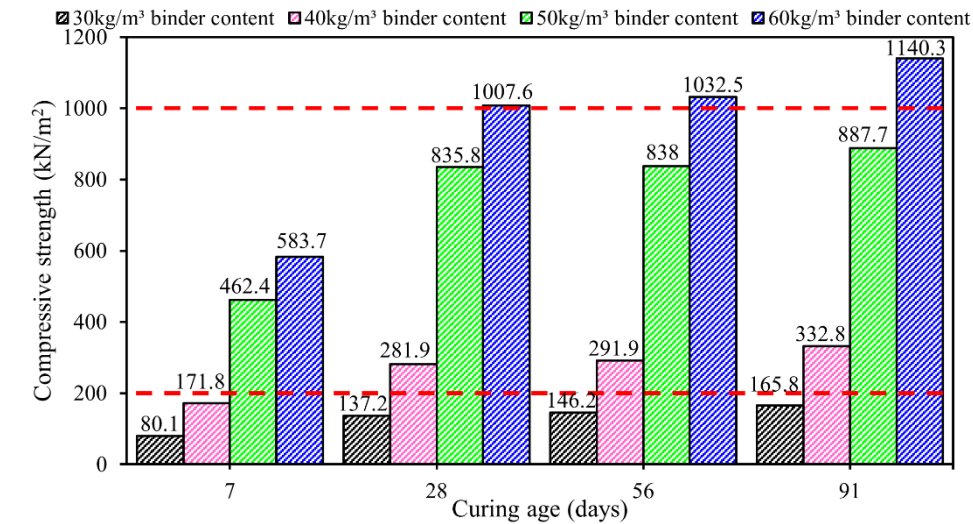


Fig. 10 Binder content effects on the UCS

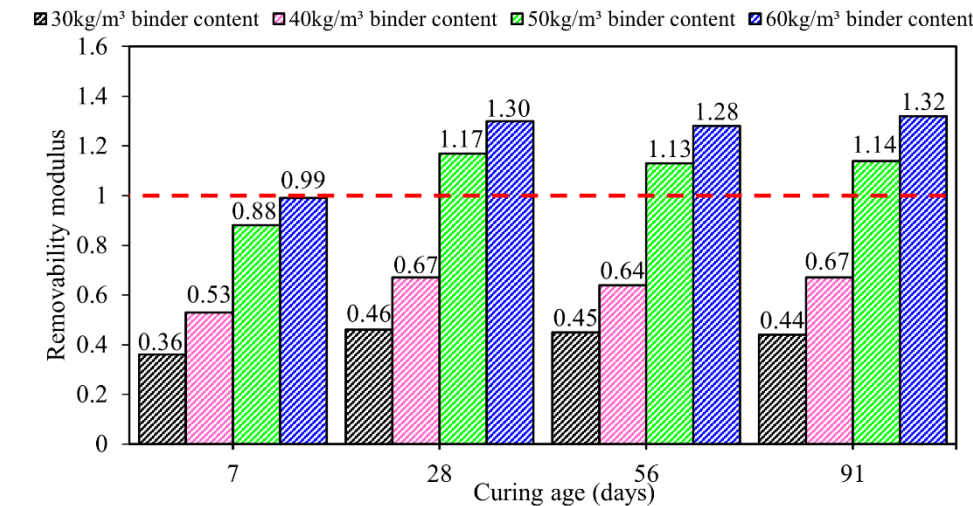


Fig. 11 Binder content effects on the RE

$$RE = \frac{W^{1.5} \times 0.619 \times C^{0.5}}{10^6} \dots\dots\dots \text{Eq. (1)}$$

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- To determine the **effects of super-retardant admixture** on the workability.
- Geoliter-10 (**0%, 2.5%, 5%, 7.5%, and 10%**) of optimal binder at 1.5 hours.
- As the Geoliter-10 admixture dosage increased, the **hardening was delayed**.
- Its dispersing effect **enhances the workability** by **reducing the viscosity**.
- Improving **flow and wet density** without significantly increasing **bleeding**.
- Geoliter-10 can effectively control hardening delay by adjusting the dosage.

Table 4: Mixture proportions of Stage-IV

Geoliter-10 content (%)	Eco-Friendly CLSM Mixtures				
	GGBFS	CSP	IWA Fine Aggregate	Supernatant Water	Geoliter-10 (Binder*%)
	(kg/m³)				
0	40	246	984	347	-
2.5	40	246	984	346	1
5	40	246	984	345	2
7.5	40	246	984	344	3
10	40	246	984	343	4

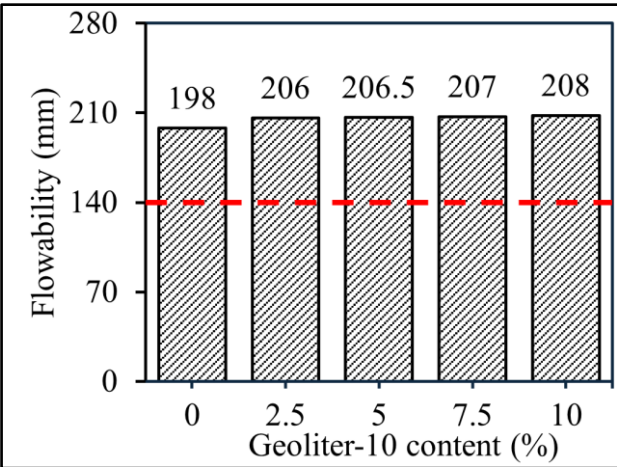


Fig. 12 Effects of geoliter-10 content on flowability

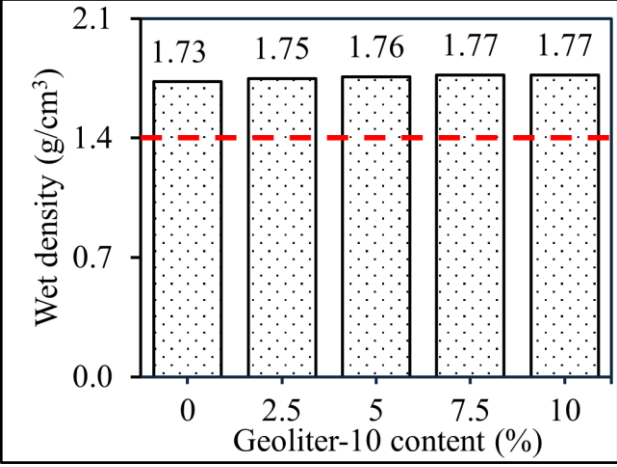


Fig. 13 Effects of geoliter-10 content on wet density

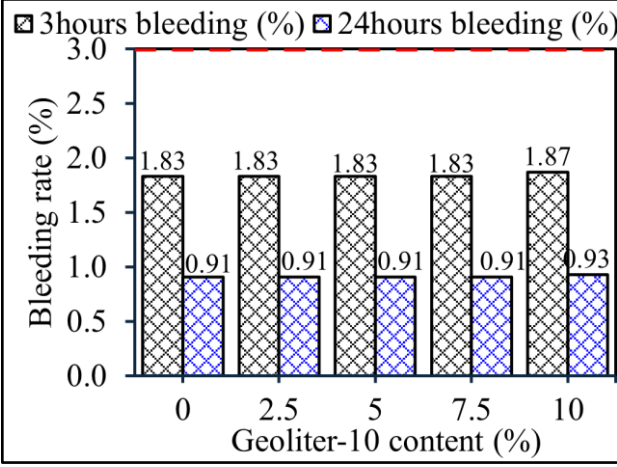


Fig. 14 Effects of geoliter-10 content on bleeding

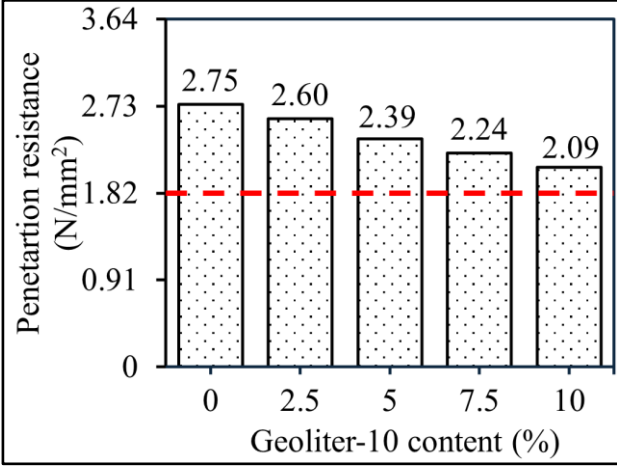


Fig. 15 Effects of geoliter-10 content on hardening time

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WET-DRY CYCLES

- Effect of wetting and drying cycles on **mass** and **strength loss**.
- The 28-day mass loss at each cycle ranged from **0.65%-11.77%**.
- Compared to the **initial**, the **residual UCS** is reduced by **26.75%**.
- After **12 wet-dry cycles**, the eco-friendly CLSM still meets the minimum strength for buried pipe backfilling (**206.49 kN/m²**).

HEXAVALENT CHROMIUM

- A key environmental concern in **concrete recycling** is **Cr(VI)**
- A leaching test was conducted on an **optimal binder**.
- Leaching of **Cr(VI) minimization** is needed for **on-site**.
- Utilization of GGBFS minimizes the leaching of **Cr(VI)**.

Table 5: Leaching of hexavalent chromium detection

Heavy metal element	Detected value with different binders (mg / L)				Environment al quality standards for soil (mg / L)
	CLSM with GGBFS (This study)	CLSM with OPC [2]	CLSM with BFS cement Type B [2]	CLSM with BFS cement Type B [3]	
Cr(VI)	0.007	0.13	0.02	0.05	≤ 0.05

❖ The study found that **leaching of hexavalent chromium (Cr(VI))** can be controlled to less than the environmental quality standards for soil when GGBFS binder is used.



Fig. 16 Wetting-drying cycles [Specimens-wetting in water tank-drying in oven]

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**GOAL AND
SCOPE
DEFINITION
(ISO 14041)****Purpose of the study:**

- 🎯 To assess and compare the potential environmental impacts of **three backfill materials**.
- 🔍 To identify key phases and processes contributing the most.

System boundaries: ⚙️ Extraction, transportation, production, and installation

Functional Unit (FU): ⚖️ FU in this study is **1 linear meter of trench**

**LIFE CYCLE
INVENTORY
(LCI)
(ISO 14041)**

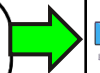
📊 Preparation of **Inventory Data** for Environmental Performance Evaluation of Concrete and Concrete Structures (**Kawai et al., 2005**) and (**Kawai et al., 2010**)

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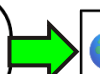
**LIFE CYCLE
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(LCIA)
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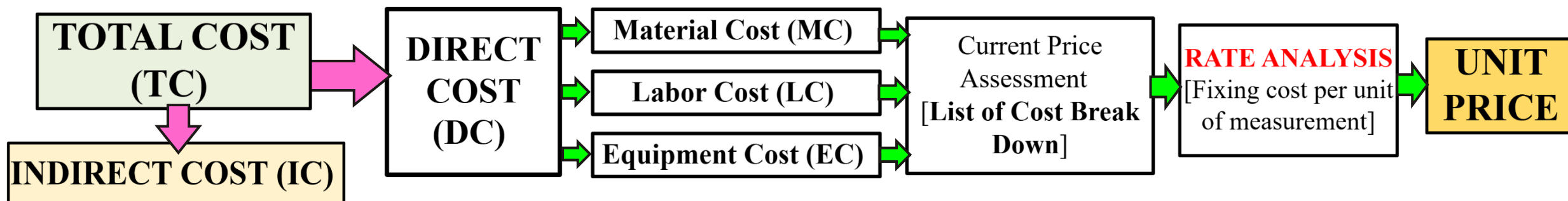


💻 **openLCA 2.4.1** – Free and open-source

LCIA Methods



🌐 **ReCiPe 2016 Midpoint (H)** – Widely used



- **Eco-friendly CLSM** is the **most sustainable alternative** across all six impact categories, whereas **granular compacted fill** is the **least efficient option**.
- The **installation phase** significantly contributes to the overall impact categories, except for **mineral resources scarcity**.
- Life cycle assessment (LCA) confirms that eco-friendly CLSM improves **resource efficiency, minimizes waste**, and aligns with **circular economy** principles.

Table 6: Contribution of each stage in the environmental impact category

Type of Material	Stages	Global warming (kg CO ₂ eq)	Fossil resource scarcity (kg oil eq)	Ozone formation (kg NO _x eq)	Fine particulate matter formation (kg PM2.5 eq)	Terrestrial acidification (kg SO ₂ eq)	Mineral resource scarcity (kg Cu eq)
Conventional CLSM	Extraction	42.32%	19.46%	9.60%	16.68%	20.10%	100%
	Transportation	13.87%	20.44%	15.49%	15.97%	14.41%	-
	Production	1.11%	-	0.07%	0.15%	0.15%	-
	Installation	42.69%	60.10%	74.84%	67.20%	65.33%	-
Eco-Friendly CLSM	Extraction	-226.48%	9.32%	6.79%	7.54%	7.17%	-
	Transportation	5.63%	1.66%	1.06%	1.20%	1.13%	-
	Production	8.14%	-	0.09%	0.21%	0.22%	-
	Installation	312.72%	89.02%	92.06%	91.05%	91.48%	-
Granular Compacted Fill	Extraction	20.67%	7.51%	4.22%	52.96%	9.82%	100%
	Transportation	21.18%	23.90%	16.35%	9.22%	16.45%	-
	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Installation	58.15%	68.59%	79.43%	37.81%	73.73%	-

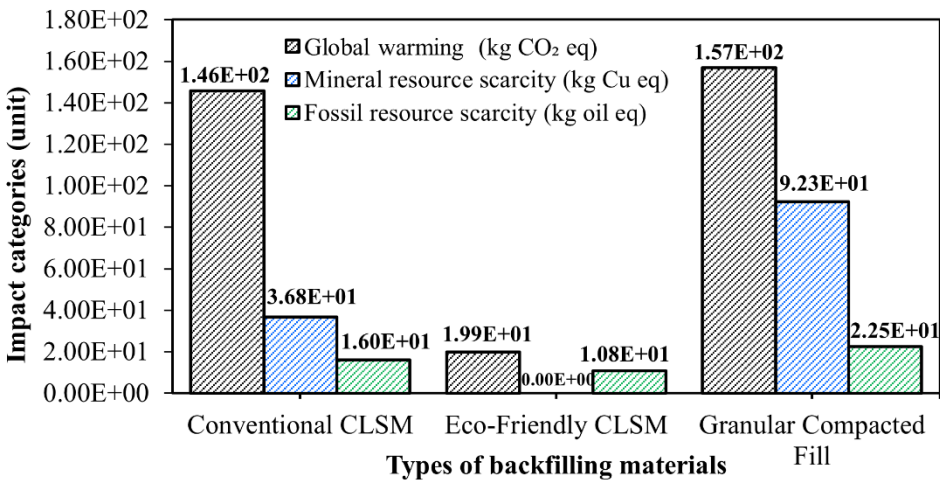


Fig. 17 Global warming, mineral, and fossil resource scarcity

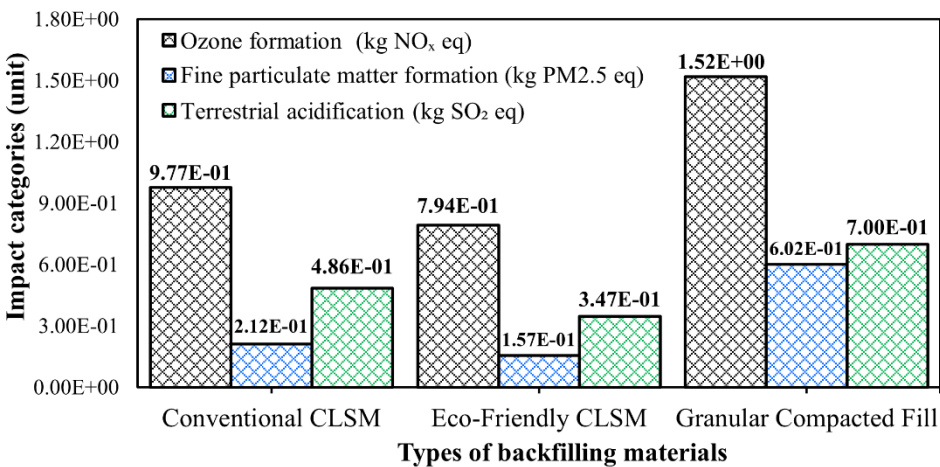


Fig. 18 Ozone formation, fine PM2.5, and terrestrial acidification

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- The **LCC analysis** reveals that the **filling stage dominates total costs**.
- **Compaction cost** is negligible for **eco-friendly and conventional CLSM**.
- **Eco-friendly CLSM** cuts LCC per meter by **53% and 22.6%** compared to **granular fill** and **conventional CLSM**, respectively
- **Eco-friendly CLSM** achieves a **36.5 % reduction** in the filling stage cost relative to the **conventional CLSM**.
- **Eco-friendly CLSM** is the most **cost-effective backfill solution**.

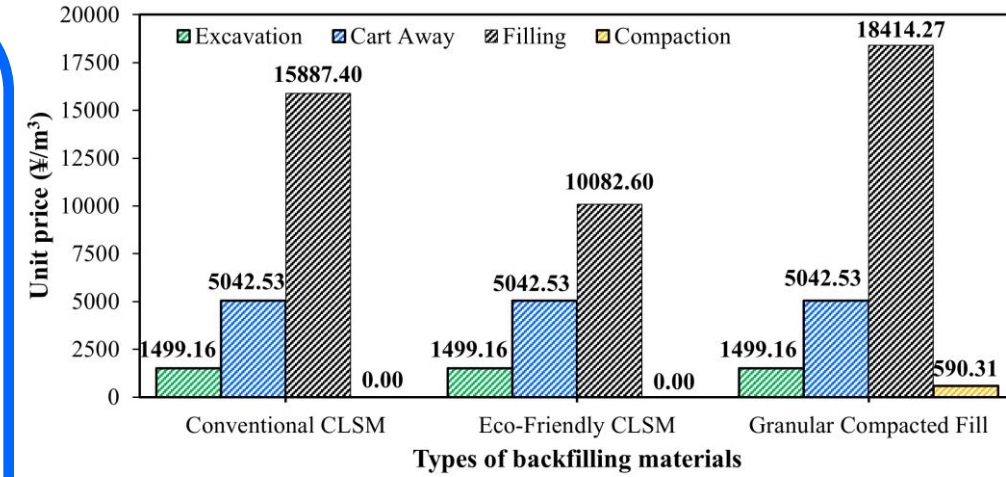


Fig. 19 Unit price comparison for each stage of the LCC

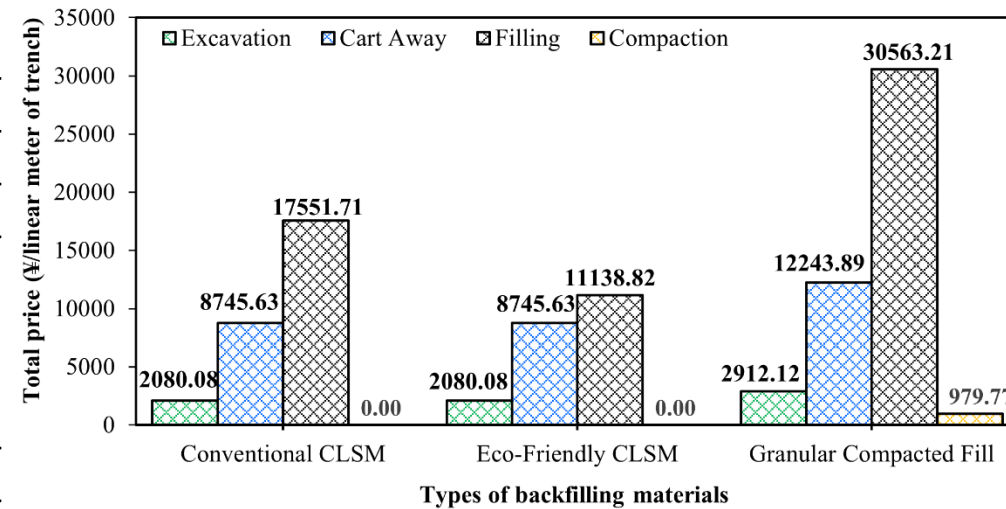


Fig. 20 Total price comparison for each stage of the LCC

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Table 7: Contribution of each LCC phase to the unit and total price per linear trench

Contribution of each LCC phases to the total price per cubic meter (%)			
List of stages	Types of backfilling materials		
	Conventional CLSM	Eco-Friendly CLSM	Granular compacted fill
Excavation	6.68%	9.02%	5.87%
Cart away	22.48%	30.33%	19.74%
Filling	70.83%	60.65%	72.08%
Compaction	0.00%	0.00%	2.31%
Contribution of each LCC phases to the total price per linear trench (%)			
Excavation	7.33%	9.47%	6.24%
Cart away	30.82%	39.82%	26.22%
Filling	61.85%	50.71%	65.45%
Compaction	0.00%	0.00%	2.10%

1

➤ Utilization of **returned concrete** waste and **by-products** promotes **resource efficiency** and the **circular economy**.

2

➤ An **optimal binder content** of **40 kg/m³** was selected based on **re-excavation criteria** for eco-friendly CLSM.

3

➤ **Hexavalent Chromium** leaching value of **0.007 mg/L** confirms GGBFS's effectiveness in **minimizing leaching**.

4

➤ Eco-friendly CLSM subjected to **twelve wet-dry cycles** demonstrated **resistance to degradation**.

5

➤ **Eco-friendly CLSM** represents a promising alternative for achieving **sustainability** and offers a **cost-effective solution**.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1

➤ Future research should conduct **comprehensive on-site field studies** to evaluate the **long-term excavatability**.

2

➤ Future research should utilize **commercial databases** such as **ecoinvent** or **IDEA**, employing various **LCIA methods**.

3

➤ A more thorough study is needed to establish **industry standards** for the broader adoption of CLSM in construction.

4

➤ Future research should use advanced techniques to better understand the **mechanisms** of **eco-friendly CLSM**.



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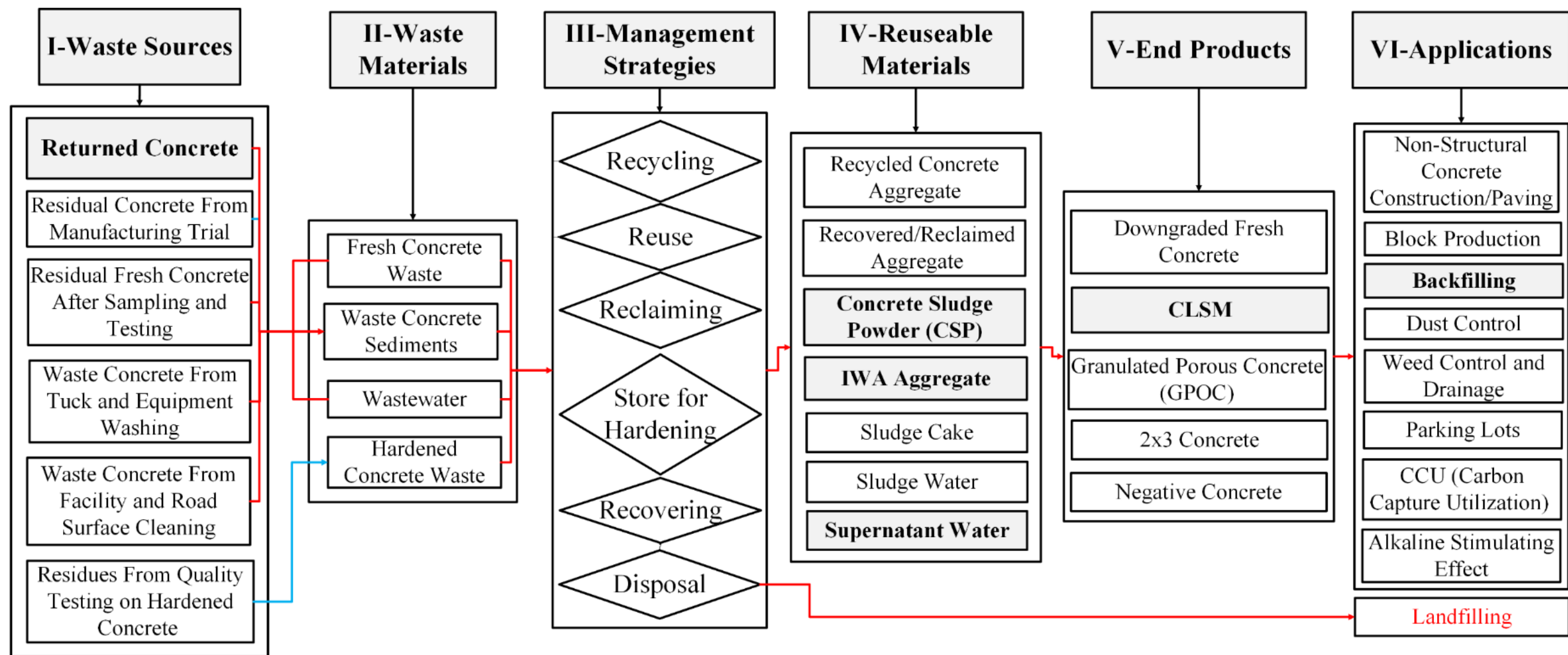
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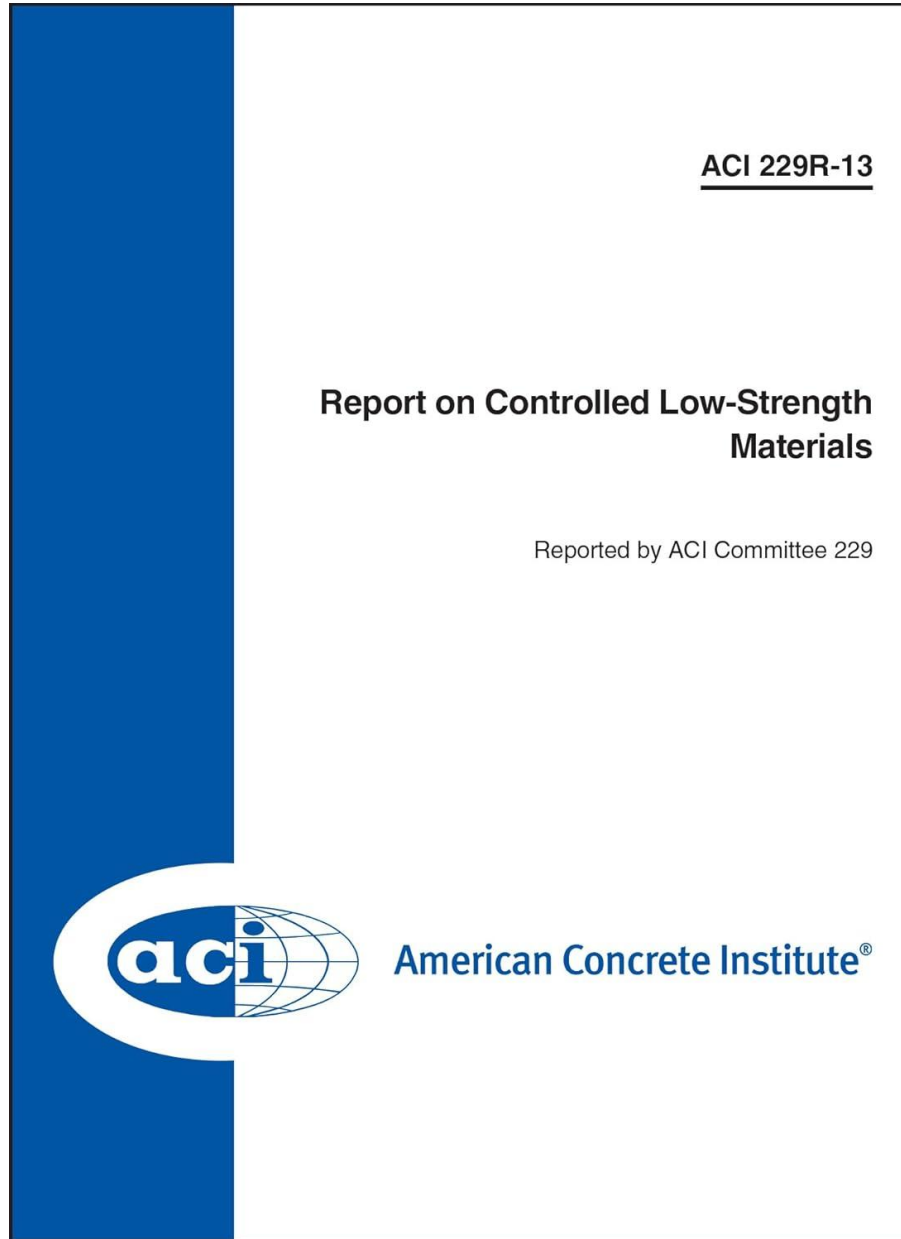
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Technical Manual for Fluidized Soils

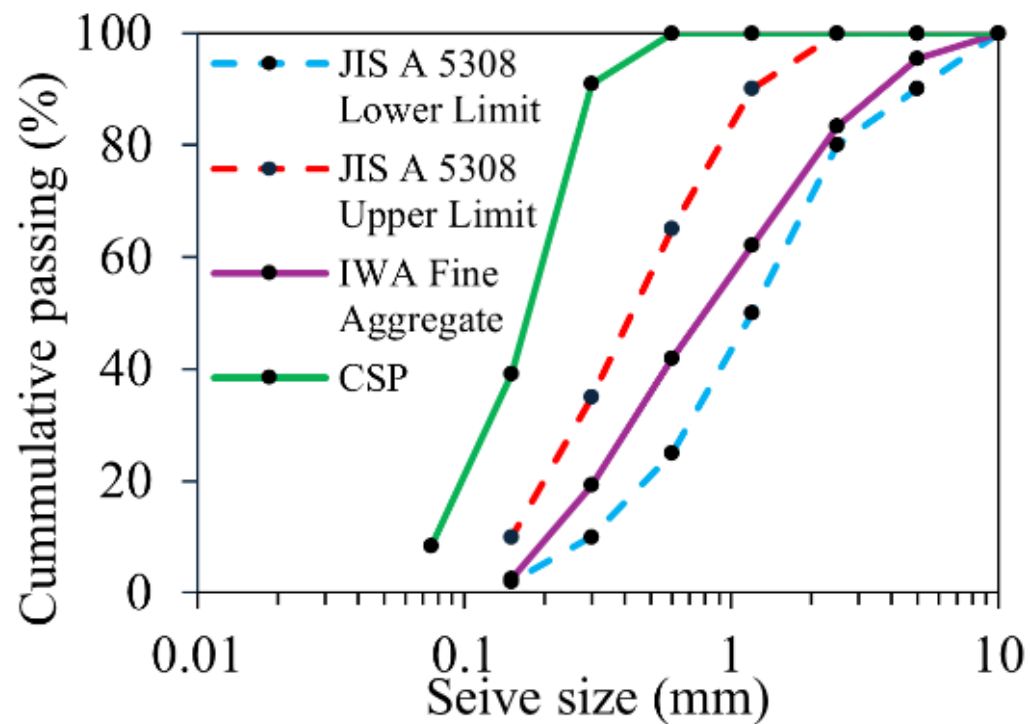


Fig. 1 Particle size distribution of materials

Table 1: Chemical Properties of Materials

Materials	Chemical Composition (%)									
	SiO ₂	Al ₂ O ₃	Fe ₂ O ₃	CaO	MgO	SO ₃	TiO ₂	MnO	ZnO	K ₂ O
GGBFS 4000	33.02	14.44	0.79	42.03	5.80	2.00	0.41	-	-	0.65
CSP	16.61	2.89	8.73	67.99	-	1.47	0.74	0.18	0.12	0.88
IWA Fine Aggregate	18.47	3.58	9.81	64.52	-	2.13	0.84	0.22	0.14	-

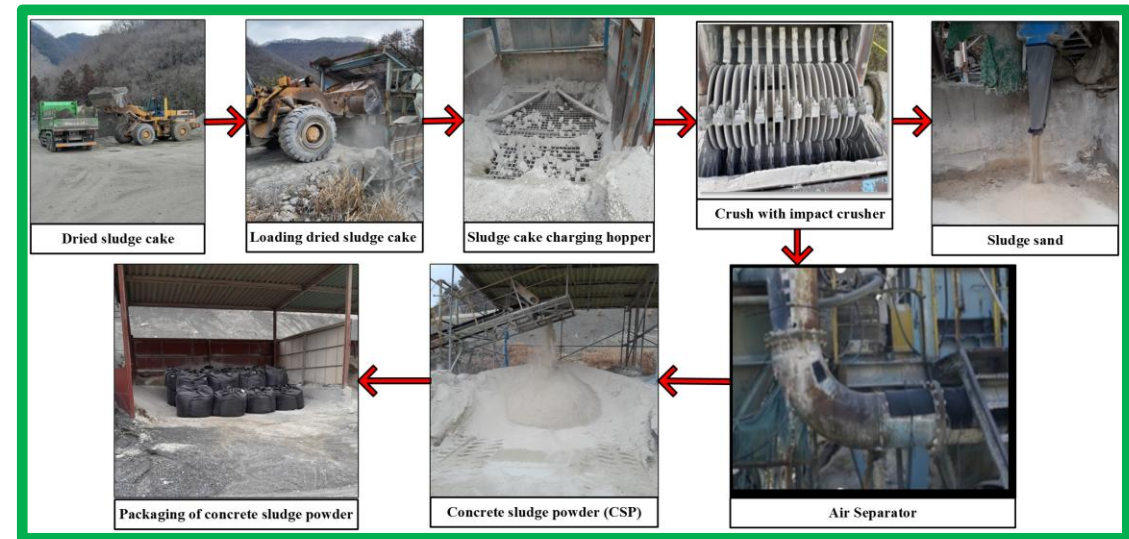


Fig. 2 Concrete sludge powder production (CSP)

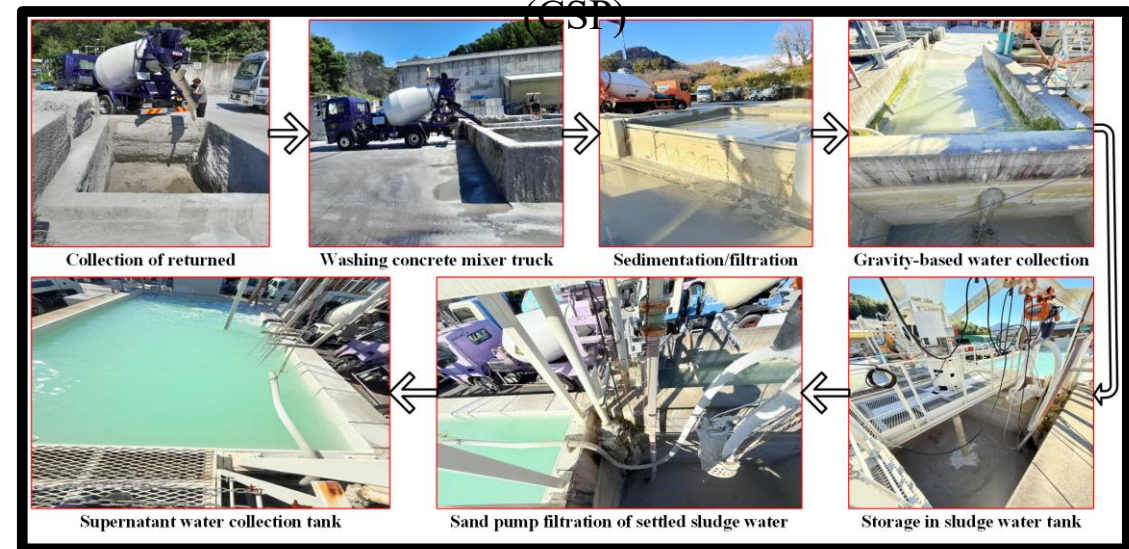


Fig. 3 Treatment stages of supernatant water

Table 2: Test methods for fresh, hardened, and Durability CLSM properties

Categories	Property	Test Methods	Description
Fresh CLSM Test Methods	Sampling	ASTM D 5971	Standard Practice for Sampling Freshly Mixed CLSM
	Flowability	JHS A 313-1992	Test Methods for Air Mortar and Air Milk
	Bleeding	JSCE F 522	Test Method for Bleeding Rate and Expansion Rate of Injection Mortar of Prepacked Concrete (Polyethylene Bag Method)
	Wet Density	Constant Volume Method	Measure the mass of the CLSM sample filled in a container of known volume and divide it by the volume of the container
	Air Content	JIS A 1128	Method of test for air content of fresh concrete by the pressure method
	Hardening time	JIS A 1147	Method of test for the time of setting of concrete mixtures by penetration resistance
Hardened CLSM Test Methods	UCS	JIS A 1216	Unconfined Compression Test Method for Soil
	Excavatability	Technical Manual and ACI-229R-13	28-day UCS, Removability Modulus, and Long-term UCS (91-day)
	Permeability	JIS A 1218	Soil Permeability Test Method
Durability Test Methods	Wet-dry cycles	ASTM D559	Standard Test Methods for Wetting and Drying Compacted Soil-Cement Mixtures
	Leaching Test	JIS K 0102 65.2	Inductively coupled plasma (ICP) mass spectrophotometry

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General criteria and requirements for Buried Pipe Backfilling [2]

埋設管の埋戻し	ガス管，上下水道管など	最大粒径	管周り 13 mm 以下
		フロー値 (流動性)	140 mm 以上 (打設時)
		ブリーディング率 (材料分離性)	3% 未満
		処理土の湿潤密度	1.40 g/cm ³ 以上
		(後日復旧) 一軸圧縮強さ	(車道下) 交通開放時 130 kN/m ² 以上 28 日後 200～600 kN/m ² (歩道下) 交通開放時 50 kN/m ² 以上 28 日後 200～600 kN/m ²

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Fig. 4 Flowability, wet density, bleeding, and air content tests in Stage-I



Fig. 5 Flowability, wet density, bleeding, air content, and UCS tests in Stage-II

- **Maximized flow** was a primary focus to ensure adequate water content in **Stage-II**.
- Higher w/s ratios **increase the average flowability**, due to **higher water content**.
- As the w/s ratio increased, the **wet density** decreased, due to **higher water content**.
- Higher w/s ratios resulted in an **increased bleeding rate**.
- The **bleeding rate** surpassed the target of **3%** at a w/s ratio of **24 %**.
- A w/s ratio of **22%** was determined to be the **optimal w/s ratio** for **Stage-II**.

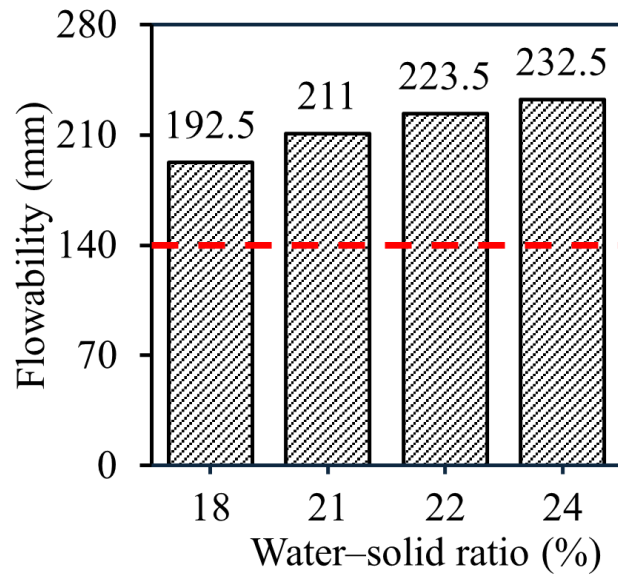


Fig. 6 Effects of w/s on flowability

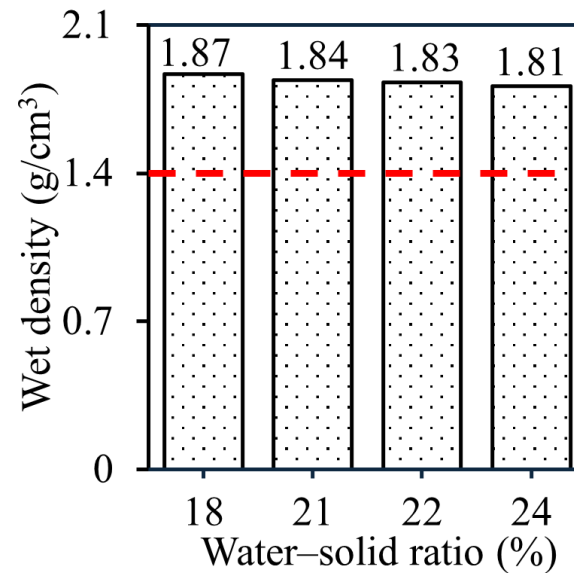


Fig. 7 Effects of w/s on wet density

Table 3: Mixture proportions of Stage-I

w/s (%)	Eco-Friendly CLSM Mixtures			
	GGBFS	IWA Fine Aggregate	Supernatant Water	Air (%)
	(kg/m³)			
18	50	1378	264	3.9
21	50	1345	286	3.4
22	50	1315	307	2.8
24	50	1282	326	2.5

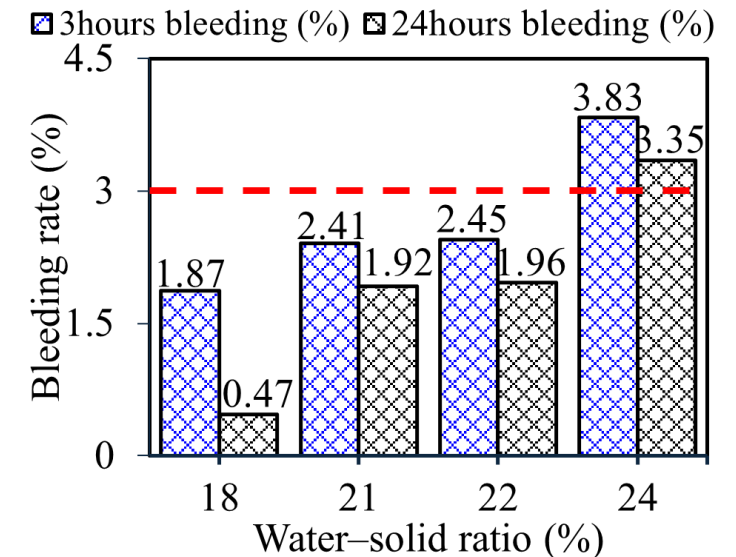


Fig-8 Effects of w/s on bleeding

- The optimal w/s ratio of 22% from Stage-I was used as a control mix.
- Targeted to **maximize CSP utilization** for improved **stability** and **strength**.
- **Stage-II** focused on the **plastic** and **hardened** properties of CLSM.
- Higher f/a ratios **reduced flowability**, requiring additional water for workability.
- As the f/a ratio increased, **fresh density decreased**, from 1.83 to 1.73 g/cm³.
- **Bleeding rate decreased** with higher f/a ratios, remaining below the target.
- **Strength** falls within the **200–1000 kN/m²** excavatability range across all f/a ratios.
- Stage-II showed that up to **20% CSP filler** effectively produced eco-friendly CLSM.

Table 4: Mixture proportions of Stage-II

f/a (%)	Eco-Friendly CLSM Mixtures				
	GGBFS	CSP	IWA Fine Aggregate	Supernatant Water	Air
	(kg/m ³)				
0	50	-	1315	307	2.8
10	50	131	1175	307	2.6
15	50	195	1105	307	2.5
20	50	259	1036	307	2.4
25	50	323	968	307	1.9

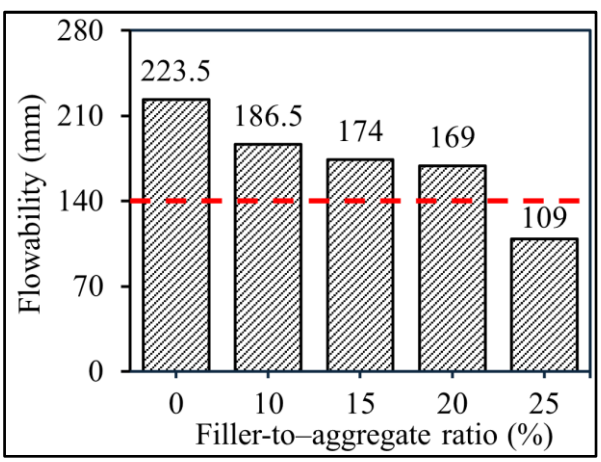


Fig. 9 Effects of f/a on flowability

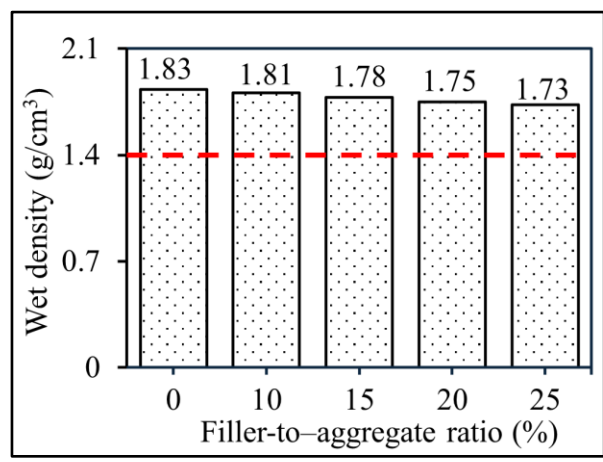


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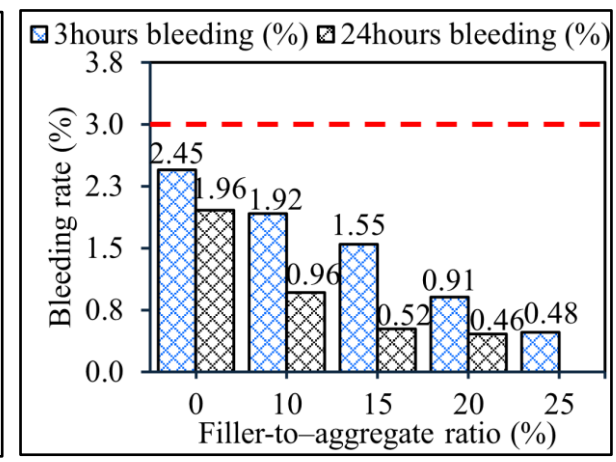


Fig. 11 Effects of f/a on bleeding

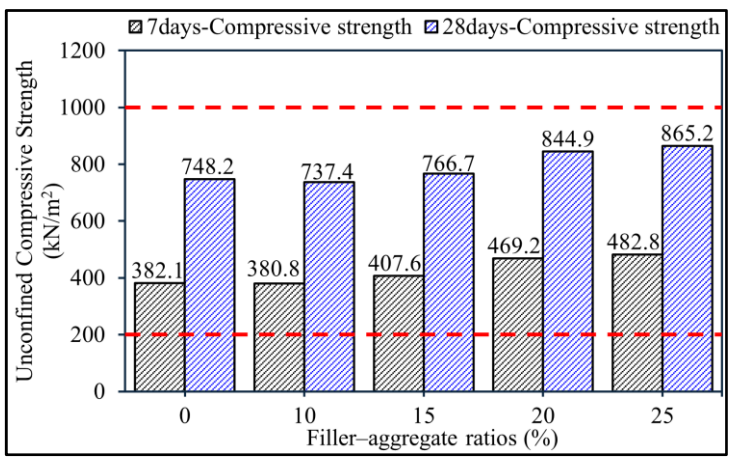


Fig. 12 Effects of f/a on strength (UCS)



Fig. 9 Flowability, wet density, bleeding, air content, penetration, permeability and UCS tests in Stage-III



Fig. 10 Flowability, wet density, bleeding, air content, penetration, tests in Stage-IV

- The water demand of the control mix was adjusted based on findings from Stage-II
- GGBFS's **water affinity** and **flow-reducing effect** require water adjustment.
- **The optimal f/a ratio of 20% from Stage-II** was used in the mix proportions.
- This stage determines the **minimum binder** for strength and **easy excavation**.
- As binder content increased, a consistent **decrease in flowability** was observed.
- The **wet density slightly increased** with the increment of binder content.
- Higher binder content resulted in a **decrease in bleeding rate**.
- CLSM with optimum **binder content 40 kg/m³** had a **hardening time of 2 hours**.

Table 5: Mixture proportions of Stage-III

Binder content	Eco-Friendly CLSM Mixtures					Air (%)
	GGBFS	CSP	IWA Fine Aggregate	Supernatant Water	Extra Water	
	(kg/m ³)					
30	30	247	990	307	40	2.9
40	40	246	984	307	40	2.5
50	50	245	979	307	40	2.4
60	60	243	973	307	40	2.1

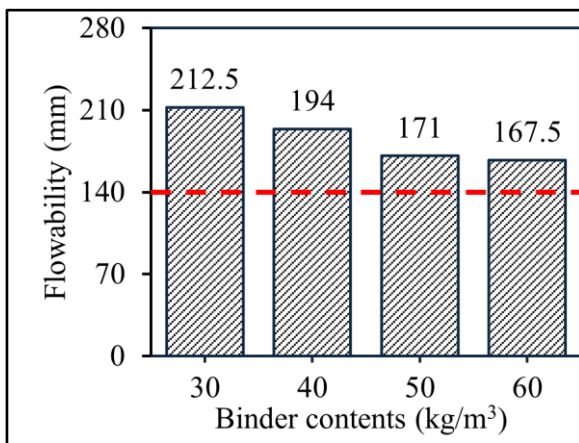


Fig. 11 Effects on the flowability

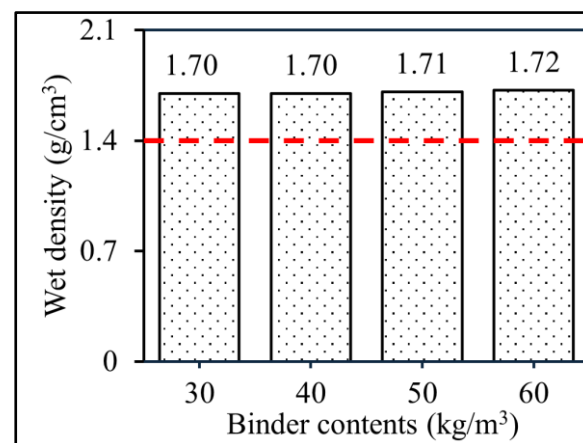


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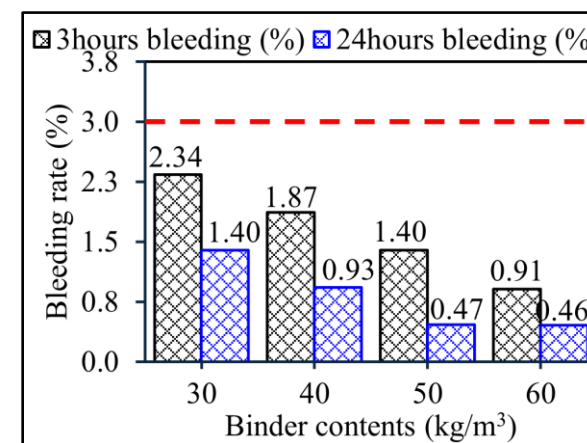


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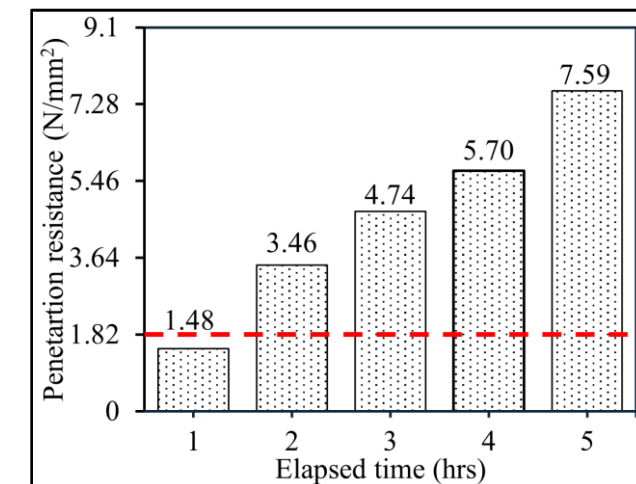


Fig. 14 Effects of w/s on hardening

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The **American Public Works Association (APWA)** utility color code is a standardized system of colors used to mark underground utilities.

Table 6: The American Public Works Association utility color code

Color Type	Underground Utilities Line
White	Proposed excavation
Pink	Temporary survey markings
Red	Electric power lines, cables, conduit, and lighting cables
Yellow	Gas, oil, steam, petroleum, or gaseous materials
Orange	Communication, alarm, or signal lines, cables, or conduit
Blue	Potable water
Purple	Reclaimed water, irrigation, and slurry lines
Green	Sewers and drain lines



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Fig. 15 Utility Color Intensity

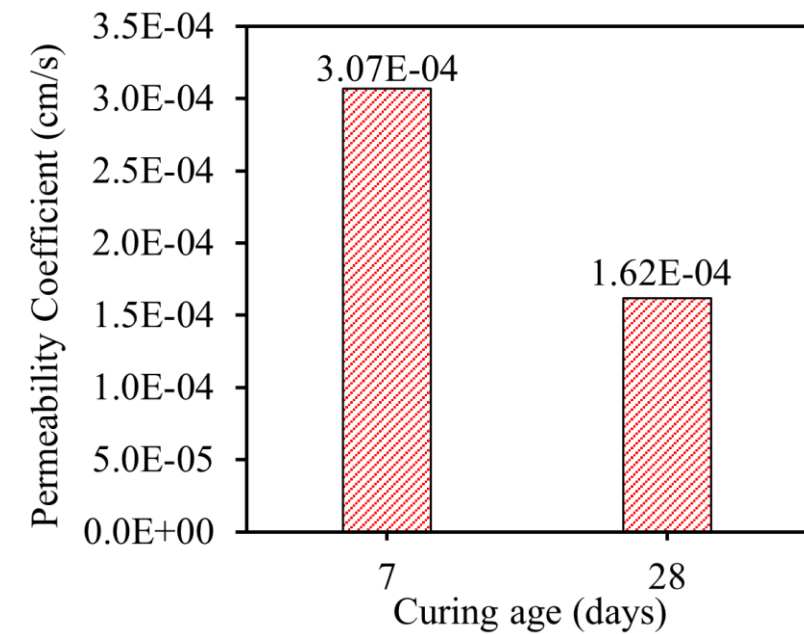
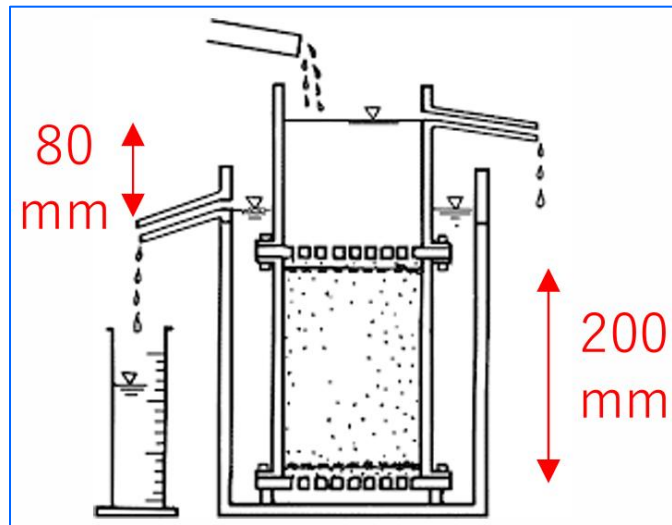
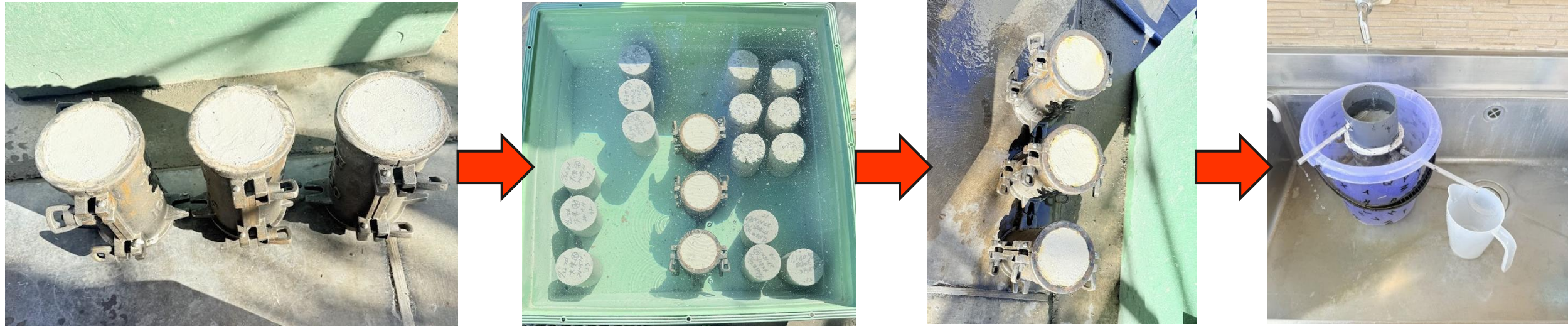


Fig. 16 Water Permeability

- To investigate the **effects of gradation** on **eco-friendly CLSM** properties.
- **Eight gradation zones** encompass the range from **JIS A 5308 UL** to the **LL**.
- The gradation zone has a significant influence on **mixture proportions**, **affecting flow**, **wet density**, **bleeding**, and the development of **UCS** [1].
- Gradation zone ranges of **②** and **④** are **recommended** for eco-friendly CLSM.
- *Funayama et al.* [2] **recommended** ranges of **④** and **⑤** to produce fluidized soil.

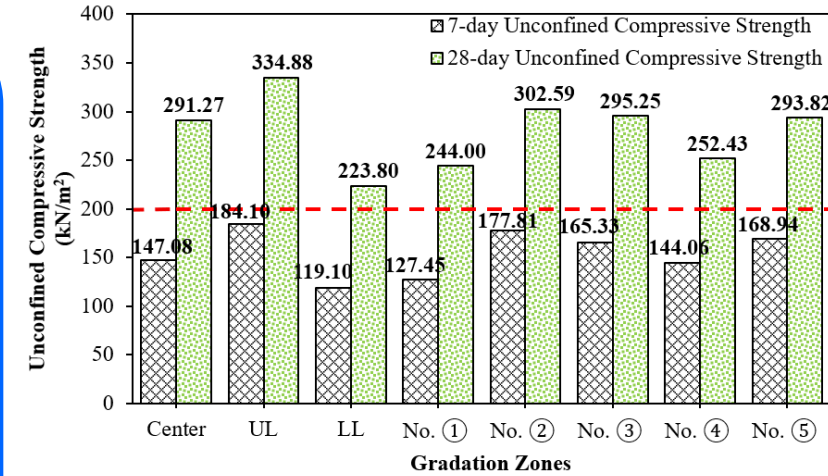


Fig. 17 Effects of gradation zone on UCS

Table 7: Gradation zone

Nominal Opening of Sieve (mm)	Target the gradation curve zones							
	JIS A 5308 Center	JIS A 5308 LL	JIS A 5308 UL	① Average of LL and Center	② Average of Center and UL	③ ① and 1/2 of Center	④ LL and 1/3 of ①	⑤ Center and 1/3 of ②
10.00	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
5.00	95	90	100	92.50	97.50	93.75	90.83	95.83
2.50	90	80	100	85	95	87.50	81.67	91.67
1.20	70	50	90	60	80	65.00	53.33	73.33
0.60	45	25	65	35	55	40.00	28.33	48.33
0.30	22.50	10	35	16.25	28.75	19.38	12.08	24.58
0.15	6	2	10	4	8	5	2.67	6.67

Table 8: Effects of gradation zone

Target gradation limit	Properties				Fineness modulus (FM)	Freshness Properties
	Wet density (g/cm³)	Average flow (mm)	Bleeding(%)			
			3 hours	24 hours		
Lower Limit	1.63	266.00	3.57	3.20	3.43	Material Separation
No.④	1.62	246.00	2.45	1.96	3.31	Good
No.①	1.62	223.50	1.92	0.96	3.07	Good
No.③	1.59	218.00	1.55	0.52	2.89	Good
Center	1.58	202.50	1.40	0.47	2.72	Good
No.⑤	1.58	192.00	1.37	0.46	2.60	Good
No.②	1.55	181.00	1.44	0.48	2.36	Good
Upper Limit	1.52	138.00	0.89	0.45	2.00	Excessive Viscosity

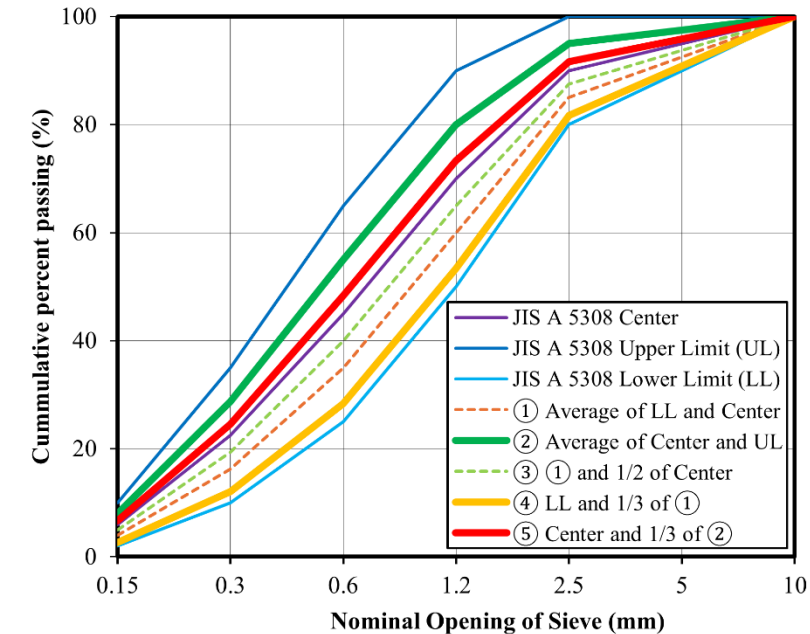


Fig. 18 Recommended gradation zone

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[2] Funayama, M., et al., Investigation on Physical Properties of Liquefied Stabilized Soil Using Aggregate Made from Returned Concrete, in The 45th JCI Technical Conference. 2023, Japan Concrete Institute Kyushu, Japan

Table 9: Mass losses in wet-dry cycles

Measurement at	Average mass loss at each curing days			
each cycle	7 days	28 days	56 days	91 days
Original mass (g)	317.33	312.20	303.03	296.40
1st cycle (g)	315.57	310.17	300.40	294.77
2nd cycle (g)	312.17	309.33	298.13	293.40
3rd cycle (g)	309.23	308.37	297.30	293.03
4th cycle (g)	307.27	306.60	295.77	290.87
5th cycle (g)	304.13	302.83	293.83	288.50
6th cycle (g)	302.00	299.50	290.87	285.47
7th cycle (g)	295.43	295.56	287.80	280.40
8th cycle (g)	291.30	290.13	283.73	276.63
9th cycle (g)	278.37	283.30	278.87	272.23
10th cycle (g)	266.93	279.87	274.03	269.43
11th cycle (g)	256.77	277.27	271.23	266.43
12th cycle (g)	247.40	275.47	269.07	263.90
Dry mass loss (%)	22.04%	11.77%	11.21%	10.96%

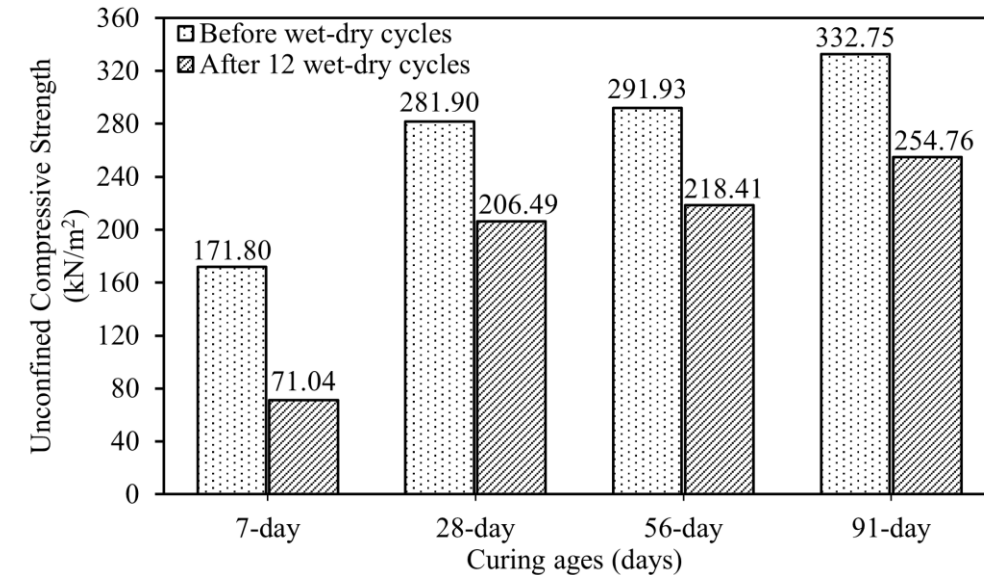


Fig. 19 Variation of initial and residual UCS

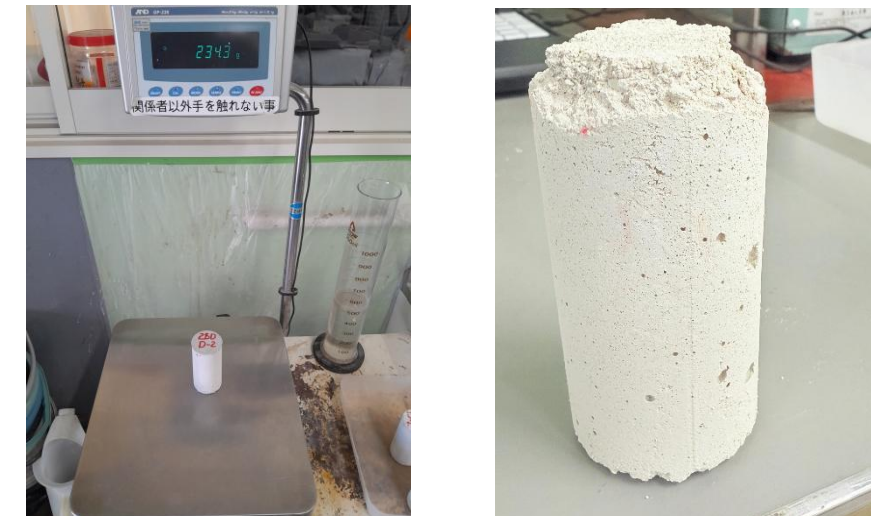
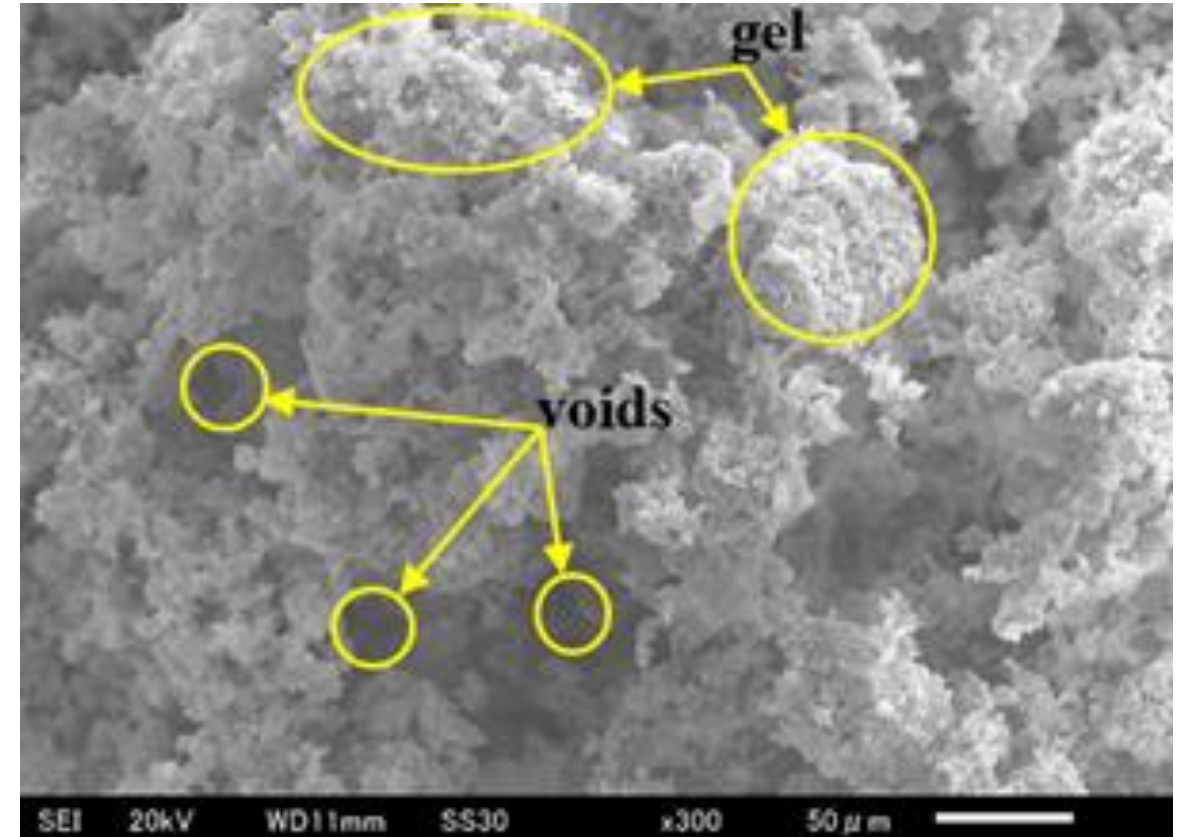


Fig. 20 Mass losses in wet-dry cycles



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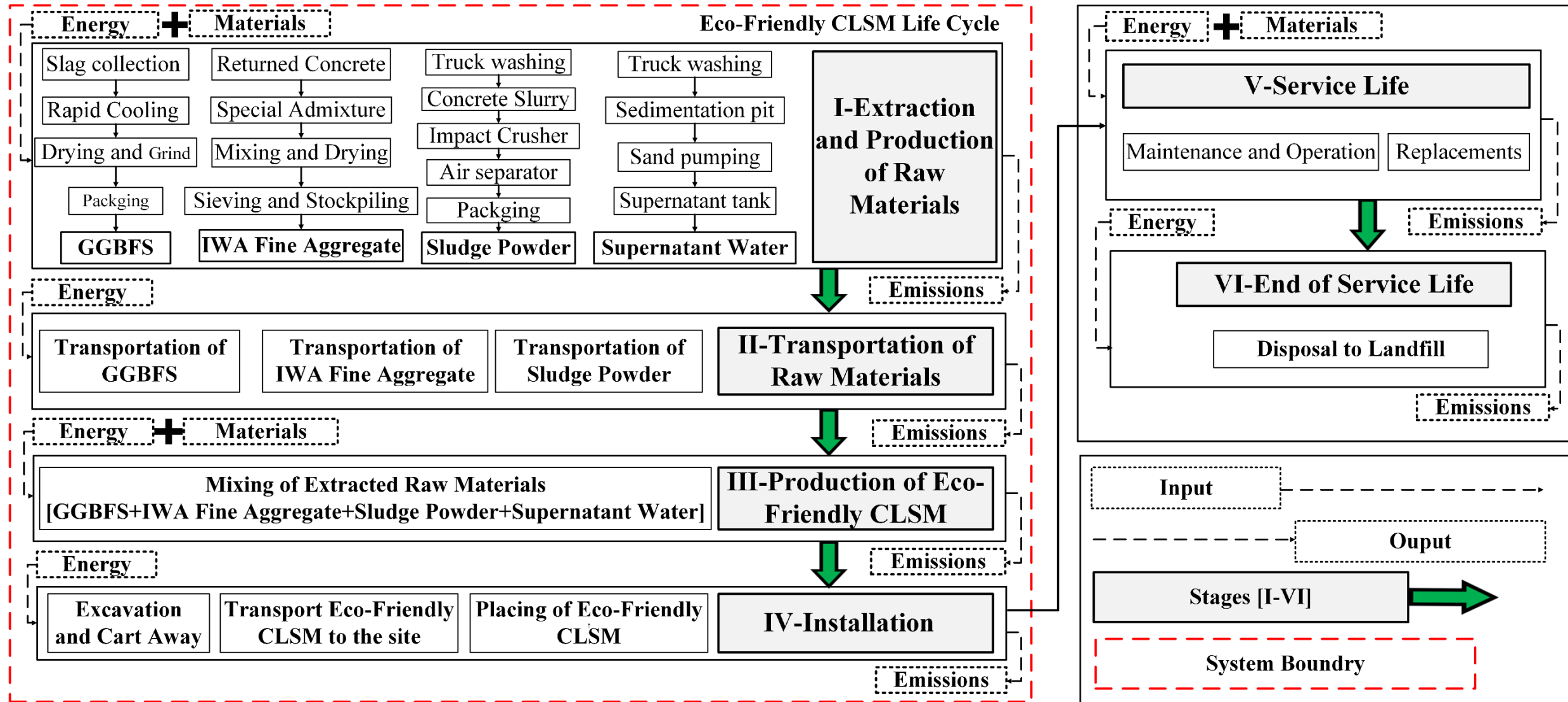
b) 28-day eco-friendly SEM

Fig. 22 SEM of eco-friendly CLSM

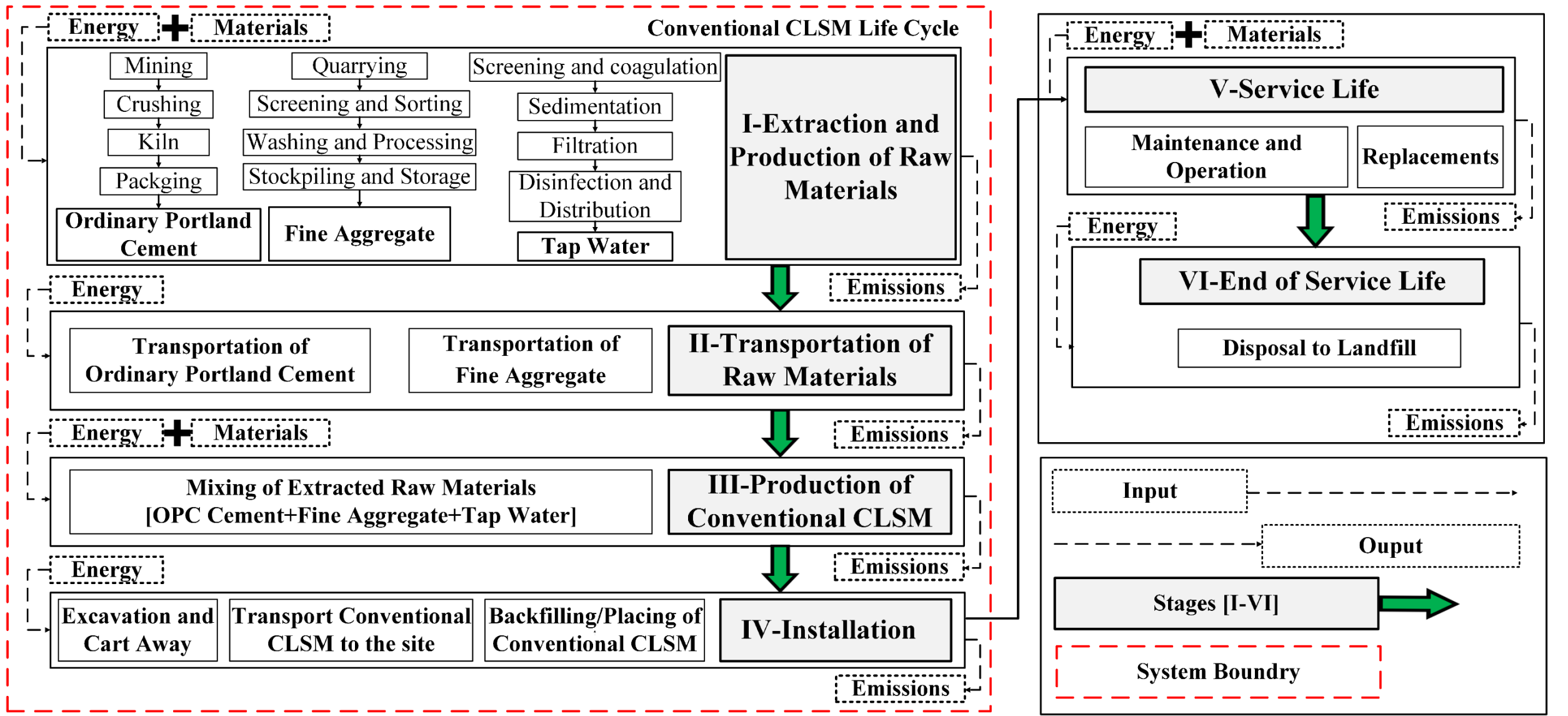


Fig. 23 Practical Application and Trials

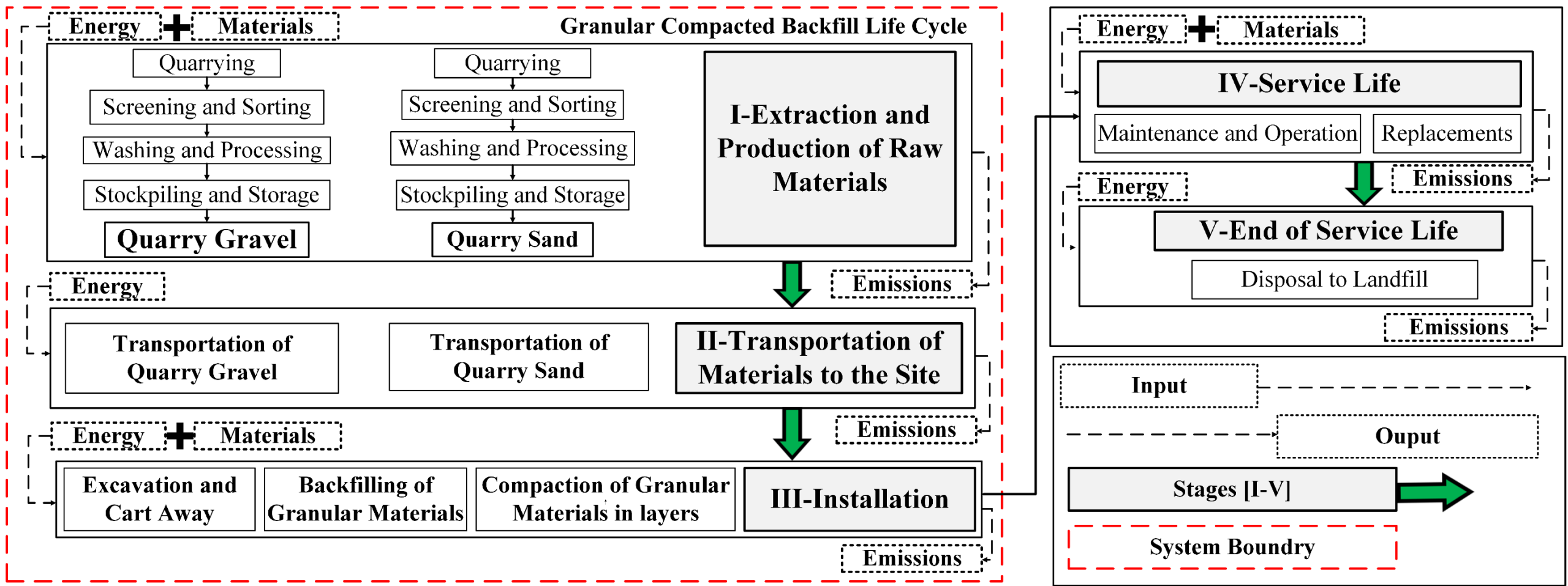
Eco-friendly CLSM System Boundaries Considered in this Study:



Conventional CLSM System Boundaries Considered in this Study:



Granular Compacted Fill System Boundaries Considered in this Study:



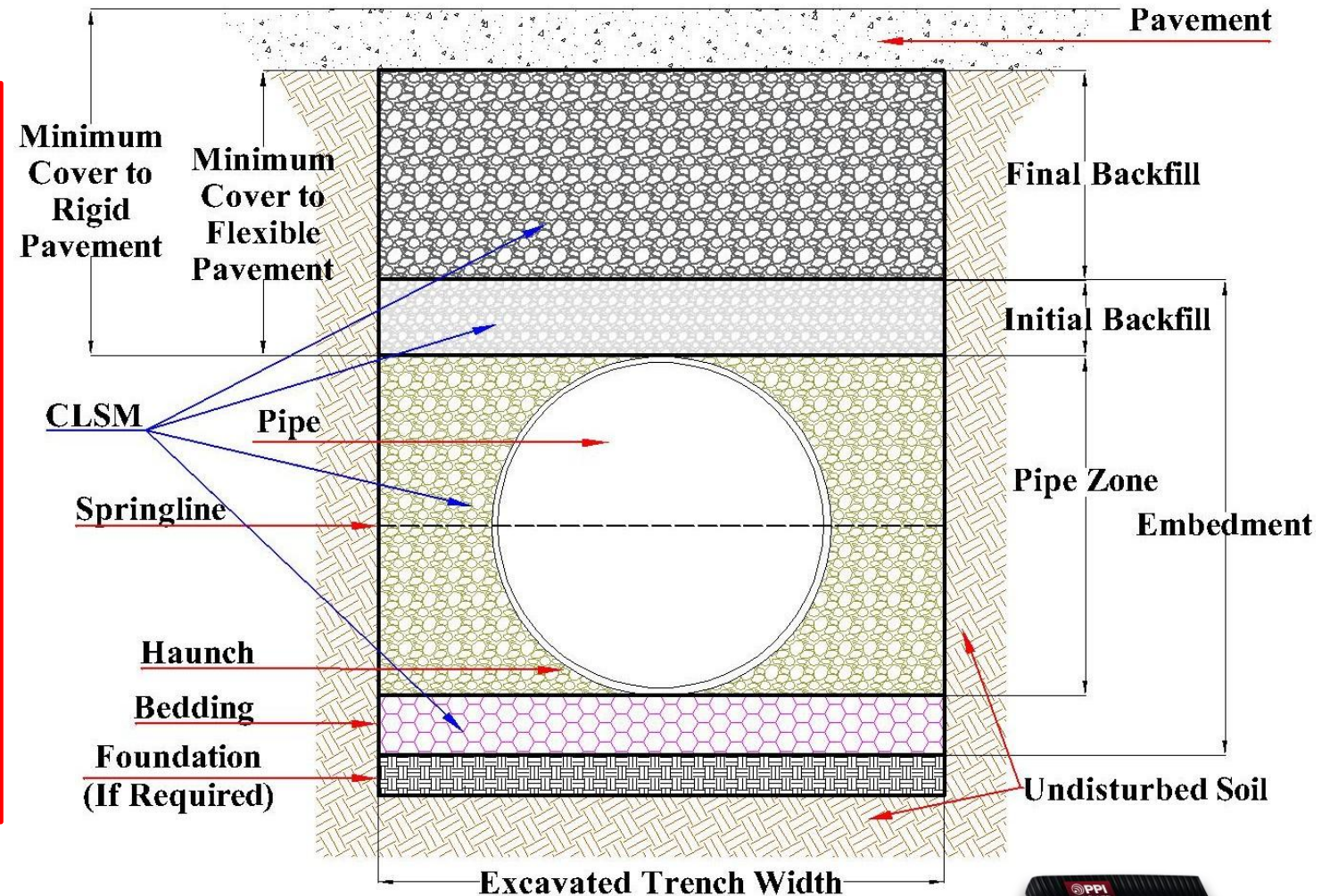
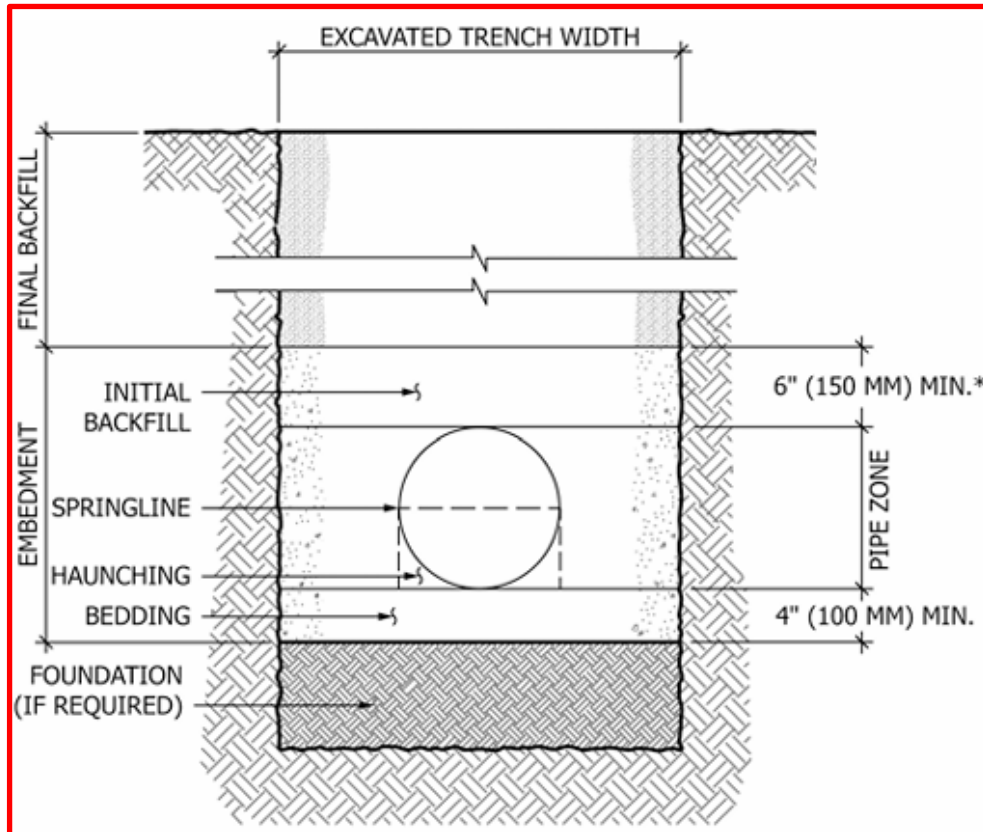
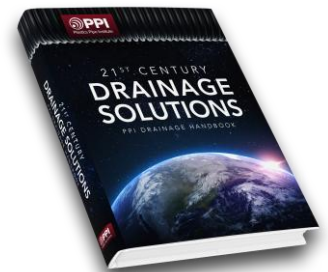
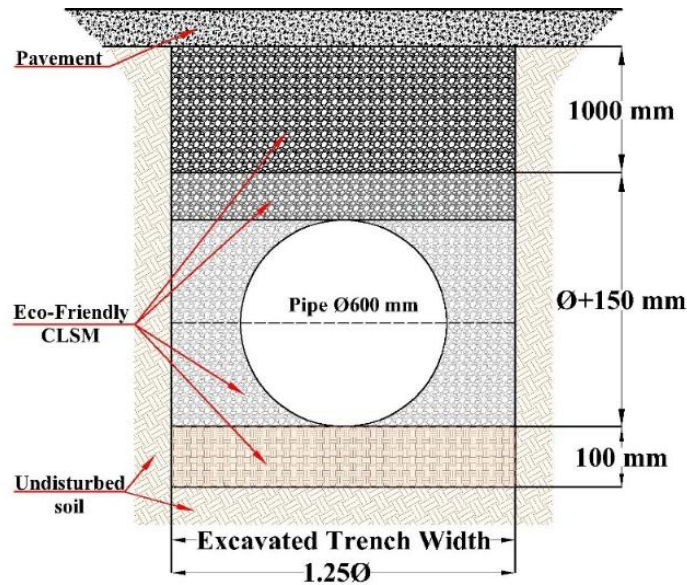
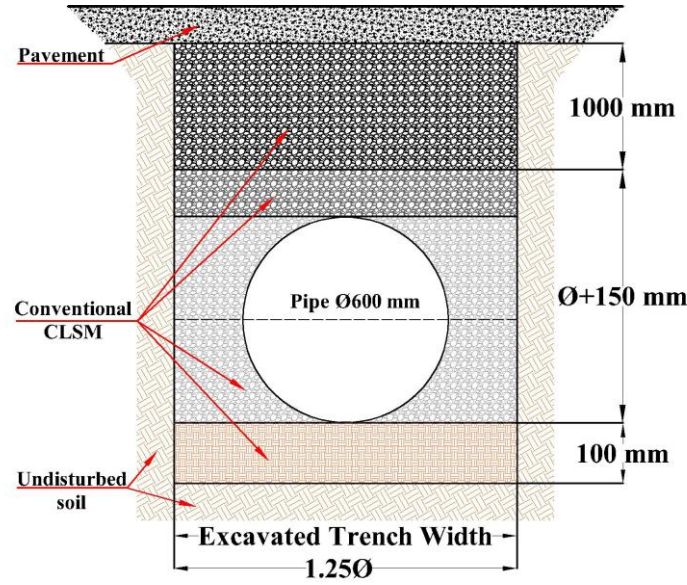


Fig. 24 Utility Trench Cross Section Details: ASTM D2321-20 Standard Practice for Underground Installation of Thermoplastic Pipe for Sewers and Other Gravity-Flow Applications

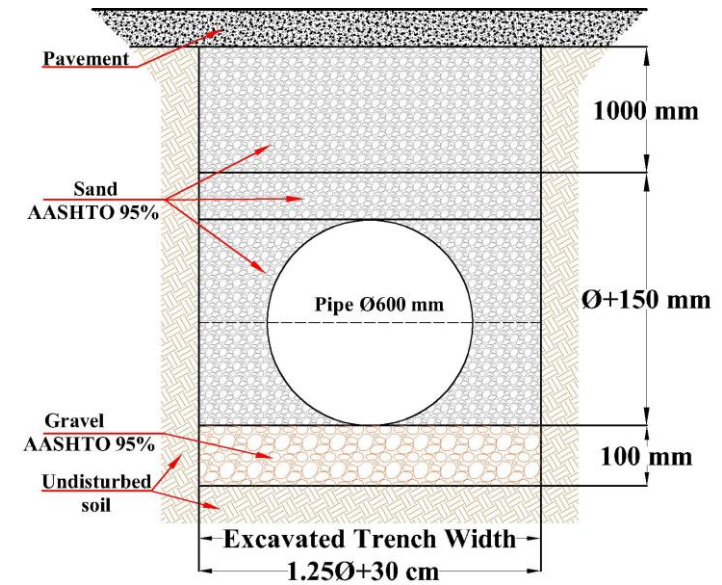




a) Eco-friendly CLSM



b) Conventional CLSM



c) Granular Compacted fill

Fig. 25 Utility trench cross-section details

Table 11: Mixture proportions

Mix ID	Mix proportion by weight			
Eco-Friendly CLSM	GGBFS	IWA Fine Aggregate	CSP	Supernatant Water
	1m³ of Eco-friendly CLSM (kg/m³)			
	40	984	246	347
Conventional CLSM (ACI)	OPC	Fine Aggregate	Tap Water	
	1m³ of Conventional CLSM (kg/m³)			
	40	1604	347	
Granular Compacted Backfill	Quarry Sand		Quarry Gravel	
	1m³ of Granular Compacted Backfill (kg/m³)			
	2577		95	

GRANULAR COMPACTED FILL

- ✦ Minimum Trench Width: **1.25Ø+300 mm**
- ✦ Minimum Bedding: **100 mm**
- ✦ Minimum Initial Backfill: **150 mm**
- ✦ Final Backfill: **1000 mm**











CONVENTIONAL/ECO-FRIENDLY CLSM

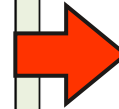
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Items	Entity	Origin	Destination	Distance (km)
Ordinary Portland Cement	Taiheiyo Cement Fujiwara Plant	Inabe City, Mie	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	284
GGBFS	Nippon Steel Kimitsu Area	Kimitsu City, Chiba	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	178
Fine Aggregate	Ishimori Industry Co., Ltd.	Nanbu Town, Yamanashi	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	73
IWA Fine Aggregate	Nagaoka Ready-Mixed Concrete	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	Recycled in situ*
CSP	Nagaoka Ready-Mixed Concrete	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	Recycled in situ*
Quarry Gravel	Ishimori Industry Co., Ltd.	Nanbu Town, Yamanashi	Numazu City, Shizuoka	51
Quarry Sand	Ishimori Industry Co., Ltd.	Nanbu Town, Yamanashi	Numazu City, Shizuoka	51
Landfill site	Kimura Doboku Co., Ltd.	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	Izunokuni City, Shizuoka	5.4
Project site	Nagaoka Ready-Mixed Concrete	Numazu City, Shizuoka	Numazu City, Shizuoka	9.7











*Material recycled at the concrete plant is considered 0 km.

**Inventory Data and Case Studies for Environmental Performance
Evaluation of Concrete Structure Construction (Kawai et al., 2005)**

-  Petroleum Energy Center, Japan [PEC 2002]
-  Plastic Waste Management Institute, Japan [PWMI 2001]
-  Federation of Electric Power Companies of Japan [FEPC 2004a]
-  Japan Construction Mechanization Association [JCMA 2001, 2008]
-  Japan Cement Association (JCA)
-  Assessment for Environmental Impact of Concrete [JSCE 2002, 2004]
-  Calculation Methodology of the Emissions of GHG [MOE 2000, 2003]
-  3EID for Japan Using Input-Output Tables (3EID)
-  Hokkaido University report [HOK 1998]
-  Construction Research Institute. [CRI,1998]



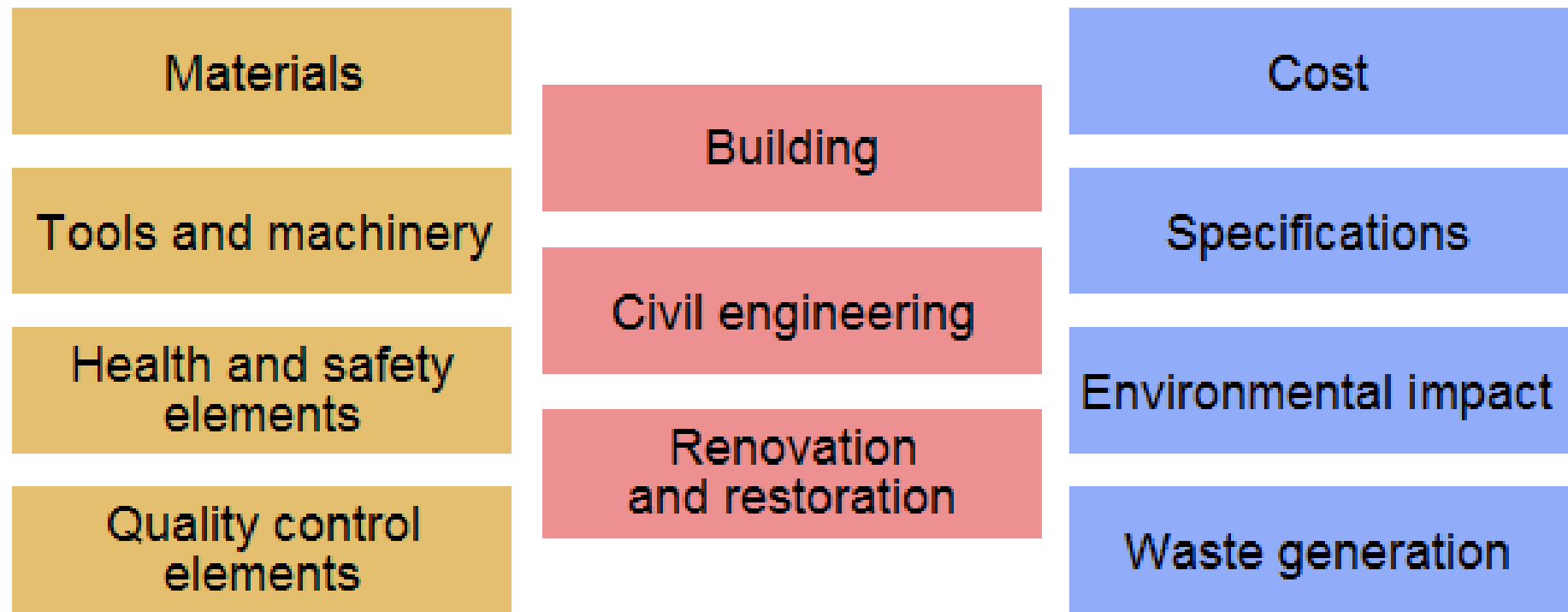
**Preparation of Inventory Data for Environmental Performance
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ITeC database of construction elements

Scope and contents

The ITeC database supplies technical, environmental and economic information regarding all kind of elements used in every situation in the construction market.



G228AH0F P2255-DPIC

51,39 € / m3

Filling and compaction of trenches with a width of more than 0.6 and up to 1.5 m, with gravels for drainage from 5 to 12 mm, in thicknesses of up to 25 cm, using a vibrating fuel tamper, with compaction of 95% PM

PRICE JUSTIFICATION

ON	T	Code	Description	Price	Quantity	Amount
P	 MO	A0150000 A0E-000A	Specialist Laborer	20,34 € / h x	0.08 h =	€1.62720
P	 MAT	B0330A00 B03J-0K8T	Quarried gravel, 5 to 12 mm	24,45 € / t x	1.7 t =	€41.56500
P	 MAQ	C1313330 C13C-00LP	Backhoe loader on tires from 8 to 10 t	€54.34 / h x	0.1389 h =	€7.54783
P	 MAQ	C133A030 C13A-00FR	700 kg manual duplex fuel compactor	€7.77 / h x	0.08 h =	€0.62160
	 AUX	A%AUX001 A%AUX001	Auxiliary labour costs	€1.62720 x	0,015 =	€0.02441
Total	 €1.63 €	 41.57	 8.17 €	 0.02	Direct cost	51,38603€ / m3

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

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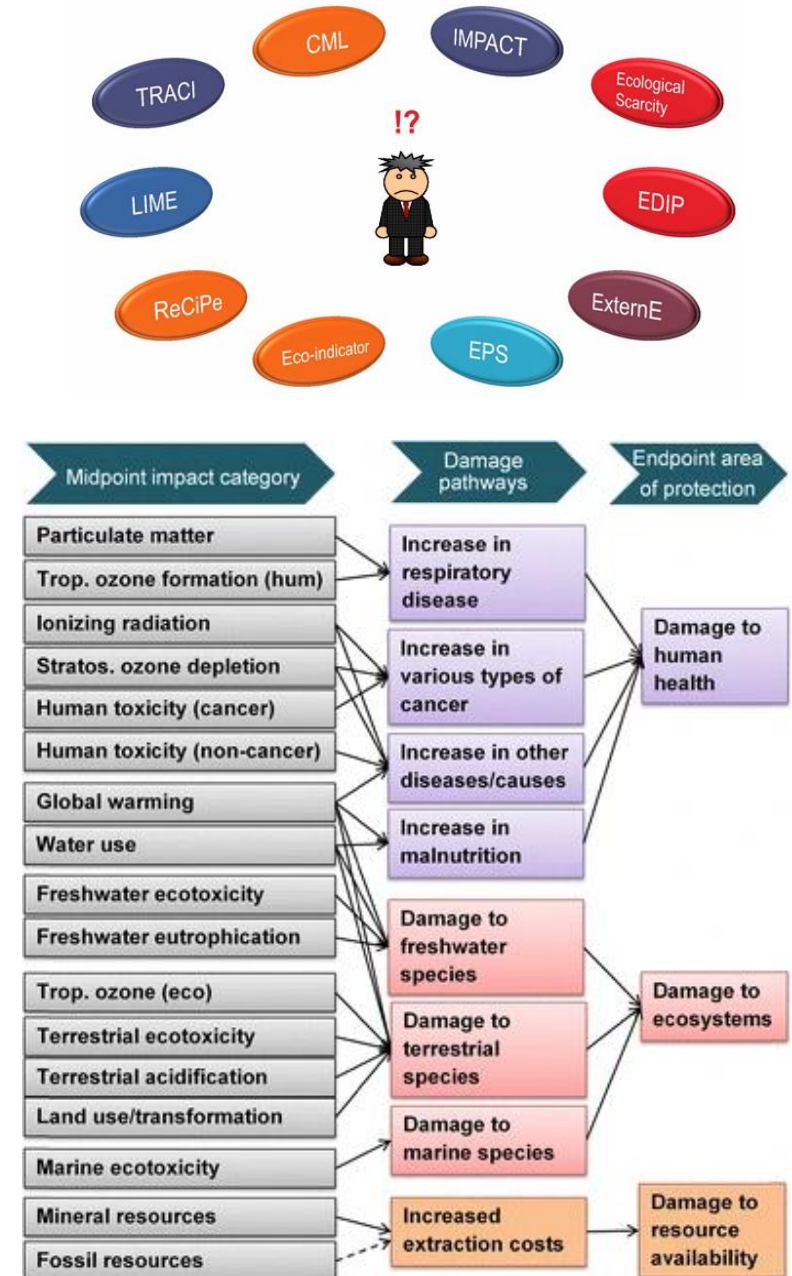
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P	 MO	A0150000 A0E-000A	Specialist Laborer	20,34 € / h x	0.08 h =	€1.62720
P	 MAT	B0310500 B03L-05N5	Quarry sand from 0 to 3.5 mm	20,57 € / t x	1.8 t =	€37.02600
P	 MAQ	C1313330 C13C-00LP	Backhoe loader on tires from 8 to 10 t	€54.34 / h x	0.06 h =	€3.26040
P	 MAQ	C133A030 C13A-00FR	700 kg manual duplex fuel compactor	€7.77 / h x	0.08 h =	€0.62160
	 AUX	A%AUX001 A%AUX001	Auxiliary labour costs	€1.62720 x	0,015 =	€0.02441
Total	 €1.63 €	 37.03	 3.88 €  0.02	Direct cost		42,55961 € / m3

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

❖ ReCiPe 2016

- ❖ ReCiPe 2016 offers both **midpoint** and **endpoint** indicators.
- ❖ This dual-level approach allows users to choose between a detailed analysis (midpoints) or a more simplified, overarching view of environmental impacts (endpoints).
- ❖ It targets **LCA practitioners, researchers, policymakers, industry professionals, and consultants** who need a versatile and reliable tool for environmental impact assessment.
- ❖ The ReCiPe 2016 midpoint method, **Hierarchist** version, is the default ReCiPe midpoint method.
- ❖ **Region: Global**
- ❖ **Source or author:** Created by RIVM, Radboud University, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, and PRé Consultants.
- ❖ **Standard:** ReCiPe 2016 follows Recipe 2008.



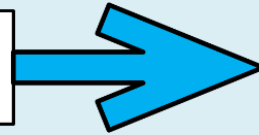
Items	Unit (*)	CO ₂ emission (kg-CO ₂ /*)	SO _x emission (kg-SO _x /*)	NO _x emission (kg-NO _x /*)	Particulate matter emission (kg-PM/*)
i. Emission Inventory Data for Energy Used for Operation					
Electricity	kWh	0.407	0.00013	0.00016	0.00003
Light oil for truck	L	2.64	0.00204	0.01977	0.00166
Light oil for equipment	L	2.64	0.00204	0.03961	0.00201
Coal (imported)	kg	2.36	-	-	-
Heavy oil (Type A)	L	2.77	0.013	0.00238	0.003
Heavy oil (Type C)	L	2.97	0.0564	-	-
Petroleum coke	kg	3.31	-	-	-
Gasoline	L	2.31	0.00059	-	-
ii. Emission Inventory Data for Transportation					
Truck Diesel (20t)	km.t	0.0714	0.0000549	0.000534	0.0000448
Dump truck Diesel (10t)	km.t	0.106	0.0000836	0.000811	0.0000681
Agitator truck (0.8-0.9m ³)	km.t	0.378	0.000297	0.00288	0.000242

E-13 APPENDIX-E		LIFE CYCLE INVENTORY DATA				45
Items	Unit (*)	CO ₂ emission (kg-CO ₂ /*)	SO _x emission (kg-SO _x /*)	NO _x emission (kg-NO _x /*)	Particulate matter emission (kg-PM/*)	
iii. Emission Inventory Data for Constituent Materials						
Ordinary Portland Cement	t	766.6	0.122	1.55	0.0358	
Fine aggregate	t	3.7	0.00860	0.00586	0.00199	
Tap water	m ³	0.59	-	-	-	
Blast furnace slag	t	26.5	0.00836	0.0102	0.00169	
IWA fine aggregate	t	2.81	0.00120	0.0164	0.00119	
Concrete sludge powder	t	-208	-	-	-	
Supernatant water	m ³	0.0576	-	-	-	
Crushed gravel	t	2.9	0.00607	0.00415	0.00141	
Manufactured sand	t	3.7	0.00860	0.00586	0.00199	
iv. Emission Inventory Data for Construction						
Backhoe Excavator (0.6m ³)	h	51.7	0.0398	0.774	0.0393	
Concrete mixer (1.5m ³)	m ³	0.73	0.000235	0.000289	0.0000542	
Agitator truck (0.8-0.9m ³)	h	10.0	0.00769	0.0747	0.00628	
Vibrating tamper	h	2.1	0.000000451	0.0000132	0.000000489	
v. Emission Inventory Data for Disposal and Recycling						
Leachate-controlled type landfill	t	3.3	0.00447	0.0255	0.00198	

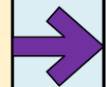
GGBFS EMISSION INVENTORY DATA CALCULATION

$$\text{CLSM per linear trench} = \underline{0.75\text{m} \times 1.85\text{m} \times 1\text{m}} - (\pi \times 0.3^2)\text{m}^2 \times 1\text{m} = \underline{1.10\text{m}^3/\text{m}}$$

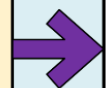
$$\text{GGBFS} = 40\text{kg}/\text{m}^3 = \underline{0.04\text{t}/\text{m}^3}$$



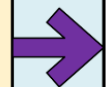
$$\text{GGBFS} = 0.04\text{t}/\text{m}^3 \times 1.10\text{m}^3/\text{m} = \underline{0.044\text{t}/\text{m}}$$

CO₂ emission (kg-CO₂/m)

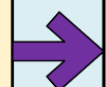
$$= (26.5\text{kg-CO}_2/\text{t}) \times 0.044\text{t}/\text{m} = \underline{1.166}$$

SO_x emission (kg-SO_x/m)

$$= (0.00836\text{kg-SO}_x/\text{t}) \times 0.044\text{t}/\text{m} = \underline{0.000368}$$

NO_x emission (kg-NO_x/m)

$$= (0.0102\text{kg-NO}_x/\text{t}) \times 0.044\text{t}/\text{m} = \underline{0.000449}$$

**Particulate matter emission
(kg-PM/m)**

$$= (0.00169\text{kg-PM}/\text{t}) \times 0.044\text{t}/\text{m} = \underline{7.44\text{E-}05}$$

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Trench Backfilling Comparison

Compaction of Granular Fill

Concrete sludge powder (CSP)

Conventioanl CLSM placing

Conventional CLSM

Eco-Friendly CLSM

Eco-Friendly CLSM Placing

Energy, from diesel

Filling of Granular Fill

Fine Aggregate

FU (1 linear meter of trench)

GGBFS

IWA Fine Aggregate

Loading of Excavated Soil (Granular)

Loading of Excavated Soil-Conventional CLSM

Loading of Excavated Soil-Eco-Friendly CLSM

Portland Cement

Quarry Gravel

Quarry Sand

Supernatant water

Surplus excavated soil-Conventional CLSM

Surplus excavated soil-Eco-Friendly CLSM

Surplus excavated soil-Granular Fill

Tap water

Transportation of Conventional CLSM

Transportation of Eco-Friendly CLSM

Transportation of GGBFS

Transportation of Portland Cement

Transportation of quarry gravel

Transportation of quarry sand

Trench Backfilling Comparison

Processes

Processes

Trench Backfilling Comparison

Conventional CLSM

1-Extraction Stage

I-Portland Cement

II-Sand

III-Tap Water

2-Transportation Stage

I-Transportion of Portland Cement

II-Transportion of sand

3-Production Stage

Conventional CLSM

4-Installation Stage

I-Trench excavation for Conventional CLSM

II-Loading of excavated soil

III-Transportion of excavated soil to landfill

IV-Excavated soil disposal at landfill site

V-Transportation of Conventional CLSM

VI-Conventional CLSM Placing

Product Systems

Product systems

Trench Backfilling Comparison

Conventional CLSM

1-Extraction Stage

I-Portland Cement

II-Sand

III-Tap Water

2-Transportation Stage

I-Transportion of Portland Cement

II-Transportion of sand

3-Production Stage

Conventional CLSM

4-Installation Stage

I-Trench excavation for Conventional CLSM

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III-Transportion of excavated soil to landfill

IV-Excavated soil disposal at landfill site

V-Transportation of Conventional CLSM

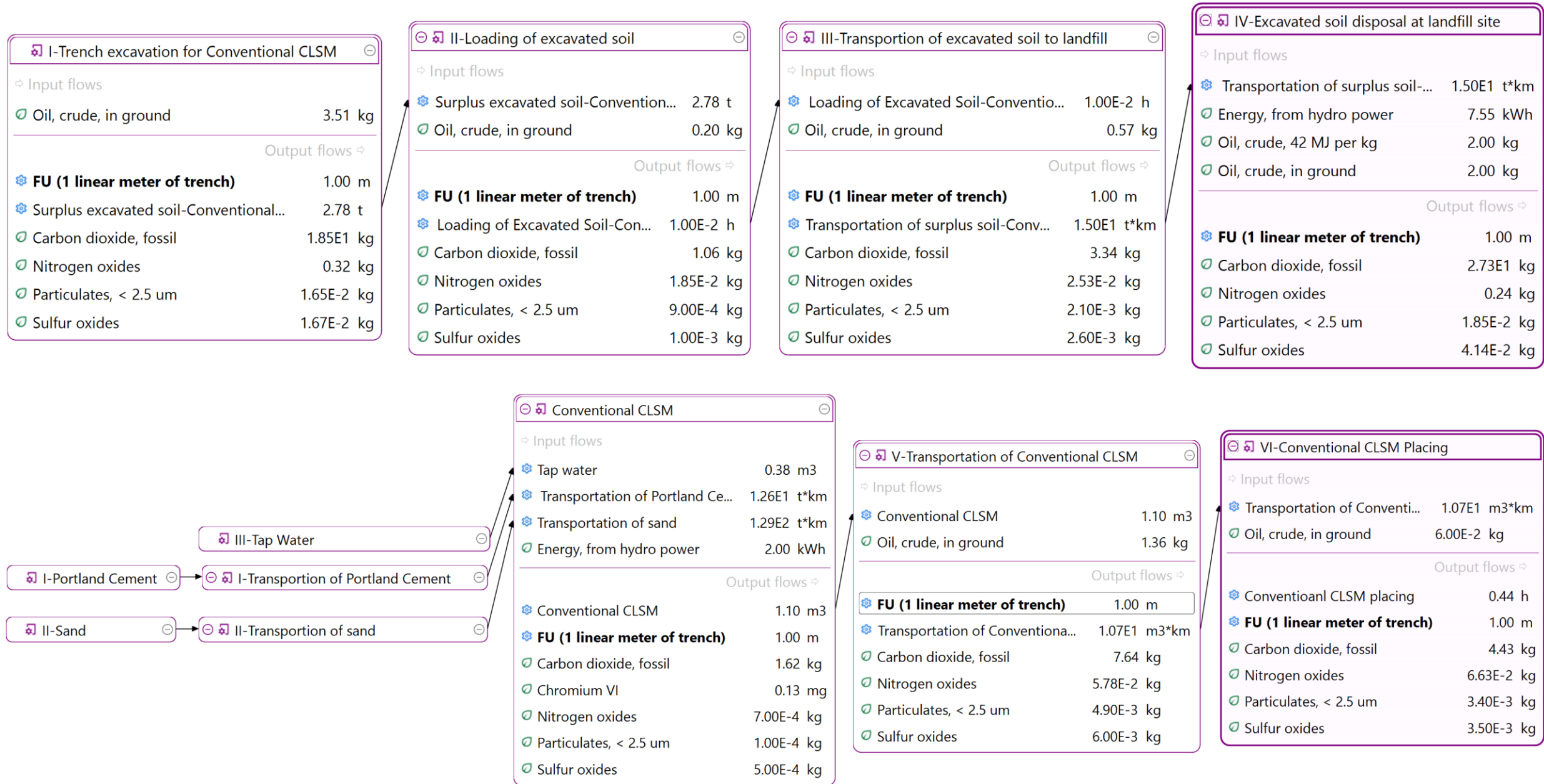
VI-Conventional CLSM Placing

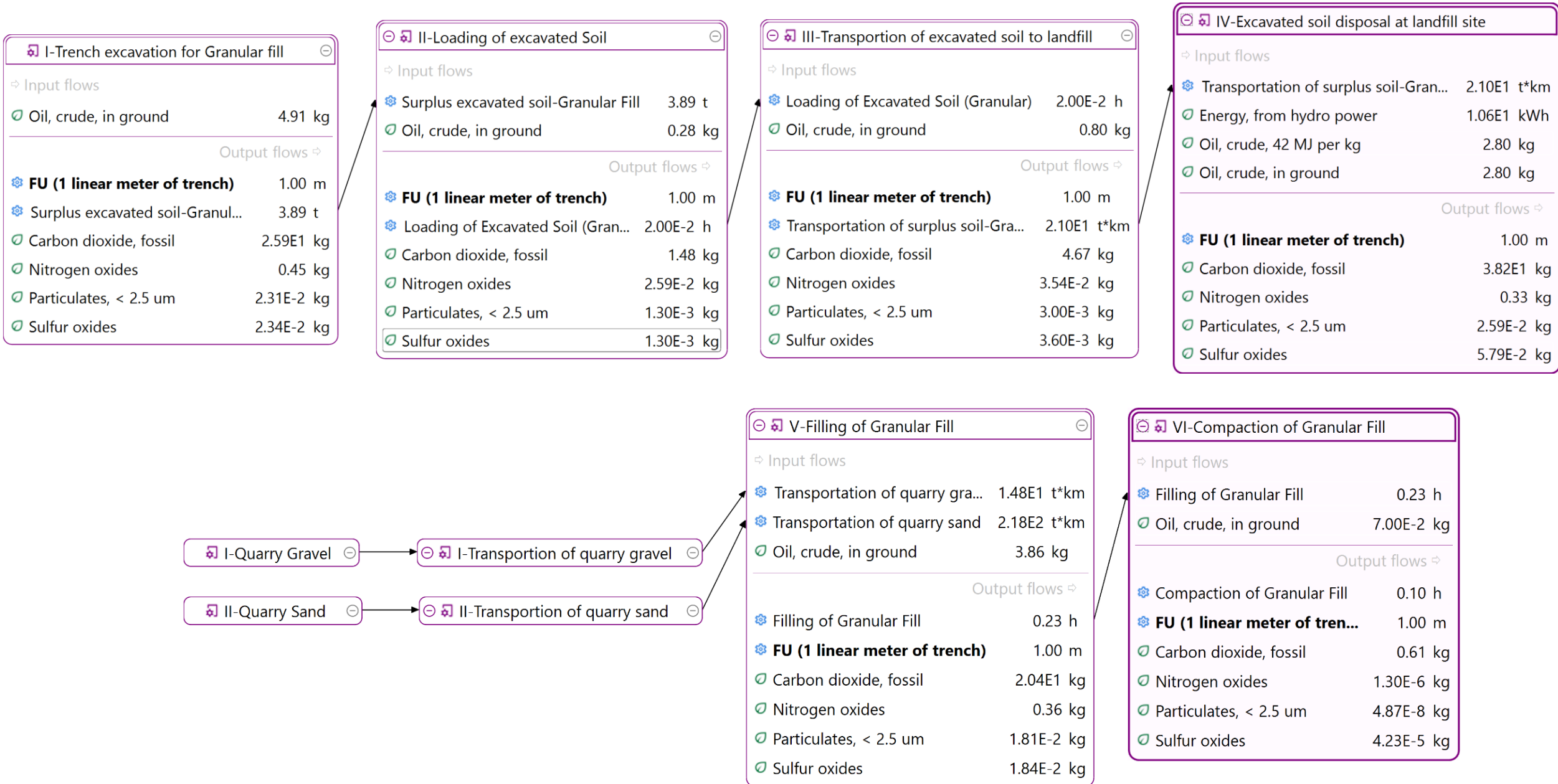
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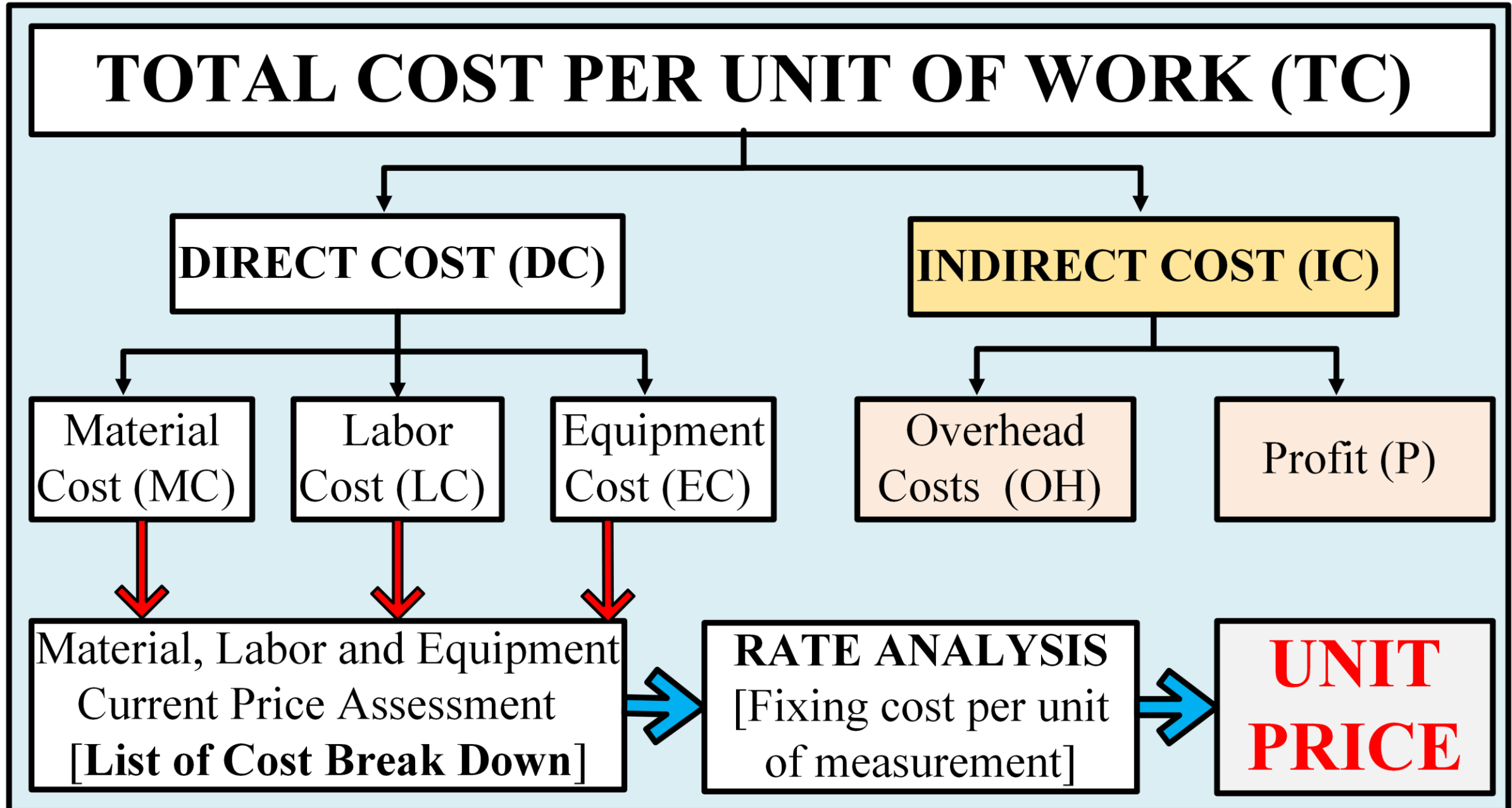
Projects

Trench Backfilling Comparison









1.0 EXCAVATION

ANALYSIS SHEET FOR DIRECT & INDIRECT COSTS

Project:

Trench Backfilling Materials Life Cycle Cost (LCC)

Work Item: (1.1)

Trench excavation up to 2 m deep, in soft soil, with a backhoe loader and mechanical loading of the excavated material.

Targeted Output Quantity:

1

m³

Result:

1499.16

¥/m³

Material Cost (1:01)					Labor Cost (1:02)				Equipment Cost (1:03)							
Type of Material	Unit	Qty*	Rate	Cost per Unit	Labor by Trade	No.	UF	Labour Output (hr/m ³)	Indexed hourly cost**	Hourly cost	Type of Equipment	No.	Equipment Output (hr/m ³)	Hourly Rental	Hourly Cost	
					Equipment Operator	1	1	0.08	3638	291.04	Backhoe Excavator with fuel	1	0.1208	7000	845.6	
					Site Supervisor	1	0.5	0.08	5813	232.52						
					Daily Laborer	1	1	0.04	3250	130						
Total (1:01)					Total (1:02)				653.56					Total (1:03)		845.6

A= Materials Unit Cost

0

¥/m³

B= Manpower Unit Cost

654

¥/m³

C= Equipment Unit Cost

845.60

¥/m³

Notes:

UF: Utilization Factor (UF) = 1/ the # of crew or people under supervision

* Inclusive of transporting, loading and unloading, handling, etc.

** Inclusive of benefits, travel subsidies, and cost of overtime related to targeted output.

Direct Cost of Work Item = A+B+C =

1499.16

¥/m³

Overhead Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Profit Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Total :

1499.16

¥/m³

VAT

0%

0

¥/m³

Total unit cost:

1499.16

¥/m³

2.0 CART AWAY

ANALYSIS SHEET FOR DIRECT & INDIRECT COSTS

Project:

Trench Backfilling Materials Life Cycle Cost (LCC)

Work Item: (2.1)

Hauling surplus excavated material 5.4 km away

Targeted Output Quantity:

1

m³

Result:

5042.53

¥/m³

Material Cost (1:01)				Labor Cost (1:02)						Equipment Cost (1:03)								
Type of Material	Unit	Qty*	Rate	Cost per Unit	Labor by Trade	No.	UF	Labour Output (hr/m³)	Indexed hourly cost**	Hourly cost	Type of Equipment	No.	Equipment Output (hr/m³)	Hourly Rental	Hourly Cost			
Surplus Soil Disposal	m³	1	4500	4500	Equipment Operator	1	1	0.0069	3638	25.10	Backhoe Loader with fuel	1	0.0069	7000	48.3			
					Truck Driver	1	1	0.015	3275	49.13	Dump truck (10t) with fuel	1	0.056	7500	420			
Total (1:01)				4500	Total (1:02)						74.23	Total (1:03)						468.3

A= Materials Unit Cost	4500	¥/m³	B= Manpower Unit Cost	74.23	¥/m³	C= Equipment Unit Cost	468.3	¥/m³	
Direct Cost of Work Item = A+B+C =							5042.53	¥/m³	
Overhead Cost:							0%	0.00	¥/m³
Profit Cost:							0%	0.00	¥/m³
Total :							5042.53	¥/m³	
VAT							0%	0	¥/m³
Total unit cost:							5042.53	¥/m³	

Notes:

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* Inclusive of transporting, loading and unloading, handling, etc.

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3.0 FILLING

ANALYSIS SHEET FOR DIRECT & INDIRECT COSTS

Project:

Trench Backfilling Materials Life Cycle Cost (LCC)

Work Item: (3.1)

Conventional CLSM

Targeted Output Quantity:

1

m³

Result:

15887.40

¥/m³

Material Cost (1:01)					Labor Cost (1:02)						Equipment Cost (1:03)					
Type of Material	Unit	Qty*	Rate	Cost per Unit	Labor by Trade	No.	UF	Labour Output (hr/m³)	Indexed hourly cost**	Hourly cost	Type of Equipment	No.	Equipment Output (hr/m³)	Hourly Rental	Hourly Cost	
OPC Cement	kg	40	19	740	Site Supervisor	1	0.5	0.0672	5813	195.3168	Concrete mixer (1.5m³)	1	0.336	4688.00	1575.17	
Sand	kg	1604	6.50	10426	Daily Laborer	1	1	0.025	3250	81.25	Agitator truck (0.8-0.9m³) with fuel	1	0.14	7500.00	1050	
Tap Water	m³	0.347	400	139	Mixer Operator	1	1	0.336	3638	1222.368						
					Agitator truck driver	1	1	0.14	3275	458.5						
Total (1:01)				11304.80	Total (1:02)					1957.43	Total (1:03)				2625.17	

A= Materials Unit Cost	11304.80	¥/m³	B= Manpower Unit Cost	1957.43	¥/m³	C= Equipment Unit Cost	2625.17	¥/m³
Direct Cost of Work Item = A+B+C =							15887.40	¥/m³
Overhead Cost:							0%	0.00 ¥/m³
Profit Cost:							0%	0.00 ¥/m³
Total :							15887.40	¥/m³
VAT							0%	0 ¥/m³
Total unit cost:							15887.40	¥/m³

Notes:

UF: Utilization Factor (UF) = 1/ the # of crew or people under supervision

* Inclusive of transporting, loading and unloading, handling, etc.

** Inclusive of benefits, travel subsidies, and cost of overtime related to targeted output.

3.0 FILLING

ANALYSIS SHEET FOR DIRECT & INDIRECT COSTS

Project: Trench Backfilling Materials Life Cycle Cost (LCC)

Work Item: (3.2) Eco-Friendly CLSM

Targeted Output Quantity:

1

m³

Result:

10082.60

¥/m³

Material Cost (1:01)					Labor Cost (1:02)					Equipment Cost (1:03)					
Type of Material	Unit	Qty*	Rate	Cost per Unit	Labor by Trade	No.	UF	Labour Output (hr/m³)	Indexed hourly cost**	Hourly cost	Type of Equipment	No.	Equipment Output (hr/m³)	Hourly Rental	Hourly Cost
GGBFS	kg	40	15	580	Site Supervisor	1	0.5	0.0672	5813	195.3168	Concrete mixer (1.5m³)	1	0.336	4688.00	1575.17
IWA Fine Aggregate	kg	984	4	3936	Daily Laborer	1	1	0.025	3250	81.25	Agitator truck (0.8-0.9m³) with fuel	1	0.14	7500.00	1050
Sludge Powder	kg	246	4	984	Mixer Operator	1	1	0.336	3638	1222.368					
Supernatant Water	m³	0.347	0	0	Agitator truck driver	1	1	0.14	3275	458.5					
Total (1:01)				5500	Total (1:02)					1957.43	Total (1:03)				2625.17

A= Materials Unit Cost

5500

¥/m³

B= Manpower Unit Cost

1957.43

¥/m³

C= Equipment Unit Cost

2625.17

¥/m³

Direct Cost of Work Item = A+B+C =

10082.60

¥/m³

Overhead Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Profit Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Total :

10082.60

¥/m³

VAT

0%

0

¥/m³

Total unit cost:

10082.60

¥/m³

Notes:

UF: Utilization Factor (UF) = 1/ the # of crew or people under supervision

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** Inclusive of benefits, travel subsidies, and cost of overtime related to targeted output.

3.0 FILLING

ANALYSIS SHEET FOR DIRECT & INDIRECT COSTS

Project:

Trench Backfilling Materials Life Cycle Cost (LCC)

Work Item: (3.3)

Granular Compacted fill

Targeted Output Quantity:

1

m³

Result:

18414.27

¥/m³

Material Cost (1:01)					Labor Cost (1:02)					Equipment Cost (1:03)						
Type of Material	Unit	Qty*	Rate	Cost per Unit	Labor by Trade	No.	UF	Labour Output (hr/m³)	Indexed hourly cost**	Hourly cost	Type of Equipment	No.	Equipment Output (hr/m³)	Hourly Rental	Hourly Cost	
Quarry gravel	kg	175	5.50	962.50	Site Supervisor	1	0.5	0.08	5813	232.52	Backhoe Loader with fuel	1	0.06	7000	420	
Quarry sand	kg	2577	6.50	16750.50	Daily Laborer	1	1	0.015	3250	48.75						
Total (1:01)				5500	Total (1:02)					1957.43	Total (1:03)					2625.17

A= Materials Unit Cost

17713.00

¥/m³

B= Manpower Unit Cost

281.27

¥/m³

C= Equipment Unit Cost

420

¥/m³

Direct Cost of Work Item = A+B+C =

18414.27

¥/m³

Notes:

UF: Utilization Factor (UF) = 1/ the # of crew or people under supervision

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** Inclusive of benefits, travel subsidies, and cost of overtime related to targeted output.

Overhead Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Profit Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Total :

18414.27

¥/m³

VAT

0%

0

¥/m³

Total unit cost:

18414.27

¥/m³

4.0 COMPACTION

ANALYSIS SHEET FOR DIRECT & INDIRECT COSTS

Project:

Trench Backfilling Materials Life Cycle Cost (LCC)

Work Item: (4.1)

Granular Compacted fill

Targeted Output Quantity:

1

m³

Result:

590.31

¥/m³

Material Cost (1:01)				Labor Cost (1:02)						Equipment Cost (1:03)						
Type of Material	Unit	Qty*	Rate	Cost per Unit	Labor by Trade	No.	UF	Labour Output (hr/m³)	Indexed hourly cost**	Hourly cost	Type of Equipment	No.	Equipment Output (hr/m³)	Hourly Rental	Hourly Cost	
					Site Supervisor	1	0.5	0.08	5813	232.52	Vibrating Tamper with fuel	1	0.08	400	32	
					Daily Laborer	1	1	0.015	3250	48.75						
					Compactor Operator	1	1	0.08	3463	277.04						
Total (1:01)				0.00	Total (1:02)						558.31	Total (1:03)				32

A= Materials Unit Cost

0.00

¥/m³

B= Manpower Unit Cost

558.31

¥/m³

C= Equipment Unit Cost

32

¥/m³

Notes:

UF: Utilization Factor (UF) = 1/ the # of crew or people under supervision

* Inclusive of transporting, loading and unloading, handling, etc.

** Inclusive of benefits, travel subsidies, and cost of overtime related to targeted output.

Direct Cost of Work Item = A+B+C =

590.31

¥/m³

Overhead Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Profit Cost:

0%

0.00

¥/m³

Total :

590.31

¥/m³

VAT

0%

0

¥/m³

Total unit cost:

590.31

¥/m³