

TEST RESULTS OF KALMATRON®KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ TAIWAN, ROC



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TEST RESULTS of $KF\alpha\beta\gamma$

"Tondalee Trading Co" (Taiwan) provided the present test procedure for evaluation of KALMATRON® $KF\alpha\beta\gamma$ radioactive shielding material by coating on the radioactively contaminated rebar of concrete constructions. The samples of product and test instructions provided by Structural Protection Enterprise, Inc. USA.

Test Instrument:
"DM 3100" (USA)

Initial data's.
Emitter:

Co-60 (γ -ray emitter, $Z = 27$, $T_{1/2} = 5.3$ years, $E_\gamma = 1.17\text{MeV} \div 1.33\text{ MeV}$).

Specimens:

- a. Concrete panels 60x60x3 cm with density 2.4 gr/cm³;
- b. $KF\alpha\beta\gamma$ is the mix of Powder with conical filler "F":

CONCLUSIONS:

1. KALMATRON® $KF\alpha\beta\gamma$ is completely compatible with cement containing building materials.
 2. Application provided by the standard stucco technology by trowel without shrinkage and cracking. Any type of paint is applicable also on the surface of protective coating.
 3. Effectiveness of KALMATRON® $KF\alpha\beta\gamma$ layers, coated on the 30 mm concrete slab in compare with 30 mm lead slab is follows:
 - 10 mm $\Rightarrow$ 38%
 - 15 mm $\Rightarrow$ 44%
 - 20 mm $\Rightarrow$ 47%
 - 25 mm $\Rightarrow$ 56%
 4. Average of $\Delta_1 = 6.00\%$, i.e. every 5 mm layer increase radioactive protection on 6% or on 0.200 μ Sv/hour.
 5. According to emitter's data Co 60, the energy of radioactivity will be reduced up to 50% after next five years. Therefore, after 3-5 years the present radiation will be suppressed till 0.2 μ Sv/hour.
 6. KALMATRON® $KF\alpha\beta\gamma$ has met the requirements of Sanitary Control of Radioactive Contamination.
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COMPARISON OF KALMATRON® KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ and LEAD with CONCRETE
Test Instrument "DM 3100" (USA); Dose on air 0.16 μ Sv/hr.

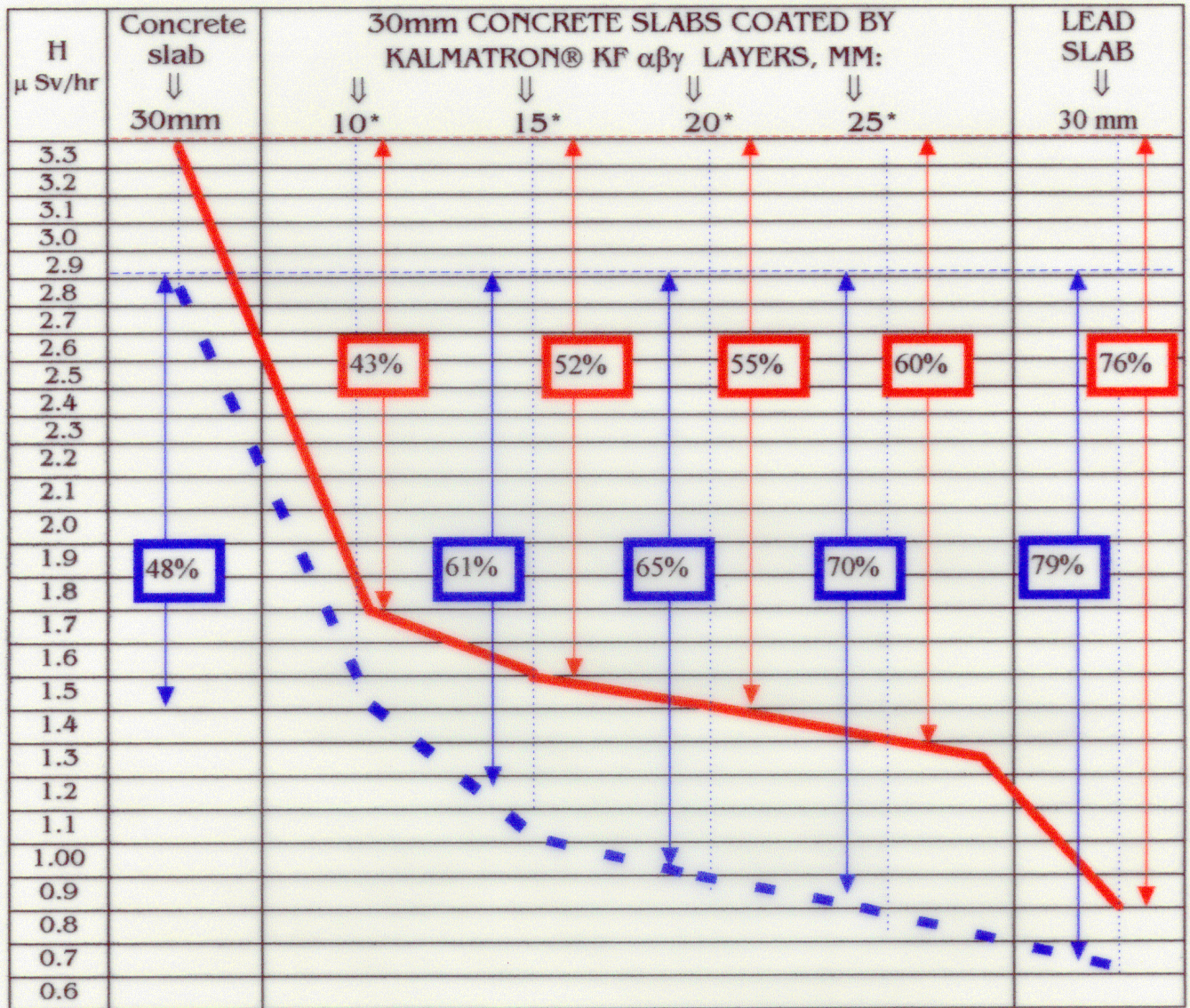


Table 1. The equivalents of absorbed dose of $\alpha\beta\gamma$ radiation by lead and concrete slabs with and without shielding by KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ (μ Sv/hour).

Emitter: Co-60 (γ -ray emitter, $Z = 27$, $T_{1/2} = 5.3$ years, $E_\gamma = 1.17\text{MeV} \div 1.33\text{ MeV}$).

Legend:

- - High level of absorbed dose of radiation
- - - Low level of absorbed dose of radiation
- 60% 60% - Comparative percentage.

* - Layers were tested at the age of 7 days.

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COMPARISON OF CONCRETE SLABS WITH AND WITHOUT KALMATRON® KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$
Test Instrument "DM 3100" (USA); Dose on air 0.16 μ Sv/hr.

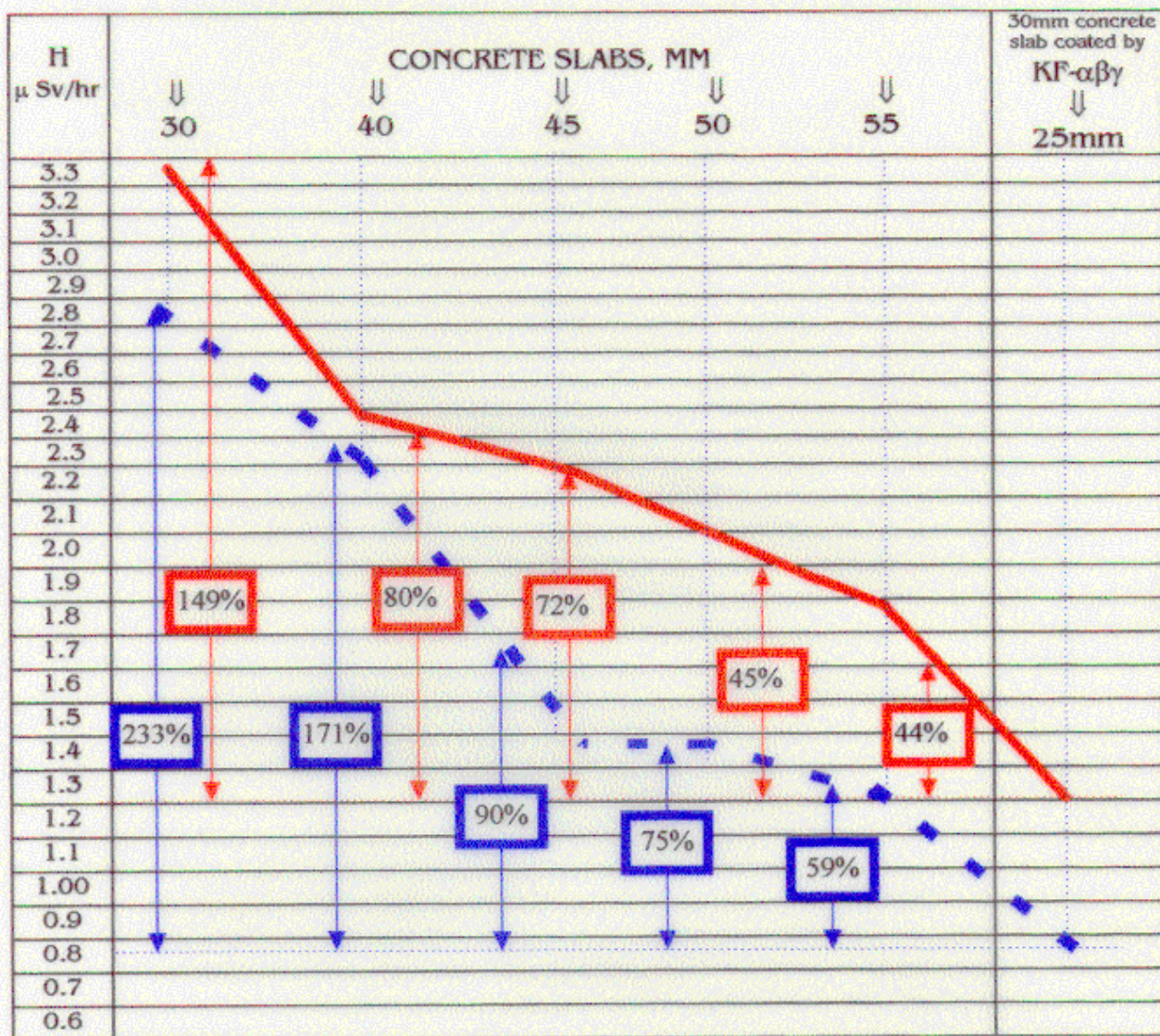


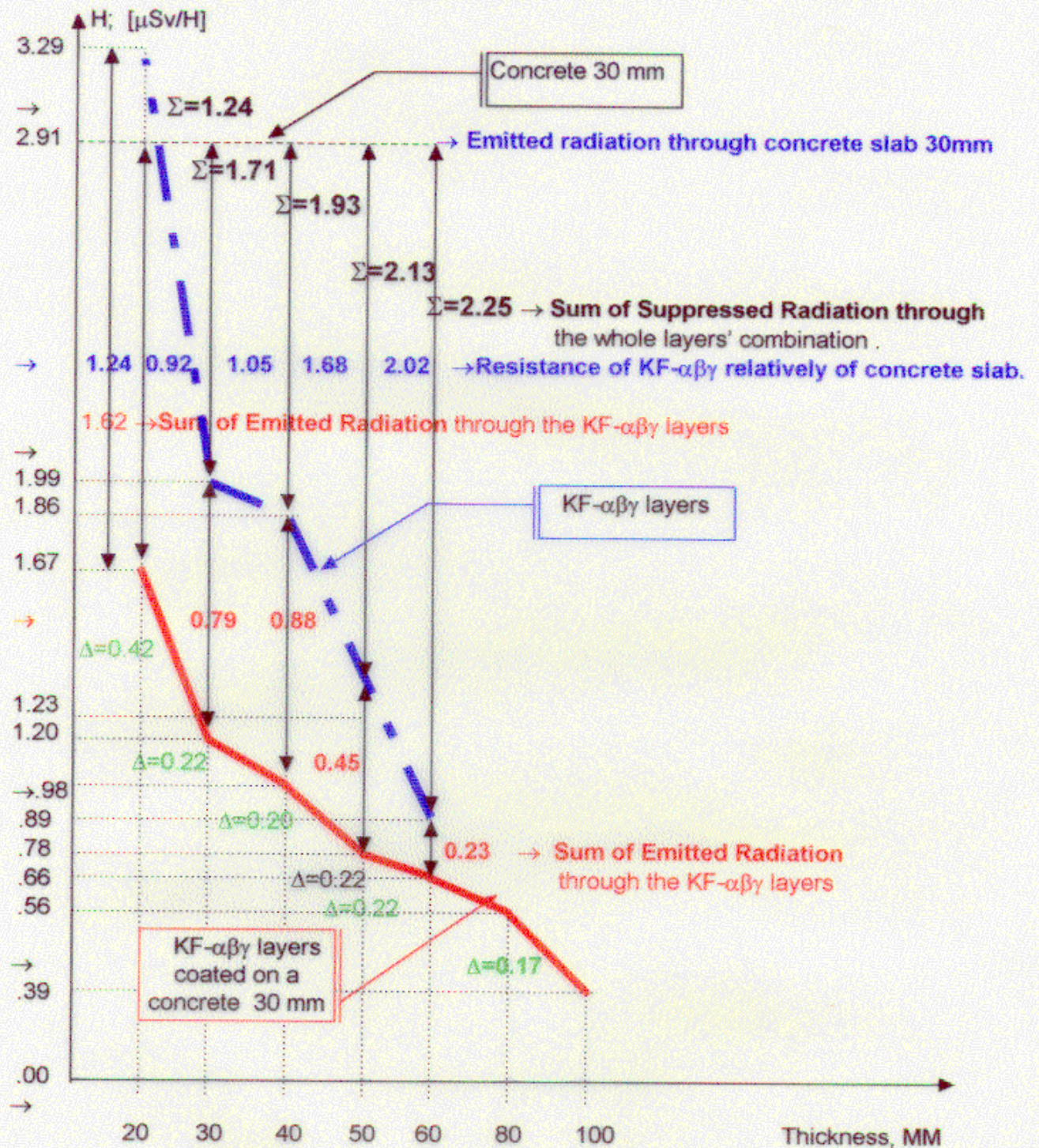
Table 2. The equivalents of absorbed dose of $\alpha\beta\gamma$ radiation by concrete slabs with and without shielding by KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ (μ Sv/hour).

Emitter: Co-60 (γ -ray emitter, $Z = 27$, $T_{1/2} = 5.3$ years, $E_\gamma = 1.17\text{MeV} + 1.33\text{ MeV}$).

Legend:

- -High level of absorbed dose of radiation
- - -Low level of absorbed dose of radiation
- 60% 60% - Comparative percentage.

RESISTANCE OF KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ TO X-RAY OF Co 60 1.33 MeV
 BASED ON THE DATA OF TEST PROVIDED BY "TONDALEE TRADING CO." TAIWAN



Notice:

Δ - resistance of particular shielding layer

0.7 [$\mu\text{Sv/H}$] - emitted radiation through 30 mm lead slab

Test Report of KF- α β γ as Radiation Shielding Material

Shielding Material Test Instrument	Background Value	Co 60 radiation energy	Concrete 30mm	Concrete 30mm+ Powder 15mm	Concrete 40mm	Concrete 30mm+ KF α β γ 10mm	Concrete 45mm	Concrete 30mm+ KF α β γ 15mm	Concrete 50mm	Concrete 30mm+ KF α β γ 20mm	Concrete 55mm	Concrete 30mm+ KF α β γ 25mm
USA 3100 (Check α β γ)	0.15 $\pm$ 0.16	High 113	High 3.30	High 2.55	High 2.41	High 1.90	High 2.30	High 1.60	High 1.94	High 1.52	High 1.80	High 1.34
		Low 105~106	Low 2.54	Low 1.78	Low 2.33	Low 1.49	Low 1.63	Low 1.11	Low 1.50	Low 0.99	Low 1.37	Low 0.86
		Average 109	Average 2.92	Average 2.17	Average 2.37	Average 1.8	Average 1.97	Average 1.36	Average 1.72	Average 1.26	Average 1.6~1.7	Average 1.1~1.2

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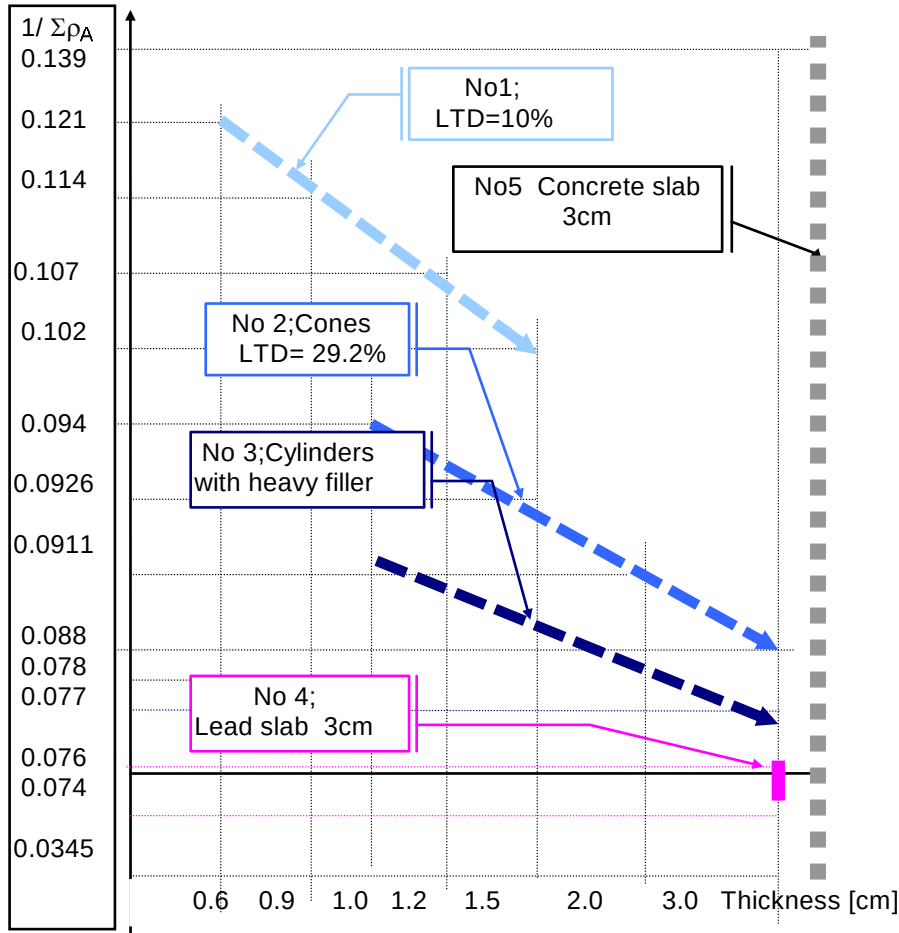
Shielding Material Test Instrument	Background Value	Co 60 radiation energy	30mm Concrete	Concrete 30mm	30mm α β γ	2 $\times$ 20mm α β γ	1 $\times$ 20mm + 1 $\times$ 30mm α β γ	2 $\times$ 30mm α β γ	Lead 30mm		
USA 3100 (Check α β γ)	0.15 0.16	High 113	High 3.20	High 3.30	High 2.24	High 2.14	High 1.52	High 1.06	High 1.27	High	High
		Low 105~106	Low 2.61	Low 2.54	Low 1.75	Low 1.57	Low 0.94	Low 0.71	Low 0.85	Low	Low
		Average 109	Average 2.91	Average 2.92	Average 1.99	Average 1.86	Average 1.23	Average 0.89	Average 1.16	Average	Average
					32%	27%	58%	70%			

Shielding Material Test Instrument	Background Value	Co 60 radiation energy	1 $\times$ 30mm Concrete + 1 $\times$ 20mm α β γ	1 $\times$ 30mm Concrete + 1 $\times$ 30mm α β γ	1 $\times$ 30mm Concrete + 2 $\times$ 20mm α β γ	1 $\times$ 30mm Concrete + 2 $\times$ 30mm α β γ	1 $\times$ 30mm Concrete + 2 $\times$ 30mm & 2 $\times$ 20mm α β γ		
USA 3100 (Check α β γ)	0.15 0.16	High 113	High 1.52	High 1.48	High 1.20	High 0.94	High 0.75	High 0.64	High 0.48
		Low 105~106	Low 0.99	Low 0.92	Low 0.76	Low 0.61	Low 0.57	Low 0.47	Low 0.30
		Average 109	Average 1.26	Average 1.2	Average 0.98	Average 0.78	Average 0.66	Average 0.56	Average 0.31~0.32

COMPARATIVE TEST RESULTS KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$

$S_m = E / \Sigma \rho_A$;
Superficial
density

Doses of Suppressing and Ionizing radiation	
S_m MeVcm ² /gr]	H (μSv/hour)



0.185	2.95
0.161	2.35
0.152	2.18
0.142	2.14
0.136	1.75
0.125	1.40
0.123	1.25
0.121	1.1
0.117	0.95
0.104	0.75
0.102	0.60
0.101	0.55
0.0984	0.45
0.046	0.35

Fig. 1 The dependence of suppressing radiation from the different types of KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ and thickness' of the shielding layers. Calibrated emitter of γ -ray radiation is parent nuclide Co-56 ($E_\gamma = 1.360175$ MeV).

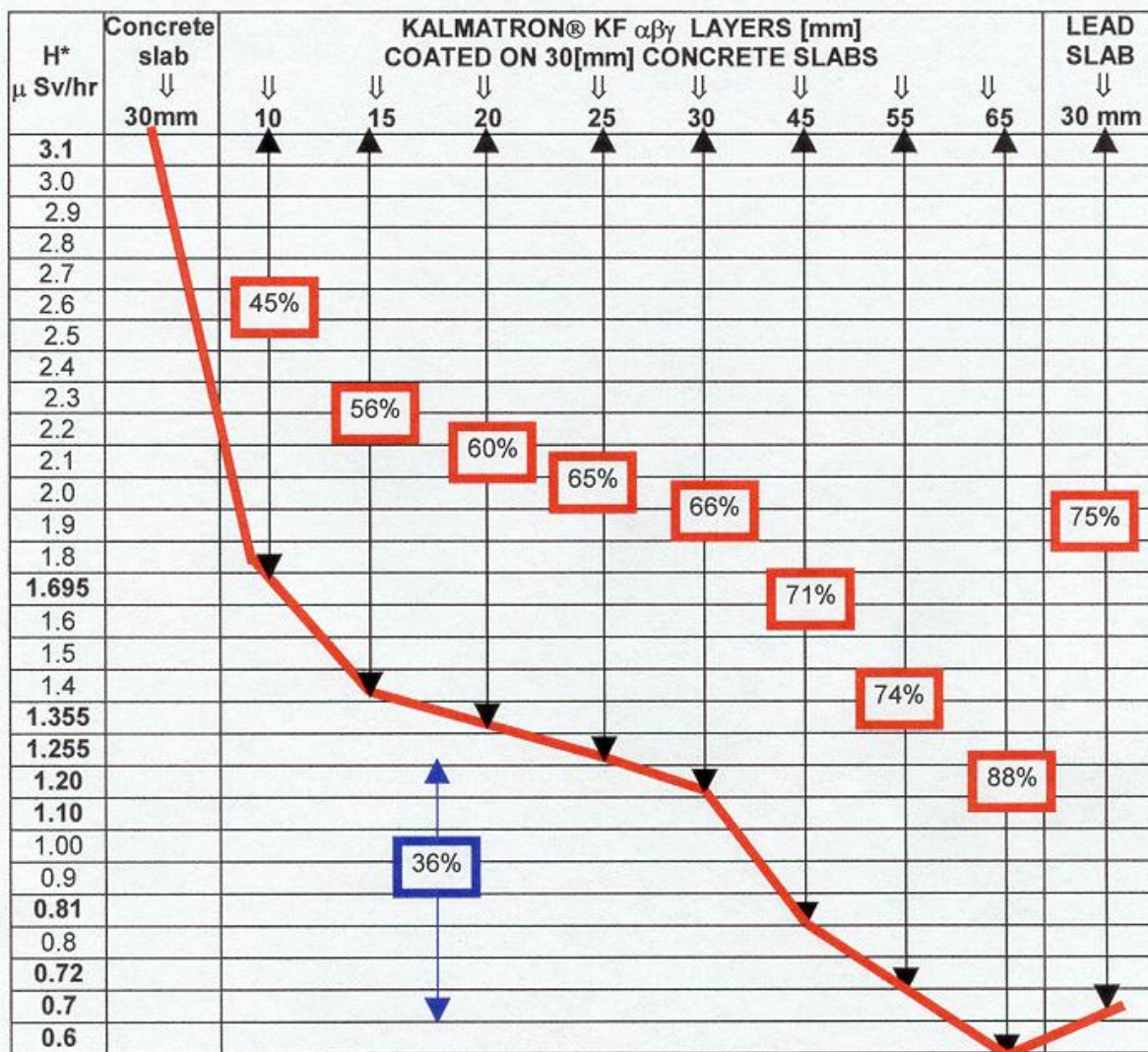
Legend:

- No1- coating of 3cm by KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ layer with powder.
- No2 - coating of 3cm by KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ layer with cones heavy filler.
- No3 - coating of 3cm by KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ layer with cylinders' heavy filler;
- No4 - lead slab 3cm;
- No5 - concrete slab 3cm.

By sanitary requirements of radioactive protection, the required doze level is 0.293 (μSv/h). Therefore:

1. Theoretically, we have to have a material with 1cm thickness and superficial density $\rho_A = 67$ gr/cm² (lead has $\rho_A=29.01$ gr/cm²), which could provide suppressing radiation $S_m=0.008$ (MeVcm²/gr) and ionizing radiation $H=0.2$ (μSv/hour).
2. Practically, this is 5 cm of lead slabs. Therefore, we can to reduce radiation at least 2.5 times by 2 cm of KF $\alpha\beta\gamma$ shielding layer.

ATTENUATION OF RADIATION BY KALMATRON® KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ COATED ON A CONCRETE COMPARISON WITH CONCRETE AND LEAD



The equivalents of absorbed dose of γ - radiation by lead and concrete slabs comprised with shielding of 30mm concrete by KF- $\alpha\beta\gamma$ with gradual thickness.

H* - readings from the surface of specified layer.

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Emitter: Co-60 (γ -ray emitter, Z = 27, $T_{1/2}$ = 5.3 years, E_γ = 1.17MeV $\div$ 1.33 MeV).

Legend: — Average of the levels of absorbed dose of radiation

33% Comparative percentage with previous layer' attenuation.