

Study of Horse Manure with Fly Ash Ingredients in Brick Fabrication

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Abstract- Research works are not directed on manufacturing of the bricks from natural waste however the current pattern of reusing organic waste has extraordinary effect on building material industry. A few research works have done to discover the substitution of bond in concrete. This examination work is on an arrangement to utilize one such natural waste i.e. horse manure into the bricks fabricating. Fly-ash bricks have officially demonstrated their significance as the ordinary bricks gives hardness to the ground water. This gives a rule that the horse manure can likewise be utilized as a part of bricks fabricating if its quality is satisfactory with in the farthest point. Five diverse weight rates of Fly ash and horse manure with (70%, 60%, half, 40% and 30%) and (10%, 15%, 20%, 25% and 30%) were taken individually. These syntheses were mixed completely by hand mixing, to get a homogenous mix. Distinctive pieces of Fly ash remains alongside horse manure were kept in three diverse little size containers.

Keywords- Environmental waste, Hypo sludge, Silica content, Compressive strength.

I. INTRODUCTION

Bricks are commonly most widely used construction material in the world. It is mainly used for the purpose such as partition wall, retaining structure and also sometimes used as a filling material etc. On the basis of method of manufacturing, bricks are divided into two parts i.e. fire bricks, it is the brick generally made of clay in which primary constituent is silica and alumina but it also has some amount of lime, iron oxide and magnesia. In fire bricks or clay bricks, organic content should be minimum as possible because it increases porosity, water absorption and the main reasons is that it imparts lower strength. (Arya and Kansal 2016) On the other hand, cement bricks made of cement, sand and some admixture. During the manufacturing of both types of bricks, a large amount of embodied energy is required, due to which huge amount of pollutant released into the environment. These pollutants affect the environment as well as living organism very badly. As well as most of the industrial waste also cause same environmental problems.

In many areas of the world, researchers have already worked in the area of waste management so that industrial waste can be utilized for the manufacturing of bricks. By the utilization of industrial waste, net embodied energy required for bricks manufacturing reduces and also helps in reducing environmental pollution as well as it also reduces expenditure on disposal of waste material. Fly ash, hypo sludge (paper waste), rice husk bagasse, glass fibers, polymers, cigarette butts, oil palm fruit bunch, metal fibers and pineapple leaves are some of the common waste

material which is used in manufacturing of brick, concrete etc. On the basis of waste material, three basic methods of bricks manufacturing are used in modern days which have firing, cementing and geo-polymerization. (Kayali 2005)

Many research is already done in the solid waste management and lots of research are undergoing for the effective use of those waste material in the world. For best utilization of these materials proper specification, standardization and development of new techniques are required. For the acceptance of these solid waste materials, other material may also be used for futures research. For the development of country in a ecofriendly environment, public education related to waste recycling is needed and pollution free construction is required. It is only possible by utilizing the waste material in the replacement of chemical constituent.

Conventional bricks are produced from clay with high temperature kiln, firing or from ordinary Portland cement (OPC) concrete. Quarrying operations for obtaining the clay are energy intensive, adversely affect the landscape and generate a high level of wastes. The high-temperature kiln firing not only consumes a significant amount of energy but releases a lot of greenhouse gases. Clay bricks on an average have an embodied energy of approximately 2.0 kWh and release about 0.41 kg of carbon dioxide (CO₂) per brick. It is also noted that there is a shortage of clay in many parts of the world. To protect the clay resource and the environment, some countries such as China have started to limit the use of bricks made from clay.

Extensive steps have been taken out universally to employ local natural waste as accompanying cementing material to improve the properties of cement as well as the use of this material leads to the suitable disposal of natural waste consequence to less impact on surroundings in order to reduce the loss due to improper disposal of the waste. Usually, a high strength concrete is prepared by evaluating artificial fiber or polymer which results in an increase in the cost. By habituation of natural fibers or fibers from the waste in the concrete mix, an effort was made to amend the physical properties of concrete. High strength concrete is typically recognized as concrete with 28 days compressive strength greater than 35 MPa as per IS code. By finding optimum mix design with regards to the amount of water-cement ratio, fibers and aggregates, high strength concrete was prepared by using waste in a beneficial manner. Natural organic fiber from waste (horse manure) has been used as an admixture in concrete

II. RELATED WORK

Gadling et.al. in [6] presents FlyAsh brick properties, manufacturing process material required for preparing the clay bricks and fly ash bricks as per Indian standard code provisions, inspection and quality control. The textures of the bricks with FlyAsh were very similar to that of clay bricks; the sample with the additive contains spherical Fly Ash particles. These particles of Fly Ash led to a reduction in the density of the bricks and a substantial improvement in their durability. Use of this additive could have practical implications as a means of recycling and for achieving cost savings in brick production.

Safeer et.al. In [7] studies, various proportions of coal and wheat husk were used as additives in the initial ingredients of clay bricks. Microstructure, thermal conductivity, coefficient of thermal diffusivity, water absorption, shrinkage, compressive strength and bulk density of fired clay bricks with and without additives were investigated. Clay bricks containing 5–15wt.% additives were found to be within the permissible limits for most of the recommended standard specifications.

Akanyeti et. al. in [8] study, of geo-polymerization technique was used for the first time to produce sustainable light-weight bricks from cigarette butts (CBs) and coal ash. Various Na_2SiO_3 : NaOH and coal ash: activation liquid ratios were studied to be able to obtain well-formed bricks. The CBs were added in coal ash in two ways: either in dry form or previously soaked in the activation liquid before they were mixed with the coal ash. The percentage of CBs mixed in coal ash was varied between 5% and 15%. The density, compressive strength and water absorption capacities of the geo-polymer bricks were elucidated at time intervals of 7, 14 and 28 days.

The authors of works [9] recently determined the compressive strength of brick–mortar masonry based on neural

networks, neuro-fuzzy inference systems, and non destructive tests.

The authors of work[10] employed support vector machines, neural networks, and Gaussian Naïve Bayes techniques for the evaluation of damage in a turn-of-the-century, six-story building with timber frames and masonry walls.

Prabhat in[12] briefly explained the manufacturing of FAB in this highly developing world and to study its advantages of using in construction sites or as a construction material. In this paper the Author has clearly explained the advantages of FAB (FLY ASH BRICK) rather than using Clay or RB. Manufacturing of FAB is fine in three phases i.e. 3%, 5%, and without cement which are taken for testing its compressive strength test and to study the water absorption, efflorescence where it is found that the compressive strength of FAB that contains 5% of Fly-Ash is 153.4kg which is maximum than that of 1st class bricks by 40% approximately. Steps have been taken for manufacturing the bricks with different compositions of above said ingredients.

III. MIX PROPORTIONING OF HORSE MANURE BRICKS

Test bricks were set up by shifting the rate creation of horse manure, fly ash and concrete in the brick and keeping the level of sand consistent. Diverse examples arranged are organized beneath:

Table No. 3.1- Proposed Mix Proportioning

1. Concept Used For Horse Manure Brick:

In nearby industrial areas, horse manure is acquired from a paper industry where a large mass of horse manure is created. Its transfer is a noteworthy worry as it adversely affects the environment and is regularly demonstrated as a danger for the nearby individuals of where it is dumped. In any case, they can be in a perfect world utilized as a part of bricks producing as like earth and fly slag. The bricks made are like fly ash and earth bricks regarding quality and lightweight. These horse manure bricks can be effectively made accessible in the close-by territory to be utilized as a part of development seeing segment divider and additionally the framed type and temperate spending plans ventures work. Brick made from horse manure are probably going to be eco-accommodating in nature and bestows great quality to building development with a pleasing appearance which controls soil misuse and increment soil limit with respect to agrarian reason.

2. Presently a day's waste is most ordinarily utilized for such options materials in the construction industry;

2.1 Water: Water is the essential constituent required for shaping the mix delicate and workable. It helps in mixing all the strong fixings homogeneously and makes it plastic for embellishment reason. Water ought to be free from acids,

natural issue and strong dissolvable and its pH esteem ought to be in the range of 6-7. Body of water must be zero.

3. Manufacturing Process Of Horse Manure Bricks:

Following strategy has been embraced for the assembling of horse manure bricks:

- Procurement of materials
- Preparation of sample
- Moulding
- Mixing
- Drying

They are additionally tried for the quality and they are dispatched to the destinations.

3.1 Procurement of Materials:

Bricks required materials for assembling of bricks. In this manner, acquirement of material is the principal arrange for getting ready of bricks. Horse manure bricks crude materials, for example, horse compost, fly ash remains; lime and concrete ought to be effortlessly accessible close to the area where bricks are being readied.

3.2 Preparation of Samples:

The samples were prepared by Powder metallurgy route.

3.2.1 Moulding: These works have utilized hand forming practice for Molding of test mix on the ground shell. This training incorporates utilization of (225×105×75) mm shape put away made of shishum wood.

Before embellishment, the shape was dunked each time in water to influence it to free from soil and concrete particles. Along these lines, ointments are connected on it, to make brick splendidly smooth surface after which horse manure glue is embedded into it with weight and form are tempered with pole 25 times. After legitimate smoothing, the best surface the form is left for 24 hours for setting the concrete horse manure glue. Following 24 hours test is deformed from the shape.

3.2.2 Mixing Process: Five diverse weight rates of Fly ash and horse compost with (70%, 60%, half, 40% and 30%) and (10%, 15%, 20%, 25% and 30%) were taken individually. These syntheses were mixed completely by hand mixing, to get a homogenous mix. Distinctive pieces of Fly ash remains alongside horse manure were kept in three diverse little size containers. Around 6-10 little steel balls are kept inside for appropriate mixing.

3.3.3 Compaction: The compaction tests were executed to make tube shaped FA compacts. Round and hollow bite the dust and punch having 15mm width made of stainless steel was utilized to make barrel shaped Fly ash remains compacts. A mix of around 5gm. was taken for every piece. At that point the punch and bite the dust was cleaned with cotton took after by CH32CO so all the tidy is expelled from within surface of the kick the bucket and outside surface of the punch. At that point lubing was done to

abstain from staying. The mix arranged before was poured inside precisely. Amid the pressing slight shaking was done to oblige the most extreme conceivable measure of material. At last, the entire framework was subjected to pressure driven seal valve made tight, mounting was done coaxially. Greatest of 6 tons of the heap was connected to it gradually. Once the most extreme load was accomplished, the mechanical assembly was controlled off. The entire framework was casual for 5 minutes which at that point took after by emptying. Minimal was launched out from the Die an indistinguishable way from the pressure and was kept in an ordinary environment for 1 day. The chilly setting fluid (hardener) was connected on the surface of the compacted tests with the assistance of a dropper, in order to solidify the recently made compacts. The measure of Hardener utilized was $1/6^{\text{th}}$ or $1/4^{\text{th}}$ of the mix. Subsequently along these lines, twelve examples for every synthesis were made. Every one of the examples was dried in open air for 2 days.

3.3.4 Curing process: According to code, formed bricks are left to cure on the floor for 28 days as suggested in IS 456:2000. A brick dry in stacks for a further time of 7 to 15 days till the dampness content is decreased to 5 to 7 percent approximately. Three tests from every synthesis were cured in water at 27 ± 2 °C till testing day.

IV. EXPERIMENT AND RESULTS

1. Measurement of Dimensions of Brick:

Based on Clause 5.2.1, IS 12894:2002. The bricks were set in contact with each other in a straight line upon a level surface. The strategy for organizing the bricks relied upon which measurement to be estimated; length, width or tallness. The measurement result acquire from measurement test.

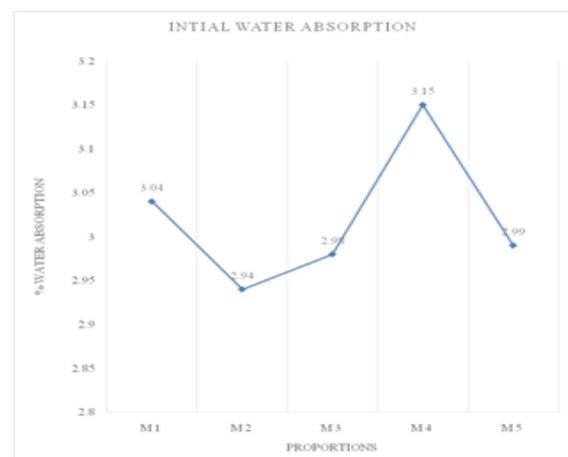


Fig 1. Initial Rate of Absorption For Different Mixed.

Fig.4.1 demonstrates a connection between the measure of water retained and thickness of dry composite concerning Fly-Ash and Horse manure organization. It is obvious from the chart that the water retention increments with incre

ment in Fly-Ash and Horse compost content 20%. Fly-Ash and Horse manure assimilate water to a most extreme of 16.25%. This demonstrates the greater parts of the openings of the compacts are available to outside.

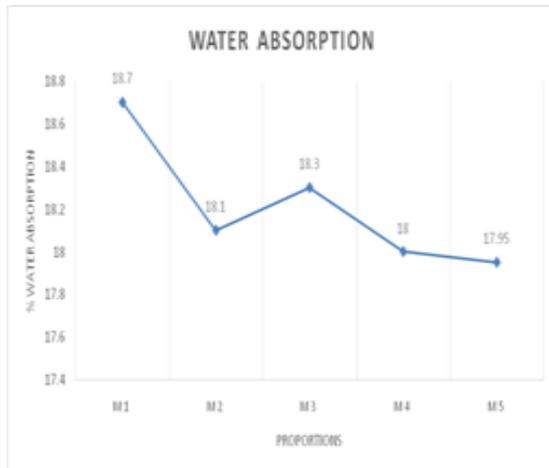


Fig 2. Water Absorption Test For Different Mixed.

1.1 Density Measurement:

The density of the examples was ascertained when treatment. From Fig.2 this work can state that density of dry compacts diminishes with increment in weight level of Fly Ash and Horse manure. As the dry compacts are drenched in water at 1100C-1800C, at that point through slim activity voids are filled and it turns out to be hard and the porosity is wiped out. Because of which the compacts wind up plainly thick lastly the thickness increments with increment in Fly-Ash and Horse compost content.

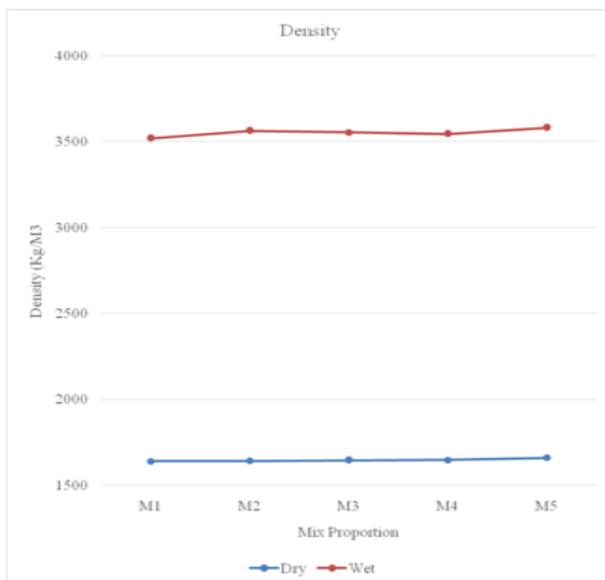


Fig 3. Density VS different Mixed Composition.

1.2 Hardness Measurement:

Hardness test for all the Fly-Ash and Horse manure bricks should be done with the help of steel knife.

1.3 Determination of Compressive Strength:

The compressive strength measurement of the cylindrical samples was done as per standard practiced. The test was conducted on the three samples of each composition and the average value of all is evaluated. Fig 5 shows the strength values of different compositions of Fly-Ash and Horse manure, both in the dry and wet state.

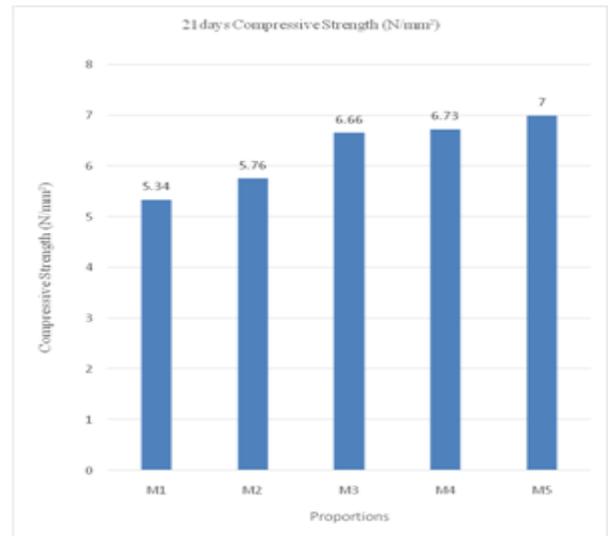


Fig 5. Compressive strength values of different FA resin mix for 21 Days Sample.

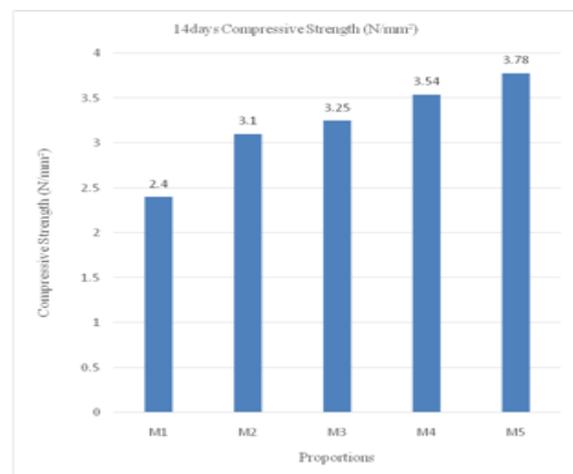


Fig 6. Compressive strength values of different FA resin mix for 14 Days Sample.

It can be seen from Figure.4.6 that the composition of (Fly-Ash),(Horse manure) has higher compressive strength than other two compositions. It is found that with a decrease in the resin percent of fly ash mix has increased compressive strength. As it is evident from SEM micro Figures that 75 wt. % FA mix composite possesses cracks which lead to decrement in compressive strength. As the percentage of FA is increased there is a good bonding between the interfaces which leads to improvement in strength of the compacts. These observations confirm that

addition of cold setting resin powder in excess to fly ash may not be beneficial. Here resin powder is only used as a binding agent. Water treatment shows a little bit negative impact on the strength of the composite.

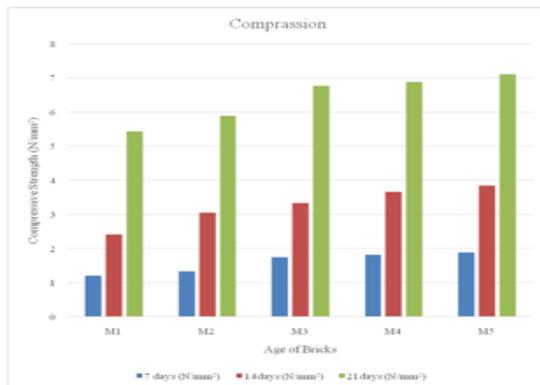


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2. Efflorescence Test Results:

Percentage of efflorescence was calculated by using butter and graph paper. The liability efflorescence of all tested sample with different parameters is reported as slight. Approximately 10% of the exposed area of the brick was enclosed with a lean deposit of salts. Low deposition of salt is attributed to the fact that fly-ash and cement used were having very less salt content in their composition. Only horse manure & lime that was used for research contains little salt. But fly-ash and cement form the bulk of brick. Hence only a little efflorescence is observed in the bricks that too because of lime content.

V. CONCLUSION

Horse manure Experiment is done on various set of mixing proportion of the material where different number of days samples are utilize for the examination of various properties of the brick.

Results shows state that density of dry compacts diminishes with increment in weight level of Fly Ash and Horse manure. As the dry compacts are drenched in water at 1100C-1800C, at that point through slim activity voids are filled and it turns out to be hard and the porosity is wiped out. Because of which the compacts wind up plainly thicklastly the thickness increments with increment in Fly Ash and Horsecompost content.

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overabundance to fly ash fragments may not be valuable. It was obtained that combination of above proportion of horse manure and fly ash is utilize for various application of construction.

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