**BEST PRACTICE** 

LOCATION: Quarry ARTICLE YEAR 2006
ACTIVITY: Manual handling and storage COMPANY: CEMEX

SUB ACTIVITY: N/A COMPANY LOCATION: Dove Holes Quarry, Derbyshire

BEST PRACTICE No: BP412 COMPANY TEL: 01298 77531

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United Kingdom

## TITLE

## Fibre addition unit

## **ARTICLE**

This quarry decided to use the loose fibre system for the fibre addition to the coating plant to make Stone Mastic Asphalt. The fitters devised a system which ties into the current plant controls. It eliminates the need for manual handling of fibre bags and repeated entry to the plant to add pellets. The 1 tonne bags have to be raised above the hopper before they can be untied. To ensure that no one is under a supported load, the site installed a bag support frame, which is a sturdy reinforced piece of equipment that ensures no-one risks being crushed by the bags.

## **ARTICLE IMAGES**