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## One held on charge of cement adulteration

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Pune: The Lonikand police on Saturday arrested Ghanashyam Vitthal Deshmukh (41) of Kolwadi on the charge of adulterating cement and selling the adulterated cement in the bags of popular cement bags. Police seized 1,150 gunny bags worth Rs 2.87 lakh.

According to the police, Deshmukh used to buy damaged cement bags of local brands from local dealers at cheaper rates. He would also get the empty bags of 'branded' companies. He had employed workers, working at an illegal shed in Kolwadi.

The workers would fill the cement from these substandard and damaged bags into the empty bags of prominent brands. He would then sell these 'branded' cement bags with substandard cement to cheat customers and make a profit.

Police are probing for how long Deshmukh has been cheating the customers.

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