

 CDM: Response form for Request for revision of approved methodologies (version 01.1)	
<i>Date of Meth Panel meeting:</i>	3 - 7 October 2011
<i>Title and number of Request for revision</i>	Consolidated Baseline Methodology for Increasing the Blend in Cement Production AM_REV_0213
<u>Summary of the query:</u> Please use the space below to summarize the request for revision on the related approved methodologies.	
<p>ACM0005 version 05 “Consolidated Baseline Methodology for Increasing the Blend in Cement Production” is applicable to project activities that increase the share of additives (i.e. reduce the share of clinker) in the production of cement types beyond current practices in the country. Additives are defined as materials blended with clinker to produce blended cement types and include fly ash, gypsum, slag, etc.</p> <p>The request for revision aims at expanding the applicability of the methodology to Greenfield cement plants. The request argues that the methodology is applicable to the Greenfield cement plants (those plants which produce blended cement from day one operation) but ask for one year historical data for electricity and fuel consumption. The provisions to calculate the baseline and project emissions are only possible for projects that increase the blend. It is not described in the methodology how the baseline and project emissions should be calculated for Greenfield projects since they do not have any historical data.</p>	
<u>Recommendation by the Meth Panel:</u>	
(a) Please use the space below to provide amendments /changes (in your expert view, if necessary).	
Please, refer to the box below.	
(b) Please use the space below for providing guidance, as per Para 93 of EB25 Report, on what type of projects need to revise the PDD as a consequence of the suggested revision, if the recommendation is to revise the methodology.	
Please, refer to the box below.	

Answer to authors of the request for revision by the Meth Panel :

Please use the space below to provide an answer to the authors of the above query

The Meth Panel recommends to approve the request for revision with modifications. In addition, the draft revision also improves the methodology so as to increase its readability, consistency and simplicity; clarifies that methodology is not applicable to situations where cement blending is common at the construction site; and provides an approach to determine the blending benchmark taking into account the imported cement. The draft revised methodology is annexed to the fifty-second Meth Panel meeting report.

Signed by the Chair, Mr. Philip Gwage

Date: 7/10/2011

Signed by the Vice-Chair, Mr. Lex de Jonge

Date: 7/10/2011

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