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buildings and structures”**

## Use of reinforced concrete remains obtained by recycling of destroyed buildings and structures

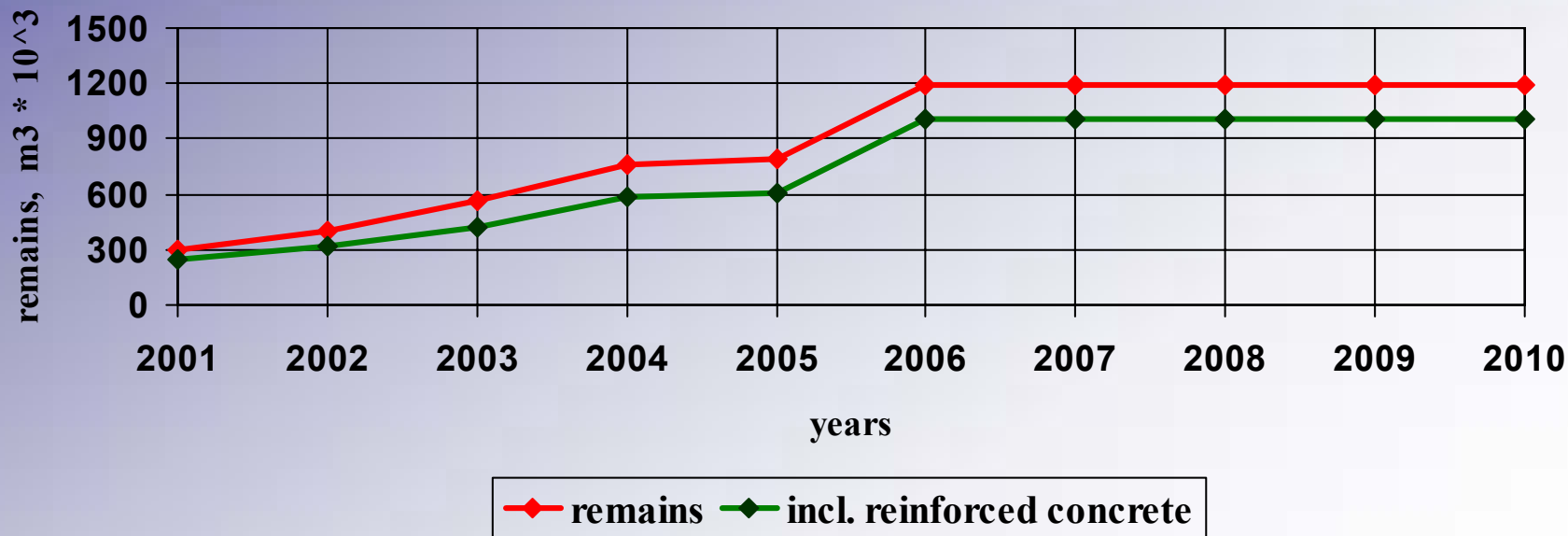
- Problems of demolition and recycling, solutions
- Material properties of the ballast obtained from crushed concrete, standardisation of requirements, certification
- Material properties of the ballast obtained from crushed concrete, comparison with concrete based on natural ballast

## Programm of demolition of old buildings in Moscow 2001 - 2010

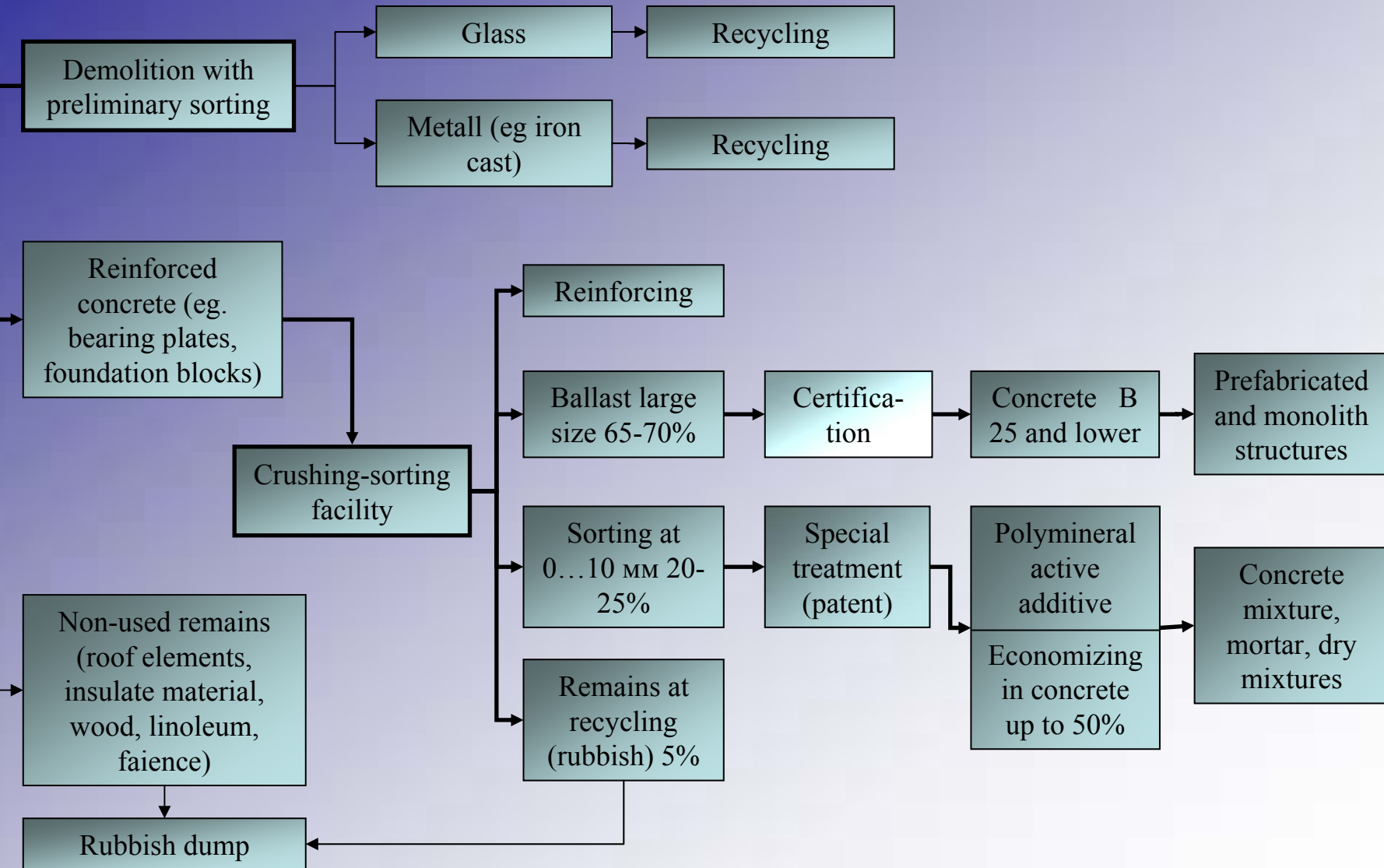
5. Floor houses - 5,4 million. m<sup>2</sup>

Old buildings - 0,9 million. m<sup>2</sup>

Volume of construction remains obtained from demolition



# Procedure of recycling of destroyed buildings and structures

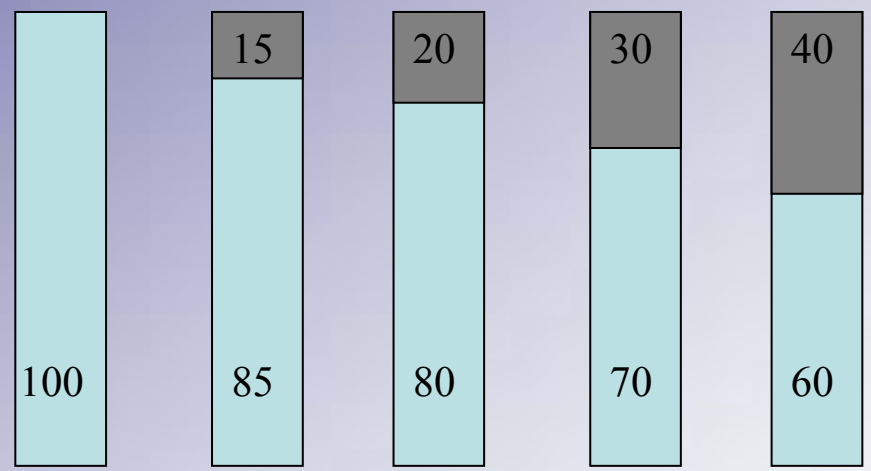


## Quality parameters for ballast from crushed concrete fractions 5 – 20; 10 – 40

Properties	Test results	Technical requirements
Average density, g/cm <sup>3</sup>	2,16 – 2,39	2,0 – 3,0
Content of grains with plate and needle shape, %	15 – 25	≤ 50
Content of weak grains, %	12 – 15	≤ 15
Strength of ballast grains (crushing mark)	300 – 400	≥ 300
Frost resistance	75 – 100	≥ F 15

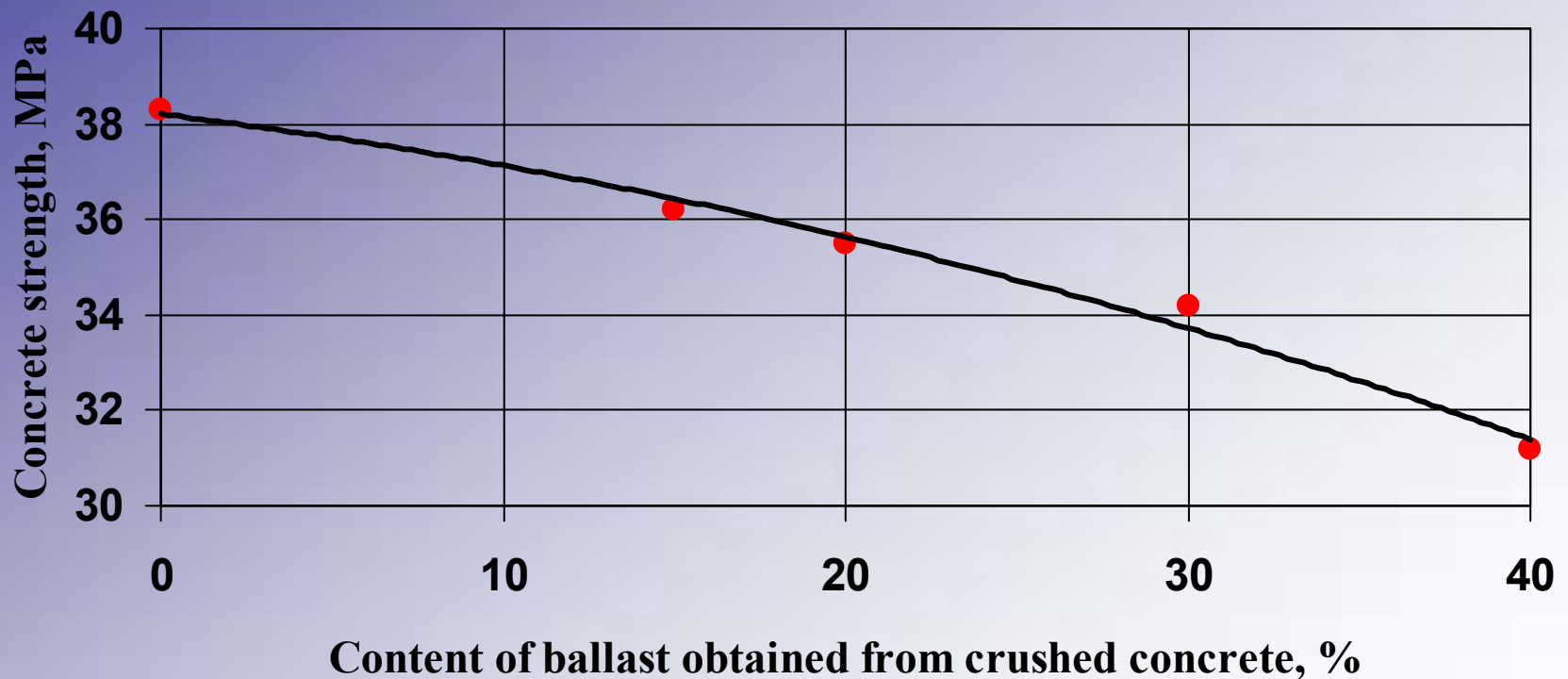
## Content and properties of concrete based on limestone ballast and mixture of natural limestone ballast and ballast obtained from crushed concrete

cement, kg/M <sup>3</sup>	400
sand, kg/M <sup>3</sup>	740
water, kg/M <sup>3</sup>	210
ballast, kg/M <sup>3</sup>	995



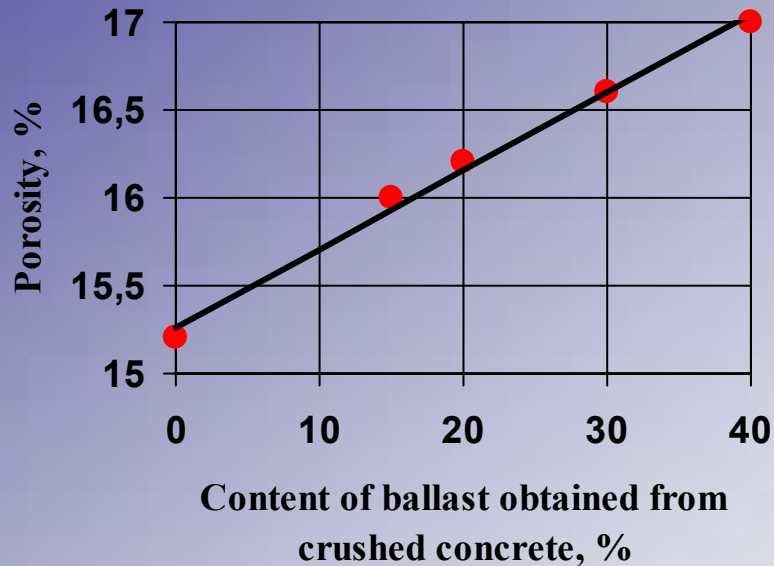
Concrete strength, MPa	38,3	36,2	35,5	34,2	31,2
Strength reduction	1,0	0,95	0,93	0,89	0,82
Concrete porosity, %	15,2	16,0	16,2	16,6	17,0
Porosity increase	1,0	1,05	1,07	1,09	1,12

## Relationship between concrete strength and content of ballast obtained from crushed concrete in large size component filling



## Relationship between structure of crushed concrete and concrete strength

**Relationship between porosity and content of ballast obtained from crushed concrete in large size component filling**



**Relationship between concrete strength and porosity**

