



ACID RESISTANT CONCRETE

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6. Statement on test results by Prof. Jörg Reymendt, Frankfurt University of Applied Sciences

1. Requirements



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OBJECTIVE

Development of a highly acid resistant concrete that exceeds the requirements for concrete in chemically highly aggressive environment

- Comparing the highly acid resistant concrete to comparison concrete by
 - Determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media on basis of German DAfStb-Guideline „Concrete construction with water polluting substances“
 - Additional test of chloride migration coefficient on basis of German BAW-Guideline “Chloride migration resistance of concrete”

2. Mix design



2. Mix design

2.1 SWB1

- CEM II 42,5 N/A-M-SLV from Israel
- Aggregates from Israel
- Superplasticizer PANTARHIT® RC683 (FM)
- Meets the requirements of XA2/ XA3 concrete (for concrete in chemically moderate/ highly aggressive environment)

**ACID RESISTANT CONCRETE ACC. TO
DIN EN 206-1 AND DIN 1045-2**



2. Mix design

2.2 SWB2

- CEM III/B 42,5 N-SR from Israel
- Highly acid resistant aggregates from Israel
- Superplasticizer PANTARHIT® RC683 (FM)
- Stabilizer PANTARHEO® SB40 (ST)
- Additive MOWILITH® / CELVOLIT® LDM 6880*

HIGHLY ACID RESISTANT CONCRETE



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3. Test set-up and performance



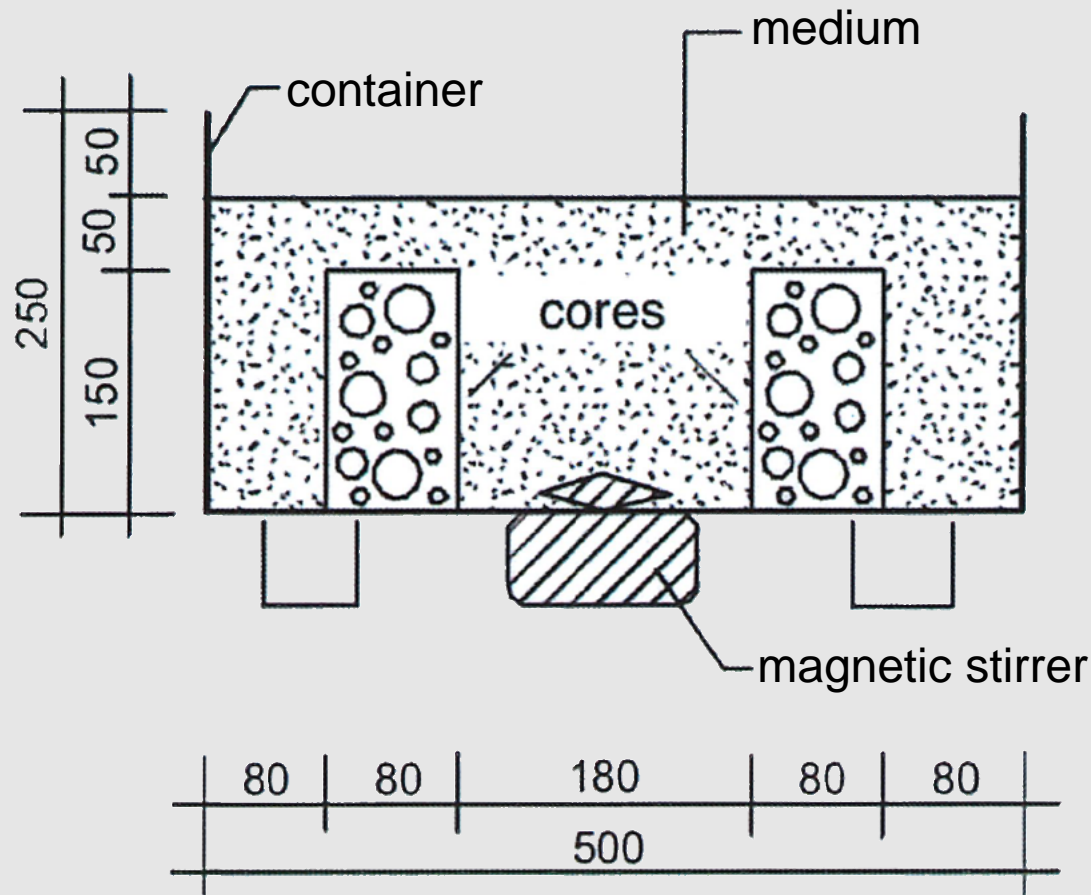
3.1 Determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

3.1.1 USED TEST MEDIA

MEDIA	CONCENTRATION
Drinking water as reference	
Concentrated sulfuric acid H_2SO_4	96%
Hydrochloric acid HCl	30-33%
Phosphoric acid H_3PO_4	85 %
Nitric acid HNO_3	60%
Potassium hydroxide KOH	50%
Sodium hydroxide NaOH	50%
Saltwater like in the Dead Sea	Salt content 29%
Carnallit solution	
Deionised water	

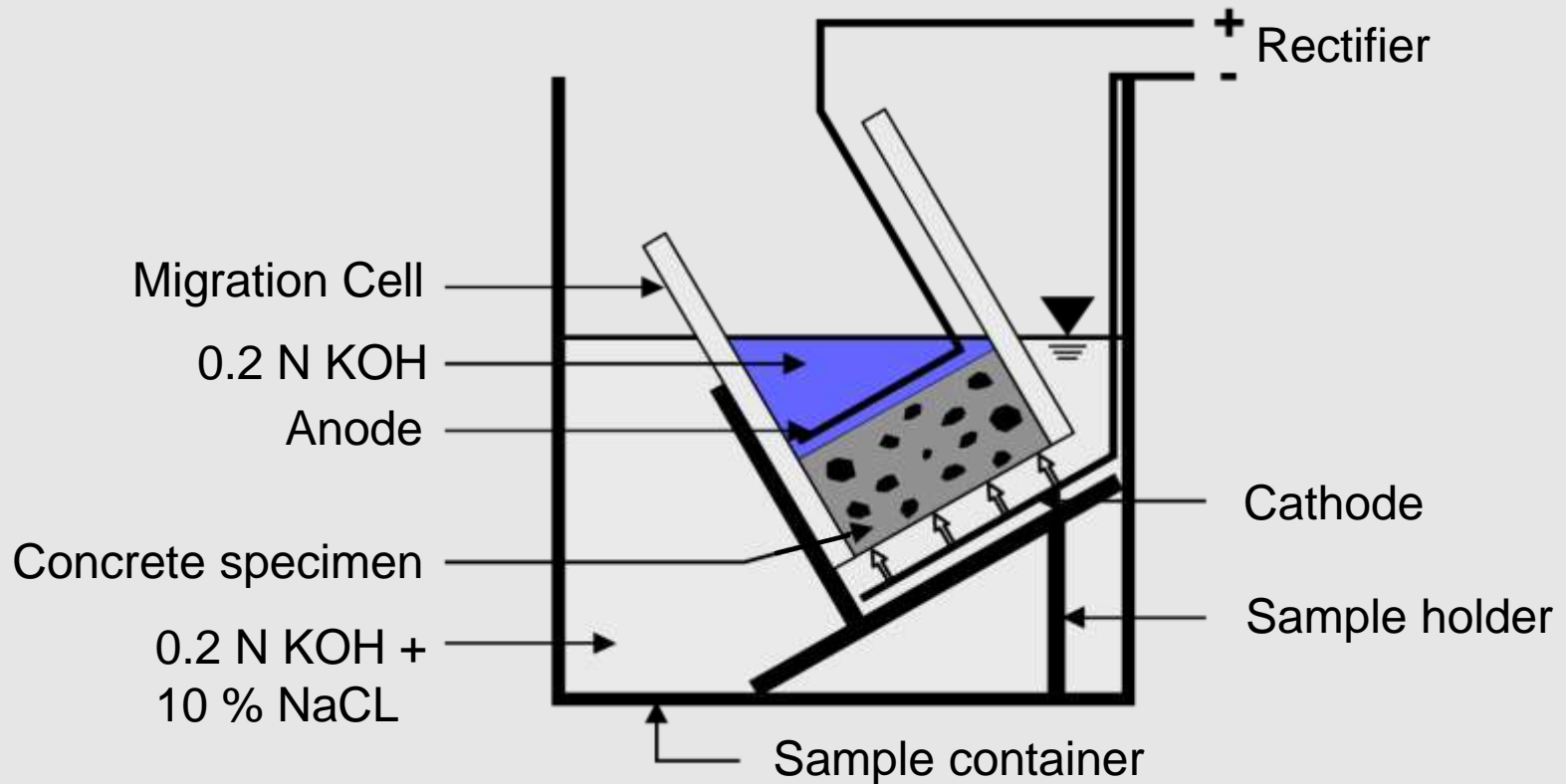
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3.1.2 SET-UP



3.2 Test of chloride migration resistance

3.2.1 SET-UP



4. Test results



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

DRINKING WATER (REFERENCE)



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



57.6

0

SWB2



53.8

0

4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

DRINKING WATER (REFERENCE)

BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

CONC. SULFURIC ACID



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



52.1

-9.6

SWB2



52.2

-3.0

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CONC. SULFURIC ACID

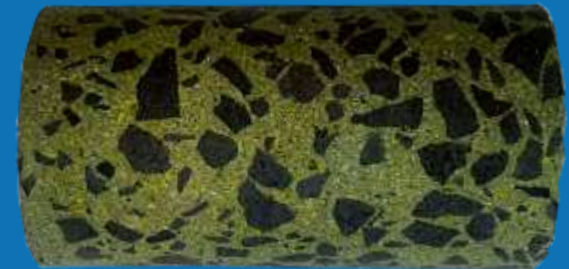
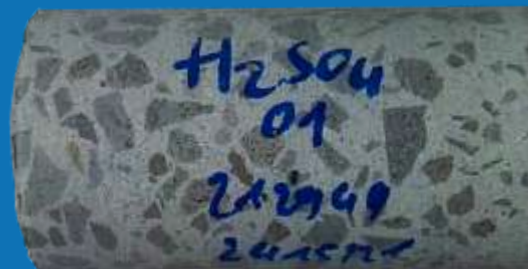
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

HYDROCHLORIC ACID



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
 [after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
 [compared to reference - %]

SWB1



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SWB2



46.9

-12.9

* test not possible

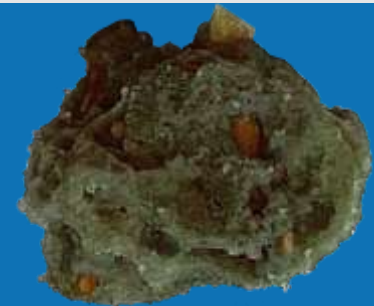
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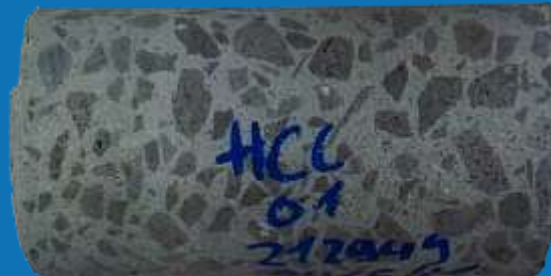
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

PHOSPHORIC ACID



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



52.9

-8.2

SWB2



59.0

9.5

4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

PHOSPHORIC ACID

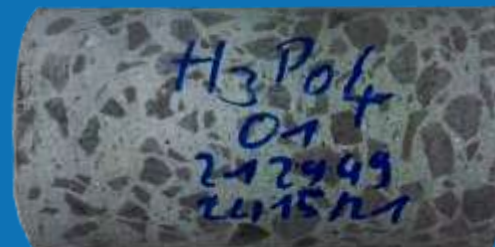
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

NITRIC ACID



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
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CHANGE IN STRENGTH
 [compared to reference - %]

SWB1



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SWB2



53.7

-0.2

* test not possible

4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

NITRIC ACID

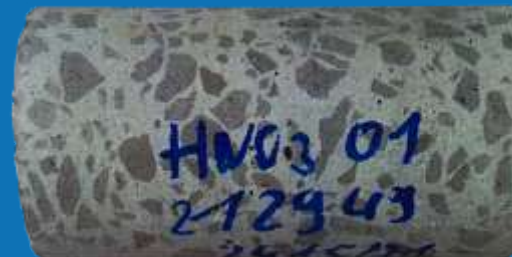
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



54.4

-5.6

SWB2



57.9

7.6

4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

SODIUM HYDROXIDE



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



57.7

0.2

SWB2



57.5

6.8

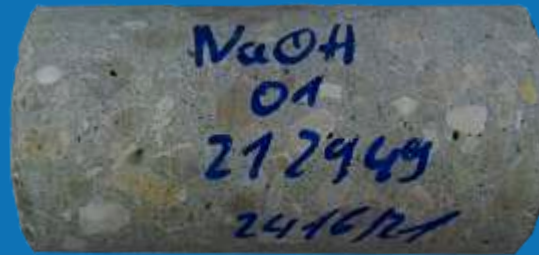
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SODIUM HYDROXIDE

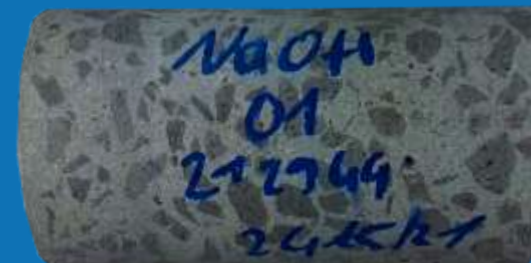
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

SALTWATER



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



60.1

4.3

SWB2



56.7

5.3

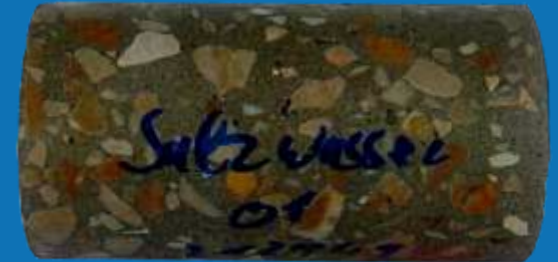
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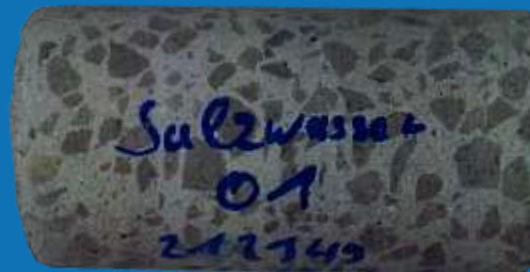
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

CARNALLIT SOLUTION



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



63.2

9.6

SWB2



55.1

2.4

4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

CARNALLIT SOLUTION

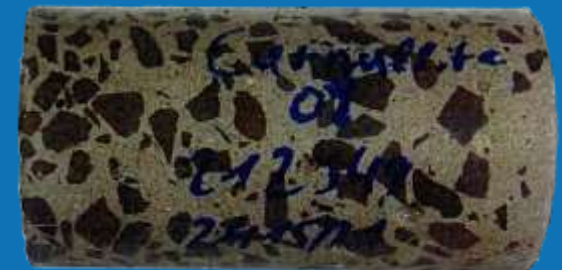
BEFORE

AFTER

SWB1



SWB2



4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

DEIONISED WATER



MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH
[after storage – Mpa]



CHANGE IN STRENGTH
[compared to reference - %]

SWB1



57.7

0.1

SWB2



55.1

2.4

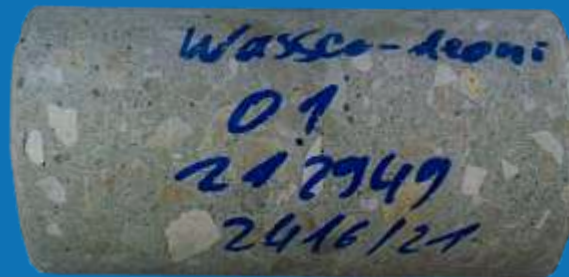
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DEIONISED WATER

BEFORE

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SWB1

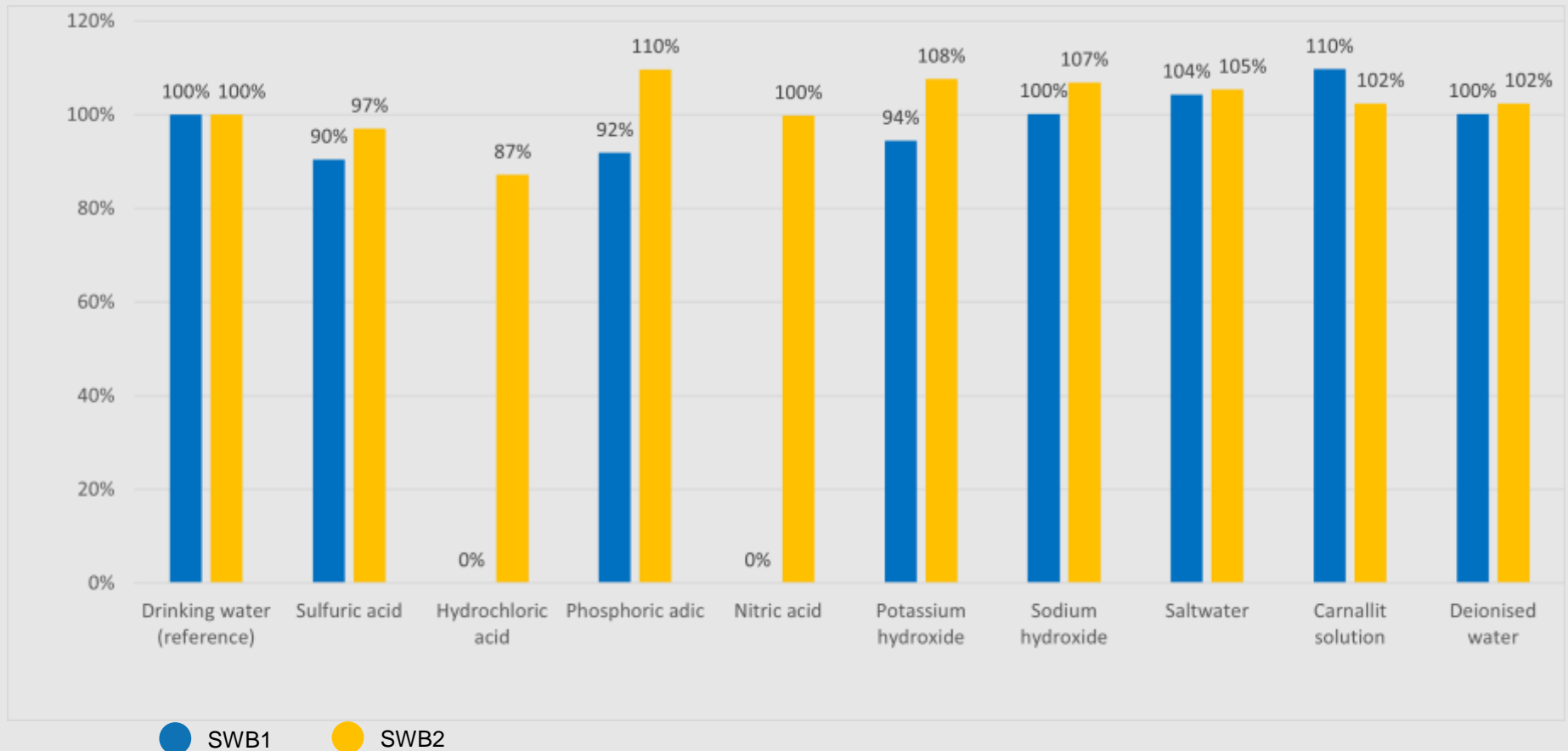


SWB2



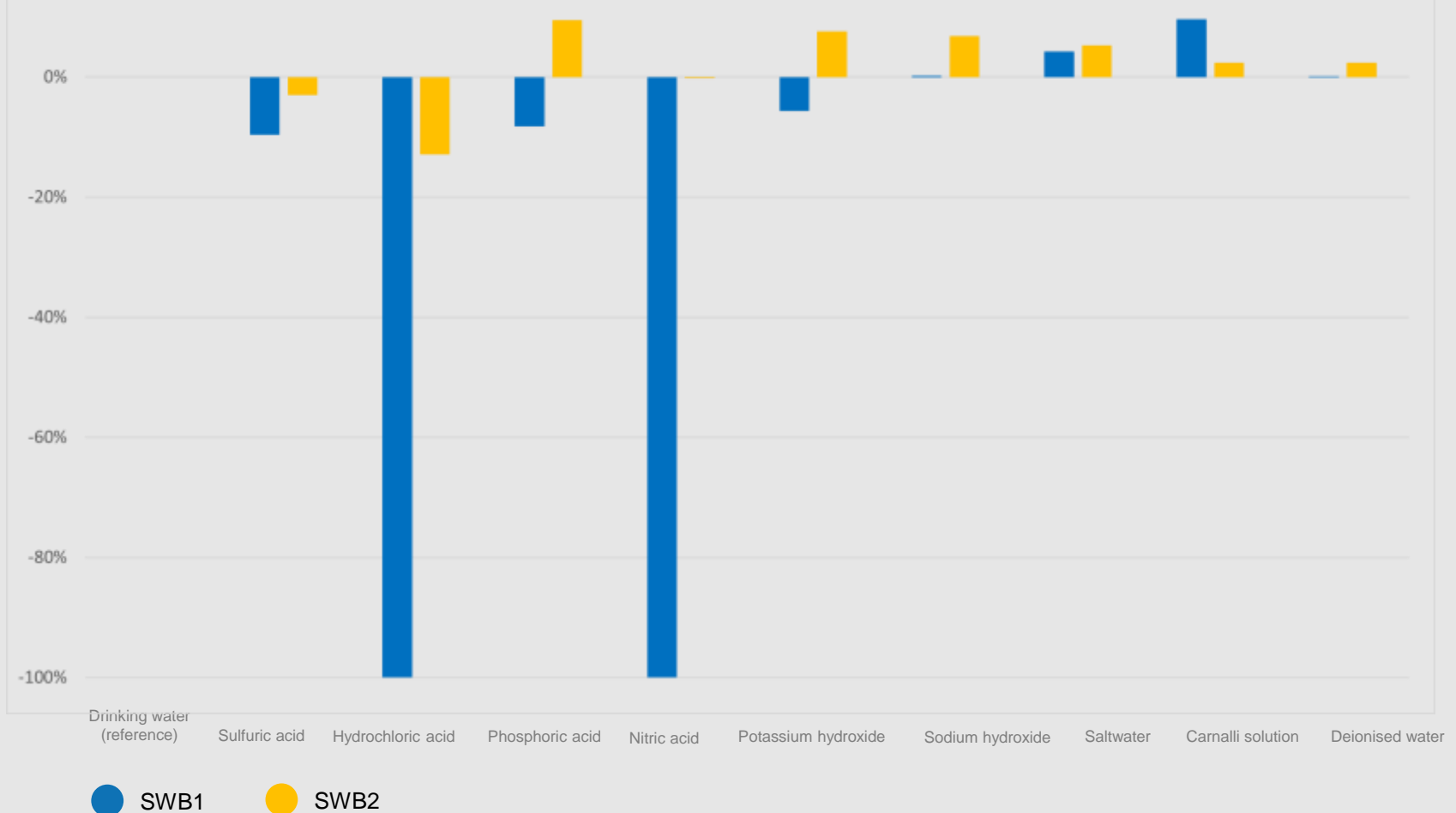
4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

4.1.2 MEAN COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH COMPARED TO REFERENCE





4.1 Results of determination of damage of concrete due to different attacking media

4.1.3 LOSS/ WIN OF COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH COMPARED TO REFERENCE



4.2 Results of chloride migration resistance

CHLORIDE MIGRATION COEFFICIENTS

SAMPLE NO.	CHLORIDE MIGRATION COEFFICIENT $\times 10^{-12} \text{ [m}^2/\text{s]}$	
	SWB1 	SWB2 
1	8.0	1.8
2	8.2	2.0
3	8.5	1.8
MEAN VALUE D_{CL}	8.2	1.9
MAX. INDIVIDUAL VALUE $D_{CL, \max}$	8.5	2.0

**MORE THAN
4 x LOWER
AS SWB1**

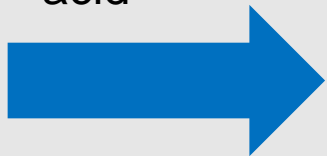
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5.1 DETERMINATION OF DAMAGE OF CONCRETE DUE TO DIFFERENT ATTACKING MEDIA

- Great differences between SWB1 and SWB2 are shown after storage in hydrochloric and nitric acid.
- Although SWB1 concrete is already acid-resistant according to DIN EN 206-1 and DIN 1045-2, it does not meet the requirements of hydrochloric acid or nitric acid



SWB2 shows significantly better behavior regarding the attacking media



SWB2 exceeds the requirements for class AX3

5. Evaluation

5.2 CHLORIDE MIGRATION RESISTANCE

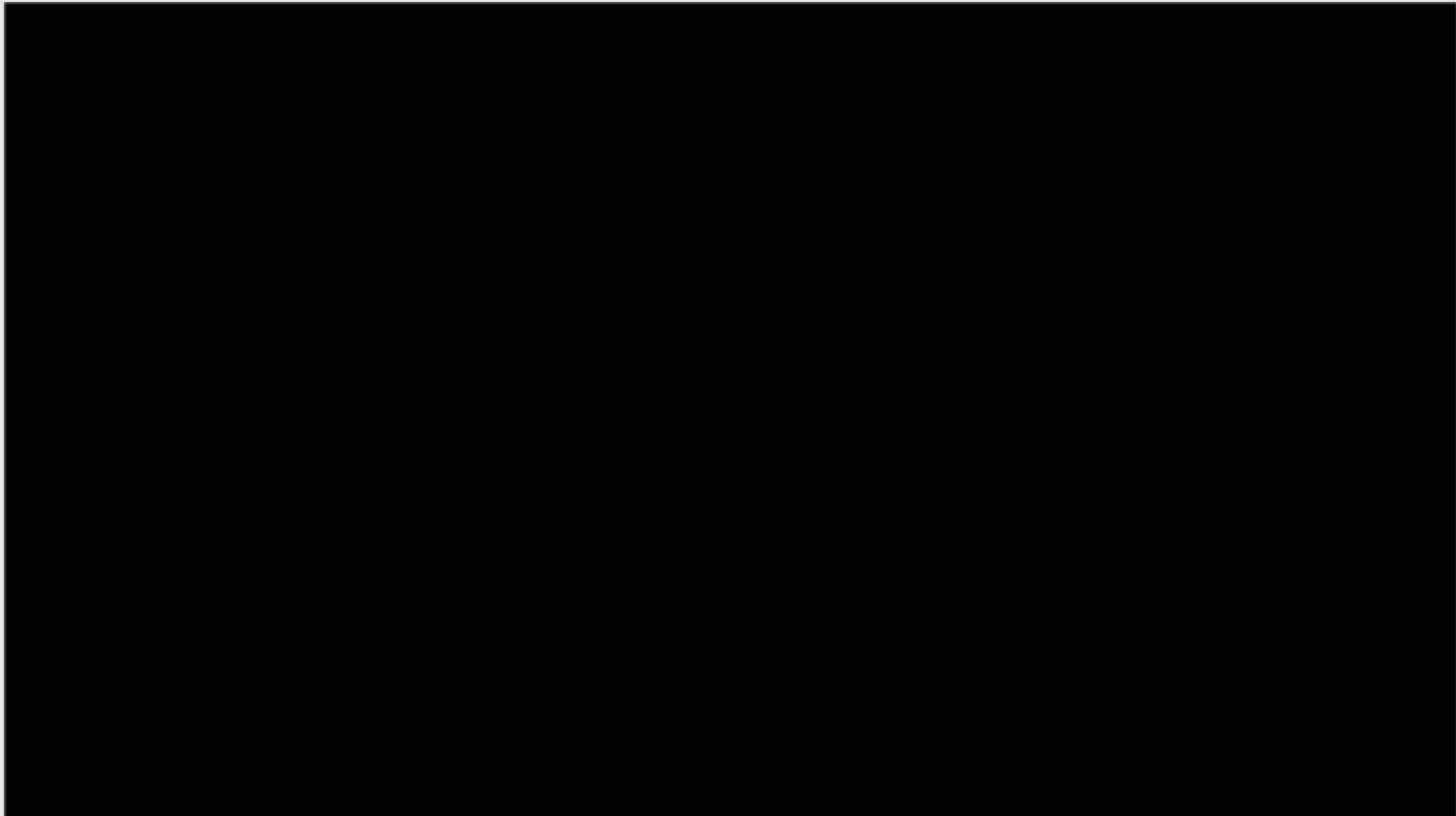
- The coefficient for SWB2 is more than 4 times lower than for SWB1
- SWB1 fulfils the requirements of exposure classes XS2 (under water) and XD2 (wet, rarely dry)
- SWB2 fulfils the requirements of exposure classes XS3 (alternately wet and dry) and XD3 (tide, dripping and drizzling water belts)



SWB2 is having a very good behavior regarding the migration of chlorides

6. Statement on test results

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