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## Storage of Big Bags

Big bags should be stored on pallets or similar, as they might otherwise draw moisture up through the bottom. Big bags should be covered during transport and storage. Sunlight and heavy showers might damage the bags.



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# Big Bags - the way to do it

## Guide to handling Big Bags



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## Cement in practical packaging



Weight	1,500 kg
Diameter	120 cm
Circumference	400 cm
Length, when lifted	225 cm
Height, when piled	100 cm

- Description:** Temporary container for bulk cement.
- Outer bag:** Woven polypropylene.
- Liner:** Polyethylene. Waterproof and U.V. stabilised.
- Storage:** The big bag must be protected against humidity and rain as well as sunlight.
- After use:** The big bag is disposable and can be burnt without harming the environment.



### Transport by forklift truck

- Big bags should be transported by forklift trucks with a capacity of 3 tons or 6 tons.
- The lifting loops are tied together and it is important that both loops are lifted simultaneously.

## Emptying the Big Bags

To avoid that the liner falls out of the outer bag during emptying it is important to ensure:



- that the liner is on the hook



- that the liner is fixed between hook and lifting loops



The bag is opened by cutting a cross in the bottom of the bag by using either a knife or an emptying device in which a knife and a screen are mounted.

The bag is lowered over the knife of the emptying device, which automatically cuts a cross in the bag.

If the cement "is stuck" during discharge, the problem can be solved by putting a broomstick or similar into the bag and prick until the cement flows again.