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Refrax-20

Description: Refrax-20 is a Nitride Bonded Silicon Carbide Refractory.

It has exceptionally high strength combined with greater resistance to thermal shock. Exceptional resistance to abrasion, oxidation and chemical attack associated to a high thermal conductivity suits ARC/ copper and Blast Furnace application.

- Objective:** This document applies for the process to testing of Refrax 20 Products.
- Scope:** This document details the procedures for the testing of Refrax 20.
- Responsibility:** The responsibility of testing of Refrax 20 with Lab in charge.
- Material required:** Sample of Refrax 20 after Firing.

Quality control

A set of properties is measured after firing ("fired properties").

Fired properties:

- ❖ Density
- ❖ Porosity
- ❖ CCS

Chemical Properties

- SiC
- Si₃N₄
- Fe₂O₃

II Physical Properties:

- Bulk Density : 2.63 g/cc Min.
- Apparent Porosity : 18 % Max.
- Cold Crushing Strength : 1400 kg/cm² Min.
- Cold Modulus of Rupture (At room temperature) : 350 kg/cm² Min.
- Hot Modulus of Rupture (At 1350°C) : 400 kg/cm² Min.
- Thermal Conductivity (At 1000°C) : 14 W/mK Typ.
- Co-Efficient of Thermal Expansion : 4.6 X 10⁻⁶/°C Typ.

III. Typical Chemical Properties:

- Silicon Carbide : 75 %
- Nitrogen : 6.2 %

IV. Storage: Store in a Dry place

V. Shelf Life: Not Applicable.