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BETON ISTANBUL 2017—THBB

Great success for the Concrete 2017 Congress and Fair organized in İstanbul by the Turkish Ready Mixed Concrete Association (THBB), in order to bring together the ready-mixed concrete, cement, aggregate and construction sectors. The opening was held on April 13, 2017, by Dr. Öztürk, the Undersecretary of the Ministry of Environment and Urbanization. The European Ready-Mixed Concrete Association (ERMCO) and THBB President Yavuz Işık met the representatives of the ready-mix concrete industry and the supplier companies as well as academicians and researchers. [READ MORE](#)



THE BELGIAN RMC ASSOCIATION 2016 ACTIVITY REPORT

The new rapport of the 2016 activities released by FEDBETON is now available from download from [HERE](#). News and links are also available in the [FEDBETON web site](#).



PORTUGUESE CONCRETE DAY

Tryp Lisboa Aeroporto Hotel,
LISBON, JUNE 1st, 2017

Organized by the Portuguese Ready Mixed Concrete Association (APEB), the Concrete Day 2017 will deal with innovation and technology, as well as networking in the ready-mixed concrete sector.



BETON BEWUST | CSC FIRST CERTIFICATES

On April 12th, the first Dutch BETON Bewust|CSC certificates were awarded. The companies that received their first certificates were rmc producers Mebin and CRH/Cementbouw (two silver labels), VBI and Bosch Concrete (two bronze labels) and one producer of binders (ORCEM).

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NORWAY'S BOLD, MAYBE FOOLHARDY PLAN TO BUILD THE WORLD'S FIRST SHIP TUNNEL



Norway is home to more than 1,100 road tunnels. Cutting through the mountains and stretching under its deep sea, they allow for vehicles a more direct route through the country's challenging terrain. The Scandinavian country has burrowed thoroughfares for nearly

every mode of transportation—except one, but.... [READ MORE](#)

EU FUNDS SUSTAINABLE CONCRETE INITIATIVE

EnCoRe is a EU-funded project that shows how to use recycled components to make sustainable concrete can be beneficial for the environment. "The research could have a huge potential impact on both the building industry and the management of waste in urban areas and industrial districts," project coordinator Enzo Martinelli of Italy's University of Salerno says...

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EC 2 - UPDATED COMMENTARY AND WORKED EXAMPLES

Thanks to eng. J. F. DENOËL of FEBELCEM, Brussels, the updated versions of the EC2 Commentary and Worked Examples are now available on the ERMCO web site at the following links:

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A SPEAKER MADE OF CONCRETE!



Concrete is commonly not considered a practical material for a speaker.— out of all, it's heavy, and its acoustic properties are usually pretty terrible: "ever been in a big concrete room?" asks Drew Stone Briggs—"there's a lot of echo. Echo on the inside of your speaker is a bad thing" but...[READ MORE](#)

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