

Essex's new 1200 SX luffer delivers long reach, high capacity and precise load control.

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When Vezers Precision Industrial Constructors International, Inc. was awarded the contract to renovate and upgrade production equipment at the Monarch Cement Company in Humboldt, Kansas, they contacted Essex for their crane needs. The five month project entailed regularly scheduled ductwork replacement, plus conversion of a massive preheater to burn coke fuel in place of increasingly expensive natural gas. Essex Crane Rental Corp. proposed and delivered their first of (several) new Liebherr LR1200SX 275-US Ton liftcranes purchased late last year from Liebherr. Equipped with 164' main boom and 154' of luffing jib the 1200SX performed all major and routine lifts for Vezers.



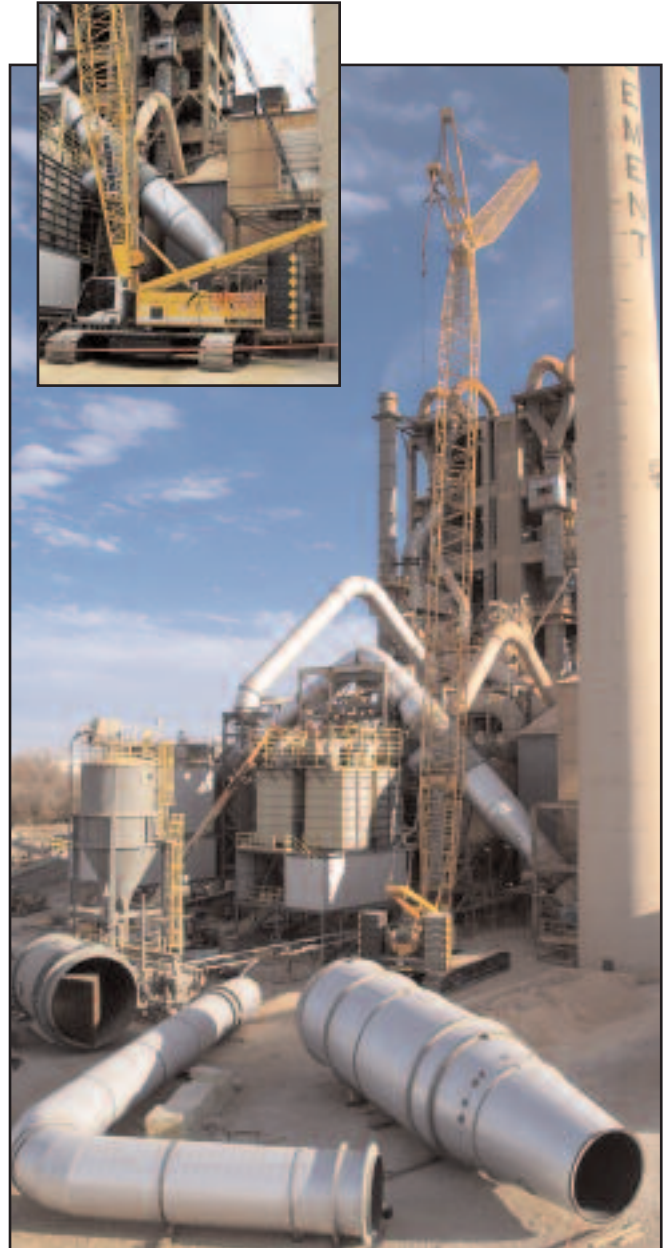
Danny Saint, General Superintendent and Equipment Manager

"This is a mammoth project. We needed to rely on one crane for all major lifts to keep the job on schedule and on budget. The new Liebherr is keeping our project profitable."



Jim Sullivan, Crane Operator for Vezers

"I've run other rental rigs from Essex and they are always reliable, but this new Liebherr is a special treat. The cab is really comfortable...a perfect fit for a size XXXL. I especially like the control console and the crane's smooth response."



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