

Vineyard Posts and Lintels Applications

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FIELD APPLICATIONS

AGRICULTURE, BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

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SLIPFORMER sf - WET CASTING wf

ELEMENT DIMENSIONS

CAN BE CUSTOMISED



Vineyard posts and lintels are prestressed concrete elements that have a constant cross section. They are manufactured using high tensile strength prestressed wires or single wire which are embedded within the element.

The production of these elements is achieved using our Slipformer or Wet Casting machines that cast continuously on a long production bed without the need of any formworks.

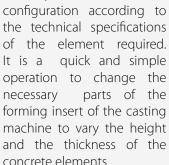
The square or rectangular posts have many applications.

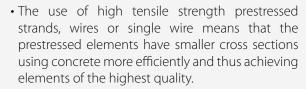
The square posts are used extensively in agriculture for vineyards, fruit production, animal enclosures and to support irrigation systems.

The rectangular posts are used in building construction as door and window lintels.

BENEFITS

- Trouble-free element handling
- Easy to install
- Large production volumes with uniform cross sections even with different cable reinforcement configurations
- Assured quality by using specific equipment for the manufacture of the concrete elements combined with a high end quality control system
- The ability to change the dimensions of the concrete elements and the prestressed steel wire





Smaller cross sections mean lighter panels reducing the cost of transport and allowing easy handling both on-site and in the production plant.

- Excellent rigidity during the loading, unloading, lifting and installation. When compared to other non prestressed elements of the same height these products offer more rigidity and less deformation under load and consequently are less likely to suffer surface cracking
- In the agricultural sector, the high rigidity can help the post stand up to the tough working environment of automatic harvesting equipment. Furthermore, with the use of good quality aggregates combined with excellent concrete compaction prestressed posts limit plant disease and are very resistant to the outdoor environment over a long period of time
- The produced elements have high load resistances thanks to a low water/cement ratio of concrete from 0.32 to 0.38. In fact to produce the same profiles using traditional methods would require higher water/cement ratios and need expensive formworks. Even though the low water/cement ratio employed makes the concrete hard to work, NORDIMPIANTI's machines have no difficulty producing particular element shapes with a high level of reliability
- Prestressed lintels are normally chosen for use with load bearing wall structures, since putting the lintel in the walls does not affect the load bearing capacity of the vertical structure





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ELEMENT DIMENSIONS

60x60 mm • 70x70 mm • 80x80 mm 90x90 mm • 100x100 mm



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PRESTRESSED CONCRETE POST (with square surfaces) See the photo: **60 mm** wide **60 mm** high



HxW (mm)	Weight (Kg/m)
60x60	8.7
70x70	11.8
80x80	15.4
90x90	19.5
100×100	24



PRESTRESSED CONCRETE POST (with round surfaces) See the photo: **60 mm** wide **60 mm** high



HxW (mm)	Weight (Kg/m)
60x60	7.4
70x70	10.3
90x90	16.9



Slipformer **sf** machine



Excellent surface finish



In the agricultural sector vineyard posts may need holes for steel wire supports to pass through the elements.



Wet Casting **wf** machine



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The holes are made on fresh concrete with a special drilling machine directly on the production bed immediately after the casting by the Slipformer.

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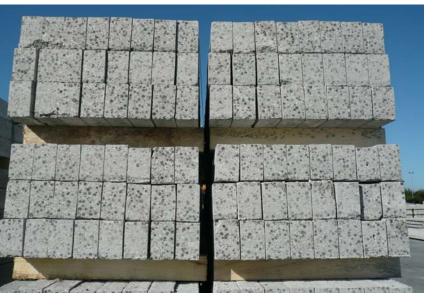
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ELEMENT DIMENSIONS

65x100 mm • 100x140 mm 215x65-100 mm • 255x65 mm



The rectangular posts are used in building construction as well as door and window lintels.



LINTELSSee the photo: **65 mm** wide **100 mm** high



HxW (mm)	Weight (Kg/m)
65x100	15.6
65x150	23.4
100x140	33.6



LINTELS

See the photo: **255 mm** wide **65 mm** high



H x W (mm)	Weight (Kg/m)
215x65	33.5
215x100	51.6
255x65	39.8





An excellent surface finish is achieved with a special smoothing device mounted on the rear of the Slipformer **sf** casting machine.







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