

Lafarge Cement Malawi Brands Reference Guide

APPLICATION	JOB	Duracrete	OPC	Kumanga
DIY Applications	Foundation	✓	✓	✓ *
	Domestic floors	✓	✓	✓ *
	Driveways	✓	✓	✓ *
	Garden paths	✓	✓	✓ *
	Mortar	✓	✓	✓ *
	Plastering	✓	✓	✓ *
	Footing	✓	✓	X
Technical Concrete Applications	Suspended slabs	✓ *	✓	X
	Light industrial floors	✓ *	✓	✓
	Heavy duty industrial floors	✓ *	✓	X
	Mass concrete	✓ *	✓	X
	Reinforced concrete columns	✓ *	✓	X
	Reinforced concrete floors	✓ *	✓	X
	Reinforced concrete walls	✓ *	✓	X
	Reinforced concrete beams and slabs	✓ *	✓	X
	Post-tensioned slabs and beams	✓ *	✓	X
	Pre-stressed slabs and beams	✓ *	✓	X
	Water retaining structures	✓ *	✓	X
Precast manufacturing	Brick and Block making	✓	✓	✓ *
	Columns	✓	✓	X
	Roofing tiles	✓	✓	✓
	Strength class	32.5N	32.5N	22.5X
	CEM type	CEM II	CEM I	MC
	Quantity	50 Kg	50 Kg	50 Kg
	User	All	All	All
	Bag weight	50 Kg	50 Kg	50 Kg
	Workability	Excellent	Good	Excellent
	Durability	Excellent	Better	Good

✓ * Best recommended

✓ Recommended

X Not recommended